

BOCHASANWASI SHREE AKSHAR PURUSHOTTAM
SWAMINARAYAN SANSTHA
SATSANG EXAMINATIONS

SATSANG PARICHAY

PAPER-2

Date: 18th July 1999

Time: 2.00 p.m. to 4.15 p.m.

TOTAL MARKS: 75

Note : Figures to the right indicate the marks for that question.

SECTION-1

(KISHORE SATSANG PARICHAY)

Q.1 For any TWO of the following, state who is speaking to whom and when the words were spoken. 6

1. "Is there any deity on this earth who can instantly answer our prayer and immediately come to our succour."
2. "Mero kangan nikaali gayo." (My bangals have been removed.)
3. "Why were you standing at a distance?"
4. "This woman is an ardent spiritual aspirant. Please stay here and conduct religious discourses."

Q.2 Answer concisely any ONE of the following. (In 12 lines.) 4

1. Himraj Shah.
2. Satsang.
3. Swarupanand Swami.

Q.3 Give reasons for any TWO of the following. (In 8 lines.) 4

1. Ghanshyamdas realises the greatness of Gunatitanand Swami.

2. Maharaj made 18 devotees renounce.
3. Nathu Bhatt prostrated to Damodarabhai.
4. The funeral fire (agni) could not touch the body of Rajbai.

Q.4 Answer ALL of the following, using only one sentence for each. 7

1. What solution does Maharaj give to relieve one from the harassment of evil spirits?
2. To whom did the murti of Gopinath give darshan and what did the murti give?
3. Why did Putlibai go to hell?
4. What did Maharaj command Galuji to do in his letter?
5. What would Vishnudas bring to eat for Maharaj?
6. Where did Shreeji Maharaj install the murti of Nar-Narayan?
7. From whom should one hear interpretations of the scriptures?

Q.5 Either complete and explain the given Swamini vatu. 5

Nothing except the blood of

OR

Explain Vachanamrut Gadhada Section 1- 8.

Q.6. Complete any FOUR of the following . 8

1. Bhavavaaridhi bhaje sadaa.
2. Nij sevakne re jem chhaaje.
3. Nirmaanmoha a padmavyayant tat.
4. Sadakshari mantra ej thai.
5. Jarakasi jaamo ne man maare bhaavtaa re.

SECTION - 2

(PRAGJI BHAKTA)

Q.7 For any TWO of the following, state who is speaking to whom and when the words were spoken. 6

1. "Swami, can't you give that jnan to me?"
2. "I will see to it that you are excommunicated from Satsang."
3. "Do not worry, the keys of the mandir are here with me."
4. "It is Lord Swaminarayan, not I who has touched his head."

Q.8. Give reasons for any ONE of the following. (In 12 lines.) 4

1. In Khambha, Swami asked for some bread late at night.
2. Kama Sheth begged Pragji Bhakta to pardon him.
3. The plan to reprimand Gunatitanand Swami in Una did not materialise.

Q.9 Write concisely on any ONE of the following. (In 15 lines.) 5

1. Grand reception at Junagadh.
2. Realization.
3. Prayer for Aksharboon.

Q.10 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence for each answer. 7

1. What did Pragji make and give to Acharya Maharaj?
2. In which mandir did Pragji Bhakta worship Hanumanji daily?

3. How did Bhagatji Maharaj sanctify the murti given to him by Shastriji Maharaj?
4. What did Swami remark before leaving for Vadtal to participate in the festival of Chaitra Poonam in V.S. 1922?
5. Whom does God possess?
6. To whom did Shastriji Maharaj give his set of Shreeji Maharaj's footprints, at the request of Bhagatji Maharaj?
7. For how many hours did Bhagati Maharaj remain busy in service?

Q.11 Write short notes on any ONE of the following. (In 12 lines.) 4

1. Gold from dust.
2. Pilgrimage at thy feet.
3. Discourses and the Jal-Jhilani Samaiyo in Vadtal.

SECTION - 3

(Based on Satsang Pravesh (2nd Year) Examination Books.)

Q.12 Write short notes on ALL of the following. 15

1. Cursed His own words.

[OR]

Ungrateful Sevakram.

2. Shastriji Maharaj uplifts the injunction on Jaga Bhakta.

[OR]

"I am meant for Gunatit."

3. Vyapkanand Swami.

[OR]

Nirgundas Swami's contribution in the growth of Satsang.

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