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The Melody of Languages: A Journey through Global Diversity

Short Answer Key

1. Possible responses: Navajo, Ojibwa, Cherokee
2. Possible response: Asia is considered the most linguistically diverse continent due to its vast size, complex history, and numerous distinct language families and scripts.
3. Possible response: South America is dominated by Spanish and Portuguese, but it is also home to numerous Indigenous languages such as Quechua and Guarani.
4. Possible response: Indigenous languages in Australia are crucial for preserving the culture, stories, and traditions of Aboriginal peoples who have lived on the continent for thousands of years.
5. Possible response: Linguistic diversity contributes to a continent's cultural richness by representing the histories, identities, and traditions of its diverse communities, creating a vibrant cultural mosaic.

