

cultivating identity



How Do We

Begin?

Core terms

Term	Definition
Respect	The admiration or consideration shown towards someone or something valued. It involves honoring others' abilities, feelings, and viewpoints, even when there are disagreements.
Understanding	Respecting and appreciating differences is essential. Understanding other cultures helps prevent miscommunication and fosters meaningful relationships. Cultural diversity promotes inclusiveness by acknowledging various backgrounds and valuing different social behaviors.
Inclusion	Creating an environment where people of all backgrounds, identities, and abilities are welcomed, supported, and given equal opportunities to participate and contribute.

Empowerment



Story Telling



MY STORY



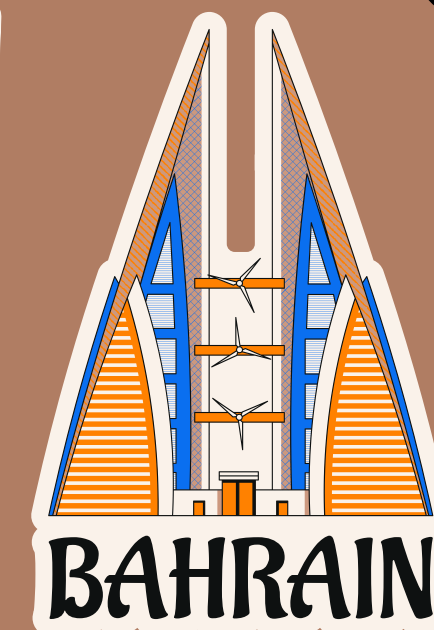
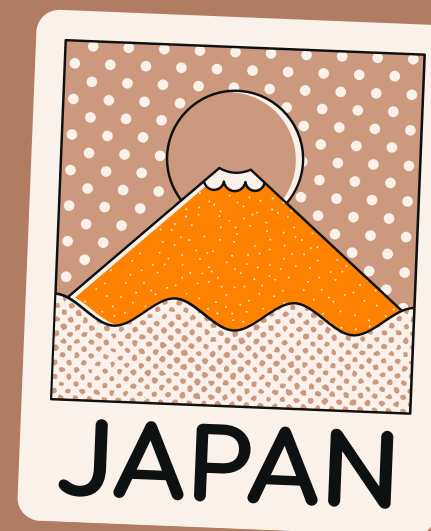
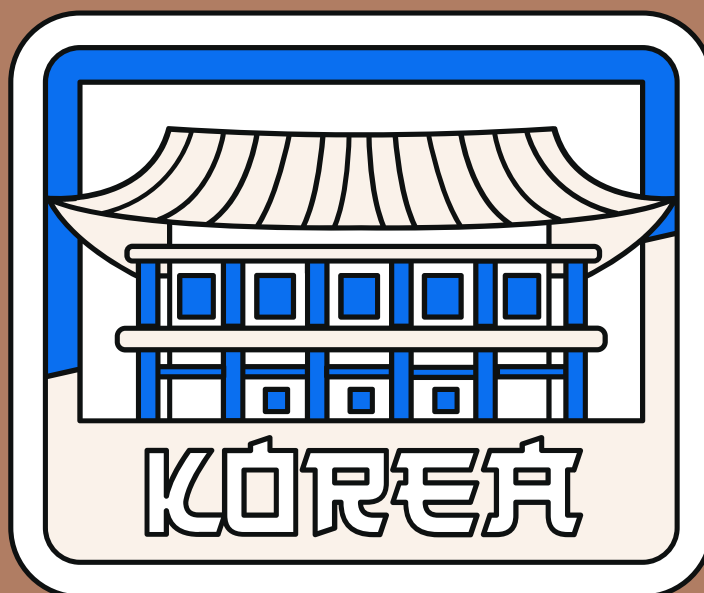
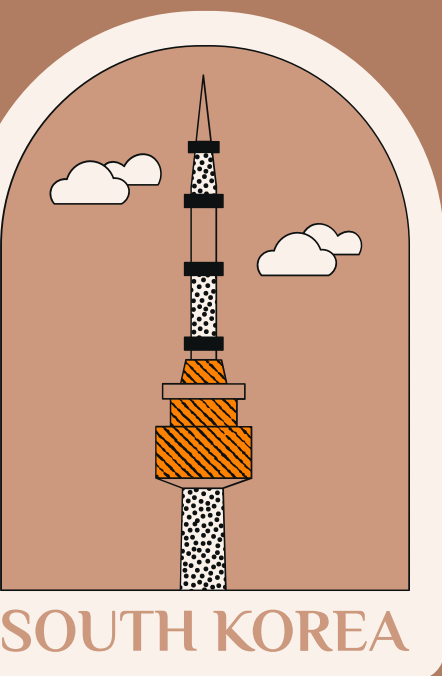
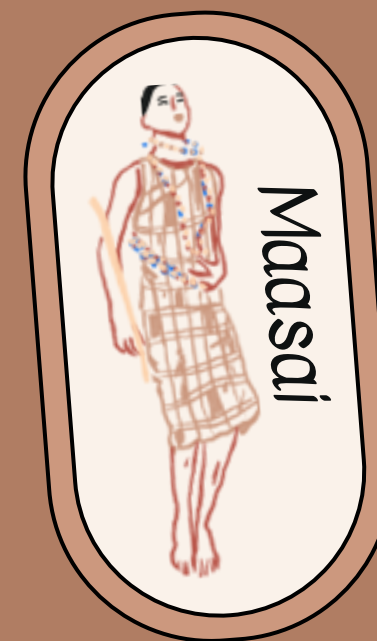
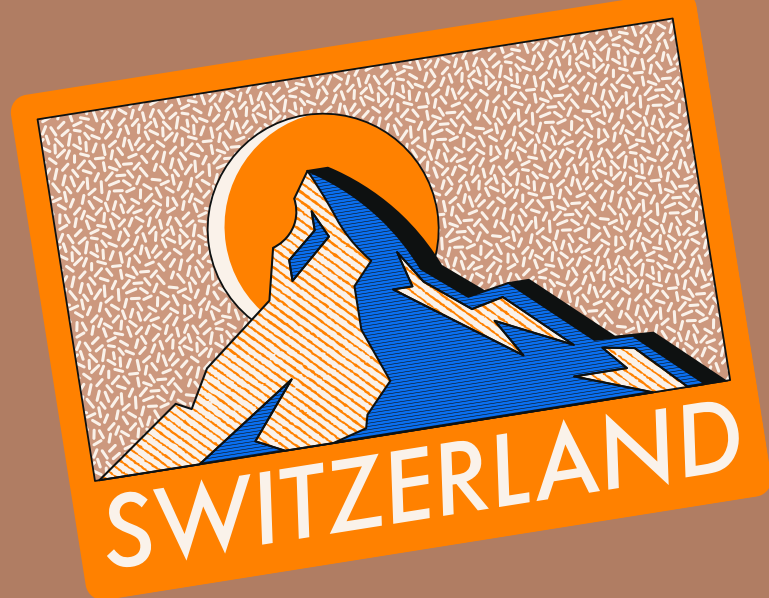
CULTIVATING IDENTITY FOR CHILDREN

