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BOCHASANWASI SHRI AKSHAR PURUSHOTTAM SWAMINARAYAN SANSTHA
SATSANG EXAMINATIONS

PRE-TEST: BAL SATSANG 1

JANUARY 2011

Time: 9.00 to 11.00 am

Total Marks: 100



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Section 1, Total Marks

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	6 (10)	
	7 (5)	
	8 (10)	
	9 (10)	
	10 (10)	

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Five marks will be given for clear and neat handwriting.

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

1. On hearing the children, Jiva Khachar distributed
(magas, pendas, barfi)
2. At the Shiv Mandir, Ghanshyam was listening to the
(Maha Puran, Ramayan, Shiv Puran)
3. Maharaj brought back to life. (Joban Pagi, Magniram, Pranvallabh)
4. was asked to sit on a high seat.
(King of Kashi, Dharmadev, Ghanshyam)
5. The name of the bear who come near to Nilkanth Varni in the jungle was
(Jambuvan, Jambubhakta, Jamburaj)
6. In Ramanand Swami enthroned Sahajanand Swami.
(Jetalpur, Jetpur, Piplana)
7. Pibek threw grains of on the tree. (mung, adad, math)
8. scolded Ghanshyam. (Rampratapbhai, Dharmadev, Ichchharam)
9. A procession was organized in with Maharaj seated on a decorated elephant.
(Junagadh, Gadhada, Jetpur)
10. Maharaj said, "Wherever there is you wil never find God."
(superstition, illness, darkness)

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

1. He would take some gram and puffed rice from home to feed the children.
2. If one drinks alcohol one would go to heaven.
3. Please take your sword.
4. Dharmadev taught Ghanshyam at home everyday.
5. When a yagna in Dabhan was performed, Brahmins who were bent upon creating problems, shouted, "Give us ghee, give us ghee!
6. Ramanand Swami initiated Nilkanth Varni in Piplana.
7. When Shitaldas thought about Shriji Maharaj he was immediately blessed with multiple forms.
8. Maharaj performed a non-violent yagna in Jetalpur.
9. Maharaj served the Harijans himself.
10. From now onwards you won't receive any more complaints.

Q.3 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (10)

1. What did Nilkanth Varni think on seeing the dying birds?
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2. Why did Maharaj leave Anand without lunch?

3. Why is Lord Shiv called 'Nilkanth'?

4. 'Satyam Vada' means what?

5. Why did Sahajanand Swami agree to lead the Sampraday?

6. With whose permission did Dharmadev allow Ghanshyam to conclude the debate?
7. What did Joban Pagi say when he fell at Maharaj's feet?
8. Why did Maharaj eat cucumber when he was seated on an elephant?
9. Why should one not be afraid of black magic?
10. What did a clerk say to Joban Pagi at Petlad?

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

1. "Come up and sleep with us."

Who is speaking? To whom?

2. "I shall write a small scripture to inspire and teach all my sadhus and devotees."
3. "Shankaracharya has said that gnan is greater."
4. "Why are you in such a hurry to leave? Come and meet me tomorrow."
5. "By studying hard you are really serving me."

Q.5 Answer any ALL of the following. (Using three lines for each.) (10)

1. What did Magniram say to Maharaj?

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2. Write our Guru Parampara.
3. How did Kalidatt die?
4. What happened when Maharaj pushed the throne with his stick?
5. Write the meaning of the shlok "Gurur Brahma gurur Vishnu..."

SECTION - 2

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

1. In which town did the sadhus start getting enough food from the king?
 (1) Jamnagar (2) Gadhada (3) Gondal (4) Junagadh
2. Where was Lord Ram born?
 (1) Chhapaiya (2) Ayodhya (3) Kashi (4) Delhi
3. Where did Ghanshyam go towards?
 (1) Himalayas (2) Forest (3) Nepal (4) Vrundavan
4. On which day (tithi) of A.S.1886 did Maharaj go to Akshardham?
 (1) Ashadh sud 10 (2) Jeth vad 10 (3) Jeth sud 10 (4) Ashadh vad 10
5. Whom did Nilkanth Varni curse?
 (1) tree (2) speech (3) king (4) queen
6. Which Swami is famous all over the world today?
 (1) Muktanand (2) Sahajanand (3) Ramanand (4) Brahmanand

7. Like whom was the face of God the boys saw in samadhi?
 (1) Jiva Khachar (2) Maharaj (3) Hanumanji (4) Ganapati
8. Maharaj is a great magician. What can he turn into ghee?
 (1) Water (2) Oil (3) Milk (4) Buttermilk
9. 'Swadhyayan ma pramadaha' means never be lazy in what?
 (1) Roaming around (2) Playing (3) Studies (4) Eating
10. What sort of children should we be for Pramukh Swami?
 (1) Mischievous (2) True (3) Well behaved (4) Clever

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

A

1. Sign of a king
2. Sign of a merchant
3. Bhagavad Gita
4. Sign of a scholar
5. True strength

B

1. A gold coin
2. Devotion
3. A knife
4. Ghanshyam
5. Shastra

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

1. Ava Sadhune manma
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2. Gafalai talvanu.....
3. Karod kam.....
4. Apne Bhagwanna.....
5. Kettlek rupiye.....

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

1. Nitya nitya
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- sahiti tarshe.
2. Nana nana bal pranam karshu.
3. Ame sau Swamina chhie marva.
4. Gunatito-ksharam bhavabandhanat.
5. Athde ath, Akshardhamma javay.

