

SATSANG SIKSHAN PARIKSHA

Bochasanwasi Shri Aksharpurushottam Swaminarayan Sanstha, Shahibaug, Ahmedabad - 04.

SATSANG PARICHAY - 1

Sunday, 16th July 2006

Time: 9 to 11.15

Total Marks: 75

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SECTION-1: SAHAJANAND CHARITRA

Q.1 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (Total Marks: 6)

1. "An object which is very good binds the possessor."

2 Marks

Who is speaking? To Whom?

When?

2. "I am constantly dwelling in you."

2 Marks

Who is speaking? To Whom?

When?

3. "Now you can comfortably come to Amdavad."

2 Marks

Who is speaking? To Whom?

When?

Q.2 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (Total Marks: 6)

1. Muktanand Swami's doubts are removed.

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2. Shobharam becomes blind.

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3. Shriji Maharaj remarked, "We have disobeyed the Shikshapatri written by us."

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Q.3 Concisely write about any TWO of the following. (In approximately 12 lines.) (Total Marks: 8)

1. Dumb as Doves

2. Meeting with Governor Malcolm

3. Opposed Killings During Yagnas

4. The Glory of Gunatit

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Q.4 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence for each answer. (Total Marks: 4)

1. Who was about to say, "Dattan so pattan ker daalun (Let your kingdom be crushed to the ground)" ?

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2. Where did Shriji Maharaj consecrate his own murti and what name did he give it?

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3. Write any one of the six objectives behind Maharaj's incarnation on Earth.

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4. Shriji Maharaj made householders take vows to shun which five things.

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Q.5 From the given options, place a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct ones. (4 marks)

Note: One or more options may be correct. Full marks will be awarded only if all the correct options are chosen, otherwise no marks will be awarded.

1. Which mandirs are correctly matched with their murtis?

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- (1) Bhuj – Nar-Narayan Dev (2) Dholera – Radha-Raman Dev
 (3) Gadhada – Gopinathji (4) Junagadh – Madan-Mohan Dev

2. In which of the following incidents is Gunatitanand Swami described?

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- (1) Mitha vahala kem visaru? (2) Our Jadbharat
 (3) Appointment of Mahants (4) Yagna at Dabhan

Q.6 Fill in the blanks. (Total Marks: 4)

1. Shriji Maharaj introduced the Swaminarayan mantra for the first time in the village of

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2. Shriji Maharaj instructed the sadhus to strictly observe the vartmans ofNishkam, Nirlobh, Nisswad, and Nissneh.

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3. In Adraj, Maharaj appointed Muktanand Swami, Brahmanand Swami, Nityanand Swami, and as sadgurus. 1 Mark

4. Shriji Maharaj stayed on this Earth a total ofyears, 2 months, and 1 day. 1 Mark

SECTION-2: SATSANG READER PART-II

Q.7 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (Total Marks: 6)

1. "This isn't Salemal mountain. This is Akshar Ordī." 2 Marks

Who is speaking? To Whom?
When?

2. "We will go and stay in a small hut on the bank of the river." 2 Marks

Who is speaking? To Whom?
When?

3. "I am a pativrata faithful woman." 2 Marks

Who is speaking? To Whom?
When?

Q.8 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (Total Marks: 4)

1. Indrajibhai became Akhandanand Brahmachari. 2 Marks

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2. Jaga Bhakta felt as if someone had shot him. 2 Marks

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Q.9 Concisely write about any ONE of the following. (In approximately 15 lines.) (Total Marks: 5)

- The divine bliss enjoyed by Jaga Swami in the meadows of Sankhdavadar.
- The Bhairavi Raag sung by Premanand Swami
- Ayodhyaprasadji Maharaj's reverence for Gunatitanand Swami

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Q.10 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence for each answer. (Total Marks: 4)

1. What answer did Nityanand Swami give to the question, "Why do we worship the feet of God?"

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2. Which two virtues of Mulji Brahmachari should we strive to attain?

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3. What were the names of Ayodhyaprasadji Maharaj's father and mother?

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4. Despite Maharaj's command, why did Dada Khachar refuse to behead the woman?

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Q.11 From the following sentences choose FIVE correct sentences.

(Write the sentence numbers only) (Total Marks: 5)

Topic: Mulji Brahmachari

1. "I haven't refused him. Call him to me." 2. "Go to Ujjain. There, go to the school opposite the river Shipra." 3. Vashrambhai asked Shriji Maharaj to let him serve him. 4. The carpenter woman asked, "How is it that you are not to be seen these days?" 5. Mulji Brahmachari carried a one-and-a-half maund basket of mangoes from Dabhan. 6. Mulji Brahmachari had the Gadhada mandir whitewashed. 7. "Ask for what you wish. Today, you have pleased me." 8. He said, "Give it to me. I will take it." 9. "See how much faith he has in me." 10. "Mulji Brahmachari is very wise and he knows how to please me."

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Q.12 State whether the following statements are True or False and rewrite the False statements. (Total Marks: 4)

1. After returning to Akshardham, Maharaj gave darshan to Jivuba and Laduba and told them to send Thakorji's thal to Premanand Swami everyday.

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2. Due to Maharaj's wish, Laduba bought Harji Thakkar's buffalo for one hundred rupees.

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3. Krishnaji Ada used to say, "There is no sadhu in either of the two regions who compares with Shastriji Maharaj."

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4. Jaga Bhakta noted down Gunatitanand Swami's talks which appear in the fifth chapter of 'Swamini Vatu'.

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SECTION-3: ESSAY

Q.13 Write an essay on any ONE of the following. (In approximately 30 lines.) (Total Marks: 15)

1. Delhi Akshardham - An abode of devotion
2. Pramukh Swami Maharaj's heartbeat - Devotion
3. Agna and Upasana - Two wings to take us to Akshardham

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Essay:

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