

SATSANG SIKSHAN PARIKSHA

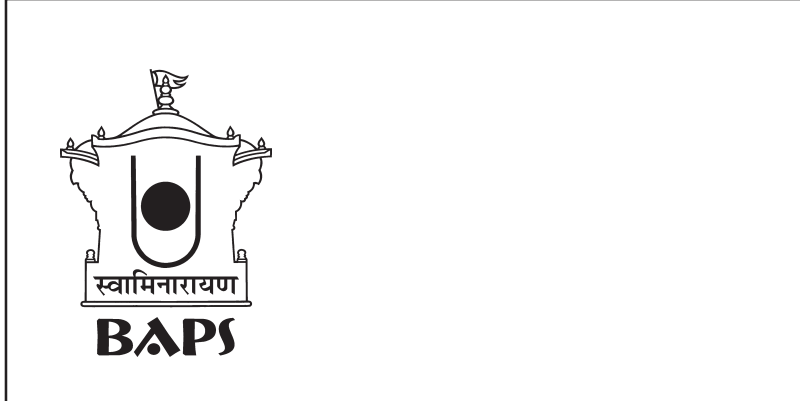
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SATSANG PRAVESH - 1

Sunday, 4 March 2012

Time: 9.00 to 11.15 a.m.

Total Marks: 75



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Section-1, Total Marks (33)

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	7 (9)	
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	10 (4)	
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	12 (4)	

Section-2, Total Marks (32)

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	13 (10)	

Section-3, Total Marks

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રેકર્ડ - 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 પુરવણી જોડીને તેમાં લખેલા ઉત્તર માન્ય ગણાશે નહિ.

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6. Marks for Question →

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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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Pravesh 1

SECTION 1: NILKANTH CHARITRA

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

1. "Where can we find a living God and when? How can we attain salvation?"

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

When?

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2. "I do not have a rope and pot, otherwise I would draw water for you."

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

When?

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3. "I am a guide who leads people along the path to Brahmapur."

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

When?

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Total marks for above questions



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

1. The Telangi Brahmin's whole body turned black and ugly.

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2. Jeer Swami was annoyed and shouted at Nilkanth Varni.

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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. During the four months of winter, where is the murti of Bhagwan Badrinath taken? 1 Mark

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2. In Loj, which sadhu had the first darshan of Nilkanth Varni? 1 Mark

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3. What is the name of Kandas's son, the chief of Bochasan? 1 Mark

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4. What did Shiv and Parvati serve Nilkanth varni? 1 Mark

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5. How did Lakho's heart become unburdened? 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. What happened when Nilkanth Varni came to Surat? 2 Marks

- (1) He stayed at the Radha-Krishna Mandir of the Nirvana school.
- (2) He plunged into the River Narmada.
- (3) He had to fast for three days.
- (4) A gardener's wife gave some provisions which he accepted.

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2. Nilkanth Varni's bold advice to the siddha yogis at Kamakshi.

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- (1) Don't look at him.
- (2) Nobody in this universe can bring anybody back to life.
- (3) Why are you afraid of this man who worships evil gods and goddesses?
- (4) Without Paramatma's power nobody in this universe can kill anybody.

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

- 1. brought a message that Ramanand Swami was to arrive in Piplana.
- 2. In Junagadh, at the Gaumukhi Ganga, Nilkanth Varni gave the bawas darshan in the form of
- 3. Maharaja Ranjit Singh had Nilkanth Varni's darshan in Badrinath and
- 4. hurled Nilkanth Varni into the Saryu River.

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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. "There is no choice but for me to stay here with you."

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

When?

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- 2. "What if I were to give your Jhina the kingdom of Junagadh?"

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

When?

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- 3. "They are pleased by the building of Akshar Purushottam mandirs."

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

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

1. Joban passed away there and then.

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2. Abhel Khachar’s doubts were cleared.

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Q.9 Write short notes on 'Shukmuni understands Gunatitanand Swami’s greatness' (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. In which town did Shriji Maharaj make Brahmanand Swami sit on his seat? 1 Mark

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2. Thinking of Bhagatji, why did Jethabhai offer dandvats on the outskirts of Mahuva village? 1 Mark

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3. Up to which city did Joban Pagi go to rob? 1 Mark

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4. Which famous poet did Devanand Swami teach? 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: Jivauba's Service Towards Sadhus

1. Jivuba sent her charioteer to find out what was wrong with the sadhu. 2. God appeared from the murti in the ashtabhuj form. 3. She told the charioteer to seat the sadhu inside and to make sure he reached Gadhada safely. 4. Maharaj entered the darbar dressed as a cowherd. 5. Abhel Khachar came to know that a bawa was living secretly in his mandir. 6. Jivuba disregarded her own well being to serve one of Maharaj's sadhus. 7. Jivuba married Amara Patgar of Kundal. 8. Maharaj was very pleased when he came to know of Jivuba's selfless service. 9. In samadhi, Jivuba constantly had Maharaj's darshan. 10. 'Serving my sadhu is as good as serving me.' 11. She convinced her son to give his brother permission to worship God. 12. She had to walk barefoot, despite the intense heat.

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 Nirgundasji:** When he began work, it was evening. By night, he had moved one cartful of garbage half by himself. He would always find and take up even little services.

Ans.

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2. **Sadguru Brahmanand Swami:** He saw Dada Khachar standing in the room between two doors with both his hands stretched wide. Behind him, stood an attendant Jivuba, holding a 20 kg cot, waiting for Dada Khachar to let her pass so she could finish arranging his seat for him.

Ans.

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3. **Bhaktaraj Darbar Shri Jhinabhai:** A few Portion of Jhinabhai's Property was spent for mandir. Moreover, the greatness of Maharaj's fellowship was firm in Jhinabhai's mind, and so he would always help other saints, would not bear talks or even thoughts of their bad qualities and would take their side even little.

Ans.

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4. **Sadguru Shukanand Swami:** So he requested Parvatbhai, "Ask Maharaj to give me service. So, Parvatbhai told Maharaj, "The Brahmin from Dabhoi wants to some service."

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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. B.A.P.S. Helps Transformation of Tribal Families. 2. Special Features of Delhi Akshardham.
3. Necessity of Self-Control and Codes of Conduct in Life.

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