



Worksheet for Cultural Heritage Honour

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1. What key words describe why it is important to know about our cultural heritage?
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.

2. Special ceremonies for life events

a. **The birth of a child** (Explain what these ceremonies are):

1. Child Dedication

2. Infant Baptism

3. Circumcision



b. **Becoming an adult** (Match the special ceremonies with the countries, cultures or continents for the following life events):

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| i. Quinceañera | Scandinavia |
| ii. Bar and Bat Mitzvah | Kenya |
| iii. Prom | Japan |
| iv. Debutante | Mexico |
| v. Genpuku | Native American |
| vi. Poy Sang Long | Jewish |
| vii. Russ | North America |
| viii. Scarification | High Society |
| ix. Vision Quest | Myanmar |

c. **Death and burial** (Explain what these terms mean):

1. Wake

2. Funeral

3. Celebration of Life

4. Burial

5. Embalming

6. Cremation

7. State funeral

8. Memorial service

3a. Describe how you would dress for everyday life and two special occasions.

1. Everyday life:

2. Special occasion 1

3. Special occasion 2



3b. Draw or present in pictures these customary dresses as you described above.

4. What cultures in your country follow the custom of pre-marriages for young people?
How are their marriages arranged?



5. List the advantages of traditional marriages over western-style marriages and courtship.
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.

6. Explain briefly the meaning of the term “bride price.” (Fill in the blanks)

“Bride price, also known as bride, is an amount of or or paid to the of a woman for the right to marry their daughter. It is also seen as payment made in exchange for the bride's family's loss of her and within her kin group.”

What Biblical references can you find that highlights the practice of the bride price?

- a. Text 1
- b. Text 2

6b. What are the advantages of a bride price?

6c. Explain the disadvantages of bride price.



7a. How would you explain the leadership structure in your current society or your parents' traditional societal area? (This could include the chiefly system or your extended family system.)

7b. Who is your Mayor or Chief or local government leader? Place a picture of him/her here.

