

**SATSANG SHIKSHAN PARIKSHA**

Bochasanwasi Shri Aksharpurushottam Swaminarayan Sanstha, Shahibaug, Ahmedabad - 380 004.

**SATSANG PRAVESH : PAPER - 2**

Sunday, 16 July 2023

Time: 2 to 4.15 p.m.

Total Marks: 75

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For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
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	2 (5)	
	3 (6)	
	4 (8)	
	5 (5)	
	6 (5)	

**Section-1, Total Marks (38)****Compulsory: To be filled by Examinee only****Answer books without the signature of the Class Supervisor will not be considered valid.**

Birthdate of Examinee

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Education of Examinee .....

Class Supervisor should only sign after checking the printed personal details and the compulsory written details above.

Signature of Class Supervisor .....

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	7 (9)	
	8 (5)	
	9 (6)	
	10 (6)	
	11 (5)	
	12 (6)	

**Please follow the instructions written on the back side.****Section-2, Total Marks (37)**

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## Important Instructions For Satsang Exam Students

1. Students can appear for the Satsang Exams from Prarambh to Pragna - 3 after passing each exam.
2. Satsang exam is only valid for use by the candidate identified on the top sheet, and only at the designated center, in the specified medium (Gujarati, Hindi, English) and for the exam level (e.g. Prarambha, Pravesh, Parichay, etc.) indicated. **Any difference will not be allowed and considered as disqualify.**
3. The medium (Gujarati, English, Hindi) and the exam level in which candidates take **the Pre-Test** will be the medium in which they must take the Final Exam. Answer books bearing details of candidates different from the Final List **will not be accepted for marking.**
4. On the day of the Final Satsang Examinations, all examinees should obtain the signature of the class supervisor on the top sheet of answer book bearing their own personal details only. Answer books without the signature of the Class Supervisor will **not** be accepted for marking.
5. Write your answers with either a blue or black pen only. Answers written in pencil, or with a red, green or any other coloured pen will **not be considered valid.** Answers written in more than one coloured ink will not be considered valid.
6. Follow the instructions while answering. Answers crossed out will not be considered valid. Answers will not be considered valid if they are not written in legible handwriting. Please write clearly and legibly. **Answer papers with more than one type of handwriting will not be accepted and considered as disqualify.**
7. Examinations taken at **unauthorized locations** or in which the exam rules have been violated will not be considered valid.
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10. Candidates who have registered for both papers of Satsang Pragna Exam and candidates sitting the Satsang Pravesh, Parichay and Pravin exams should give both papers. **Presence in only one paper will not be accepted for marking.**
11. **In the Final Examination answers written on extra pages will not be accepted for marking.**
12. Candidates will not be allowed to keep any electronic items, such as, mobile phones, tablets, laptops, etc. in the examination room.
13. **Before filling the Application Form for the Pragna Exam, Please note the following points:**
  - Students according to their choice can appear for both the Question Papers in the same year or appear for the 1<sup>st</sup> paper in the first and the 2<sup>nd</sup> paper in the following year for any of the Pragna Exams. **One can only appear for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Paper after passing the 1<sup>st</sup> Paper.** Candidates opting to sit only one of the two papers for any of the Pragna examinations must score 45 Marks to pass.
  - Student should make his/her choice while registration. Pragna candidate can choose first paper or Both papers. **Select the first paper if the student wishes to appear for the first paper and if he/she wishes to appear for both papers select both papers.** Candidates who have registered for both papers of Satsang Pragna Exam should give both papers. **Presence in only one paper will considered as disqualify.** Candidates who appear for both papers in the same year must score a combined minimum of 90 Marks to pass.
  - After passing the 1<sup>st</sup> paper, one can **postpone** appearing for the 2<sup>nd</sup> paper for a **maximum of 1 Year.**
  - If two students are eligible for a prize then the one who has appeared for **both exams together** will be **rewarded with 10% marks** and thus become a candidate for the prize.
  - **Note : Now all students who have passed the India Pravin Exams can appear for the Pragna - 1 Exam.**
14. **No valid registration!!! No result.**

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Pravesh 2

### SECTION 1: KISHORE SATSANG PRAVESH

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

1. "My body is at risk here."

Who is speaking? ..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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..... 3 Marks

2. "My brother would never say something like that."

Who is speaking? ..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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..... 3 Marks

3. "I cannot do anything without the consent of Shriji Maharaj."

Who is speaking? ..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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..... 3 Marks

Total marks for above questions





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**Q.2 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 5)**

1. What is Gunatit?

1 Mark

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2. Where did Sagram go to overcome with despair and which Swami?

1 Mark

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3. Who is wise as per Shriji Maharaj in Vachanamrut?

1 Mark

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4. Who wrote the prathana 'Nirvikalp uttam ati...?'

1 Mark

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5. What does the vows performed without any worldly desire bring?

