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SATSANG EXAMINATIONS
PRE-TEST: SATSANG PRAVESH-2
JANUARY 2009 Time: 2.00 to 4.15 pm Total Marks: 75

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SECTION-1: KISHORE SATSANG PRAVESHER

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

1. "I do not wish to live a householder's life. I want to devote myself at your feet."
   Who is speaking? ............................................. To whom? ................................................
   When? .................................................................................................................................
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2. "Fool, I left it here for six months. Now it is your fate."

3. "I cannot do anything without the consent of Shriji Maharaj, lest Shriji Maharaj should
   became displeased."

Q.2. Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (4)

1. Prabodhini Ekadashi has great significance in satsang.
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2. Sagram did not take the gift.

Q.3. From the following sentences choose SEVEN correct sentences. (Write the sentence numbers only.) (7)

Topic: Jalamsinh Bapu

1. Bapu left for Gadhada on a mare.  
2. But Maharaj! What do we profit out of it?  
3. Bapu wanted to reach as quickly as possible.  
4. I can get a better barber just now from my town.  
5. "Go, the servants of Yama will never come to your village."  
6. What could not be done for one's beloved Lord?  
7. Keshaba, what are you doing?  
8. Meanwhile Brahmanand Swami came and stood there.  
9. Shriji Maharaj then had his head shaved under a pipal tree.  
10. Jalamsinh Bapu was a native of Devaliya village.  
11. Bapu sat the barber on the horse and brought him.  
12. Only Maharaj took a bath in Doli Talavdi.

Sentence no.  

Q.4. Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (5)

1. Where was Atmanand Swami staying?
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2. With what thought did Shitaldas assume innumerable forms?

3. Whom did Maharaj welcome in the meeting?

4. Which mantra does the guru give to the jiva at initiation?

5. What did Naniba serve to Maharaj?

Q.5. Describe as requested. (6)

Even if one pays a crore rupees......Complete the Swamini Vato and narrate it.
Q.6. Complete the following. (8)
1. Vishvesh-bhaktim ..............................................................
   ............................................................................................................................. namami.
2. Shraddhavan labhate ...... gachhati.
3. Ame a yagna ....... kshobh shano chhe.
4. Translate the shlok: Na hyaammayani ....... darshanadev sadhavah.

SECTION-2: SHASTRIJI MAHARAJ

Q.7. In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (9)
1. "Thousands of students will get the benefit of education."
   Who is speaking? ............................................. To whom? ...............................................
   When? ...................................................................................................................................

2. "Get them carved in accordance with our design."

3. "Weren't you afraid of coming here alone at such a late hour?"

Q.8. Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (4)
1. There are no such saints in this Kaliyug (age of darkness).
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2. Khushal Bhagat walked away after he heard Gordhanbhai Kothari's response.

Q.9. Write briefly five main points (in sentences) on any ONE incident
(Continuous narration not required). (5)
3. The gateway to Akshardham.
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Q.10. Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (6)

1. What did Gordhanbhai tell Hirabhai on becoming a satsangi?

2. What did Swamishri say on hearing the declaration by Bhavnagar state?

3. What did Bhagatji Maharaj say to Narayancharandas?

4. Why did Motibhai apply oil on both of Swamishri's hands?

5. When Gnanjivandas left Junagadh what did he bring with him from the Bhandar?

6. What did Keshavjivandas ask Swamishri to install?

Q.11. State whether the following statements are True or False and rewrite any False Statements. (6)

1. Deadly poisonous green-gram (mung) was served in Swamishri's pattar.

2. Jeebhai Kothari forbade Jaga Bhakta to give discourses.

3. Shastriji Maharaj showed Motibhai a majestic mandir with three shikhars (pinnacles) and complete with golden kalashes (pitchers).

4. With the letter of permission from his father Dungar Bhakta met Vignandas Swami in Vartal.

5. Shastriji Maharaj wished to celebrate the Janmasthmi festival in Atladra.

6. "In the future your disciples will install your golden murti," said Sadguru Balmukunddas Swami.

Q.12. Fill in the blanks. (6)

1. Yagnapurushdasji accorded a most cordial reception to Bhagatji in the ................. mandir.

2. On the murti-pratishtha occasion of Sarangpur mandir .................. maunds of shiro was prepared.

3. In Vartal .................. hailed the victory slogan of Akshar-Purushottam in a congregation on the the full-moon day of Chaitra.

4. .................. has heard from Shriji Maharaj that he himself is Supreme God.

5. Swamishri's .................. birth anniversary was celebrated in Bochasan.

6. Swamishri left the Vartal mandir from .................. gate.

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