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(Study Group Test)

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Answer any four from question no. 1-6

Question no.7 is compulsory

Time allowed one hour

- 1. List the three types of generosity and give a brief description of each.
- 2. Define morality. What are three types of morality?
- 3. What is the meaning of patience?
- 4. How can our understanding of delusions help us to practise patience?
- 5. What does the practice of morality mean to us?
- 6. What does Shantideva mean when he says: "If you cannot tolerate the pain of minor harm from others then how can you tolerate the suffering you will experience as a result of your harmful actions towards others'?
- 7. (Compulsory)

Discuss the meaning of the following verse from the Eight Verse Thought Transformation text:

When others out of jealousy,

Treat me badly with abuse, insult and the like,

I shall accept their hard words

And offer the other the victory.