

**AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION BOARD**

**SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE**

**CLASS IX EXAMINATION**

**MAY 2012**

**Islamiyat Paper II**

**Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes    Marks 30**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**Please read the following instructions carefully.**

1. Check your name and school information. Sign that it is correct.

**I agree that this is my name and school.  
Candidate's signature**

2. RUBRIC. There are SIX questions. Answer ALL SIX questions. Question 6 offers TWO choices. Attempt any ONE choice.

3. When answering the questions:

Read each question carefully.

Use a black pencil for diagrams. DO NOT use coloured pencils.

DO NOT use staples, paper clips, glue, correcting fluid or ink erasers.

Complete your answer in the allocated space only. DO NOT write outside the answer box.

4. The marks for the questions are shown in brackets ( ).

Q.1. (Total 6 Marks)

a. Describe in TWO points why the Eighth *Surah* of the Qur'ān was named '*Al-Anfal*'. (2 Marks)

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b.

ذَالِكَ بِأَنَّ اللَّهَ لَمْ يَكُ مُغَيِّرًا نِّعْمَةً أَنْعَمَهَا عَلَىٰ قَوْمٍ حَتَّىٰ يُغَيِّرُوا مَا بِأَنفُسِهِمْ ۗ (سورة لانفال آيت نمبر 53)

In *Surah Anfal* (verse: 53) Allah says: "That is because Allah never changed the grace. He hath bestowed on any people until they first change that which is in their hearts..." Keeping in view the teaching of this *Ayat*, what changes should the *Muslim Ummah* bring in itself for development and prosperity in order to receive Allah's blessings? Mention any FOUR points.

(4 Marks)

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Q.2.

(Total 6 Marks)

a. Describe the difference among *Hadith e- Qauli*, *Fi'li*, and *Taqiriri*.

(3 Marks)

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b. **طَلَبُ الْعِلْمِ فَرِيضَةٌ عَلَى كُلِّ مُسْلِمٍ**

Seeking knowledge is obligatory upon every (male and female) Muslim.

By following the above *Hadith*, how can a person improve his society by acquiring knowledge?  
Analyse by giving THREE points. (3 Marks)

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Q.3. (Total 4 Marks)

What is the importance of love and obedience for Allah in a Muslim's personal life? Give FOUR points.

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Q.4. (Total 4 Marks)

a. What is the meaning of *Katib-e-Wahi* and what was their responsibility? (2 Marks)

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b. How were the verses of the Qur'an protected during the life of the Holy Prophet (صلى الله عليه وآله وسلم)? Give TWO points. (2 Marks)

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Q.5.

(Total 4 Marks)

What were the causes of Muslims' downfall in the field of knowledge and arts? Give any FOUR points.

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Q.6.

(Total 6 Marks)

**EITHER**

- a. Explain that *Zakat* is an important pillar of Islam. Also mention any **THREE** benefits of giving *Zakat*.

**OR**

- b. Write a detailed note on the importance of knowledge. Also mention any **FOUR** benefits of acquiring knowledge.

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