

**SATSANG SHIKSHAN PARIKSHA**

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

**SATSANG PRARAMBHA****Sunday, 3 March 2019****Time: 9.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m.****Total Marks: 100****For absent examinees, please return this sheet only.**

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**Compulsory: To be filled by Examinee only**

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For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
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	6 (6)	

**Section-1, Total Marks (36)**

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	7 (9)	
	8 (4)	
	9 (6)	
	10 (5)	
	11 (6)	

**Section-2, Total Marks (30)**

For Moderation Dept.	Question No. (Marks)	Marks Obtained
	12 (4)	
	13 (4)	
	14 (8)	
	15 (8)	
	16 (5)	
	17 (5)	

**Section-3, Total Marks (34)****મોડરેશન વિભાગ માટે જ**ગુણ આંકડામાં 

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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.
8. Without the prior permission of the Satsang Exam Division in India, answer papers written by substitute writers in place of the original candidate will **not be accepted for marking.**
9. Candidates who wish to change the center at which they will sit the Final Exam **must inform and take prior permission** of the Satsang Exam Division in India. Otherwise their answer sheet **not be accepted for marking.**
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 be 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.**
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Prarambha

SECTION 1: GHANSHYAM CHARITRA

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

1. “You are God. I am your humble servant.”

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

When? .....

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2. “We insulted you and your father. Please forgive us.”

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

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3. “Take us away, if you like.”

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

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**Q.2 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 4)**

1. Who will scold Ghanshyam for being late to home?

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2. Whom did Dharmadev ask to foretell the future of his son?

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3. By the looking of Ghanshyam, who began to burn in the mango garden?

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4. Which river is there on the way to Ayodhya?

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**Q.3 Rewrite the incorrect words shown below in relation to the sentence heading. (Total Marks: 4)**

**Note: Marks will be awarded only if a completely correct sentence is written.**

**Otherwise no marks will be awarded.**

- 1. Ghanshyam leaves home:** When Dharmadev heard this, he thought, "Rampratapbhai should be told off. If people started talking about him daily, our reputation in the city will risen."

Ans. ....

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- 2. Ramdatt is taught a lesson:** Rampratapbhai lifted the drinking jug that was hanging on a rope from the Brahmin's shoulder, and rushed back to the top of the house.

Ans. ....

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- 3. Birth of Ghanshyam:** The devas shower vermilion and chandan from the terrace. Seated in their heavenly planes, they fly in to have darshan of Rampratap's brother. Trumpets of victory are sounded all around.

Ans. ....

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- 4. Bhaktimata and Dharmadev pass away:** Ichchharam was now twelve years of age. Suvasinibhabhi and Rampratapbhai were quite old. One day, Suvasinibhabhi went down with fever.

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**Q.4 Write briefly five main points (in the form of sentences) on any ONE incident. (Continuous narration is not required). (Total Marks: 5)**

1. Thieves in a Fix.

2. Ghanshyam Has His Ears Pierced.

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**Q.5 From the given options, place a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct options. (Total Marks: 8)**

**Note: One or more options may be correct. Full marks will be awarded only if all the correct options are chosen, otherwise no marks will be awarded.**

1. Seen in Many Mandirs at the Same Time

2 Marks

(1) ☐ Hanuman Gadhi

(2) ☐ For lunch

(3) ☐ Ichchharam

(4) ☐ For dinner

2. Fish Brought Back to Life

2 Marks

(1) ☐ Narayan lake

(2) ☐ Ghanshyam took the form of Yam Raja.

(3) ☐ My pots are aching.

(4) ☐ Showed him a vision of hell.

3. Childhood Exploits

2 Marks

(1) ☐ Foremost among sinners.

(2) ☐ Gentle voice.

(3) ☐ Please let us go.

(4) ☐ I am his humble soldier.

4. Siddhis at His Service


2 Marks

(1) ☐ Vasantabai

(2) ☐ There is no hurry.

(3) ☐ Thirty delicious delicacies.

(4) ☐ Eight Siddhis

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

1. Dharmadev suddenly stopped walking in the jungle.

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2. Bhaktimata, along with other women from the village, began cooking at Dharmadev's house.

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3. Mohandas went into samadhi.

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### SECTION 2: YOGIJI MAHARAJ

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

1. "A sadhu has come and wishes to stay for the night."

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

When? .....

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2. "What were you doing?"

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

When? .....