Core terms

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Curios ity	Children's curios ity and eagerness to underst and inspire exploration and play, fueling their intrinsic motivation and engagement.
Awareness	From birth, young children learn about their identity and how they fit into the world. Through interactions with peers and caregivers , they become more self-aware and start to develop a personal identity.
Divers ity	Creating an environment where people of all backgrounds , identities , and abilities are welcomed, supported, and given equal opportunities to participate and contribute.

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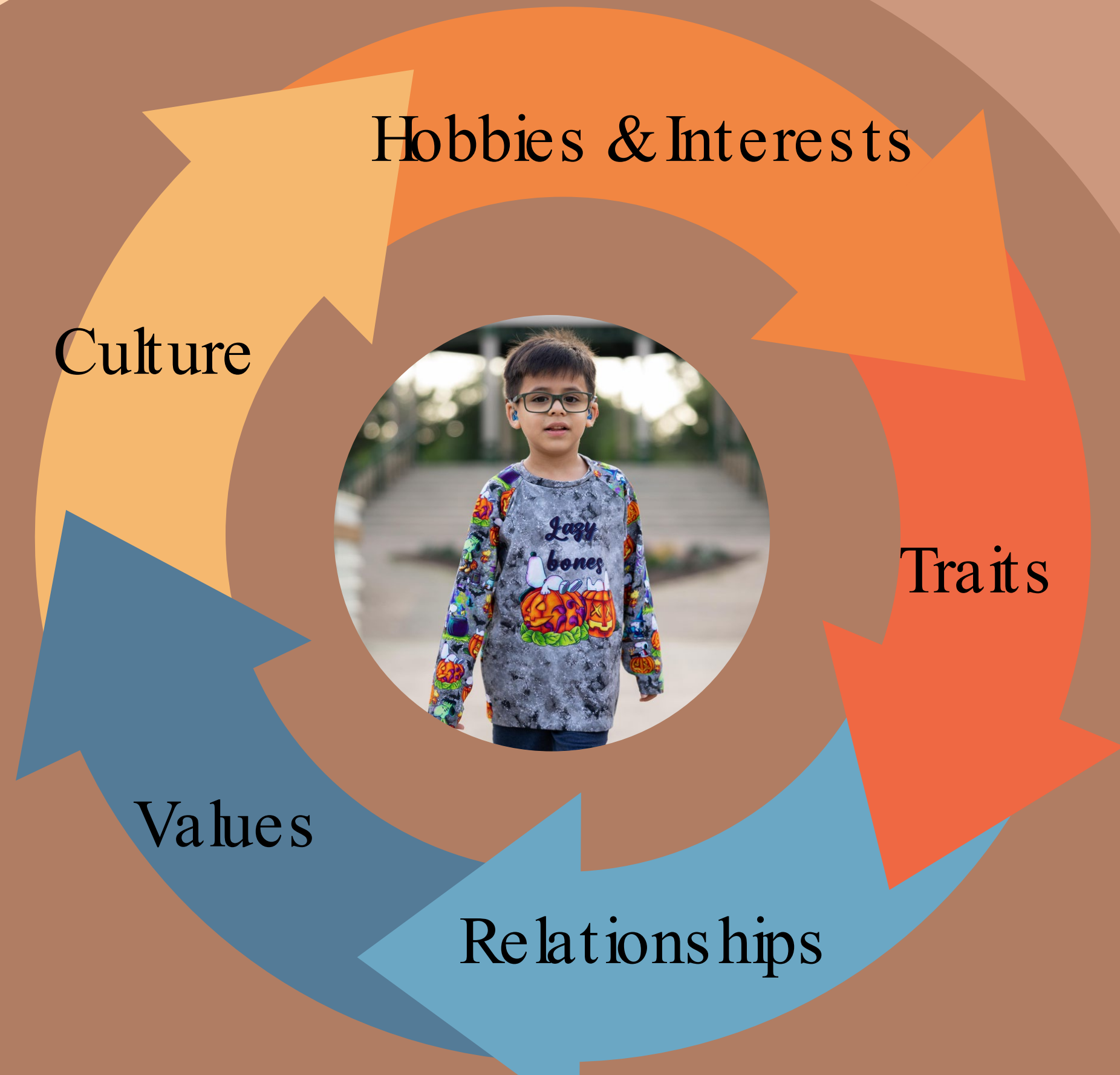
ENRIQUE'S STORY



