

Islamic Studies  
Level 1/2

Total Marks
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Tuesday 28 May 2024 – Afternoon

Time: 2 hours 30 minutes

In the boxes below, write your name, centre number and candidate number.

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**YOU MUST HAVE**

**Nil**

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**Text Booklet**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**In Section A, answer EITHER Question 1 OR Question 2.**

**In Section B, answer EITHER Question 3 OR Question 4.**

**In Section C, answer BOTH questions.**

**Answer the questions in the spaces provided – there may be more space than you need.**

## **INFORMATION**

**The total mark for this paper is 90.**

**The marks for EACH question are shown in brackets – use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.**

**Peace be upon him (pbuh) follows after naming the Prophet Muhammad.**

## **ADVICE**

**Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.**

**Check your answers if you have time at the end.**

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## **SECTION A**

**The life, teachings and achievements  
of the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh)**

**Answer ONE question from  
this section.**

**If you answer Question 1, put a cross in the box ☐.**

**Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

- 1 (a) Identify TWO problems the Prophet and his followers faced in Makkah before the Hijrah.  
(2 marks)**

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**(b) Describe the Prophet's relationship  
with people of other religions.  
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- (c) Explain the importance of the Prophet's relationship with his wives and children.  
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**Look at the text for Question 1(d) in the Text Booklet.**

**(d) ‘Without the events of the Hijrah, Islam would not have succeeded in spreading the message of Allah.’  
Assess this statement.**

**You should refer to the significance of this passage from the Hadith provided, using your own or others’ views to support your answer.  
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**If you answer Question 2, put a cross in the box ☐.**

**Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

- 2 (a) Identify TWO ways Ali Ibn Talib supported Muhammad (pbuh).  
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**(b) Describe the events of the battle  
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**(c) Explain Muslim beliefs about the nature of society.  
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**Look at the text for Question 2(d) in the Text Booklet.**

**(d) ‘The Night of Power is the most important event in Islam.’  
Assess this statement.**

**You should refer to the significance of this passage from the Qur’an provided, using your own or others’ views to support your answer.  
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## **SECTION B**

**The key beliefs, practices and features of the early Muslim community founded by the Prophet**

**Answer ONE question from this section.**

If you answer Question 3, put a cross in the box ☐.

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

- 3 (a) Identify TWO roles performed by the angel Mikail.  
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**(b) Describe the role of Isma'il as a prophet in Islam.  
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**(c) Explain the importance of qiyas to Shari'ah Law.  
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**Look at the text for Question 3(d) in the Text Booklet.**

**(d) ‘Being merciful and just are the most important attributes of Allah.’  
Assess this statement.**

**You should refer to the significance of this passage from the Qur’an provided, using your own or others’ views to support your answer.  
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**(b) Describe what the Injil teaches  
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**(c) Explain the importance of belief in predestination for Muslims.  
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**Look at the text for Question 4(d) in the Text Booklet.**

**(d) ‘Belief in Akhirah is what motivates Muslims to live good lives.’  
Assess this statement.**

**You should refer to the significance of this passage from the Qur’an provided, using your own or others’ views to support your answer.  
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## **SECTION C**

**Living the Muslim life today**

**Answer all questions from this section.**

**Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

- 5 (a) Give ONE reason Muslims give to charity.  
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**(b) Describe how Muslims  
perform Salah.  
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- (c) Explain the importance of the greater (inner) jihad in the life of Muslims.  
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**Look at the text for Question 5(d) in the Text Booklet.**

**(d) ‘Marriage and procreation are the most important ways of strengthening the Ummah.’  
Assess this statement.**

**You should refer to the significance of this passage from the Qur’an provided, using your own or others’ views to support your answer.  
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**6 (a) Give ONE feature of Hajj.  
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**(b) Describe the challenges faced by  
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**(c) Explain the importance of Islamic festivals for Muslims.  
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**Look at the text for Question 6(d) in the Text Booklet.**

**(d) 'All Muslims should observe the fast during Ramadan.'  
Assess this statement.**

**You should refer to the significance of this passage from the Qur'an provided, using your own or others' views to support your answer.  
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