

BINJHAL

Binjhal tribe is found in Nuapada block. The concept of nuclear family is mostly found in this tribe. Father is the head of families. They observe a purification ceremony after the seven days of new born child. During the ceremony they clean their nail and take bath. Besides celebrating various Hindu festivals, they also celebrate Hariyali festival during June-July & Karma festival during August-September. Goddess Bindhyagirbasini is their main deity. Cultivation is their main occupation. Chauli & Mahuli are the main drinks.

