# Culture Tree

**Surface Culture**
Observable patterns
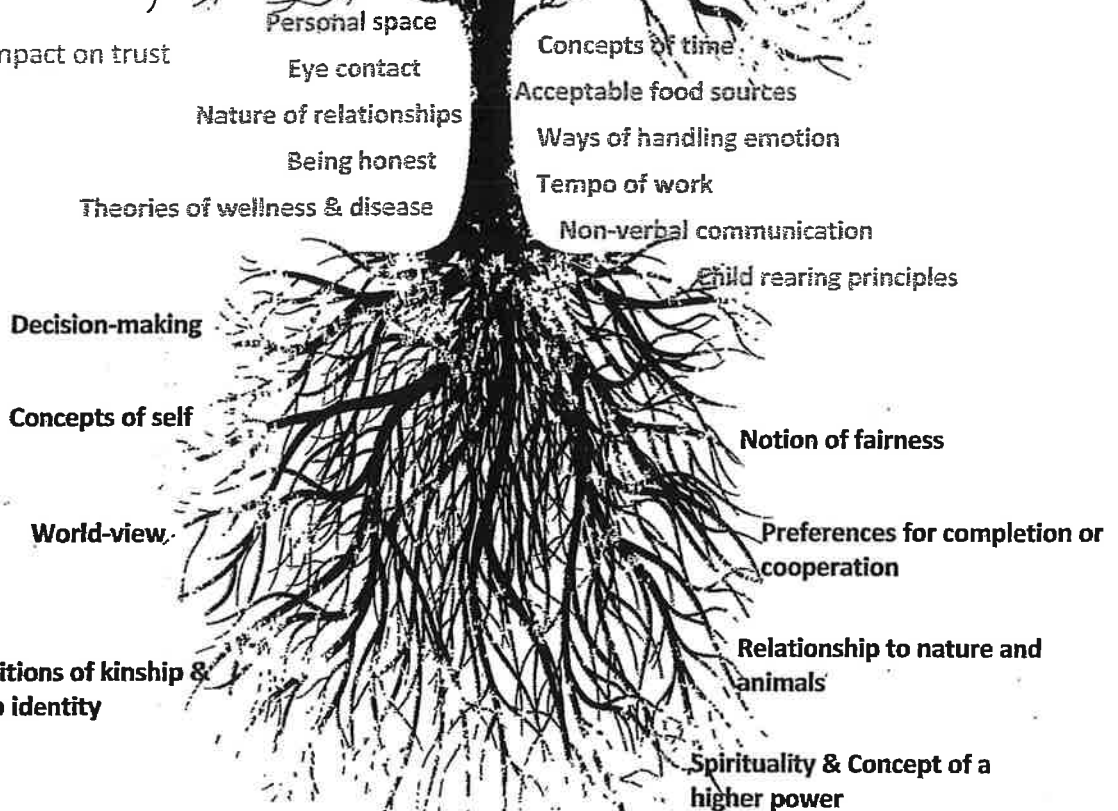Low emotional impact on trust

Music    Hair Styles
Language         Food
Art
Songs         Clothes
Holidays         Dance
Cooking         Games
Talk Styles         Drama
Literature
Stories
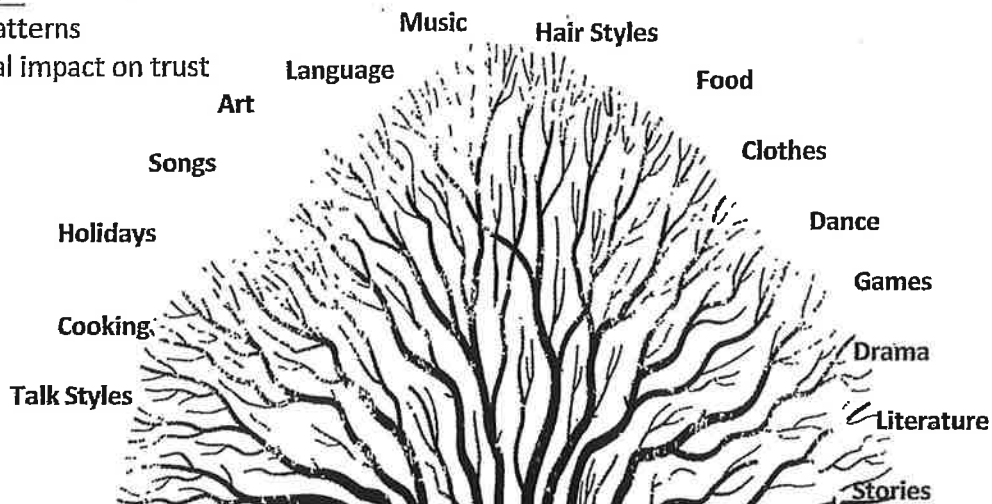
**Shallow Culture**
Unspoken rules
High emotional impact on trust

Personal space         Concepts of time
Eye contact         Acceptable food sources
Nature of relationships         Ways of handling emotion
Being honest         Tempo of work
Theories of wellness & disease         Non-verbal communication
Child rearing principles

Decision-making

Concepts of self         Notion of fairness

World-view         Preferences for completion or cooperation

Definitions of kinship & group identity         Relationship to nature and animals

Spirituality & Concept of a higher power

**Deep Culture**
Collective unconscious (beliefs and norms)
Intense emotional impact on trust

Cosmology (how the world began)

Zaretta Hammond, Culturally Responsive Teaching & The Brain

# Circles of My Cultural Self