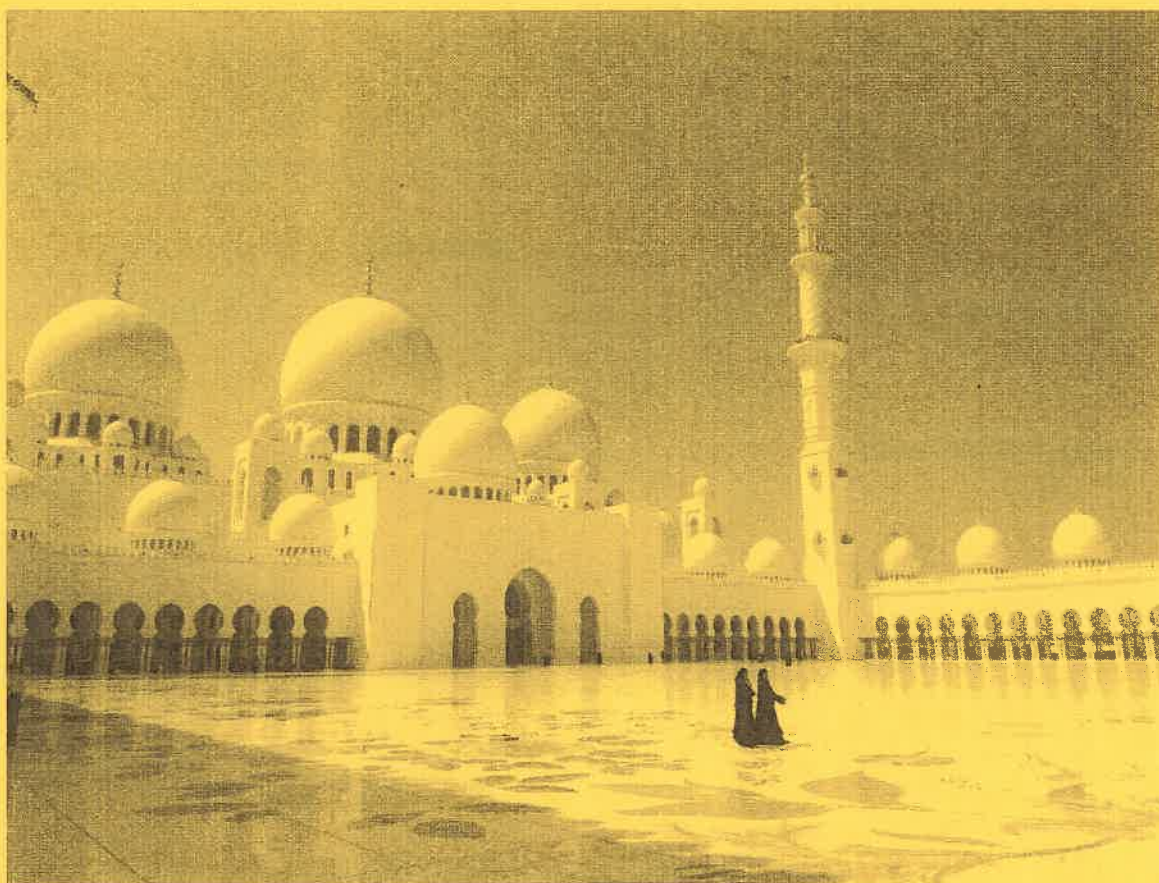




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# 16 – Islam

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Paper I	01 x 40 marks	<b>40 marks</b>
Paper II	Question number 01 is compulsory	<b>20 marks</b>

**Question no. 02**

For any 04 Questions From question 2 to question 06

Part 01	02 marks	}	<b>10 marks</b>
Part 02	03 marks		
Part 03	05 marks		

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## 16 - Islam

### Part - II

#### Question 01

#### 1. Write short answers.

- (i) Write **two** animals on which Islam prohibited harassing although they are filthy.
- (ii) Mention **two** Salaths in which reciting Qunoth is made Sunnah on the basis of Shafi Madhab.
- (iii) What is the other name for 'Baiathush-shajara' agreement?
- (iv) State an Islamic Science that originated earlier and mention its golden era.
- (v) What is the reason for awarding the noble name 'Assiddeek' to Abubakr (Rali)?
- (vi) Mention **two** important contributions of Calipha Usman (Rali).
- (vii) Mention **two** towns that had early settlements of Sri Lankan Muslims.
- (viii) Write **two** human rights offered by Islam.
- (ix) State **two** reasons to have permanent Mahram.
- (x) Write **two** of the reasons given by Imam Māwarthi for some people to stay careless in their earnings.

