

BOCHASANWASI SHRI AKSHAR PURUSHOTTAM SWAMINARAYAN SANSTHA
SATSANG EXAMINATION (PRE-TEST: 18 JUNE 2006)

TIME: 12:00 P.M. TO 1:30 P.M.

SATSANG PRAVESH - 2

(TOTAL MARKS: 75)

(Note: Figures on the right side of the question indicate the page number of the answer.)

SECTION-1: KISHORE SATSANG PRAVESH - 4th Edition, April 1999

- Q.1 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (8 marks)**
1. "If you get rid of the chairs then only shall I come to these padharamanis." 35
 2. "No servant of Yam should visit our village or its boundary to fetch any soul." 66
 3. "Explain this to Sundarji Suthar and Gangaram the wrestler as well" 42
 4. "We have seen it and it is lying over there." 17
- Q.2 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (6 marks)**
1. Shriji Maharaj excommunicated Sachchidanand Swami from the Satsang. 73
 2. Anybody who passes away in the courtyard of Jalamsinh Bapu will go to Akshardham. 79
 3. Prabodhini Ekadashi is of great important in the history of the sampraday. 51
- Q.3 Write short notes on any ONE of the following. (In 15 lines.) (5 marks)**
1. Sneh bharya nayane..... explain the exploits of Ghanshyam and Nilkanth described in the kirtan. 87
 2. Jalamsinh Bapu. 77
 3. Maharaj's Lord. 21
- Q.4 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence for each answer. (5 marks)**
1. When does one get an ideal guru? 31
 2. How many knots did Dubli Bhatt untie? 34
 3. How many months did Maharaj ask Kashidas to stay in Gadhada? 38
 4. With whom did Zamkuba come to Vadnagar? 63
 5. Whom did Devjibhai's son constantly see? 28
- Q.5 Prahlad fought..... (86) - Complete the Swamini Vato and narrate it. OR (4 marks)**
Explain: Vachanamrut Gadhada I-6 (68)
- Q.6 Complete the following. (10 marks)**
1. Jiv anant na deh dhari prabhu. 40
 2. Ganga papam shashi tapam shanto mahashaya. 74
 3. Nirvikalp uttam ati Dharmakumar. 24, 25
 4. Na hyammayani sadhavaha. 24
 5. Translate the shlok: Na hyammayani sadhavaha. 75

SECTION-2: SHASTRIJI MAHARAJ - 4th Edition, November 1998

- Q.7 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (6 marks)**
1. "Your sadhus seem to be very ostentatious." 30
 2. "The block will not fall down, lift it up." 88
 3. "Your sadhu is kidnapping my son." 16
- Q.8 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (6 marks)**
1. Swamishri went to Rajkot at the invitation of Krishnaji ada. 78
 2. Swamishri acquired the land in Gadhada. 110
 3. Ranchhod Bhagat requested Yogiji Maharaj to sing the devotional song about the sixty-eight holy places of pilgrimage. 93
- Q.9 Write short notes on any ONE of the following. (In 15 lines.) (5 marks)**
1. Beginning of persecution. 50

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TO, _____ _____ _____

Pariksha Dept, (Dt: 18 June 2006. Exam: Satsang Pravesh - 2. Medium: English. Time: 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.)

Please note that I have been present personally in the Pre-Test Exam organized by the Satsang Shikshan Pariksha Karyalay, Amdavad. Please note that the following details filled are true.

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Note: Only those who are present have to fill in this slip and give it to their Exam Supervisor. The slip of only those who are present have to be filled and sent to the Satsang Shikshan Pariksha Karyalay, Amdavad.

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2. Divine trance. 94
3. Renunciation 19

Q.10 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence for each answer. (6 marks)

1. In which shrine did Thakor Saheb insist on installing the murtis of Radha-Krishna? 84
2. What did Swamishri tell the devotees who were going to Vadhwani for the murti-pratishtha? 55
3. What did Gordhanbhai say when Hirabhai became a satsangi? 70
4. What did Bhagatji remark when Morlidhardas overcome his prejudices? 33
5. What did Sadguru Balmukunddas Swami say in Vartal? 77
6. What were the names of Dungarbhai's father and mother? 2

Q.11 From the given options, place a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct ones. (8 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. Construction of the mandir at Atladara 102
(1) That land where Mulu Metar and Krishna Mali resided, is consecrated.
(2) Hirabhai was just like Mathurbhai of Bochasan.
(3) If we get that consecrated land, we will build a mandir.
(4) Maganbhai donated the land to Swamishri.
2. Kothari Gordhanbhai - a well-wisher of Swamishri. 54
(1) "You should stay at Dabhoi and do satsang."
(2) The sadhus here are attempting to uproot you.
(3) The sadhus here cannot tolerate your increasing fame.
(4) You should curtail your activities.
3. Who experienced divine trance through Shastriji Maharaj? 94, 96
(1) Yogiji Maharaj (2) Nandkishoredas
(3) Radharamanprasad (4) Nirgundas Swami
4. Krishnaji Ada's conversation with Swamishri 64
(1) Shriji Maharaj has instructed us in the Shikshapatri to act in accordance with the place and time.
(2) You should not stay here at all.
(3) If you are cut into pieces, I will sew you together again.
(4) You should not leave Vartal mandir.

Q.12 State whether the following statements are True or False and rewrite the False statements. (6 marks)

1. The evil-minded decided to push and throw Swamishri into the fire. 62
2. Shastriji Maharaj was born in Chansad village. 2
3. Jaga Bhagat said, "This Yagnapurushdas is a broom for cleaning your hearts." 17
4. The characteristics of the sadhu are described in Vachnamrut Gadhada I-27. 117
5. Vishwanathbhai said, "Even Shridhar himself would not be able to explain the Bhagvat as well as Swamishri." 104
6. Gala Bhagat and Aksharesh Swami could fling stone as if they were as light as flowers. 87

Note: (1) A few questions from the questions given above will be asked in the Final Examination to be held on Sunday 16 July, 2006.

(2) From 2006 onwards, no questions on the Satsang Prarambha Examination will be asked. Instead, questions from the Satsang Pravesh - 2 exam books will be asked.

