



## S.K.S. SWAMINARAYAN TEMPLE (LONDON) – BAL YUVAK MANDAL

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### QUIZ

1. Who is our Ishtadev? [Shree Swaminarayan Bhagwan](#)
2. How many sons and daughters did Rampratapji have? [3 sons and 1 daughter](#)
3. Who was the founder of the Udhav Samparaday? [Ramanand Swami](#)
4. At what EXACT age did Nilkanth Varni leave home? [11 yrs 3 months 1 day](#)
5. On which foot did Ghansham Maharaj get hurt in the Khampa talavdi? [Left](#)
6. Which kirtan did Ladoo danji sing when he first met Maharaj in Gadhada? [Ajj ni Ghadhi re dhanya](#)
7. What Mantra do you recite whilst doing tilak on the forehead? [Om Shri Vasudevaay Namah](#)
8. How many cheens are there on Maharaj's right foot? [Nine](#)
9. Who is standing besides nar bhagwan in the mandir's sinhasan? [Udhavji](#)
10. Which saint was born in Todla? [Gopaland Swami](#)
11. How many Naraks are mentioned in Yamdand? [Twenty eight](#)
12. What was the name of Icharamji's mother? [Bhakti mata](#)
13. Which saint has got spectacles on Him? [Nityanad Swami](#)
14. Where was the Aarti "Jay sadguru" written? [Kalvani](#)
15. Who composed the kirtan "Sarve sakhi Jeevan Jovane chalone"? [Bhoomanand Swami](#)
16. How many Mansi Pooja's do we have in our sampraday? [Five](#)
17. How many fasts do we have to observe in a year? [Twenty nine](#)
18. Which Saint was born in Shekhpatt and was known as Vairagya ni murti? [Nishkulanand swami](#)
19. How many aartis are there in our sampraday? [Five](#)
20. What mantra is recited whilst doing a chandlo? [Om Shri Maha Laxshminaay Namaah](#)
21. Who were the parents of Narnarayan Dev? [Dharmadev and Murtidevi](#)
22. Who wrote Bhaktchitamani? [Nishkulanand Swami](#)
23. Is Machiav one of the villages where Vachnamrut was written? [No](#)
24. How many children did Ichharamji have? [Seven](#)
25. Which saint did Nilkanth Varni meet as soon as He arrived in Loj? [Sukhanand Swami](#)
26. Who was Ramanand Swami's Guru? [Ramanujacharya](#)
27. Who composed Janamangal namavali? [Shatanand Swami](#)
28. Where did Ramanand Swami first meet Nilkanth Varni? [Piplana](#)
29. During which ekadashi did Nilkanth Varni get diksha? [Prabhodhini Ekadashi](#)
30. Which year was Ghansham Maharaj born? [1837](#)
31. How many chapters are there in Satsangi Jeevan? [Five](#)
32. Name the 4 Varna ashrams mentioned in the Shikshapatri? [Kshatriyas, Shudras, Bhramins, Vaishyas](#)
33. What were Dharmdev's parents name? [Balsharma and Bhagyavati](#)



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34. Write down the visarjan mantra that is recited whilst winding up the pooja?  
Swasthnaam gacha devesh poojama deeya mamkeek eestkaam prasidyara tam  
poonaragamnay chaa
35. One should face in either of which directions whilst doing pooja? North or East
36. How long does it take to get a human form? Choryashi Lakh/8.4 million
37. Who was Rampratapji's father? Dharm dev
38. What were Ghansham Maharaj's mama and mami's name? Vashram mama / Ghela  
Mama/Subodh mama and Laxmi mami/ Gauri mami/ Sundri mami.
39. Which two friends were close to Ghansham Maharaj? Madhav and Veniram
40. State the 5 Vartamaans? Daaru, Mati, Chori, Averi, Vatalvu nahi ane Vatlavu nahi
41. Who composed the kirtan Janam Sudharyo re ho maaro? Muktanand Swami
42. What are the 4 ashrams in our life? Bhramacharya, Grahasth, Tyaagi/Sanyaas and  
Vanhprast
43. What were Bhakti Mata's parents name? Krishna Sharma and Bhavani
44. Which verse in the Shikshapatri states, no killing of living being be it insects such as  
lice and bugs? Eleven
45. How many years, months and days did Nilkanth Varni do Van vichran for? 7years, 1  
month and 11 days
46. Write down the line from the kirtan "Mankie chadya re mohan vanmaadi" that  
mentions the Other mares Maharaj had called, apart from Manki godi? Kesar, Bedi  
bodali ne foolmada, tajan vangani no ghano taal
47. Who composed the kirtan tare chatak rangilo? Bhramanand swami
48. Write the first line of the kirtan leela regarding Maharaj hiding at Sagram Vagdi's  
house in Limbdi. Vataldi rahone rataldi vhala puch ek vataldi
49. How many mandirs did Maharaj built? Six
50. How many niyams are mentioned in the prarthna "Nirvikalp Uttam atih,"? Eleven
51. Do we have to fast on Nrusihn Jayanti? Yes
52. How many Paramhanso's were present during Maharaj's time? 500
53. Which mandir did Niskulanand Swami built? Dholera
54. Who was Muktanand Swami's guru? Ramanand Swami
55. Who does Sahjanand Swami meditate on as mentioned in the first verse of the  
Shikshapatri? Shree Krishna
56. Who were Nar and Narayan's brothers' names? Hari and Krishna
57. Name the four types of kusangis? Kunda pati, shakti panthi, suskha vedanth, nastik
58. Which auspicious day was it when Ghanshyam Maharaj's ear piercing was  
done? Sharad poornima
59. Which kirtan did Jeram Bhakt sing when Maharaj arrived at his place for thaad? Ajj  
saksi re anand ni heli
60. Which yug was Hanumanji born in? Treta yug