(i) Dog, Pig (2 Marks)

(ii) Fajr (Subah) prayer, Withr Prayer (2 Marks)

(iii) Baiathur Ridwan (2 Marks)

(iv) The science of Fiqh – Thaba'u Thabi'een period (2 Marks)

(v) He believed in the event of Mi'raj. (2 Marks)

(vi)

- Establishment of the Navy with the help of Muawiya (Rali) in Hijri 27.
- Preservation of the Qur'an.  
(Making 8 copies and sending them to major cities to 'unite people with the Qur'an').
- Enlargement of the Government.  
(Alexandria, Southern Egypt, Tunisia, Morocco, Mediterranean Islands, Persian territories)
- Political and administrative reforms.
- Carrying out development works.
- Expanding Masjidul Haram and Masjid Nabawi. Construction of canals, roads, public wells

(2 Marks)

(vii) Beruwala, Galle, Colombo, Matara

(2 Marks)

(viii)

- Right to live
- Right for individual freedom
- Right to protect ones property
- Right to protect religious values
- Right to seek justice
- Right for equality
- Right to protect the dignity

*(2 Marks)*

(ix)

- Through blood relationship
- Through breast feeding
- Through marriage relationship

*(2 Marks)*

(x)

- Laziness
- wrong understanding about Thawakkul
- detachment to worldly desires and satisfaction

*(2 Marks)**(2 x10=20 Marks)***Question 02****2. (i) State the two main types of shirks with examples.**

Shirk is divided into two types

**1. Shirkul Akbar : Major Shirk**

- Worshiping anything other than Allah.
- Performing acts of worship that should be performed only for the sake Allah, for someone else.

Eg: Prostration, prayer, making vows, making Sacrifices etc...

**2. Shirkul Asgar - Minor Shirk**

- Swearing on things other than Allah
- Tying thread, ring etc.,
- Wearing amulets.
- Enchantment.
- Sorcery
- Seeing omens, horoscopes
- Flattery (Riya)

*(If both the types are mentioned with example for each 2 Marks)*

**(ii) Briefly explain three factors that affect Eiman.**

The following can be mentioned as factors affecting Eiman.

1. **Ilhad** - means atheism.  
In the Islamic terminology, Ilhad means denying the fact that the universe and everything were not created and they appeared by themselves.
2. **Shirk**: It gives the meanings such as associating or partnering  
In the Islamic context, it refers to the belief that anyone or anything shares in the divinity of Allah or to do anything that reflects disbelief.
3. **Kufr**: In language, it gives meaning such as hiding, covering.  
In the case of Islam, it refers to the rejection of the beliefs of Islam and its well-known practices.
4. **Riddat**: It gives the meaning of returning or reversion,  
In the Islamic terminology, a Muslim leaving the fold of Islam by saying or doing words that would make him a kaafir.

*(If three of the above points are briefly explained, 1 x3 = 3 Marks)*

**(iii) Briefly explain five of the benefits received by a Mumin who is concerning on prayers.**

- Getting an opportunity to converse with Allah.
- Remembrance of Allah and obtaining the peace of mind.
- Gaining the mercy of Allah.
- Salah is the key to paradise.
- Gaining a strong attitude and a generous mind.
- Avoiding sinful acts.
- Receive forgiveness.
- It will be a witness in the hereafter.
- Getting internal and external cleanliness.
- Protection from sins.
- Protection from hell fire.

*(If 5 points similar to the above are briefly explained 5 Marks)*



**Question 03**

3. (i) Mention **two** names out of ten Sahabas who were recommended for Paradise by Prophet (Sal).

- Abu Bakr (Rali)
- Umar (Rali)
- Usman (Rali)
- Ali (Rali)
- Talha Ibn Ubaidullah (Rali)
- Zubair Ibn Awwam (Rali)
- Abdur Rahman Ibn Auf (Rali)
- Sa'd Ibn Abi Waqqas (Rali)
- Saeed Ibn Zaid (Rali)
- Abu Ubaydah Ibn Al Jarrah (RA)

*(If any 2 names of the above persons are mentioned 2 marks)*

(ii) Write the names of **six** books of Hadiths called 'Sihahus Siththa'.

- Sahih Buhari
- Sahih Muslim
- Sunan Abu Dawood
- Jami'uth Tirmidhi
- Sunan Nasaee
- Sunan Ibn Majah

*(If the above six books are mentioned  $\frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3$  Marks)*

(iii) State what 'Sunna' is and write **one** source each from Al-Quran and Hadiths adhere to that.

- Term Meaning : way of life  
Terminology: it refers to the life style of prophet (saw) and his Sayings
- Al-Qur'an Evidences:  
"Whoever obeys the Messenger, has truly obeyed Allah". (4:80)  
  
"Take willingly what our Messenger has given you and turn away from whatever he forbids you." (59:07)
- Hadith Evidences:  
"I leave with you two things, as long as you follow them you will not go astray, one is Al Qur'an and the other is my Sunnah" (Muwatta).  
  
