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recommends specific strategies that teachers can use to design and implement culturally valid classroom as