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    - a) a reservation
    - b) an appointment
    - c) a meeting
    - d) a schedule
  
  2. Please don't cut much off, just a little \_\_\_\_\_.
    - a) snip
    - b) shave
    - c) trim
    - d) clip
  
  3. Her hair isn't naturally blond. She has to go to the hairdresser's every six weeks because the dark \_\_\_\_\_ start to show.
    - a) tops
    - b) tips
    - c) ends
    - d) roots
  
  4. I'm going to the hairdresser to have my hair \_\_\_\_\_. I'm bored with being a brunette!
    - a) dyed
    - b) died
    - c) painted
    - d) all of the above
  
  5. Please can you cut \_\_\_\_\_ into my hair? I want it to hang just above my eyes.
    - a) a curl
    - b) a layer
    - c) a fringe
    - d) a hairpiece
  
  6. My sister had a terrible haircut last month. She hates it but it's going to take months to \_\_\_\_\_.
    - a) grow better
    - b) grow through
    - c) grow up
    - d) grow out
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## ANSWERS:

1. Can I make \_\_\_\_\_ for a cut this afternoon please?

a) a reservation – You make 'a reservation' in a hotel or restaurant.

**b) an appointment – This is the correct answer.**

c) a meeting – You normally use 'a meeting' for a business context, not the hairdresser's.

d) a schedule – 'Schedule' is not the right noun to complete the sentence.

2. Please don't cut much off, just a little \_\_\_\_\_.

a) snip – You need a noun with a similar meaning to 'snip'.

b) shave – If you 'shave' your hair you'll have hardly any hair left at all, maybe just a few millimetres!

**c) trim – This is the correct answer.**

d) clip – You need a noun with a similar meaning to 'clip'.

3. Her hair isn't naturally blond. She has to go to the hairdresser's every six weeks because the dark \_\_\_\_\_ start to show.

a) tops – We don't use 'tops' to describe the new hair that has grown since the last visit to the hairdresser's.

b) tips – The 'tips' of your hair are at the end furthest away from your head. You need a noun with the opposite meaning.

c) ends – You need a noun with the opposite meaning to 'ends'.

**d) roots – This is the correct answer. The 'roots' are the new hair that has grown since the last visit to the hairdresser's.**

4. I'm going to the hairdresser to have my hair \_\_\_\_\_. I'm bored with being a brunette!

a) **dyed** – This is the correct answer.

b) died – 'Died' is the past of the verb 'to die'. It means the end of life not changing hair colour!

c) painted – We don't 'paint' our hair in English.

d) all of the above – Only one of the options is correct.

5. Please can you cut \_\_\_\_\_ into my hair? I want it to hang just above my eyes.

a) a curl – 'A curl' is a shape of hair. You can't cut a curl but you can have a perm to make your hair curly.

b) a layer – 'A layer' is not the word for the short hair above the eyes. But you can have layers cut into your hair if you want some shorter sections all over.

c) **a fringe** – This is the correct answer.

d) a hairpiece – 'A hairpiece' is extra hair that you attach to your real hair.

6. My sister had a terrible haircut last month. She hates it but it's going to take months to \_\_\_\_\_.

a) grow better – 'Grow better' doesn't exist in English.

b) grow through – 'Grow through' doesn't exist in English.

c) grow up – 'Grow up' means a child becomes an adult. You can't use it to talk about hair.

d) **grow out** – This is the correct answer.

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