

## SATSANG SIKSHAN PARIKSHA

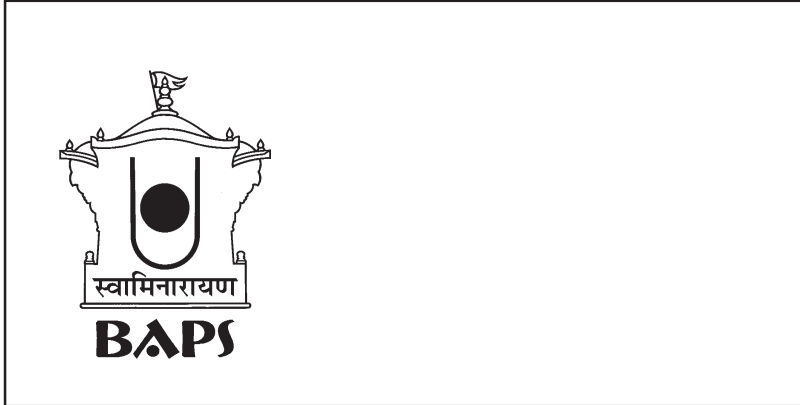
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### SATSANG PRAVESH - 1

**Sunday, 3 March 2013**

**Time: 9.00 to 11.15 a.m.**

**Total Marks: 75**



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For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
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**Section-1, Total Marks (33)**

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	7 (9)	
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	9 (5)	
	10 (4)	
	11 (6)	
	12 (4)	

**Section-2, Total Marks (32)**

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	13 (10)	

**Section-3, Total Marks**

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ચેકર - નામ

### પરીક્ષાર્થીઓને અગત્યની સૂચના :-

૧. આગળના મુખ્ય પૃષ્ઠ ઉપર પરીક્ષાર્થીની નામ સંબંધી વિગતની નીચે બારકોડ દર્શાવેલ છે, તેને કોઈપણ પ્રકારનું નુકશાન પહોંચાડવું નહીં તેવી ખાસ વિનંતી.
૨. પરીક્ષાર્થીએ ખૂબ જ સ્પષ્ટ તથા સુંદર અક્ષરે આગળના પાનામાં માંગ્યા મુજબ વિગતો ભરવી ફરજિયાત છે.
૩. આપે ઉત્તરવહીમાં (જવાબવહીમાં) ક્યાંય કોઈ પણ જગ્યાએ આપનું નામ લખવાનું નથી.
૪. મુખ્ય પરીક્ષા દિને વર્ગખંડમાં હાજર રહેલા પ્રત્યેક પરીક્ષાર્થી ભૂલ્યા વગર પોતાના જ નામવાળી જવાબવહી ઉપર વર્ગસુપરવાઈઝરની સહી કરાવી લે.
૫. વર્ગસુપરવાઈઝરની સહી વગરની જવાબવહી માન્ય ગણાશે નહીં.
૬. પ્રશ્નના ગુણ → 

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 ← પરીક્ષકે પ્રશ્ન તપાસીને મૂકવાના ગુણની જગ્યા
૭. પરીક્ષાર્થી ફક્ત વાદળી અથવા ફક્ત કાળી શાહીવાળી પેનથી જ જવાબવહીમાં ઉત્તરો લખે. પેન્સિલથી, લાલ, લીલી કે અન્ય શાહીથી અથવા એકથી વધારે શાહીથી લખેલા ઉત્તરો માન્ય ગણાશે નહીં.
૮. પ્રશ્નોના જવાબ સૂચના મુજબ આપવા. છેકછાકવાળા જવાબો માન્ય ગણાશે નહીં.
૯. પરીક્ષાખંડની બહાર કે અન્ય તમામ પરીક્ષાર્થીઓથી અલગ કે પરીક્ષાના નિયમોનું ઉલ્લંઘન કરીને આપેલી પરીક્ષા માન્ય ગણાશે નહિ.
૧૦. પરીક્ષા કાર્યાલય, અમદાવાદની પૂર્વ મંજૂરી લીધા સિવાય, મૂળ પરીક્ષાર્થીના બદલે 'લહિયા', 'સબસ્ટીટ્યુટ રાઈટર' કે 'અન્ય વ્યક્તિ' દ્વારા લખાઈને આવેલ પરીક્ષાની જવાબવહી રદ ગણવામાં આવશે. એકથી વધારે પ્રકારના જુદા જુદા અક્ષરોવાળા ઉત્તરો માન્ય નહિ ગણાય.
૧૧. મુખ્ય પરીક્ષામાં જવાબવહીમાં વધારાના પાના કે પુસ્તકી જોડીને તેમાં લખેલા ઉત્તર માન્ય ગણાશે નહિ.

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7. Write your answers with either a blue or black pen only. Answers written in pencil, or with a red, green or any other coloured pen will not be considered valid. Answers written in more than one coloured ink will not be considered valid.
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**SECTION 1: NILKANTH CHARITRA**

**Q.1 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (Total Marks: 9)**

1. "My name is Sahajanand."

Who is speaking?..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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2. "If you are sincere and earnest in your quest, you will find God incarnate right here."

Who is speaking?..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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3. "You recite the Ramayan, but why don't you follow dharma?"

Who is speaking?..... To whom? .....

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

1. Nilkanth Varni smashed the kamandal against a boulder and broke it.

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2. Nilkanth Varni's Shaligram drank three-four potfuls of water.

