

Worksheet 2: Folk Groups

Name: _____

Date: _____

Teacher: _____

Grade: _____

Part One: Student folk groups

Directions: A folk group is a group of people who share an identity or certain cultural characteristics. What folk groups do you belong to? Brainstorm in your small group the folk groups to which you belong and then list as many as five of them below. For each group, identify the characteristics that define that group.

Name of folk group	Identifying characteristics	Folk genre

Part Two: Folk Groups in *Their Eyes Were Watching God*

Directions: Your teacher will tell you which chapters of *Their Eyes Were Watching God* to review. As you look through these pages, what folk groups do you notice? What are their distinctive characteristics? To what genre do these characteristics belong?

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