

Handout – Class Session #1

Key Vocabulary Words

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Ecology	Definition	Examples

Cultural Heritage	Definition	Examples
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[Answer Key]

Global	Definition Relating to the whole world, worldwide	Examples Global economy, Global housing market, Global education standards, etc.
Local	Definition Particular to a specific location or region	Examples Local park, local ice cream store, local restaurant, etc. [Ask students to provide examples for each.]
Glocal	Definition Reflecting both local and global characteristics	Examples Local store making scarves with a traditional Indian elephant print; local restaurant selling Thai food.
Culture	Definition Patterns of human knowledge, beliefs, and behavior transmitted to next generations.	Examples African-American Gospel; Western rodeo; Chinese Moon Festival
Ecology	Definition	Examples

	A branch of biology dealing with the relation of organisms to each other and their environment. Big or small habitats host ecology.	The behavior and relationship of organisms in the understory of the Brazilian Amazon Rainforest, the Australian Great Barrier Reef, or a clump of soil from your yard!
Cultural Heritage	Definition Ways of living passed on from one generation to the next	Examples Swedish meatballs; Indian sari; Uygur dance from Xinjiang, China; Fly fishing in Indiana
Ecological Heritage	Definition Elements of biodiversity passed on from one generation to the next	Examples Trees, plants, flowers, birds, ocean, lakes, rivers, atmosphere, etc.

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