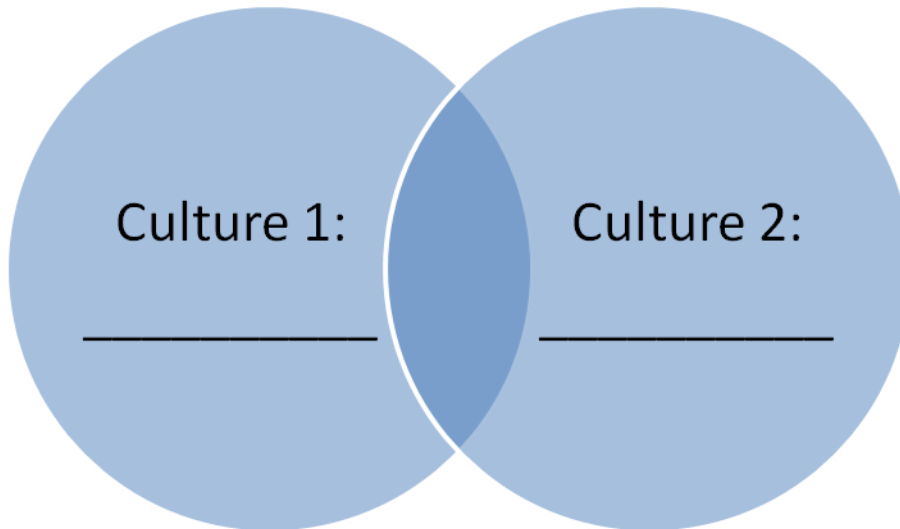


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When writing your essay, you should also address the following questions:

- What are some of the most obvious similarities between these stories? The differences?
- Which of the stories is the oldest? Do you suspect that there is some deliberate overlapping between the stories?
- Who tells these stories? Is it from a sacred book, oral legend, or religious leaders?
- Who accepts these stories as true?
- How did early people explain their origins?
- What factors might cause one group to develop a supernatural explanation for human existence and natural phenomena different from another group?
- What categories would help us to sort, compare, and contrast ideas in the creation stories we have read?