

Ganesha Tattvam- Praveshika- Quiz-1

I. Select the appropriate answer for the following statements by selecting T-true
F- false or D- doubtful.

- a. Mala is only external
- b. Ganapati is immanent and transcendent
- c. The panchamahabhutas are the 5 elements of creation
- d. If more people observed a life based on RITAM there would be greater peace in th world.
- e. There are many levels of expression some more subtle than the others.
- f. The 7 lokas indicate levels of human evolution.
- g. Om a sacred word can also mean Yes, or Affirmative.
- h. The panchamahabhuta concept is also seen in Ayurveda
- i. Jagat, Vishva and Loka all mean the same i.e. the world.
- j. Translations of Samskrita works in English often indicate inadequacies and may even mislead the reader.
- k. Legends are tools to understanding a higher truth that is beyond, time, place and culture.

II. Please choose the answer that is better.

1. The prayer bhadram karnebhih is_ a. an ancient prayer whose meaning is relevant even today
b. a vedic prayer used only in yagnas
2. Devas and devatas are a. different forms of GOD
b. divine/ illumining principles
3. RRTM is a. an attitude adopted by rishis.
b. concept of cosmic order
4. Satyam is a. honesty
b. truth as a reflection of Rrtm as seen in the behaviour of an integrated person
5. Ganapati manifests as a. parabrhmman
b. as parabrhmman and jeevabrhmman
6. Judeo- Christian belief system encourages man to a. recognize his role as part of creation
b. subjugate creation
7. VAAK is a a. a word
b. expression of communication issuing from the created
8. Vijnaana is a. specialized knowledge
b. discriminative knowledge
9. The triads mentioned in this upanishad are a. trimurti
b. guna, avastha, shareera, kaala and shakti
10. Bhur, bhuvah and suvah are a. words used in prayer
b. 3 lokas of concern to man

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