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ASIGNATURA	Inglés	PERIODO	4 (semanas 1 y 2)
GRADO	Noveno (9°)	DOCENTE	Karen Présiga Cuartas
FECHAS	Del 13 al 24 de septiembre del 2021		
OBJETIVO	Identificar los valores de otras culturas a través de procesos de lectura analíticos e		
	interpretativos en aras de reconocer la identidad propia en un contexto multicultural.		
OBSERVACIONES	Realiza en tu cuaderno un glosario con las palabras que no conoces. La guía de		
	aprendizaje debe ser enviada al siguiente correo: karen.presiga@virtual.edu.co		

Activity

1. Read the next text and find the country where each person is from.

What is beauty?

Everyone has a different opinion about beauty. What one person considers beautiful or attractive, someone else might find strange or ugly. Here are some examples of cultures from around the world that have very different ideals of beauty.

In the Karo community from Indonesia, it's considered beautiful for women to have scars on their chest and stomach. A Karo girl starts to receive the scars at a young age. When the scars are complete, she is ready to get married and have children.

In the Kayan community in Myanmar, in South-East Asia, women wear rings round their necks as a sign of beauty. Girls begin to wear the rings at around five years old, and more are added as they grow older. Older Kayan women have longer necks than usual because of this.

The Maori are the native people of New Zealand. A man is considered to be a better warrior and more attractive to women if he has tattoos, especially if the tattoos are on his face.

In Mauritania in West Africa, large women are considered beautiful - the larger, the better. Being slim is a sign of poverty, and is considered unattractive. Young girls eat a lot of food to become large.

Everyone has a different opinion about what makes someone beautiful. But it's important to remember that the person you are on the inside is more important than how you look. As we say in English, 'beauty is only skin deep!'

Glossary

beauty: belleza ugly: feo/a

ideals: ideales

chest: pecho

warrior: guerrero/a

beauty is only skin deep: la belleza es superficial









2. Choose the best option to complete the following sentences.

- a. In the Kayan community, ...
 - women wear rings around their necks because they like them.
 - women have to wear rings around their necks to look beautiful.
 - 3. women wear a new ring every year.
- b. In the Kayan community, ...
 - 1. only men wear the rings.
 - older women wear more rings than younger women.
 - the rings don't affect their necks.

- c. In Mauritania, young girls ...
 - exercise a lot to look slim and beautiful.
 - 2. can get a husband if they are slim.
 - have to get fat to be considered beautiful.
- d. What does 'Beauty is only skin deep' mean?
 - 1. It's important to have beautiful skin.
 - 2. Deep skin makes you beautiful.
 - 3. What's inside you makes you beautiful.

3. Answer the following questions.

- a. Where do the concepts of beauty come from?
- **b.** What's the ideal of beauty for you?
- **c.** Write a short composition (10 lines) with the title 'What is beauty?' Include and use the following Useful expressions box to help you.

Useful expressions

Writing a composition

- In my opinion, ...
- I feel / think that ...
- On the one hand, ...
- On the other hand, ...
- In conclusion, ...

4. Choose a famous person that you consider to be beautiful and write 5 clues that allow your classmates to identify who that person is. For example, you can say what he does (if he is an actor, singer, youtuber, etc.), the physical features (if is a woman or a man, tall, thin, etc.), facts or phrases that characterize this person.

CLUES
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Draw or paste a picture of that person to show later to your classmates