

Paper Reference(s)

7535/01

London Examinations GCE

Pakistan Studies

Ordinary Level

Paper 1

The History and Heritage of Pakistan

Thursday 21 May 2009 – Morning

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Materials required for examination

Answer book (AB08)

Items included with question papers

Nil

Instructions to Candidates

In the boxes on the answer book, write the name of the examining body (London Examinations), your centre number, candidate number, the subject title (Pakistan Studies), the paper reference (7535/01), your surname, other names and signature.

Answer THREE questions.

Answer your questions in the answer book.

Make sure that your answers to parts of questions are clearly numbered.

Use additional answer sheets if necessary.

Do not use pencil. Use blue or black ink.

Information for Candidates

The total mark for this paper is 60. All questions carry equal marks.

This paper has eight questions. All blank pages are indicated.

Advice to Candidates

Write your answers neatly and in good English.

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Answer THREE questions.

1. (a) Why did Muhammad Bin Qasim invade Sindh in 712 AD?
(b) Explain the contribution made by him to the social, cultural and religious life of the sub-continent.

(Total 20 marks)

2. (a) Why did the Mughal Empire decline following Aurangzeb's death in 1707?
(b) How did Aurangzeb's policies contribute to the decline of the Empire?

(Total 20 marks)

3. (a) Explain why British rule was unpopular in the sub-continent in the years up to 1857.
(b) Why did the War of Independence fail?

(Total 20 marks)

4. Describe each of the following, explaining their historical importance:

- the Simla Deputation 1906
- the Rowlatt Act 1919
- General Dyer and the Amritsar Massacre 1919.

(Total 20 marks)

5. (a) Explain the importance of the Government of India Act 1935.
(b) Why was Congress Rule so hated between 1937 and 1939?

(Total 20 marks)

6. Write short accounts of any **two** of the topics below, explaining how they contributed to the formation of the state of Pakistan in 1947:
- Lahore Resolution 1940
 - Cripps' Mission 1942
 - Simla Conference and elections 1945–46
 - Cabinet Mission Plan 1946.
- (Total 20 marks)**
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7. (a) Describe and explain the main achievements of Zulfikar Ali Bhutto's governments between 1971 and 1977.
- (b) Why was he executed in 1979?
- (Total 20 marks)**
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8. Describe and explain Pakistan's changing relationship with the USA since 1947.
- (Total 20 marks)**
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TOTAL FOR PAPER: 60 MARKS

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