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Culture has been likened to an iceberg. Just as an iceberg has parts above the waterline, a larger, invisible part remains underwater. Culture, too, has some aspects that are observable and others that can only be suspected,

imagined, or intuited. Also like an iceberg, that part of culture that is visible (observable) is only a small part of a much larger whole.