American Cultural Influences

Guided discussion reviewing the cultural contributions to the United States

Goal: Decide how to define the culture of the United States

 As a class we will be working through a series of discussions to identify how exactly to classify the culture of the United States



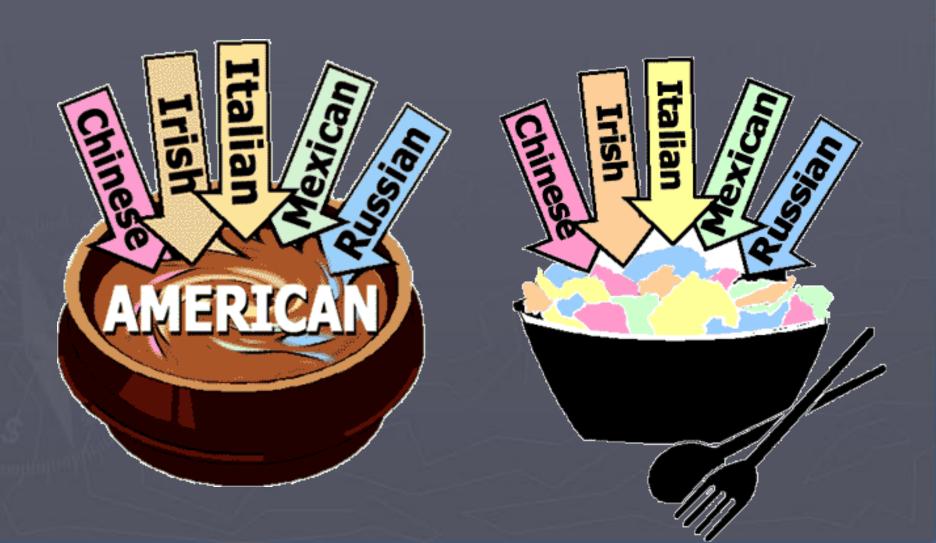
Considering the Population: What types of peoples have influenced the building of American Culture?

(Ranked)

Examining Culture: What types of things are distinctly "American"?

Consider main language and Religion: How are we connected or disconnected to other continents?

Is America a Melting Pot or Salad Bowl?



Moment of Existentialism

 Take a moment to consider the following question and then answer it as best as possible considering the view point of an outsider looking in.

Question: Could the United States be culturally considered a European Country? Explain your answer.