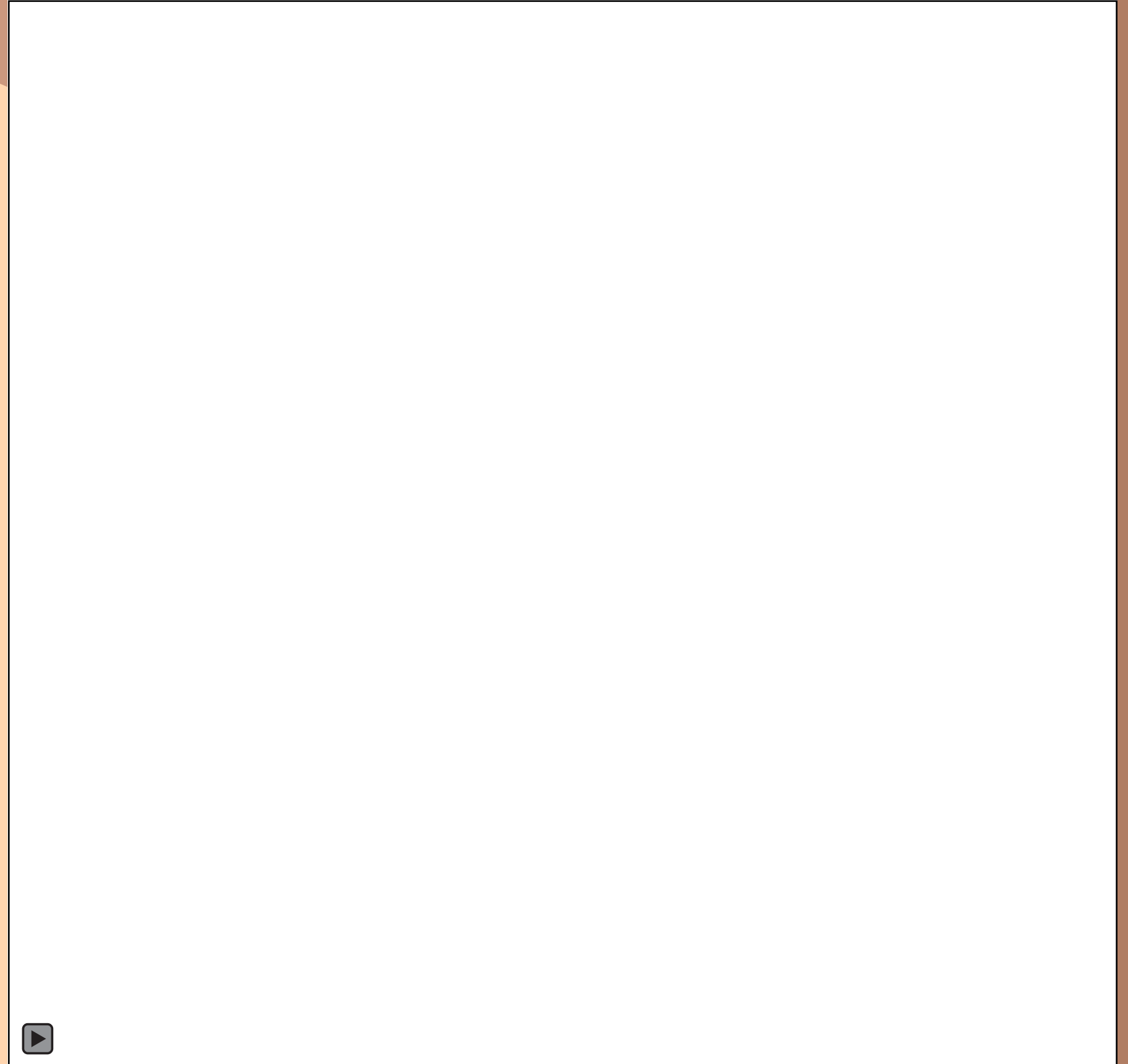
YOUR IDENTITY WHEEL

What make you,
you?

Create your identity wheel
by writing down or drawing
different parts of your
identity. Make your wheel
more visual by adding
photos or images!



