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Read the following statements as taken from the internet. Decide whether the particular statement represents a multicultural or ethnocentric state of mind.

Statement 1

With instances occurring since its conception, the United States has often thought of itself as more powerful, more economically sound, and just generally "better" than other nations. This has been shown by the country's tendency to dabble in situations occurring in other nations, such as the country's current involvement with affairs in the Middle East.

Statement 2

In some schools in Europe, world studies courses tend to focus almost solely on the history of the United States and Europe, and largely ignore other parts of the world.

Statement 3

The advocacy of equal respect for the various cultures in a society, to a policy of promoting the maintenance of cultural diversity, to policies in which people of various ethnic and religious groups are addressed by authorities as defined by the group they belong to.

Statement 4

Adolf Hitler decided that he hated Jews, as well as some other groups of people, and had many innocent people slaughtered in concentration camps. While prejudice certainly leads to problems, very rarely in history has this led to the mass slaughter of innocent people.

Statement 5

Rod Liddle says that cultures, no matter how antithetical to the norm, or anti-social, should be allowed to develop unhindered, without criticism.

Statement 6

A "fusion in which a culture borrows bits of others and creatively transforms both itself and them".

Statement 7

The father in the movie *My Big Fat Greek Wedding* constantly states that he can trace any word back to Greek origins.

Statement 8

The need to politically identify groups, typically by ethnicity, and to work to remove stigmatisation, exclusion and domination in relation to such groups.

Statement 9

Upon learning that her grandson is not marrying a Jewish girl in the movie *American Wedding*, Jim's grandmother becomes inconsolable.

Statement 10

'Recognize that everything in the world can be looked at in many different ways.'

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