"Whoever obeys me will enter paradise. Whoever disobeys me is the one who refuses" (Buhari).

*(1 mark for the definition, 2 marks for Quranic verse and 2 marks for Hadees*

*(1+2+2 = 5 Marks)*

*(Total 2+3+5 = 10 Marks)*

**Question 04**

4. (i) Mention **two** names of false Nabis originated in history.

- Musailamah
- Aswadhul Ansi
- Thulaiha
- Saja
- Mirza Ghulam Ahmad

*(If any two names are mentioned  $1 \times 2 = 2$  Marks)*

(ii) Write **three** benefits of fasting in this world and hereafter.

Benefits in this World

- Realizing the plight of the poor
- Protection from diseases
- Realizing the blessings of Allah
- Training to be patient
- Protection from sins
- Healthy life

Benefits of the Hereafter

- Opening the gates of Heaven, Heaven will be decorated.
- The gates of hell will be closed, the Shaithan will be chained.
- Angels ask forgiveness for fasting, sins will be forgiven.
- Acceptance of Duas.
- Will be free from hell.
- Realize the mercy of Allah.
- Earn countless rewards.
- Intercedes in the Hereafter.

*(If three for each of the above are mentioned  $\frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3$  Marks)*

(iii) Briefly explain the history of Holy Kahba.

- Ka'ba is considered as the first mosque in Islam. First it was built by Adam (ali). It is believed that angels built it
- It holds the highest status in the Islam
- It was found as a mere sandpile after being destroyed in the flood of Noah (Alai)'s era.
- Then by the command of Allah, Ibrahim (Alaihi) visited Makkah from Palestine and rebuilt it together with Ismail (Alai).



- After him, 2000 years later, Amr Ibn Luhai from the Quzaa tribe introduced idol worshiping in Ka'ba.
- Discovering the location of Zamzam well by Abdul Mutalib.
- When Abraha's army of elephants came to destroy Ka'ba, Allah destroyed the army.
- Kuraish started renovating Ka'ba after 30 years of this incident, during the period of the Prophet (saw).
- Muslims who prayed towards Baitul Muqaddas were given permission to pray facing Ka'ba due to the desire of Prophet Mohamed (saw).
- After conquering Makkah, Muhammad (pbuh) destroyed the idols and cleansed the inside of the Ka'ba.
- One prayer performed in it is considered equal to one lakh prayers.

*(If any five points are mentioned 1 x 5 = 5 Marks)*

*(Total 2+3+5= 10 Marks)*

### Question 05

**5. (i) Mention two categories among people who are not eligible to receive Zakat.**

- A person with Sufficient income
- Slaves
- The family Members of the Prophet
- Those who are under the custody of the Zakath provider.
- Non-Muslims.

*(If any two of the above are mentioned 1 x 2 = 2 Marks)*

**(ii) State three of the good characteristics stated in Sura Lukman.**

- Do not associate partners to Allah.
- Establish prayer.
- Spread good and prevent evil.
- Be patient in times of adversity.
- Do not turn your faces away from people.
- Do not walk on earth with pride.
- Practice neutrality while walking.
- lower the voice.

*(If three virtues are mentioned among the above, 1 x 3 = 3 Marks)*

**(iii) Explain briefly the Aageeda of Ahlussunna Waljama related to Sahabas.**

- The companions of the Prophet are the highest among the believers.
- Sahabas are considered next to the Prophets in position.
- Among them there are many companions of the Prophet who were given the glad tidings of entering paradise.
- It is necessary to honor and love the family of the Prophet (pbuh) and the Ummahathul Mu'mineen, the wives of the Prophet (pbuh).
- All the Sahabah are trustworthy and honest.
- It is a sin to belittle and criticize them.

*(If any five points are mentioned 1 x 5 = 5 Marks)*

*(Total 2+3+5= 10 Marks)*

**Question 06**

**6. (i) Who is the king of Polonnaruwa period who appointed four Muslims as commercial advisors?**

King Maha Parakramabahu

*(2 Marks)*

**(ii) State three reasons to why Arabs used Sri Lanka as the place of stay even before the introduction of Islam in Sri Lanka.**

- Sri Lanka being located on the trade route of Arabs.
- Wind direction was favourable for Sri Lanka.
- Availability of clean drinking water and food facilities.
- Availability of natural harbour facilities to anchor Arab Ships
- Availability of ship repair facilities.
- Availability of trade goods needed for Arab international trade
- Visiting Mount Adam.

*(If three points similar to the above are mentioned 3 Marks)*

**(iii) Explain briefly how 'Islam based obligations train them to attract towards good conduct'.**

Islamic main obligations are Kalima, Prayer, Zakat, Fasting, Hajj. Each of these trains man in virtue as follows.