I am boy, I like legos, I am 8
yrs old, I am Mexican and
American, I am 8, and my
name is Enrique, and deaf,
and I can sign

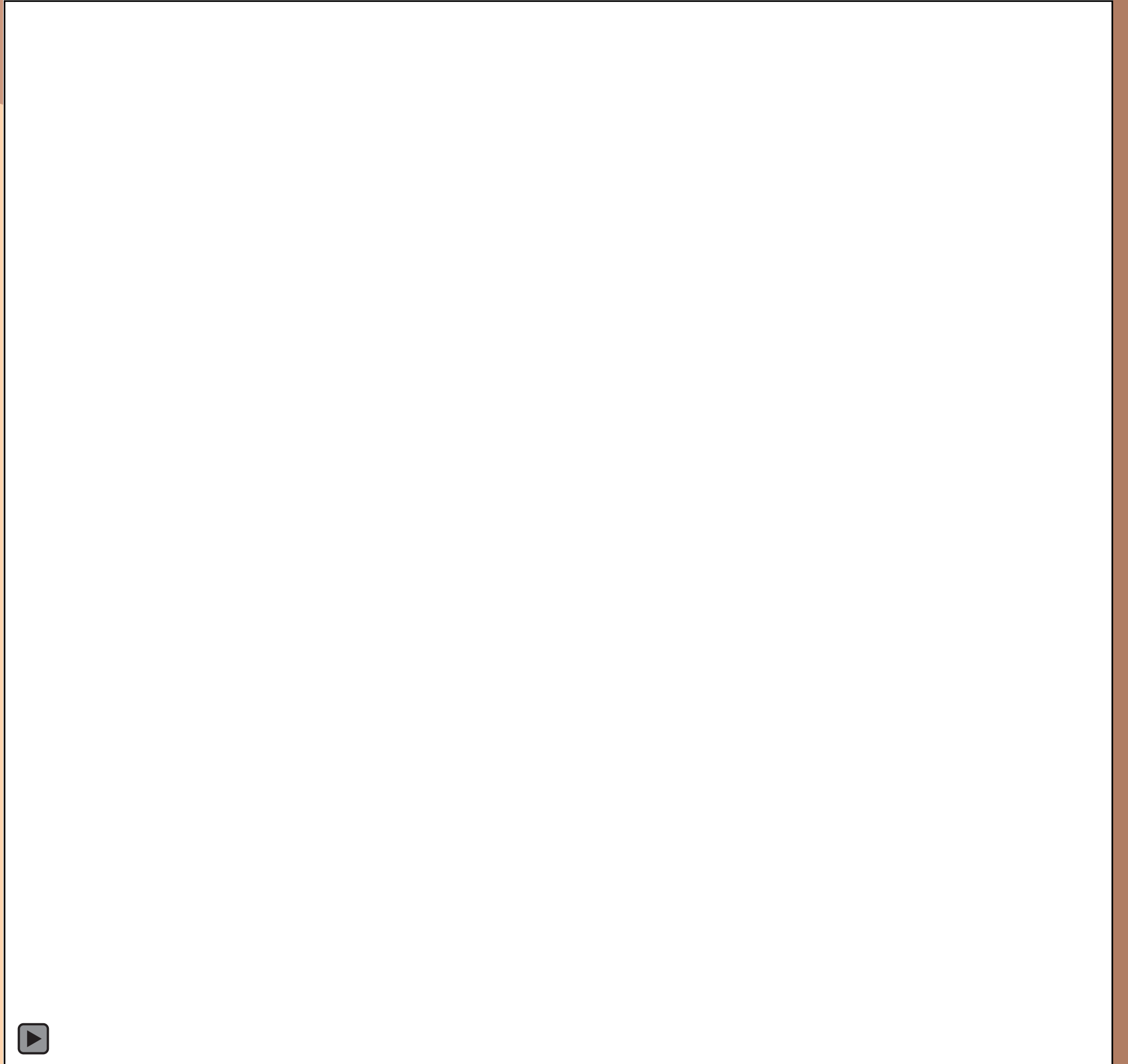


MOM: What's your favorite
food?

Enrique: my favorite food
is Enchiladas

MOM: and that food is
from where? What
country?

Enrique: Mexicana



Mom: Is everybody
Mexicana?

