

A few of the questions in this Pre-Test Paper will be asked in the Final Exam on 2nd March 2008.

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SATSANG EXAMINATIONS

PRE-TEST: BAL SATSANG - TWO

JANUARY 2008

Time: 9.00 to 11.00 am

Total Marks: 100

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Please carefully read the following instructions:

1. On the day of the Final Satsang Examinations, all examinees should obtain the sticker with their personal details from the class supervisor. Then, after applying the sticker at the appropriate place on the front page of the answer book, obtain the signature of the class supervisor.
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3. Figures given on the right hand side indicate the marks for that question.
4. Follow the instructions while answering.
5. Answers should be clearly written.
6. Write your answers with either a blue or black pen. Answers written in pencil, or with a red, green or any other coloured pen will not be considered valid.

7. Marks for Question → ← Space for Examiner to write marks

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	1 (10)	
	2 (10)	
	3 (10)	
	4 (10)	
	5 (10)	

Section-1, Total Marks

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

Section-2, Total Marks

Five marks will be given for clear and neat handwriting.

Examiner's Signature

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SECTION - 1

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

1. Mulji left Bhadra on V.S. 1865 Kartak sud (8, 15, 10)
2. Pramukh Swami is my (everything, heart, amrut)
3. A few days after Mulji's birth Swami came to Bhadra.
(Shukanand, Ramanand, Sahajanand)
4. The child who dreamt of becoming a sadhu was.....(Shantilal, Bhailal, Kantilal)
5. Prahlad asked God to protect him from the evil-forces within the
(body, mind, wealth)
6. Mulji Sharma and Shriji Maharaj first met at (Bhuj, Gadhada, Bhadra)
7. Without a mandir, a home is like a(derelict house, devil's house, cemetery)
8. Maharaj named the 19th devotee Swami.
(Advaitanand, Akhandanand, Adbhutanand)
9. Shantilal left home at the age of (16, 17, 18)
10. Uka Khachar would start sweeping the (Road, Mandir, Veranda)

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

1. Maharaj ate millet bread and yoghurt while standing in Sagram's house.
2. Ramo Hati was a devotee.
3. Shravan prayed, "O, Bhagwan! Bless me so that I never forget you."
4. Maharaj lifted the bier of Kamalshibhai Vanza.
5. Mulji took Krishna's name with every breath.
6. "I have sacrificed my wealth for Gunatitanand Swami."
7. Yogiji Maharaj went to collect alms with a blind sadhu.
8. Mulubha was addicted to smoking and tobacco.
9. If you have a gharmandir in your home, you do not need to go to
the local hari mandir as well.
10. Dada Khachar became a servant of his sisters.

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

1. In Jetalpur, who asked the nineteen devotees to shave their beards and moustaches?
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2. What did Gopalanand Swami say to Bhagatji Maharaj before going to dham?
3. How many miles did Swami walk every day to reach Gadhada?
4. What did Maharaj tell Mulji after giving him darshan?
5. According to Bholanath at which age should God be worshipped?
6. Whom did Yogiji Maharaj bless?
7. Whose blessings did Swamiji instruct to take?
8. What virtues did Muktanand Swami see in Gunatitanand Swami?
9. After initiating Shanti Bhagat, what did Shastriji Maharaj say to Yogiji Maharaj?
10. What did Gunatitanand Swami take as mukhvas?

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

1. "Only a realized soul would go in a procession wrapped in a torn blanket."

Who is speaking? To whom?

2. "Tell him to come and meet me."
 3. "I am God and he is my abode."
 4. "If one son kills other son then the father will not be happy."
 5. "You are a true sadhu. Will you also become my Guru?"

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

1. Why was Shriji Maharaj pleased with Dubli Bhatt's offering of thirteen paise?

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2. Why was Mulji Bhakta known as 'Gunatitanand Swami' and 'Nirgunanand Swami'?
 3. What did Sundarji say to the people in the marriage procession?
 4. What did Ardeshar Kotwal pray to Maharaj?
 5. Why didn't the five-year-old Dungar Bhakta eat in the marriage ceremony?

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. One paise offered to Maharaj with true devotion is equal to how many rupees?
 (1) Thousand (2) Lakh (3) Crore (4) Billion
2. What was the name of Yogiji Maharaj's mother?
 (1) Puriba (2) Hetba (3) Jamanaba (4) Sakarba
3. Pleased by his service, how many times did Maharaj embrace Jinabhai?
 (1) Five (2) Ten (3) Seven (4) Seventeen
4. Whom did Pragji Bhakta serve without concern for his body?
 (1) Gopalanand Swami (2) Gunatitanand Swami
 (3) Muktanand Swami (4) Ramanand Swami
5. Mare gher avjo..... Which Brahmachari composed this Thal?
 (1) Mukund (2) Jeram (3) Sagram (4) Aksharanand
6. How many mandirs did Shastriji Maharaj build?
 (1) 3 (2) 5 (3) 7 (4) 8
7. Which community did Ardeshar Kotwal belong to?
 (1) Parsi (2) Muslim (3) Christian (4) Hindu
8. Which type of child did Swamishri see seated on the rut from Surat to Bharuch?
 (1) blind (2) handicapped (3) deaf (4) dumb

9. What does the chandlo represent?
 (1) surrender (2) Akshardham (3) Maharaj (4) religion
10. How many devotees did Maharaj instruct to become sadhus?
 (1) 28 (2) 8 (3) 18 (4) 38

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. Dharma
2. Sadhu
3. Discourses by sadhus
4. Bowing to sadhu
5. Sadhus' dress code

B

1. Should listen everyday
2. Good behaviour
3. Attain good qualities
4. Tolerates
5. Saffron robes

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

1. Bhagwan jivna guna.....

2. Bhagwan bhajva hoi.....
3. A to Bhagwan jeva.....
4. Jo mota purush male.....
5. Satya, heet ne priya.....

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

1. Swamina to

 amaro kol.
2. Anyatha sharanam tvam Purushottam.
3. Swikari lyo bhaktibhavna fulo.
4. Kaju kamodna kathyavadi.
5. Ame a yagna kshobh shano chhe.

Q.10 Write short notes on any ONE of the following. (10)

1. Double the distance
2. Dungar (a sadhu with will & power like a mountain)
3. Good of all

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