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

SATSANG PARICHAY - 2
Sunday, 6 March 2011 Time: 2 to 4.15 p.m. Total Marks: 75

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SECTION 1: KISHORE SATSANG PARICHAY

Q.1 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (Total Marks: 9)
1. “Your aunt has been condemned to hell.”
   Who is speaking? ..................................................... To whom? .....................................................
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2. “A sadhu after all is like a father.”
   Who is speaking? ..................................................... To whom? .....................................................
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3. “I have been a guru for twelve years and a sadguru for twelve years, but only today have I became a true satsangi.”
   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. On Rajbai’s funeral pyre for cremation, the fire did not light.
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2. Shriji Maharaj granted moksha like that of Muktanand Swami to two Kathi devotees of Gundali.
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3. Sir Andrew Dunlop promised Shriji Maharaj land to build a mandir in Ahmedabad.
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Q.3 Write short notes on 'Galuji' (in 15 lines). (Total Marks: 5)

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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. To whom did Himraj Shah offer worship? 1 Mark

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2. What did Gunatitanand Swami say to Ghanshyamdas when he was meditating? 1 Mark

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Total marks for above questions

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1 Mark
3. Which are the three types of kusangs?  

4. Who was appointed as the first mahant of Akshar Mandir (Gondal)?  

5. When Swarupanand Swami was feeling ill and restless, who did Shriji Maharaj send him to?  

Q.5 'Jem gay chhe te vachhda......' - Complete the Swamini Vato and narrate it. (Total Marks: 5)
Q.6 Complete the following. (Total Marks: 8)

1. Re akhand alaukik .......................... man tam sang mohyu.  


4. Translate the shlok: Anyakshetre ....... bhavishyati.

SECTION 2: PRAGJI BHAKTA
Q.7 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (Total Marks: 9)

1. “I will give him the maker of the footprints - Shriji Maharaj.”
   Who is speaking? .............................................. To whom? ..............................................
   When? ..............................................................
2. “He is yet to be rewarde.”
   Who is speaking? ..................................................... To whom? .....................................................
   When? ..................................................................................................................................................
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3. “These saffron clothes are a great obstacle. Therefore go home and practice satsang.”
   Who is speaking? ..................................................... To whom? .....................................................
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Q.8 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (Total Marks: 6)
1. Amaidas Kothari was shocked.
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2. Gopalanand Swami told Pragji Bhakta to go to Junagadh.
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3. Pavitranand Swami felt disturbed.
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Q.9 Write short notes on 'Do or Die for the Guru' (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: 5)

1. When (tithi and Samvat) and where was Bhagatji Maharaj born?

2. What would Bhagatji Maharaj prescribe to cure the victims of cholera?

3. By whose association did Pragji Bhakta learn that there is no happiness in wealth and women?

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Total marks for above questions: 15 [Write only this mark on main page]
4. What did Pragji Bhakta say when Gunatitanand Swami sent someone to call him to sit in the bullock cart on their way from Junagadh to Vanthali? 1 Mark

5. Jhaverbhai Nathabhai Amin was the Diwan of which town? 1 Mark

Q.11 From the given options, place a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct ones. (Total Marks: 6)

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. The Last Phase 2 Marks
   (1) ✓ V.S. 1954
   (2) ✓ Kartik sud 13
   (3) ✓ Take me to Gadhada
   (4) ✓ Cremated on the banks of river Ghela.

2. The Path of Throns 2 Marks
   (1) ✓ Radiating the light of ten million suns.
   (2) ✓ Preparing leaf bowls.
   (3) ✓ Shamji must be feeling tired.
   (4) ✓ Those who have earned merits over many birth will be able to recognize my divine heir.

3. Realisation 2 Marks
   (1) ✓ I am under the loving command of Swami.
   (2) ✓ You have made me happier.
   (3) ✓ Served for four-and-a-half years.
   (4) ✓ People will make him their guru.

Q.12 Rewrite the incorrect sentences below in relation to the sentence heading. (Total Marks: 6)

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

1. Art of Saintliness: One who has attained this knowledge is never separated from the sadhu. Such a devotee becomes capable of helping countless devotees overcome their desires and lead them to Swami.

Ans. ........................................................................................................................................................................ 1 Mark
2. **Jnan-Yagna in Ahmedabad:** If we keep our thoughts on the divine murti of sadhu we too can earn the eternal divine bliss of Maharaj. Think of God all the time and do not forget him even for a second.

Ans. 

3. **I am possessed by Swaminarayan:** Diwan’s peon was a genuine aspirant of God and came to offer his respects to Swami. Swami intuitively read his thoughts and talked to him about the five types of muktas as described in the Bible.

Ans. 

4. **Manifestation through Pragji Bhagat:** Lakhs of muktas had thronged to the Gadhada mandir on the occasion of the Ramnavmi festival. As soon as Swami saw the assembly hall canopy, he remembered Jaga Bhakta.

Ans. 

5. **Bananas on a cactus:** “He is yet to be blessed. He is an eternal mukta. Others would not have been able to perform sadhana like this,” said Jaga Bhakta explaining the greatness of Dungar Bhakta to the Darbar.

Ans. 

6. **Key to Akshardham lies with Pragji:** How can that which has been given be taken back? I, too, have promised Pragji two boons, and cannot be take back. And don’t you think that one who has given this promise, is capable of making him worthy of receiving it?

Ans. 

**Total marks for above questions**