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**Q.4 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 5)**

1. Where did Maharaja Ranjit Singh meet Nilkanth Varni for the first time? 1 Mark

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2. Which curse did Nilkanth Varni give his own speech? 1 Mark

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3. On what tithi and samvat year did Nilkanth Varni arrive in Loj? 1 Mark



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4. What did Nilkanth Varni give to Kurji Dave as a gift? 1 Mark

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5. Which questions did Nilkanth Varni ask in pilgrim places and ashrams and to the followers of other sampradayas? 1 Mark

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

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

1. Nilkanth Varni's renunciation 2 Marks

- (1)  11 years old.
- (2)  The demon Kaliya pushed him into the Saryu river.
- (3)  10 years old.
- (4)  The demon Kaushik pushed him into the Saryu river.

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2. Nilkanth Varni amid ghosts in the dense jungle.

2 Marks

- (1)  Hanumanji became alert.
- (2)  Kalbhairav, king of the ghosts, was at the front with a sharp spear in his hand.
- (3)  Jump on that boy and monkey and devour them at once.
- (4)  A divine voice informed Nilkanth Varni about the ghosts.

Total marks for above questions





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

1. Nilkanth Varni talked to ..... in Totadri regarding how sadhus should renounce women.
2. Nilkanth Varni performed intense austerities in ..... and pleased .....
3. On the day of ..... Nilkanth Varni gave darshan in two forms in Loj.
4. Women who tried to pick dung would see ..... in it.

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Total marks for above questions





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**SECTION 2: SATSANG READER PART 1**

**Q.7 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (Total Marks: 9)**

1. "Bhagwan Purushottam Narayan himself will come to your village."

Who is speaking?..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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3 Marks

2. "Gumatitanand Swami's greatness is not due to the seat. He is eternally great."

Who is speaking?..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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3 Marks

3. "Please forgive me if I have ever done anything wrong or if I have ever not been able to act according to your wishes."

Who is speaking?..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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3 Marks

Total marks for above questions





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

1. On seeing Jivuba returning home, Abhel Khachar was left speechless.

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2. Ranchhodray granted darshan to Ashabhai in a dream.

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**Q.9 Write short notes on "Transformation of Joban Pagi." (in 15 lines). (Total Marks: 5)**

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**Q.10 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 4)**

1. How did Jivuba explain the futility on the world and its affairs through religion to Ladu Barot? 1 Mark

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2. What blessings did Shukmuni give to Dungarbhai when he gave him vartman? 1 Mark

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3. What was Jhinabhai's reply when Shriji Maharaj asked, "Which Dham do you wish to go to?" 1 Mark

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4. Who initiated Ashabhai and what was he named? 1 Mark

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**Q.11 Select the six correct sentences from below and write them in the correct story sequence in the boxes. (Total Marks: 6)**

**Topic: Ladudanji's four wishes**

1. The body is adorned by its actions. 2. The Rao of Jamnagar rewarded Ladudanji handsomely and conferred on him the titles of Rajkaviratna, Pingal-vidyacharya, Mahamahopadhyaya, Mahakavishvar and others. 3. The Kathis believe him to be God. 4. The poet's mother Laduba and father Sambhudanji agreed with the Maharaja's thought. 5. Ladudanji expressed four wishes in his mind. 6. Ladudanji had earned the respect and pleasure of Abhayanandji. 7. The poet saw a distinctive tilak mark and a large round chandlo of vermilion on the goldsmith's forehead at the darbar in Bhavnagar. 8. He bade the Rao of Jamnagar farewell, forever remembering his debt. 9. I have a dilemma that you have to solve. 10. The young poet Devidan began to recite several poems he had created himself. 11. His heart swelled with joy, he spontaneously composed and sang a kirtan, 'Dhanya ajni ghadi re...' 12. Let him be reading from the Bhagavat wrapped in a black cloth.

**Note: (1) 3 marks will be awarded for the correct sentence number only if ALL SIX sentence numbers are correct and (2) 3 marks will be awarded only if the whole sequence of sentence numbers is correct. Otherwise no marks will be given.**

(1) Write the correct sentence numbers        3 Marks

(2) Correct sequence of sentences        3 Marks

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**Q.12 Rewrite the incorrect sentences below in relation to the sentence heading. (Total Marks: 4)**

**Note: Marks will be awarded only if a sentence is written completely correctly. Otherwise no marks will be awarded.**

1. **Swami Yagnapriyadasji:** Being with him settled his qualms and convinced him that, through Bhagatji, he had attained devotion. He attracted his mind before Bhagatji's personality.

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2. **Bhaktaraj Jivuba:** Raibai happened to have a box and some extra clothes with her. Thinking quickly, she had Ladudanji dress as a cowherdess and give him her pot to complete the costume. Amongst a group of similarly dressed woman, Ladudanji entered Gadhada, unnoticed.

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3. **Sadguru Brahmanand Swami :** Born on Akhatrij, Samvat 1728, in the village of Samarkha in the Anand region. Here, he stayed as a guest of the Rao, of Jamnagar.

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4. **Sadguru Shukanand Swami:** Immediately understanding Swami’s wish, Somla Khachar called a blacksmith to cut some wood. Somla Khachar then broke open a clay pot and lit a fire in it from the wood. He brought the fire before Swami.

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**SECTION 3: ESSAY**

**Q.13 Write an essay on any ONE of the following (in approximately 30 lines). (Total Marks: 10)**

1. Indiscriminate Use of Internet.    2. Yogiji Maharaj: Renowned Advocate of Discipline and Education.
3. The grand Doorway to Downfall: Indiscipline.

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