

ESL Standards & Benchmarks

6. CROSS-CULTURAL KNOWLEDGE & UNDERSTANDING

Students will demonstrate cross-cultural knowledge and understanding.

KINDERGARTEN – GRADE 2

A) Cultural Appreciation

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Demonstrate familiarity with such cultural referents as holidays, symbols, traditions and customs.	Listen and respond to literature from a range of cultures.	Read, listen to and respond to folktales and literature from a range of cultures.
Listen to literature from a range of cultures.		

B) Social and Cultural Sensitivity

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Work cooperatively.	Share aspects of their own culture.	

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GRADE 3 – GRADE 5

A) Cultural Appreciation

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Demonstrate familiarity with such cultural referents as holidays, symbols, traditions and customs.	Read, listen and respond to literature from a range of cultures.	
Listen and respond to literature from a range of cultures.		

B) Social and Cultural Sensitivity

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Interpret and demonstrate knowledge of gestures and body language.		
Work cooperatively.		
Share aspects of their own culture.		

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GRADE 6 – GRADE 8

A) Cultural Appreciation

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Read, listen and respond to literature from a range of cultures.	Compare and contrast literature from a range of cultures.	

B) Social and Cultural Sensitivity

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Interpret and demonstrate knowledge of gestures and body language.		
Work cooperatively.		

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GRADE 9 – GRADE 10

A) Cultural Appreciation

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Read, listen and respond to literature from a range of cultures.	Compare and contrast literature from a range of cultures.	

B) Social and Cultural Sensitivity

Beginning	Intermediate	Transitional
Interpret and demonstrate knowledge of gestures and body language.		