

Characteristics of Hispanic Families
Pre Test

Mark each item as true (T) or false (F).

- _____ 1. People of Mexican origin make up half of the US Hispanic population.
- _____ 2. According to the US Census Bureau, Hispanic is a racial category.
- _____ 3. Culture is learned and shared and includes knowledge and beliefs.
- _____ 4. Two Hispanic people will share the same culture.
- _____ 5. If you ask an Hispanic person to tell you about his family, he is likely to talk to you about his grandparents, aunts and uncles, as well as his parents and siblings.
- _____ 6. To tell an Hispanic parent that his child is “bien educado” (well-educated) is to tell him that that the child has good manners and is respectful.
- _____ 7. In general, Hispanics tend to feel more comfortable when physically close to others.
- _____ 8. Hispanics tend to be more future-oriented.
- _____ 9. In general, most Hispanics do not value education.
- _____ 10. In an Hispanic family, what is best for the group (i.e., the family) may be seen as more important than what is best for an individual.