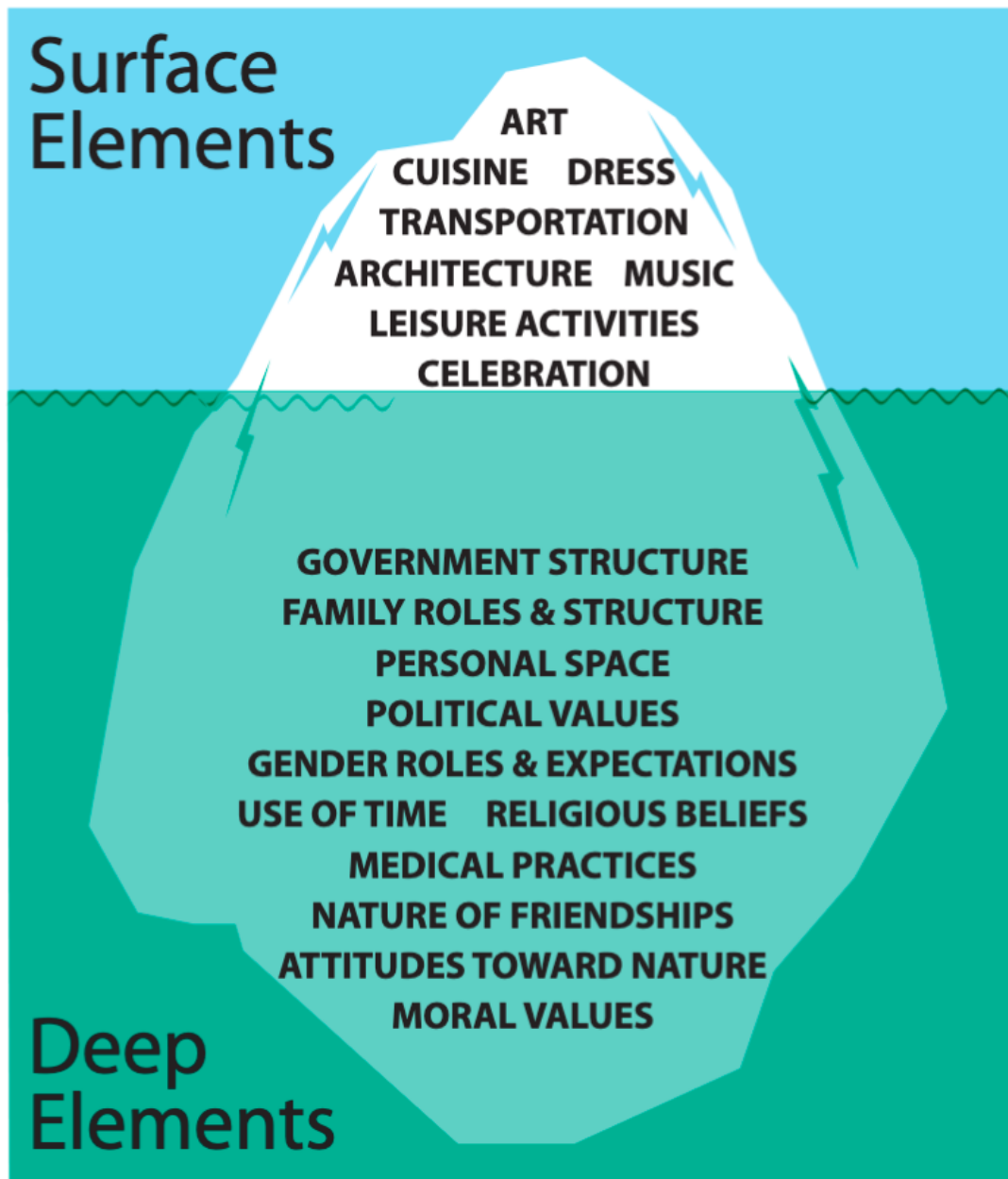


Figure 1. **Iceberg Model of Culture**



Name _____



Healing Fields and 14 Cows Activity



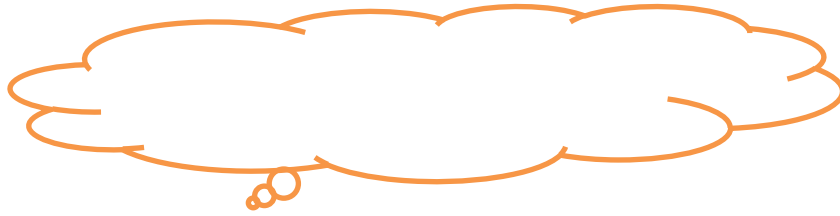
1. In your own words, describe what happened on 9/11/2001. It is ok that you don't know at this time, just describe what you think might have happened.

