SATSANG SIKSHAN PARIKSHA
Bochasanwasi Shri Akshar Purushottam Swaminarayan Sanstha, Shahibaug, Ahmedabad - 380 004.

SATSANG PARICHAY - 1

Sunday, 4th July 2010  Time: 9.00 to 11.15 a.m.  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: 9)

1. “Each one of them is the owner of upto five, twenty-five or fifty villages.”
   Who is speaking? .......................................................... To whom? ..........................................................
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2. “He preaches to practise pure action and looks towards women with respect and piety.”
   Who is speaking? .......................................................... To whom? ..........................................................
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3. “What did you say to the villagers? How did you describe me?”
   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. The leading people of Anand apologized to Shriji Maharaj.
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2. Jagjivan stamped his feet and walked away.
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Total marks for above questions: 9

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3. Laduba and Jivuba had no excuse to keep Shriji Maharaj in Gadhada.

Q.3 Write short notes on 'Realization to Muktanand Swami' (in 15 lines). (Total Marks: 5)

Total marks for above questions [2 Marks]
Q.4 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 5)

1. In which village did Shriji Maharaj initiate 500 paramhansas?

2. Which songs did Shriji Maharaj command Muktanand Swami and Premanand Swami to compose?

3. What name did Shriji Maharaj give Lalji Suthar after giving him diksha?

4. How did Shriji Maharaj answer the question, "How will you describe us?" to describe himself?

5. What did Maharaj say when he saw tears in Nityanand Swami’s eyes?

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. Mr Anderson requested to Muktanand Swami and Dada Khachar regarding Maharaj's health.
   (1) □ We need such great men in this country. (2) □ You must look after him.
   (3) □ Do not allow him to travel or to do more vicharan. (4) □ He looks quite ill.

2. The Brahmins of Umreth became disciples of Maharaj.
   (1) □ Animal-like Harishankar started reciting the Vedas.
   (2) □ A buffalo is merely an animal.
   (3) □ Bring a person dumb since birth.
   (4) □ Sprayed milk throughout the village.
Q.6 Fill in the blanks. (Total Marks: 4)

1. Shriji Maharaj met Governor Malcolm in .......................................... 1 Mark
2. Shriji Maharaj’s last illness was in ............................................... village. 1 Mark
3. When Gomti Lake was being dug, Shriji Maharaj gave the two bricks he was standing on to ............................................ 1 Mark
4. Shriji Maharaj sent ................................................... to empty the pits of hell. 1 Mark

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

1. “I pledge that I will daily compose eight padas in praise of your murti.”
   Who is speaking? ...................................................... To whom? ................................................ .......... When? .................................................................................................................................................. 3 Marks

2. “Only a king or an acharya can do this.”
   Who is speaking? ...................................................... To whom? ................................................ .......... When? .................................................................................................................................................. 3 Marks

3. “The talks in the scriptures are the truth.”
   Who is speaking? ...................................................... To whom? ................................................ .......... When? .................................................................................................................................................. 3 Marks

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

1. Krishnaji Ada severed all his relations with Himrajbhai forever.
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2. Despite being told by Shriji Maharaj, Dada Khachar did not chop the woman's head off.

Q.9 Write short notes on 'Ayodhyaprasadji Maharaj's reverence for Gunatitanand Swami' (in 15 lines). (Total Marks: 5)
Q.10 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 4)

1. Why did Shriji Maharaj prefer Mulji Brahmacari's service?  

2. When was Acharya Ayodhyaprasadji Maharaj born? (Samvat, Tithi)  

3. Who wrote the 'Shrihari Digvijay' text?  

4. With whom did Shriji Maharaj arrange Dada Khachar's second marriage?  

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

Topic: Krishnaji Ada

1. Karsanjibhai was born in the month of Jeth.  
2. He told his followers to go to Bochasan.  
3. He supported Shastriji Maharaj's decision.  
4. His favourite couplet was 'Surpur, Narpur, Nagpur...'.  
5. Towards his end he told Jnanji Swami to keep the company of Shastriji Maharaj.  
6. Karsanjibhai was not allowed to enter Junagadh mandir.  
7. He was married to Ladkiba.  
8. A Satsangijivan parayan was arranged in Bochasan by Ada.  
9. Jaga Bhakta arranged the meeting between Jnan-Yagna.  
10. A spot on the bank of River Aji was selected for the cremation.  
11. In Rajkot Shastriji Maharaj arranged discourses at Jeevanram Shastri's house.  
12. Swami had instructed Karsanjibhai and Harjivanbhai to go to Rajkot and work as priests there.

Note: (1) 3 marks will be awarded in the correct sentence number only if all the six sentence numbers are correct and (2) 3 marks will be awarded only if all the sequence of sentence numbers is correct. Otherwise no marks will be given.
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. **Bhaktaraj Dada Khachar**: At that time one King invaded Vadtal. When Joban Pagi learnt about this, he put on some armour, took a sword and shield.

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2. **Premsakhi Premanand Swami**: If one reflection on God in the way described in these padas, one is liberated from the clutches of sthul, sukshma and karan.

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3. **Mukundanand Varni**: Swami does not allow me to stay with him. I carried a basket of 200 kg of mangoes to him, but he did not say even ‘Jay Sachchidanand’ to me.

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4. **Bhaktaraj Laduba**: I never leave the World. I am ever manifest. Through all of the mandirs I shall give you darshan.

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

1. **Abhav-Avgun** (fault-finding): The Poisonous Path.
2. **Pujavidhi**: The divine light of B.A.P.S. Sanstha.
3. **Pramukh Swami Maharaj’s Dedication to Service**.

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SECTION 3: ESSAY

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