

## Lesson 4

### Community Meals

#### Q.1 Define the following:

1. Universal Brotherhood : A teaching that says all the human beings are brothers and sisters being children of God.
2. Service to mankind : Helping others without asking for any reward in return .
3. Volunteers – A person who offers free service to others.

#### Q.2 Fill in the blanks:

1. It is necessary to follow certain social norms to live in a **community**.
2. Community eating teaches us principles of **service to mankind**.
3. **Mid-day meals** are provided in many schools, free of cost.

#### Q.3 Give one word answer:

1. What is it called when a large number of people eat together?

Ans: Community meals

2. Name one occasion when people eat together.

Ans : Weddings

3. Name the traditional mid-day feast of Himachal Pradesh.

Ans: Dham

**Q.4 Answer the following questions briefly:**

1. What do you mean by community eating?

**Ans : When a large number of people eat together on specific occasions it is called community eating.**

2. What is the importance of community eating?

**Ans : Community eating strengthens our relationship and develops unity and sense of equality.**

**It also promotes the principles of community service.**

3. Give two advantages of mid-day meal.

**Ans : By having mid -day meal together children develop a sense of equality and togetherness.**

**It also encourages students to attend school regularly.**

4. What is community?

**Ans: A community is a group of people living together in a particular area with some common social interests and purpose.**

5. What is a bhandara?

**Ans : Temples or other NGOs offer free meals to thousands of devotees daily without asking for anything in reward. These are called bhandaras.**

6. What is a dham?

**Ans : The traditional mid-day feast in Himachal Pradesh is called dham.**

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