

## **CULTURE COLLAGE FOR PAGE 13 OF INTERACTIVE NOTEBOOK - Tentative due date 3/12**

➔ Your first task is to create a collage that reflects both dominant American cultural messages and your personal/individual identity with the generational messages (family) that have influenced your perceptions/values/beliefs. Ideally the collage will have representation not just of current and recent culture but of the cultural past (tradition, history). Using newspaper clipping, magazines, personal photos, words, quotes, drawings and more, you will arrange images in a collage on the paper provided. (After it is submitted for assessment it will be returned to you so that it can be included on page 13 of your Interactive Notebook.)

➔ Your second task is to use one half of the backside of the collage paper to explain the imagery and how it relates to your cultural identity. You must have a reason/explanation, relevant to our study of culture, for everything included in the collage. Make sure at least 3 personal values are represented.

### **HELPFUL HINTS:**

- 1. Definition of collage: n. A work of art in which a picture is made by attaching photographs, pieces of newspaper, print and such to a surface. Usually the images are crowded and overlapping leaving little to no blank space.*
- 2. It is better NOT to glue as you go but instead cut out and collect all images, THEN arrange on paper, THEN glue.*
- 3. Use scissors to cut in close and clean to the image.*
- 4. Refer to the iceberg metaphor handout to help identify what you are representing.*

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