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Globalization

Directions: Answer the questions in complete sentences. Type your responses in a different color.

Opening:

What is globalization? What are the effects of this phenomenon?

Work Period:

Visit http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/special_report/1999/02/99/e-cyclopedia/711906.stm site and read the text.

Take notes on the effects of globalization that the author cites in this article.

Which country's culture seems to be impacting the world the most?

What does the author say about U.S. culture?

How does she feel about globalization in general?

List all the impacts you think globalization might have on the cultural groups in the chart.

	American Culture	European Culture	Japanese Culture	Indigenous Cultures
Positive Impact of Globalization				
Negative Impact of Globalization				

Closing:

What are the pros and cons of globalization for the world's cultures?

Do you agree with Erla Zwingle's statement that "globalization will give us new ways not only to appreciate other cultures more, but to look on our own with fresh wonder and surprise"?

Do you think globalization will have the same type of impact on indigenous cultures?

Assessment:

Write a response answering the question "Is globalization a good thing, a bad thing, or a combination of good and bad?" Provide specific examples from your research.