

Dreketi Sangam School
Social Studies Year 4 Solutions
Week 8

Short answers

1. What is the hair cutting ceremony in a Hindu community called? *Mundan*
2. Why do Hindus cut their new born baby's hair?
 - *Believed to give long life and good future to the child.*
 - *Thought to be essential to protect the child from evil eye.*
3. At what age the child's hair cut? *First year or third year*
4. Who takes part in the hair cutting ceremony? *_ Parents and close family*
5. Who performs Mundan ceremony in a Hindu community?
Usually a senior member of the child's family e.g. grandfather, Uncle

The End