1 Mark

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Total marks for above questions





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To be filled by Moderation Dept.	Q. 3 Marks: 6	Name	Q. 4 Marks: 8	Name
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**Q.3 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (Total Marks: 6)**

1. Ladhibai was firmly resolved that Maharaj was God.

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2 Marks

2. The sadhus were greatly surprised after hearing Devjibhai.

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2 Marks

3. Hamir Khachar's horse came back to life.

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2 Marks

Total marks for above questions



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**Q.4 Complete the following. (Total Marks: 8)**

1. Nathi darta nathi .....

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..... jnanne gaishu. 2 Marks

2. Chhapaiyapurma .....

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..... upjavta ho. 2 Marks

3. Ekantikam .....

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..... namami. 2 Marks

4. Translate the Shlok: Prasangmajaram ..... apavrutam.

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2 Marks

Total marks for above questions



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## SECTION 2: SHASTRIJI MAHARAJ

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

1. "Many sadhus will stay with him."

Who is speaking? ..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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3 Marks

2. "I cannot come right now."

Who is speaking? ..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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3 Marks

3. "I will become a sadhu and a scholar."

Who is speaking? ..... To whom? .....

When? .....

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3 Marks

Total marks for above questions



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**Q.8 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 5)**

1. What was found while digging the foundations for Bochasan mandir?

1 Mark

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2. What did Swamishri reply to Kuberbai in Bhavnagar?

1 Mark

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3. How Gordhanbai would found Yagnapurushdasji's words?

1 Mark

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4. What did the government of Bhavnagar resolve?

1 Mark

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5. Whom did Motibhai carry out of the building?

1 Mark

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Total marks for above questions



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To be filled by Moderation Dept.	Q. 9 Marks: 6		Name	Q. 10 Marks: 6		Name
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**Q.9 Give reasons for the following (two to three lines each). (Total Marks: 6)**

1. Shastriji Maharaj blessed Soma Bhagat with all his heart.

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2 Marks

2. A bond of spiritual affinity formed between Vignananand Swami and Dungar Bhagat.

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2 Marks

3. Nirmaldas Swami acquired land for the Vadhwan mandir.

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2 Marks

Total marks for above questions





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**Q.10 From the given options, place a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct options. (Total Marks: 6)**

**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. 'I am Yogi and Yogi is Myself'

2 Marks

- (1) ☐ In my mind, you are God. (2) ☐ Yogi Swami came to Anand.
- (3) ☐ Chant the name of Bhagwan Swaminarayan while turning the beads of the mala.
- (4) ☐ Swamishri reached Atladra for the festival of Hari Jayanti.

2. Without Any Enemies

2 Marks

- (1) ☐ Did not care for physical or mental comfort or underrated by insult or honour.
- (2) ☐ Gave the names to Kishorebhai, a police officer.
- (3) ☐ We do not wish to do any such thing.
- (4) ☐ This mandir and Thakorji are ours.

3. Outspoken Swamishri

2 Marks

- (1) ☐ It is for them that we have become sadhus.
- (2) ☐ The murtis of Shriji Maharaj and Gunatitanand Swami will be consecrated in the central sanctum.
- (3) ☐ Where the murtis of Narnarayan Dev would be consecrated.
- (4) ☐ Our deity of worship is Gopinathji.

Total marks for above questions





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**Q.12 Rewrite the incorrect words shown below in relation to the sentence heading. (Total Marks: 6)**

**Note: Marks will be awarded only if a completely correct sentence is written.  
Otherwise no marks will be awarded.**

1. **Adverse Times:** Swamishri did not heed the Adashri's request. Today, Swamishri was breaking his punam fast of the day before. He went into the mess to have some green gram. Adashri anxiously waited outside.

Ans. ....

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1 Mark

2. **The Last Moments:** Swamishri then reached Kundal. The next morning, he bathed the murtis with the sacred water of the Aji River. He offered each murti a kanthi, applied a chandlo on its forehead, and adorned it with ornaments. He affectionately did darshan of murtis.

Ans. ....

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1 Mark

3. **Birth and Blessings:** When Dungar was four months old, Muktanand Swami and Mukund Brahmachari came to Vartal. Dhoribhai took Jhina to Muktanand Swami. He asked Swami to give vartman, initiation, to little Dungar.

Ans. ....

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1 Mark

4. **The Splendour of Sarangpur:** Swamishri's strange request puzzled Kashibhai. He thought to himself, "The mandir in Atladra is still unfinished. There is no money in the mandir banks. Still, Kothari dares to have such aspirations."

Ans. ....

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1 Mark

5. **A Broom for Inner Cleansing:** Bhagatiji Maharaj told Mahapurushdasji to go to Junagadh and study. He wrote a letter ordering that arrangements be made for Mahapurushdasji to stay at the Junagadh hostel while he studied.

Ans. ....

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1 Mark

6. **Akshar Mandir:** Acharyashri decided to have the groundbreaking ceremony for the Ashram on Aso sud 10, Samvat 1987. Lakhs of sadhus attended.

Ans. ....

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1 Mark

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