2. What comes to your mind when you hear this title: *14 Cows for America*? Then sketch it in the box.

A large, empty rectangular box with an orange border, intended for a student to draw a sketch related to the title '14 Cows for America'.

3. Compare your sketch to the illustration in the book. How was it the same? How was it different?

4. What is something you own that you would give away to make someone else feel better? You will refer back to this answer during your Tribute Project.



5. What geography concepts did you hear in the story? Write them in the correct column identifying them as Cultural Characteristics or Physical Characteristics. You should have at least 3 items for each column.

Cultural Characteristics	Physical Characteristics

6. How did the 9/11 terrorist attacks connect the American and Maasai cultures?



Healing Fields and 14 Cows Activity



Answer Key

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Cultural Characteristics	Physical Characteristics
<p>hand over heart maasai/Kenyan people legendary/feared warriors kind word of the gift will travel news wires around the globe gentle touch on the head/warrior's blessing blessing cows ceremonies clothing/ornaments chanting speaking by elders drinking milk compassion for those in need healing comes from giving some dear to you tribe peaceful, nomadic cattle herders enkang/ring of huts with roofs of dung cow is life/ownership of cattle women sing mournful songs supa/hello aakua/welcome, my son elders</p>	<p>village herd of bull giraffes grassland guava tree enkang/ring of huts with roofs of dung dusty/rugged roads acacia tree</p>

How did the 9/11 terrorist attacks connect the American and Maasai cultures?

Kimeli considered America his second home, so whoever Kimeli likes, it is assumed the tribe likes. It was Kimeli's connection to the U.S. that prompted the village to act.

The Maasai played the "Star Spangled Banner" during the presentation, and out of respect to the American diplomat, they also put their hands across their chest, which made the diplomat cry and therefore formed a connection.

The cows are kept in Kenya – always a symbol of hope to Americans and a cultural connection between the Maasai and Americans was formed.

Name _____

9/11 Tributes


Now that you have seen a brief summary of the events

(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1a8gyUpvZww/>) that unfolded on 9/11/2001, take the time to look at your answer to #1 on Healing Fields and 14 Cows Activity worksheet. What did you already know? What was new information?



Name That Tribute!

The following images are various tributes created to honor the victims of 9/11. Use the internet or other sources of information and identify: (1) What the tribute is called and (2) where it is located.

	Image	What	Where
A			

B



C



D




E



F



G			
H	<p>Your choice: Find another example and draw the image here. Be sure to do What and Where.</p>		

A **memorial** is something (such as a **monument** or **ceremony**) that honors a person who has died or serves as a reminder of an event in which many people died.



The colors of the flag have meaning
red – symbolized hardiness and valor
white symbolized purity and innocence
blue – represents vigilance, perseverance, and justice

How do these memorials above reflect the cultural values of Americans? Answer in complete sentences.

Name That Tribute

Answer Key

Answers will vary.

- A. A Healing Field Tempe, Prescott Valley, and other city locations in the U.S.
- B. Tear Drop Memorial Bayonne, NJ
- C. The 9/11 Reflecting Pool NYC in location of Twin Towers
- D. U.S.S. New York (build from 7.5 tons of steel from destroyed World Trade Center) NYC
- E. World Trade Center NYC
- F. Candlelight Vigil (done at events remembering those who have died) anywhere
- G. Survivor Tree (rescued from the rubble, brought back to health at a nursery, replanted) NYC
- H. Answers will vary.

How do these memorials above reflect the cultural values of Americans? Answer in complete sentences.

Flags and memorials use the colors red, white, and blue which are symbolic of America and our values. The memorials are dignified and celebrate the solemnness of death and the event. Memorials symbolize rebirth (tree), light (candle), and other religious elements. Flowers on the graves is an American tradition. Recycling the steel for the ship shows the American spirit to move forward but remember and honor the past. Tear drop shape and reflecting pool represent sorrow.

Name _____

Healing Field Activity

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_____ years have passed since the terrorist attacks that claimed the lives of more than three-thousand people. This Healing Field pays tribute to each person whose life was ended on that day 9/11/01.

The September 11 attacks killed 2,996 people and injured more than 6,000 others. The immediate deaths included 265 on the four planes, 2,606 in the World Trade Center and in the surrounding area, and 125 at the Pentagon.

