



ESOL Choice Board: Grades 6-8

Listening Activity

Watch the video [Around the World: Amazing Traditions & Cultures Explained](#).

Reflect a little bit on one of your traditions. What happens? How does it make you feel?

Complete this chart as you reflect on your tradition:

My Traditions	
What happens:	How it makes me feel:
1)	
2)	

Speaking Activity

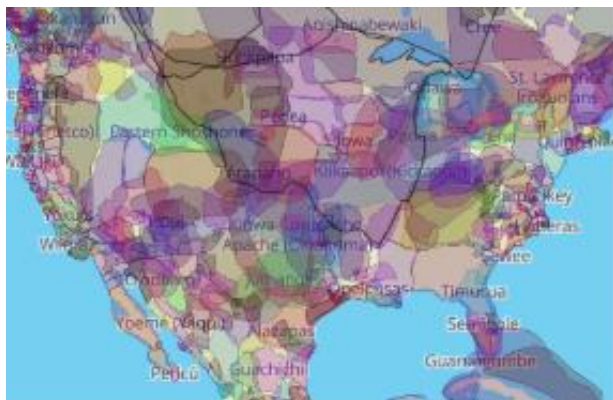
Character traits tell specific qualities of a character in a story. They are the same kinds of words you might use to describe yourself or others. Authors may directly state these traits, but usually a reader must draw a conclusion about this information. Readers use the character's actions, thoughts, and discussions to analyze the character's traits.

Can you name three traits that your favorite fictional character has? [Click here](#) for a list of common characters.



Reading Activity

[Click here](#) to access the "Native Land" map. This map shows what Native American tribes lived in different parts of the Americas prior to European colonization. Type your zip code into the "search" bar on the main page to see what tribe(s) used to call this land home.



Writing Activity

Use the completed chart: "My Traditions" from the Listening Activity to write a personal narrative highlighted one of your family's traditions.