- **Prayer:** It is an obligation that every Muslim must perform. A man who prays earnestly will cultivate virtue and deeds through his prayer,  
"...certainly prayer keeps (man) away from shameful and evil deeds..." (Al-Qur'an)

- **Zakat:** A person who fulfills this, develops love for the poor people and make them generous. And his soul is purified from the impurity of worldly desire.  
"Take their wealth as alms, sanctify them, purify them with it and pray for them..."  
(Qur'an)
- **Fasting:** A duty to control the desires and evil feelings arising from the soul and to train high qualities such as piety, patience, temperance etc.  
"Fasting is not simply avoiding eating or drinking. It is to keep away from what is bad and what is shameful. If someone quarrels with you while you are fasting, say I am fasting'  
(Al-Hadith)
- **Hajj:** Hajj makes one to sacrifice anything for Allah; It unites everyone with virtues of brotherhood, equality, tolerance and understanding.  
"whoever commits to performing Hajj pilgrimage let them stay away from intimate relations, fowl language and argument during pilgrimage" (2:197)

*(If five points similar to the above are mentioned 5 Marks)*

### Question 07

7. Write short notes on any **two** of the following topics.

(i) **Imam Shafi (Rah)**

- His real name is Muhammad Ibnu Idris.
- He was born in Gaza, Palestine in 150 AH.
- His special name is Alimul Qureish.
- Imam Malik, Imam Abu Yusuf can be mentioned as his main teachers.
- He is an imam with two schools of thought, Madrasatul Asar and Madrasatur Ra-yu.
- He Initially served as a Mufti in Baghdad then in Egypt.
- The verdicts given by him in Baghdad are called Kawlun Khadeem and the verdicts given in Egypt are called Kawlun Jadeed.
- He died in Egypt in 204 Hijri.
- His madhhabs are followed in countries like Sri Lanka, Indonesia, Malaysia and Egypt.

*(if 5 points similar to the above are explained 5 x 1 = 5 Marks)*

(ii) **Islam's advices on food habits**

A Muslim should follow a middle path in diet.

- Should avoid eating too much and consuming unhealthy foods.  
"Man does not fill a bad vessel except the stomach. If you have to eat, divide one-third to food, one-third to water and one-third to air' (Tirmidhi).

- Umar (Rali) said, "I warn you about filling your stomach with eating and drinking. Eating on a full stomach wastes the body causes disease. causes laziness in prayer. So, maintain a middle path between the two. It will repair the body and avoid waste. Surely Allah hates fat bodies. If man chooses desire over religion, he will perish". (Kanzul Ummal)
- A Muslim should establish his dietary habits in order to maintain his physical health.
- Smoking, drug use etc. should be completely avoided. They are not only haram, but they destroy health and well-being.
- Excessive consumption of even permitted stimulants such as coffee and tea can affect health.

*(If 5 points similar to the above are explained 5 x 1 = 5 Marks)*

**(iii) The personal characteristics of Caliph Ali (Rali)**

- He was excellent in bravery, prudence, personality from childhood.
- Having the opportunity to participate in Islamic and social works from the beginning due to accompanying together with the Prophet (saw)
- He slept on the bed of the Prophet (saw) during the Hijrah of the Prophet (saw) to Madinah is a great example for his bravery.
- Being a great horseman and strong warrior.
- He exhibited his amazing powers by participating in all the wars undertaken for the protection of Islam and Muslims.
- He was praised by the Prophet (saw) as the 'Lion of Allah' "Asadullah", because he had the distinction of accepting the challenge of any strong enemy.
- Controlling and eliminating challenges to Islam in later times when they arose in the Muslim world and outside it.
- Ali (Rali), who excelled in knowledge, spent his best wisdom for Islam.
- He also acted as a judge.
- Having worked as an important member in the advisory councils of all the caliphs who came before him.

*(If 5 points similar to the above are explained 5 x 1 = 5 Marks)*

**(iv) The role of Muslims in the Economic development of Sri Lanka**

- Introduction of Sri Lankan merchandise in the foreign markets.
- Sri Lankan gems, ivory, spices etc. were taken abroad.
- Earning foreign exchanges to Sri Lanka:
- Muslims have also made a significant contribution to foreign exchange earnings by exporting Sri Lankan products.
- The country's income increased as people began to produce such products.
- Contributing to the development of the agricultural sector.
- Muslims worked for the agricultural development of the country.
- They were also engaged in agriculture with the aim of increasing production.
- Muslims developed textile industries by bringing weavers from foreign countries.
- They also introduced a transportation method called 'Thawalam' for trade purpose.
- Muslims worked as trade advisors to the kings of Sri Lanka  
Eg: King Parakramabahu had four Muslims as trade advisors (Geographer Idreesi)
- Muslims Acted as Ambassadors to Muslim countries for import and export trade during the reign of kings.

*(If 5 points similar to the above are explained 5 x 1 = 5 Marks)*

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