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3. "I will write to you."

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

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**Q.8 Answer ALL of the following, using one sentence (not just one word) for each answer. (Total Marks: 4)**

1. What did Nirgundas Swami say to Yogiji Maharaj after hearing his prayer?

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2. How should one remember the God as per Yogiji Maharaj's talks?

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3. What Jinabhai used do while his friends and other children played games?

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4. When did Yogiji Maharaj visit East Africa and Aden for the first time?  
(Year, Samvat)

1 Mark

Total marks for above questions





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**Q.9** Select the six correct sentences from below and write them in the correct story sequence in the boxes. (Total Marks: 6)

**Topic: An Ideal Student**

1. Motabhai always insisted that everyone should learn by working hard.
2. Whenever other students succeeded in copying his work, Jinabhai did not like it.
3. Whenever the teacher set any problem, Jinabhai would solve it slowly.
4. Hoping to copy his questions.
5. Sometimes dull or lazy students would sit beside Jinabhai.
6. You will tilt your slate so that I can see everything you have written.
7. By copying you are cheating God.
8. Jina, show us your slate, otherwise we will beat you up.
9. If your answer is wrong, then my answer will also be wrong.
10. When you have solved all the questions you better tell us the answers.
11. Jinabhai was very clever in his studies.
12. He always stood second in every class.

(1) Write the correct sentence numbers

3 Marks

(2) Correct sequence of sentences

3 Marks

Note: (1) 3 marks will be awarded for the correct sentence numbers only if ALL THE SIX sentence numbers are correct and (2) 3 marks will be awarded only if all the sequence of sentence numbers are correct. Otherwise no marks will be given.

Total marks for above questions





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**Q.10 Write short notes on any ONE of the following (in 15 lines). (Total Marks: 5)**

1. Head of Akshar Mandir                      2. The Desireless Sadhu

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

1. The inspector dismissed the headmaster.

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2. Yogiji Maharaj always insisted to attend the weekly youth or satsang assembly.

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3. Jhina Bhagat earned the blessings of Sadguru Krishnacharandas Swami.

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### SECTION 3: KISHORE SATSANG PRARAMBHA

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

1. What did Jodho protest to take from Maharaj?

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2. By whose instructions the sadhus used to move around and where?

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3. What did Ghanshyam do after the death of his parents?

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4. How much money did Samat Patel collect and how?

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**Q.13 Fill in the blanks. (Total Marks: 4)**

1. Shriji Maharaj appeared with the ..... in his hand and .....  
was immediately transported to Akshardham.

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2. After ..... , ask God and guru to ..... their presence.

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3. Sahajanand Swami is the Supreme Lord of ..... and .....

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4. .... of Vijapur became satsangis by ..... Swami.

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To be filled by Moderation Dept.	Q. 14 Marks: 8		Name
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**Q.14 From the given options, place a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct options. (Total Marks: 8)**

**Note: One or more options may be correct. Full marks will be awarded only if all the correct options are chosen, otherwise no marks will be awarded.**

1. Nath Bhakta

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- (1) ☐ He turned back from the river Mahi
- (2) ☐ Distributed dry dates when the son died.
- (3) ☐ He was a Kachhiya Patel by caste.
- (4) ☐ Maharaj came in his divine chariot to carry the great soul of the wife.

2. Gunatitanand Swami's talks

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- (1) ☐ The King will take care of everything.
- (2) ☐ Will God get the meal ready for us?
- (3) ☐ Let us pray to God.
- (4) ☐ We were going to Bhavnagar.

3. Brave child devotee

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- (1) ☐ The boy is indeed a true prince.
- (2) ☐ Raised the cart.
- (3) ☐ His father is like Hiranyaksha.
- (4) ☐ Tied his son to the yoke of his cart.

4. Ketlakne man remade chhe.

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- (1) ☐ There was a boy of the Koli caste in Gadhada.
- (2) ☐ Growing wheat in his orchard.
- (3) ☐ Brought the wheat bran.
- (4) ☐ The Bania came with a cartful of bran.

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**Q.15 Complete the following. (Total Marks: 8)**

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2. Ame a yagna .....  
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3. Purushottam pragat nu .....  
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4. Agachha Bhagwan .....  
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**Q.17** 'The pragat Bhagwan realized by Punja Dodiya' - **Write five brief sentences on the main points of this incident (Continuous narration is not required). (Total Marks: 5)**

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