

**A few of the questions in this Pre-Test Paper will be asked in the
Final Exam on 16th February 2003.**

**BOCHASANWASI SHRI AKSHAR PURUSHOTTAM
SWAMINARAYAN SANSTHA
SATSANG EXAMINATIONS**

PRE-TEST: BAL SATSANG - TWO

JANUARY 2003 Time: 9.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Total Marks: 100

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NOTE:

1. Figures given on the right hand side indicate the marks for that question.
2. Read the instructions before answering.
3. Answers should be clearly written.

**Five marks will be given for clear and neat
handwriting.**

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Q.1 Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct answer from the words given in the brackets. (10)

1. Mulji left Bhadra on Kartak sud Samvat 1965.
(eight, punam, ten)
2. A mandir in the house makes the house
(beautiful, pure, decorative)
3. Ardeshar Kotwal was a
(Muslim, Parsi, Sikh)
4. Dada Khachar had sisters. (two, four, three)
5. Swami said, "Swaminarayan sadhus are not
(donors, the king's sadhus, wandering beggars)
6. Gunatitanand Swami is Maharaj's
(successor, prince, favourite prince)
7. Swami left his mortal body at the age of
(82, 85, 60)
8. Tilak-chandlo is a symbol of religious faith.
(beautiful, outward, pure)
9. Shastriji Maharaj was born in Samvat year
(1921, 1925, 1821)
10. The Nawab of Khambhat sent apalanquin for
swami. (gold, silver, brass)

Q.2 Answer the following in one sentence. (10)

1. What should we remember about Bhagatji everyday?
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2. Which three gunas do not influence Gunatit?
3. What is one dear heart for?
4. What did the officer think about Jagjivan?
5. What was the first thing Pramukh Swami did after being appointed as the Pramukh (president) of the Sanstha?

- 6. What does God give us?
- 7. Who was the guru of Bholanath Sharma?
- 8. What service did Uka Khachar do every morning?
- 9. How should we bow to sadhus?
- 10. Who really listened to Yogiji Maharaj's prayers?

Q.3 For any FIVE of the following, state who is speaking to whom. (10)

- 1. "Why don't you bring a young sadhu with you instead of this blind sadhu? "
Who is speaking To whom
- 2. "Please come to my house."
- 3. "Since he became your disciple we are free of worry."
- 4. "Let us go on a pilgrimage to Kashi, Hardwar or Dwarka and bathe."
- 5. "In return to please the goddess I had to shave my head."
- 6. "All of their people are Swaminarayan except this one."
- 7. "Not now, when the time comes, I'll come for him."

Q.4 Answer any FIVE of the following, using only three sentences for each. (10)

- 1. What service did Jinabhai do for Kamalshi Vanja?
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- 2. What did Swami say to the chief of the village, who was opposed to satsang, when he visited his house?
- 3. While walking through the jungle what mantra did the young Dungar Bhakta chant?
- 4. What did Pramukh Swami do when he saw the handicapped child?

5. What and to whom did the dunce pray?
6. If any ghostly creature comes nearby I have got this stick haven't I?
7. Explain the words 'Swami threaded a pearl in a flash of lightning.'

Q.5 Place a tick (✓) against the correct statements and a cross (✗) against the incorrect ones. (10)

1. You are only a foot high and you dare to advise me.
2. A goat was tied to one of the mansion's pillars.
3. At everyone's insistence Dungar Bhakta ate lunch on ekadashi.
4. Walking 40 miles everyday Swami arrived in Sarangpur.
5. Mulubha was addicted to afeen and hoko.
6. Ramdas Swami had named Mulji.
7. Bhagatji Maharaj was born into a goldsmith family.
8. After accepting Dubli Bhatt's money Maharaj hailed, "Gopinath Maharaj ni jai."
9. It is the sinner who needs satsang the most.
10. Ramo Hati was evil - he drank beer, ate meat, went hunting.

Q.6 Write short notes on any ONE of the following. (In 10 lines.) (10)

1. Ekadashi. 2. Prahlad. 3. An eternal satsangi.
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Q.7 Complete the following Swamini Vato. (Any Five.) (10)

1. Panch das var Swaminarayan
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2. Aa lokma
3. Jo mota purush male
4. Satya hit ne
5. Jena guru
6. Dahyo hoy tene
7. Bhagwan bhajya hoy

Q.8 Choose the correct answer from list "B" to match list "A" and write it in the blank space. (5)

- | A | B |
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| 1. Jinabhai | 1. Gave his land for mandir. |
| 2. Dada Khachar | 2. Devotee who served devotees. |
| 3. Pragji Bhakta | 3. Knew only one thing. |
| 4. Uka Khachar | 4. Didn't want to be rich. |
| 5. Shantilal | 5. Sacrificed himself for Gunatit |

Q.9 Complete any FIVE of the kirtans/verses below. (10)

1. Nathi amari pase

 hraday amara.
2. Suran puran chhamkari.
3. Nathi darata chhiye marava.
4. Sarvetra sukhinah dukh mapnuyaat.
5. Laving sopari Jeram Brahmachari.
6. Aacharah paramo kim na saadhayate.
7. Ame sau Shrijitana Gunatit Swami.

Q.10 Write short notes on any ONE of the following. (10)

1. Leave your homes. 2. To obey the Guru's command.
3. Dungal Bhakta

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