LAND OWNERSHIP ATTITUDES

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| **Eastern Worldview****American Indian / Alaska Native** | **Western Worldview****European Immigrants/Settlers in US** |
| Group Emphasis  | Individual Emphasis |
| Present and Past Orientation | Future Orientation |
| Age is valued | Youth valued |
| Cooperation | Competition |
| Harmony with Nature | Conquest Over Nature |
| Giving – Sharing | Taking – Saving |
| Mystical | Skeptical |
| Patience | Aggressive |
| Listening Skills learned first | Verbal Skills learned first |
| Religion: A Way Of Life | Religion: Segment of Life |
| Should appear modest (not bragging) | Should put one’s best foot forward |
| Oral | Written |
| Use of Land | Ownership of Land |
| As a part of Nature, they cannot own any other part of it. | Humans are the most important things on earth for which all Nature was made; it is theirs to do with as they want. |

How might these different worldviews cause conflict?

In your journal:

Pick 2 differences.

Explain how they would lead to conflict.