A Healing Field is made up of flags for the dead. Each flag has a tag that lists a name, location on 9/11 and biographical information. A teddy bear represents a child. Boots are for fire or police.

Teddy Bear



Boots



Tags



Field Study Assignment

1. In the Healing Field, find 4 flags:
 - a. 2 from the World Trade Center
 - b. 1 from the Pentagon
 - c. 1 from Shanksville, Pennsylvania
2. Write down the name of the person that the flag honors, the person's age, the 9/11 location, and the person's occupation. Include 2 more details about the person if the tag provides more information or if you can find more information online.

1. Name: _____ Age: _____

Location on 9/11/2001: _____

Occupation: _____

Additional Details:

2. Name: _____ Age: _____

Location on 9/11/2001: _____

Occupation: _____

Additional Details:

3. Name: _____ Age: _____

Location on 9/11/2001: _____

Occupation: _____

Additional Details:

4. Name: _____ Age: _____

Location on 9/11/2001: _____

Occupation: _____

Additional Details:

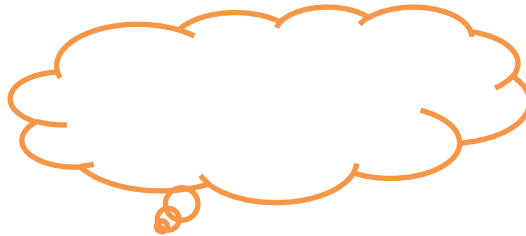
Name _____

Tribute Project Luminaria

Luminaria (loo-muh-nair-ee-uh): A Christmas lantern consisting of a lighted candle set in sand inside a paper bag. (found especially in Mexico and the southwestern U.S.)

Materials

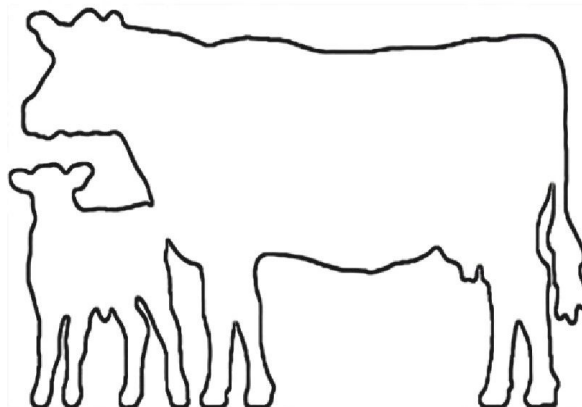
7. Healing Fields and 14 Cows Activity worksheet (question #10) What is something you own that you would give away to make someone else feel better?



8. Paper bag – with a cow and calf silhouette on one side, blank on the other
9. Art supplies and hole punch
10. Sand
11. Flameless candle

Directions

1. Kimeli stated: ***“To Heal a Sorrowing Heart, give something that is dear to your own.”*** On one side of your paper bag, draw and cut out a silhouette of a cow and her calf – something dear to Kimeli’s heart.
2. On the other side of the paper bag, decorate your bag with a symbol, drawing, or cutout of something that is dear to your heart. (Refer to your answer in the bubble above.) Decorate your luminaria.
3. Fill your bag with a cup of sand. Pack it down neatly and firmly.
4. Insert a flameless candle in the center of your sand. Push the candle so the sand surrounds it.
5. When you are ready to put your luminaria on display. Turn on the candle and enjoy.



Name _____

Vocabulary Test

Directions: Match the vocabulary word to its definition. If you do this correctly, your answers will spell a word.

Vocabulary Word

Definition

- | | |
|------------------------|--|
| _____ 1. diplomat | B. a tribe in Kenya |
| _____ 2. elder | E. a long established custom or belief that is passed from one generation to another |
| _____ 3. Healing Field | I. a stand of flags paying tribute to the lives lost in the 9/11 attacks |
| _____ 4. Maasai | R. a leader or older figure in the Maasai tribe |
| _____ 5. respect | S. an act or gift that shows gratitude or respect |
| _____ 6. sacred | T. an official representing a country abroad |
| _____ 7. tradition | T. regarded with great respect and reverence |
| _____ 8. tribute | U. regard for the feelings, wishes, rights, or beliefs of others |

Vocabulary Test Answer Key

- T** 1. diplomat
- R** 2. elder
- I** 3. Healing Field
- B** 4. Maasai
- U** 5. respect
- T** 6. sacred
- E** 7. tradition
- S** 8. tribute