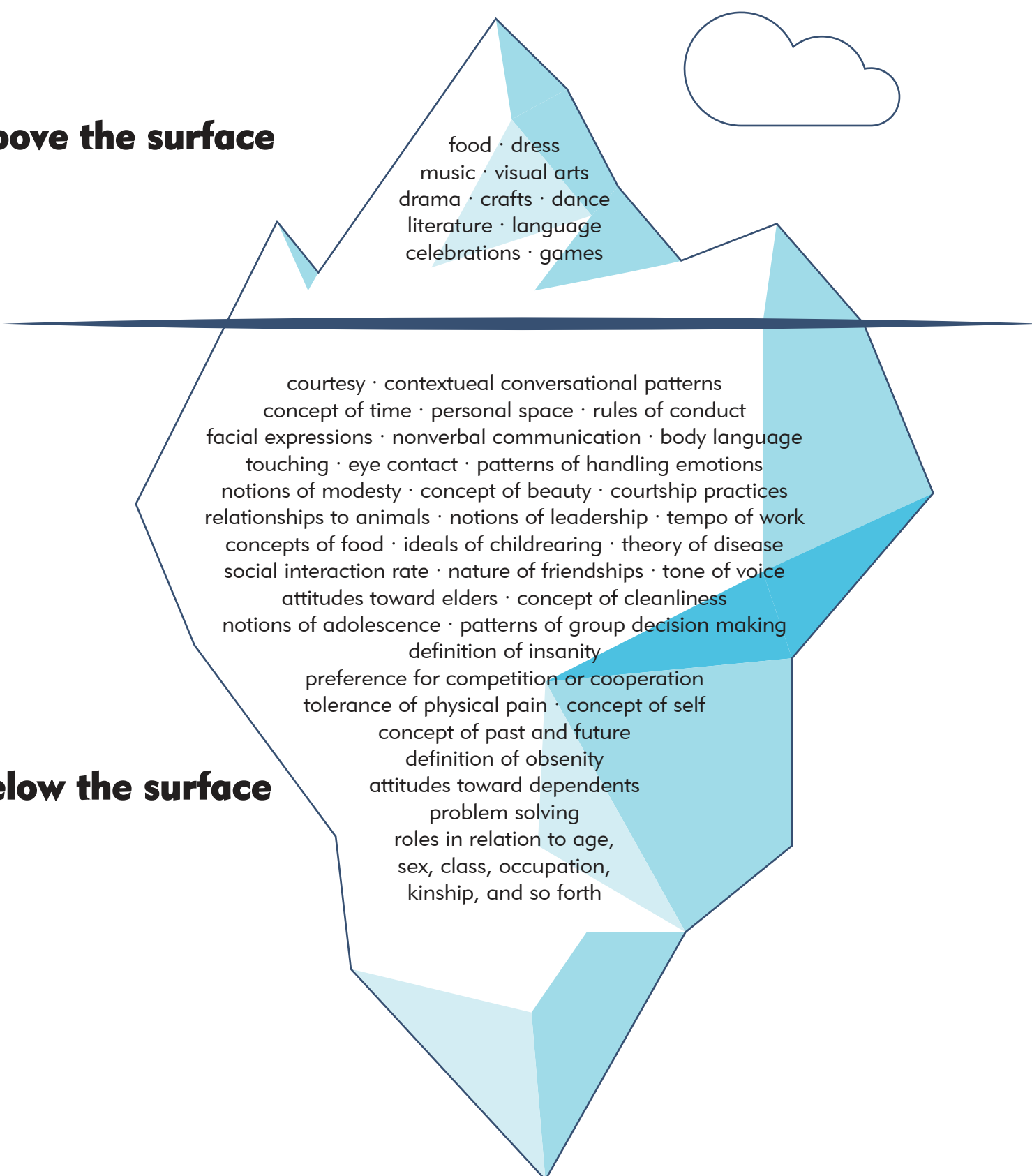


Different Ways of Relating to the World

Like an iceberg, many aspects of how we relate to the world are below the surface.

Above the surface



food · dress
music · visual arts
drama · crafts · dance
literature · language
celebrations · games

courtesy · contextual conversational patterns
concept of time · personal space · rules of conduct
facial expressions · nonverbal communication · body language
touching · eye contact · patterns of handling emotions
notions of modesty · concept of beauty · courtship practices
relationships to animals · notions of leadership · tempo of work
concepts of food · ideals of childrearing · theory of disease
social interaction rate · nature of friendships · tone of voice
attitudes toward elders · concept of cleanliness
notions of adolescence · patterns of group decision making
definition of insanity
preference for competition or cooperation
tolerance of physical pain · concept of self
concept of past and future
definition of obscenity
attitudes toward dependents
problem solving
roles in relation to age,
sex, class, occupation,
kinship, and so forth

Below the surface