

P. 155 Key Vocabulary

- ▶ **Hip-Hop as Culture**
- ▶ **I Am Somebody**

Vocabulary**Key Vocabulary Review**

Oral Review Work with a partner. Use these words to complete the paragraph.

achieve	evolved	perspective
asserts	heritage	self-esteem
culture	innovator	

Hip-hop style has (1) and changed in many ways over the past few decades. It began in the 1970s with an (2) who introduced a new way to combine many styles of music. Its (3) includes influences from disco, funk, and reggae music. In the past, hip-hop lyrics included some negative messages. But much of today's hip-hop (4) important ideas that come from the (5), or point of view, of urban youth. It encourages young people to work hard in order to (6) their goals, to have high (7) and to believe that they are valuable. Hip-hop has become a (8) that includes the beliefs, attitudes, and behaviors of many young people today.