

**A few of the questions in this Pre-Test Paper will be asked in the
Final Exam on 5th March 2006.**

BOCHASANWASI SHRI AKSHAR PURUSHOTTAM SWAMINARAYAN SANSTHA
SATSANG EXAMINATIONS

PRE-TEST: BAL SATSANG - ONE

JANUARY 2006

Time: 9.00 to 11.00

Total Marks: 100

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To be filled by Examinee only

Examinee's Seat No.
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Education of Examinee

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Signature of Exam Supervisor

Note:

1. On the day of the Final Satsang Examinations, all examinees should obtain the sticker with their personal details from the Exam Supervisor. Then, after applying the sticker at the appropriate place on the front page of the answer book, obtain the signature of the Exam Supervisor.
2. Answer book without signature of Exam Supervisor is **NOT VALID**.
3. Figures given on the right hand side indicate the marks for that question.
4. Follow the instructions while answering.
5. Answers should be clearly written.
6. Write your answer either with a blue or black pen. Answers written in pencil, or with a red, green or any other coloured pen will not be considered valid.

For Moderation Dept.	Que. No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	1 (10)	
	2 (10)	
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	5 (10)	
	6 (10)	
	7 (5)	
	8 (10)	
	9 (10)	
	10 (10)	
	Good Writing (5)	
	Total Marks	

Five marks will be given for clear and neat handwriting.

Examiner's Signature

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

1. Bhagwan Swaminarayan was born in a small village called
(Chhapaiya, Ayodhya, Gadhada)
2. Nilkanth met Pibek in a village in the state of (Assam, Nepal, Gujarat)
3. In the Shikshapatri it is stated that one should serve one's mother, father, guru
and (brother, sister, the ill)
4. Maharaj called from Junagadh towards the end of His life.
(Gunatitanand Swami, Brahmanand Swami, Muktanand Swami)
5. Sahajanand Swami took the worries of up on His own head.
(deities, humans, devotees)
6. The Vedas teach us to pray that the whole world be
(victorious, forgotten, redeemed)
7. The area under the pinnacles where the murtis are installed is called
(Rang Mandap, Mandir, Nijmandir)
8. A vicious robber named went to Dabhan to steal Maharaj's mare,
Manki. (Joban Pagi, Lakho Pagi, Rukhad Pagi)
9. is Yogiji Maharaj's guru.
(Shriji Maharaj, Gunatitanand Swami, Shastriji Maharaj)
10. The true knowledge-giver guru is
(Bhagwan, Bhakta, Mukta)

Q.2 In the sentences below, tick (✓) those which are correct and cross (✗) those which are false. (10)

1. Pibek was a Brahmin from Nepal.
2. The meaning of 'Gu' is light.
3. One should attend bal sabha irregularly.
4. The hunters killed four birds in Bansi village.
5. The Nawab of Junagadh organised a procession with Maharaj
seated on a decorated elephant.
6. Shitaldas took diksha at Piplana and became a sadhu.
7. Maharaj gives darshan to His devotees towards their end.
8. Saryudas entered Muktanand Swami's mind and saw the form of
Ramanand Swami.
9. 'Panchde panch Shrijini bolo jay.'
10. Maharaj said to the Kathi Darbars, "Today, we have won the battle."

Q.3 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence for each answer. (10)

1. Where did Saryudas wish to stay?

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2. In which village did Magniram practice the power of black magic on Shriji Maharaj?

3. Who is our supreme God?
4. With whom and how long did Nilkanth stay at Piplana?
5. Which three types of people become famous?
6. Where did the bawas sleep in the jungles?
7. What did the scholars of Kashi say about Ghanshyam?
8. What did the Mahant of the Ramji Mandir say to Nilkanth?
9. What did the children say after emerging from samadhi?
10. What had Kalidatt studied?

Q.4 Answer any FIVE of the following, and state who is speaking to whom. (10)

1. "No, my body has suffered a little, but I haven't been hurt!"

Who is speaking To whom

2. "Why are your eyes so red?"
3. "I will go to Akshardham, soon!"
4. "Please come to my palace. I would like to honour you."
5. "We only beg food from the houses."
6. "By studying hard you are really serving me."
7. "Write a small book of all your teachings."

Q.5 Answer any FIVE of the following. (Using 3 lines for each.) (10)

1. What did Shitaldas see in samadhi?

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2. What things did Ghanshyam take when he left home?
3. What did Dharmadev think after testing His son, Ghanshyam?
4. How did Dharmadev test Ghanshyam?
5. Why did Shriji Maharaj serve food to the low caste people?
6. Explain the shlok: Tvameva mata.....
7. What can be achieved by the guru's blessings?

Q.6 Select the correct answer from the options provided and write only the number in the box. (10)

1. Which mandir did Ghanshyam really like?
 (1) Swaminarayan (2) Ramji (3) Tulsi (4) Radha Krishna
2. Who annually paid money to Joban Pagi?
 (1) Maharaj (2) King of Petlad (3) King of Vadodara (4) Nawab of Amdavad
3. In which village did Ramanand Swami first meet Nilkanth?
 (1) Loj (2) Palana (3) Piplana (4) Jetpur
4. 'Swamini Vato' are
 (1) Sermons of Yogiji Maharaj (2) Sermons of Gunatitanand Swami
 (3) Sermons of Pramukh Swami (4) Sermons of Bhagatji

5. What type of yagna did Maharaj perform?
 (1) Non-violent yagnas (2) Ashwamegh yagnas
 (3) Violent yagnas (4) Rajsuya yagnas
6. We belong to God, but who do we not belong to?
 (1) Parents (2) Maya (3) The world (4) Swami
7. Swadhyayan ma pramadaha.... means
 (1) Never be lazy in studies (2) Never cheat in studies
 (3) Never lie in studies (4) Be lazy in studies
8. Who tried to kill Ghanshyam?
 (1) Pibek (2) Kalidatt (3) Magniram (4) Kalbhairav
9. Where is the teaching "Matru Devo Bhava....." from?
 (1) Vedas (2) Ghosna (3) Saints (4) Parents
10. What was the name of Jayramdas's friend?
 (1) Jaykrishna (2) Jambuvan (3) Krishna Tamboli (4) Sudama

Q.7 Pick the correct option from list 'B' for list 'A' and write only the answer number in the given box. (5)

A	B
1. Dabhan <input style="width: 50px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	1. Fire through words
2. Vartal <input style="width: 50px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	2. Grand yagna
3. Chhapaiya <input style="width: 50px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	3. Birthplace of Shri Ram
4. Ayodhya <input style="width: 50px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	4. Birthplace of Ghanshyam
5. Bansi <input style="width: 50px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	5. Birthplace of Shikshapatri

Q.8. Complete the following Swamini Vato. (10)

1. Nirantar sarva
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2. Karod kam
3. Apne Bhagwanna
4. Ketlek rupiye.....
5. Gaflai talvanu.....

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

1. Gurur Brahma
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- guruve namah.
2. Ekde ek namaskar.
3. Ame sau Swamina gan ne gaishu.

