

BADR HIGH SCHOOL - ELMERS PRACTICE MATERIAL

I. Choose the appropriate words from the list: (global, behaviour, diversity,

emigrants, misconceptions, technology, conflicts, acceptable, stereotype, shock)

- 1. One of the problems(a) face is culture (b) which is a condition of confusion and anxiety affecting a person suddenly exposed to a new culture.
- 2. Some people think that a country with cultural (c) may face cultural (d). Other people, however, think that such a country may benefit from the variety and richness of its culture.
- 3. A(e) is a false, distorted assumption associated with a group of people.
- 4. For some cultures, it is not culturally (f) to burp in front of people.
- 5. Racial (g)is the result of cultural (h).
- 6. The world has become a (i) village thanks to (j).

II. Match the pairs to form appropriate collocations:

body - eye - good - cultural - irrational | diversity – belief – language- manners- contact

III. <u>Use the collocations to complete the sentences</u>:

- 1. Superstition is an (a) about good and bad luck arising from ignorance or fear.
- 2. (b) should be considered as a source of enrichment, not a source of conflicts.
- 3. Although (c) is non-verbal, it can reveal much about our feelings.
- 4. Consistent (d) can indicate that a person is thinking positively of what the speakers is saying.
- 5. In Indian culture, (e) are an indicator of politeness and good upbringing. IV. <u>Match</u> each idiom with the right meaning:

*Let the grass grow under one's feet	- be very similar
*hit the nail on the head	-very easy
*once in a blue moon	-extremely rarely
*out of the blue	-be mistaken about something
*pull someone's leg	-unexpectedly, and without warning
*it's raining cats and dogs	-try to do too much or something too difficult
*a piece of cake	-be exactly right about something
*bark up the wrong tree	-play a joke on someone
*bite off more than one can chew	-it's raining heavily
*be cut from the same cloth	-waste time in getting a task done

V. Complete these sentences with the correct idioms. Make any necessary changes:

- 1. Sanaa and Nabil are brother and sister, but they're not (a).
- 2. Mike helps his wife with the cooking (b).
- 3. If you think Haddou took the purse, then you (c).
- 4. I'm sure this task will require much more time and effort than you think. So, don't (d).
- 5. My uncle, who had been absent for 30 years suddenly appeared (e) last month.