

SATSANG SIKSHAN PARIKSHA

Bochasanwasi Shri Aksharpurushottam Swaminarayan Sanstha, Shahibaug, Ahmedabad - 04.

SATSANG PRAVESH - 1

Sunday, 15th July 2007

Time: 9.00 to 11.15 am

Total Marks: 75

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Section-1, Total Marks

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	7 (9)	
	8 (4)	
	9 (5)	
	10 (4)	
	11 (5)	
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Section-2, Total Marks

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	13 (10)	

Section-3, Total Marks

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SECTION-1: NILKANTH CHARITRA

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

1. "Do not break your Vaishnavi kanthis, it would be sinful."

Who is speaking..... To whom

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2. "Come on, jump on that boy."

Who is speaking..... To whom

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3. "I have given you only this much but Varni will give you a lot more."

Who is speaking..... To whom


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

1. Nilkanth refused to pluck the spinach leaves.

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2. Shivji gave Nilkanth sathvo and salt.

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3. Nilkanth separated the assemblies for men and women.

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

- For how many years, how many months and how many days did Nilkanth's pilgrimage last? 1 Mark
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- What did Nilkanth say to Raghunandan after bringing him back to life? 1 Mark
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- Why did Nilkanth leave Sevakram? 1 Mark
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- From who did Nilkanth learn ashtang yoga? 1 Mark
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- In Loj, which sadhu had the first darshan of Nilkanth? 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.

- Which marks did Bhagwandas see on Nilkanth's left foot? 2 Marks
(1) Trikon (2) Urdhvarekha (3) Kalash (4) Meen
- Nilkanth told the ascetics, "I am..." 2 Marks
(1) atma." (2) Akshar."
(3) an ascetic." (4) free from carnal desire, anger and other vices."

Total marks for above questions   **Write only this marks on main page**

Q.6 Fill in the blanks. (Total Marks: 5)

- had a niyam of daily having Nilkanth's darshan. 1 Mark
- On the auspicious day of Ekadashi, Ramanand Swami gave diksha to Nilkanth Varni. 1 Mark
- Ramanand Swami daily explained to his guru Atmanand Swami, "God is sakar. We must offer..... and devotion to God." 1 Mark
- Nilkanth cured the king of Nepal's chronic disease of 1 Mark
- Nilkanth fasted for days in Surat. 1 Mark

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SECTION-2: SATSANG READER PART-I

Q.7 In the sentences below, state who is speaking to whom and when. (Total Marks: 9)

1. "You will see fine footsteps of vermilion on the threshold of your house."

Who is speaking..... To whom

When

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3 Marks

2. "Today this goddess has become a haribhakta."

Who is speaking..... To whom

When

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3 Marks

3. "I walked twice the number of steps which Jheenabhai walked when he carried Kamalshi Bhagat's cot."

Who is speaking..... To whom

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3 Marks

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

1. Shriji Maharaj told Shukmuni Swami not to bring the seat.

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2 Marks

2. Jhinabhai did not read the letters he received from home.

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2 Marks

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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. Why did Shriji Maharaj call Shrirangdas by the name of Brahmanand?

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2. What was Swami Yagnapriyadasji's name before he became a sadhu?

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3. Why did Jheenabhai not make any recommendations to Shriji Maharaj for his son, Hathisinh?

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4. What have Devanand Swami's compositions become popularly known as in the sampraday?

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Q.11 From the following sentences choose FIVE correct sentences. (Write the sentence numbers only) (Total Marks: 5)

Topic: Swami Nirgundasji

1. Jethabhai studied at the Vidyabhavan in Vadodara. 2. He went to Mahuva with Ganpatbhai of Bharuch to have Bhagatji Maharaj's darshan. 3. Bhagatji Maharaj bestowed a boon, "You shall always be blessed by God and his Sadhu". 4. He received parshad diksha from Acharya Viharilalji Maharaj. 5. When he was in Vartal, no sadhu would speak against Jaga Bhagat or Pragji Bhagat. 6. He often sang the bhajan, "Shastriji Maharajno sang bhai mane bhagye malyo chhe..." 7. During festivals, at night, he would go about with a lantern in his hands, to ensure that everyone had received bedding, etc. 8. Shriji Maharaj stroked his hand over his body, and gave him milk to drink. 9. Satsang in London flourished due to his letters. 10. He left his mortal body in Mumbai.

Sentence no.

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Q.12 State whether the following statements are True or False and rewrite the False statements. (Total Marks: 4)

1. Shukanand Swami wrote the Sati Gita.

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2. Devanand Swami learnt music from Premanand Swami

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3. Pleased with Joban Pagi's service Shriji Maharaj celebrated the Holi festival in Vartal.

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