

Q.9 Select the SIX correct sentences from below and write them in the correct story sequence in the boxes. (6)

Topic: Visits to Africa (49)

1. He travelled 45,000 miles. 2. Yogiji Maharaj was given a grand reception in Mumbai at Shanmukhanand Hall. 3. He performed the murti-pratishtha ceremony of the murtis in the mandir at Islington, in East London. 4. After three weeks in London Yogiji Maharaj returned to India. 5. Consecrated the murtis of Akshar-Purushottam in a grand mandir in Mombasa. 6. Consecrated the murtis in the mandir built on the main road in Nairobi. 7. Was given a festive welcome and was honoured with a procession accompanied by the RAF band in London. 8. In the year of 1970 (V.S. 2026), he set forth on his second foreign tour. 9. Consecrated murtis for mandirs in Kampala, Jinja and Tororo. 10. Consecrated Shriji Maharaj's sacred footprints at the memorial spot of a respected devotee, Shri Harmanbhai. 11. Sent four sadhus to the USA to explain the message of satsang. 12. Drew many new aspirants into satsang by visiting 103 centres in six different countries.

- (1) Write the correct sentence numbers **Note: (1) 3 marks will be awarded for the correct sentence numbers 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.**
- (2) Correct sequence of sentences

Q.10 Write short notes on "First Meeting". (14-16) (In 15 lines.) (5)

Q.11 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (6)

1. Despite all the honours, Yogiji Maharaj never forgot to offer devotion to his guru and other duties. (52)
2. Yogiji Maharaj had pain throughout his whole body. (34) 3. We should be like fire. (56)

SECTION 3: KISHORE SATSANG PRARAMBHA - 8th Edition, October 2010

Q.12 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (4)

1. Why should one develop the habit of worshipping God right from childhood? (1-2)
2. Why did Muktanand Swami became very sad? (21)
3. When should one worship Swaminarayan mantra? (41)
4. Whom should we remember during prayer? (5)

Q.13 From the given options, place a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct ones. (8)

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. Jodho the Shepherd (32)
(1) Nani Barai (2) Gadhada (3) Buttermilk (4) Dudhpak
2. Brave Bhaguji (25)
(1) Vasta Khachar (2) Sachchidanand Swami
(3) Bhan Khachar (4) Pigeon faeces
3. Shastriji Maharaj (49-50)
(1) Born in V. S. 1922 (2) Diksha in V. S. 1939
(3) Mandirs out of sand (4) Departed to Akshardham in V. S. 2009
4. Vajiba of Vijapur (58)
(1) Sathwara caste (2) Pipal tree (3) Ramanand Swami (4) Old mattress

Q.14 Fill in the blanks. (4)

1. Shriji Maharaj ran with a to meet Bhakta. (54)
2. Samat Patel collected Rs. and came to (29)
3. came to Ajamil's house. (2)
4. We should drink water in such a way that the glass does not touch our (58)

Q.15 Complete the kirtans / verses / shloks below. (8)

1. Beso melya kerino gholi. (31) 2. Uttishthotishtha! he Natha tvam sanmukho bhava. (11)
3. Ame ya yagna shano chhe. (Bravery song) 4. Jai Sadguru Nakhya todi. (22)

Q.16 "Koi Bhagwan sambhare..." (42-43) - Complete the Swamini Vato and write an explanatory note on it (in 15 lines). (5)

Q.17 'Gangama' (17-19) - Write five brief sentences on the main points of this incident. (Continuous narration is not required.) (5)

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