



ESLDO - Unit 3

What Makes Me, Me?

Identity is complex! It depends in large part who the world around me says I am.



Who do they think I am?:

- My parents**
- My peers**
- My teachers**
- My neighbors**
- Store clerks**
- Media**

Identity is also determined by: race, ethnicity, nationality, heritage, gender, age, religion.

WHAT IS RACE?

Race is determined biologically. Race includes inherited genetic traits such as colour of skin, hair and eye colour, and bone and jaw structure. It is similar to ethnicity, but relates more to the appearance of a person, especially the colour of their skin.

Some examples: Caucasian, Black, Indigenous, Pacific Islander, Asian, Hispanic

WHAT IS ETHNICITY?

Ethnicity is based on a group (called an *ethnic group*) that is normally based on similar traits, such as a common language, common heritage, faith, and cultural similarities.

Other variables that play a role in ethnicity, though not in all cases, include a geographical connection to a particular place, common foods and diets, and perhaps a common faith.

Some Examples: American, Canadian, Chinese, Vietnamese, Danish, Italian, German, Greek, Haitian, British, Korean, Filipino

WHAT IS NATIONALITY?

Nationality usually refers to the place where the person was born and/or holds citizenship.

However, often times nationality can be determined by place of residence, ethnicity, or national identity. If a person was born in Country A but immigrated to Country B while still a toddler, he or she might identify more with the Country B nationality, having been raised there.

Some Examples: American, Canadian, Chinese, Vietnamese, Danish, Italian, German, Greek, Haitian, British, Korean, Filipino

WHAT IS HERITAGE?

Heritage is a person's unique, inherited sense of family identity: the values, traditions, culture, and artifacts handed down by previous generations.

Some Examples: Celebrating New Years Eve with your family, wearing traditional clothes, eating specific meals, placing value on certain religions or beliefs.

The 2 websites for Research:

<http://creativeproverbs.com/cp-index.htm>

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The screenshot shows the homepage of 'The Creative Proverbs... Index of Countries and Cultures'. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links: Home, Search Proverbs, Country Index, HighBeam, and Beemoocreative. Below the navigation bar is a cartoon owl logo. The main heading is 'The Creative Proverbs... Index of Countries and Cultures', followed by the text 'Country pages include flags, maps, and country information.' A 'Please Note' section explains that the links lead to 100 countries and cultures with approximately 2000 creative proverbs, and that an asterisk (*) denotes a culture within a country or spanning several countries. A link 'write my essay at essaywriting.expert' is also present. The main content area is titled 'Creative Proverbs Index of Countries and Cultures' and contains two columns of links to country pages, including Afghanistan, African*, Albania, Argentina, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bantu*, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burma, Cameroon, China, Lebanon, Madagascar, Malaysia, Malta, Mexico, Morocco, Netherlands, Netherlands Antilles, New Zealand, Niger, Nigeria, Norway, Palestinian*, Persian*, Philippines, and Poland.

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Country pages include flags, maps, and country information.

Please Note: The links below to 100 Countries and Cultures include approximately 2000 Creative Proverbs. An additional 10,000 Proverbs are accessible by using the [Creative Proverbs Search Engine](#). An asterisk (*) denotes a culture (or ethnic group) within a country or that spans several countries.

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Creative Proverbs Index of Countries and Cultures


Afghanistan	Lebanon
African*	Madagascar
Albania	Malaysia
Argentina	Malta
Armenia	Mexico
Austria	Morocco
Azerbaijan	Netherlands
Bantu*	Netherlands Antilles
Belgium	New Zealand
Benin	Niger
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Nigeria
Brazil	Norway
Bulgaria	Palestinian*
Burma	Persian*
Cameroon	Philippines
China	Poland

1. Click on the country of your ancestor's heritage

<http://creativeproverbs.com/cp-index.htm>

Creative Proverbs from...
Germany

Brief Overview of this Country



Click flag to enlarge

Scroll down for Map

Location: Central Europe, bordering the Baltic Sea and the North Sea, between the Netherlands and Poland, south of Denmark

Population: 82,797,408 (July 2000 est.) - **Capital:** Berlin

Ethnic Groups: German 91.5%, Turkish 2.4%, other 6.1% (made up largely of Serbo-Croatian, Italian, Russian, Greek, Polish, Spanish)


Languages: German

Religions: Protestant 38%, Roman Catholic 34%, Muslim 1.7%, unaffiliated or other 26.3%

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Proverbs from Germany



Foraging

Too clever is stupid.



Reflecting

God gives the nuts, but he does not crack them.

2. Be sure to also click here to see more...

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	Albania		Madagascar
	Algeria		Malawi
	Andorra		Malaysia
	Angola		Maldives
	Antigua and Barbuda		Mali
	Argentina		Malta
	Armenia		Marshall Islands

<https://www.countries-of-the-world.com/flags-of-the-world.html>