

**SECOND SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)  
EXAMINATION, APRIL 2021**

(CBCSS)

Islamic History

ISH 2C 01—MUSLIM POLITY IN MEDIEVAL AGE

(2019 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

**General Instructions**

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**Section A (Short Answers)**

*Answer any **four** question in not less than 50 words.*

*Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. Al Mansuriya.
2. The Saffarid Dynasty.
3. Muizz al Dawlah.
4. The Sultanate of Rum.
5. Godfrey of Bouillon.
6. Treaty of Jaffa.
7. Burji Mamluks.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

**Section B (Short Essay)**

*Answer any **four** questions in not less than 150 words.*

*Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Highlight the services of Jawhar al Siqilli in the expansion and consolidation of Fatimid power in North Africa.
9. Sketch the salient features of art and architecture in Egypt under the Fatimid caliphs.

**Turn over**

10. Highlight the glory of Buwayhid empire under Adud Dawlah.
11. Summarize the services of Alp Arslan in the expansion and consolidation of Seljuk empire.
12. Discuss the emergence of Crusader states in the Levant.
13. Evaluate the role of the Zangids in the struggle against the crusaders.
14. Examine how far the Timurid invasion responsible for the decline of the Mamluk dynasty.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

### Section C (Long Essay)

*Answer any two questions in not less than 450 words.*

*Each question carries 5 weightage.*

15. Write an estimate of the reign of Al Aziz. Point out his services to the progress of Fatimid Egypt.
16. "The guiding hand of Alp Arslan and Malikshah was their illustrious Persian vizir, Nizam ul Mulk, one of the ornaments of the political history of Islam". Examine.
17. Diagnose the factors that facilitated the genesis of crusader states in the Levant. Point out its major characteristics.
18. Summarize the genesis and growth of the Mamluk dynasty of Egypt.

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**Part A**

*Short Answer Questions, answer in minimum 50 words.*

*Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. Conquest of Berar.
2. Rana Sanga.
3. Sher Khan.
4. Dahsala System.
5. Bairam Khan.
6. The Surs.
7. The Satnamis.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

**Part B**

*Short Essay Questions, answer in minimum 150 words.*

*Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Describe the war of succession during the reign of Shajahan.
9. Write a note on the structure of government under Mughals.

**Turn over**

10. Give an account of the conflict with the Afghans during the reign of Akbar the Great.
11. Write an assessment of Humayun.
12. Examine the reign of Islam Shah.
13. Explain the consequences of the revolt of Jats.
14. Bring forth the importance of Madadi Mash Grants.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

### Part C

*Long Essay Questions, answer in minimum 450 words.*

*Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.*

15. Critically analyze the reign of Aurangzeb.
16. Give an estimate of Babur and his conquest of India.
17. Examine the causes of the decline of Mughal empire.
18. Write an Essay on the rise of Maratha power under Sivaji.

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**Section A (Short Answers)**

*Answer any **four** question in not less than 50 words.*

*Each question carries 2 weightages.*

1. Analytical research.
2. Research Design.
3. Reference Works.
4. Evaluation of the currency of Source materials.
5. Inferential Approach in research.
6. Deliberate Sampling.
7. Call Number.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightages)

**Section B (Short Essays)**

*Answer any **four** questions in not less than 150 words.*

*Each question carries 3 weightages.*

8. What is research approach ? Point out the major research approaches used in the research process.
9. Highlight the criteria of a good research work.

**Turn over**

10. Evaluate the role of the academic libraries in conducting a research work.
11. Discuss the significance of note taking in research process ? Point out the method and types of note taking.
12. What are the rules to be followed in the application of punctuations in a research paper ?
13. Examine, how do writing drafts helps a researcher ?
14. Write a note on the rules of citing web publications in a research paper.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

### Section C (Long Essays)

Answer any **two** questions in not less than 450 words each.

Each question carries 5 weightages.

15. What is research process ? point out its major components.
16. What is working outline ? Point out the steps involved in its conversion as final outline.
17. What is plagiarism ? Discuss the consequences and forms of plagiarism.
18. What are the techniques employed in citing additional common sources in a research paper.

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**Section A (Short Answers)**

*Answer any four question in not less than 50 words.*

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1. Asaf jahi Dynasty.
2. Treaty of Allahabad.
3. Azimullah Khan.
4. Satyarth Prakash.
5. Gopal Krishna Gokhale.
6. Lucknow Pact of 1916.
7. Nehru report.

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**Section B (Short Essay)**

*Answer any four questions in not less than 150 words.*

*Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Examine the significance of the battle of Plassey.
9. Review the causes for the decline of the Mughal empire.

**Turn over**

10. Evaluate the condition of the Muslims in British India.
11. Write an estimate of the partition of Bengal.
12. Highlight the significance of the Lucknow Pact of 1916.
13. Summarize the recommendations of the Nehru Report. Why did the Muslim League oppose the Report?
14. Sketch the life and career of Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan as a nationalist.

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### Section C (Long Essay)

*Answer any two questions in not less than 450 words each.*

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15. Diagnose the nature and course of the Anglo-Mysore wars. What were its results?
16. Summarize the origin and development of revivalist movements in India with special reference to the Brahma Samaj.
17. Diagnose the relation between the Indian National Congress and the Muslim of India.
18. Evaluate the place of the Quit India movement in the history of Indian freedom struggle.

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**Part A (Short Answer Questions)**

*Answer in minimum 50 words.*

*Answer any **four** questions.*

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1. Veliyancode Umar Qadi.
2. Ali Rajas.
3. Moyin Kutty Vaydyar.
4. Feroke.
5. Lajmathul Muhammadiya.
6. Saiful Bathar.
7. Chalilakath Kunjahmad Haji.

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

**Part B (Short Essay Questions)**

*Answer in minimum 150 words.*

*Answer any **four** questions.*

*Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Write an account of Cheraman Perumal.
9. Write a note on Arabi- Malayalam.

**Turn over**

10. Give an account of Pukkottur incident.
11. Analyze the socio-cultural background of Kerala on the eve of the Advent of Islam.
12. Highlight the atrocities done by the Portuguese in Malabar coast.
13. Explain the brutality of British Authorities in Wagon tragedy.
14. Bring forth the contributions of Shaikh Hamadani Thangal.

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**Part C (Long Essay Questions)**

*Answer in minimum 450 words.*

*Answer any two questions.*

*Each question carries 5 weightage.*

15. Describe the relation between Zamorins of Calicut and Kunjali Marakkars.
16. Critically analyze the role of Kerala Muslim Aikya Sangam as a reform movement.
17. Examine the influence of modern education among the Muslims of Kerala.
18. Review the role of Muslim Political parties in the progress of Kerala Muslims.

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