

**225/1**  
**ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS**  
**EDUCATION**  
(History of Islam)  
**Paper 1**  
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**2 Hours**



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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

*Answer **four** questions choosing at least **ONE** from each section.*

## SECTION A

### PRE – ISLAMIC ARABIA AND THE EARLY LIFE OF PROPHET MOHAMMAD (P.B.U.H)

1. (a) Explain the economic life of Arabs during the Jahiliyya period. *(13 marks)*  
(b) How un fair was their trade / economic activity to the lower class? *(12 marks)*
2. (a) Describe the difficulties that young Mohammad (P.B.U.H) experienced. *(13 marks)*  
(b) Explain how he overcame the above difficulties. *(12 marks)*
3. (a) Give an account of the Prophet's (P.B.U.H) journey and ascension to heaven 621AD. *(15 marks)*  
(b) What role did the above visit play in advancing Islam? *(10 marks)*
4. (a) Explain the factors which led to the 630AD event in the History of Islam. *(13marks)*  
(b) Show the Significance of the event in the History of Islam. *(12 marks)*

## SECTION B

### (CALIPHATE PERIOD / ORTHODOX CALIPHATE)

5. (a) Explain how Abubaker ascended to power. *(13 marks)*  
(b) What lesson can Muslims learn from the way he was elected. *(12 marks)*
6. (a) Explain the reforms made by Caliph Umar in the Judiciary sector. *(13 marks)*  
(b) Show the impact of improving Judiciary to the Muslim Community. *(12 marks)*
7. (a) What were the accusations brought against Caliph Uthuman by his enemies? *(13 marks)*  
(b) Show how he managed to overcome them. *(12 marks)*
8. Explain the factors behind the four year of political unrest during Ali's time. *(25 marks)*

## SECTION C

### (ISLAM IN UGANDA)

9. Explain how the coming of Islam changed the people of Uganda. *(25 marks)*
10. (a) Give an account on how Islam entered Ankole (Western Uganda) *(10 marks)*  
(b) Why did Islam spread at a slow pace in western region / Uganda? *(15 marks)*
11. (a) Explain why the Tabliq movement was formed. *(10 marks)*  
(b) What are the ideas of the Tabliq sect in Uganda? *(15 marks)*
12. (a) Give the objectives for the formation of NAAM in Uganda. *(12 marks)*  
(b) Explain the achievements of NAAM in Uganda. *(13 marks)*

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