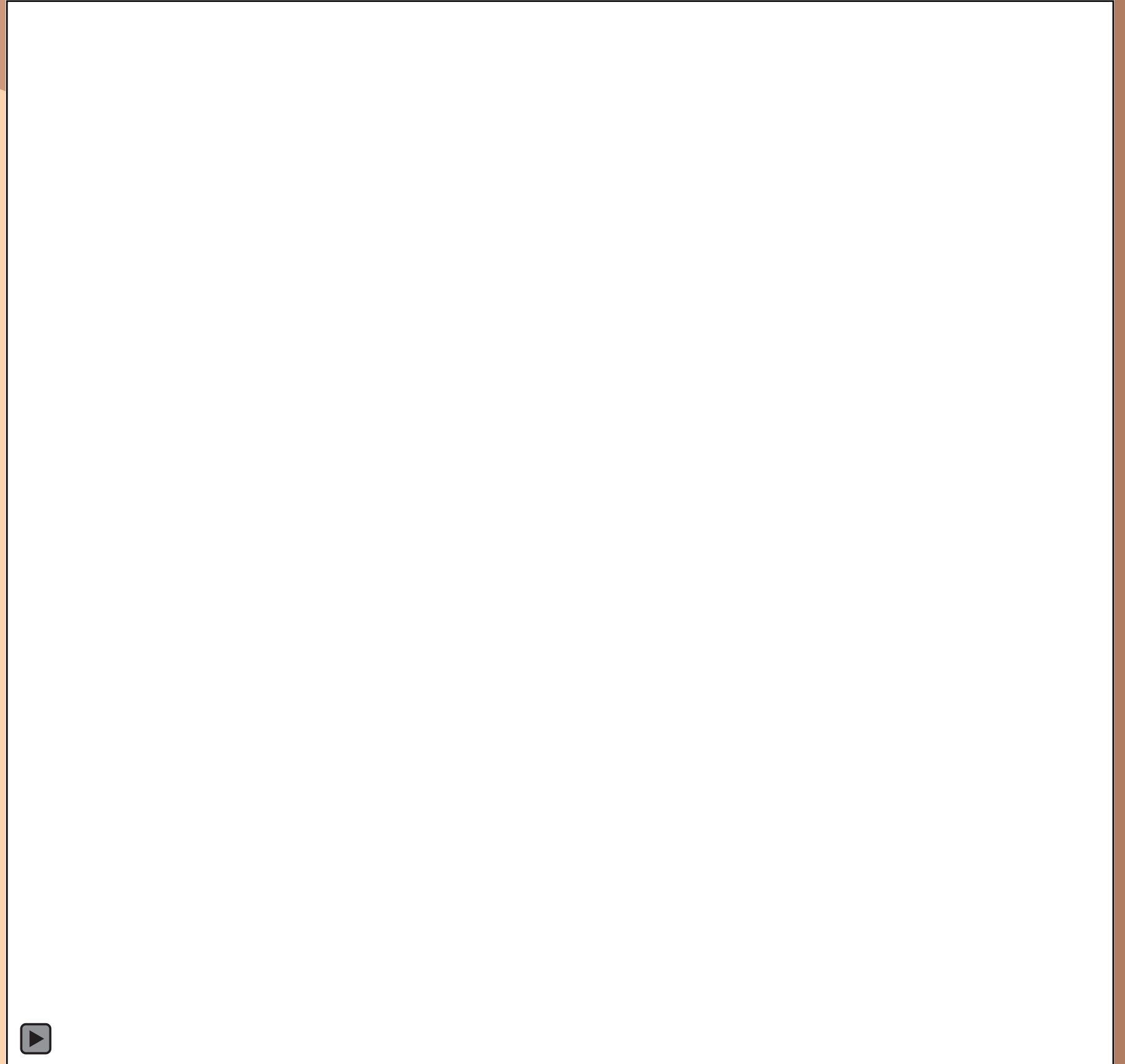
Enrique: Yea

Mom: Everybody in the
whole world?

Enrique: No

Mom: Where are people
from?

Enrique: Different
countries





WHAT'S THE OUTCOME



Thank you

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