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CORE COURSE IN ISLAMIC HISTORY

2B02 ISH : The Pious Caliphs and the Umayyads

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – 1

Objective questions. Choose the right answer for the following 4 questions. **Each** question carries 1 mark.

1. Who among the following was the Arab commander of Egyptian campaign ?
a) Qutaiba ibn Muslim b) Khalid ibn Waleed
c) Amr ibn al Aas d) Tariq ibn Ziyad
2. The battle of Nahawand was related to Arab conquest in
a) Egypt b) Persia
c) India d) Spain
3. The commander of Arab Campaign in Spain was
a) Qutaiba ibn Muslim b) Khalid ibn Waleed
c) Musa ibn Nusayr d) Ibn Qasim
4. Who among the following Caliphs took compassionately of the Mawali ?
a) Muawiyah b) Abdul Malik
c) Umer II d) Al Waleed

PART – 2

Short answers questions. Write a note on **any 7** of the following in **two** or **three** sentences. **Each** question carries 2 marks.

5. The Arabic calendar introduced by Caliph Umer.
6. The reading of Quran and Caliph Uthman.

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7. Abdullah ibn Saba.
8. Election of Caliph Ali.
9. Umayyad Governor Hajjaj ibn Yusuf.
10. The Khawariji movement.
11. The social status of Dhimmi in Umayyad period.
12. The founding of the city of Kufa.
13. The military campaigns of Khalid ibn al Waleed.
14. The Umayyad Mosque of Damascus.

PART – 3

Short essays. Answer **any 4** of the following questions in **not** more than **one** page **each**. **Each** question carries **3** marks.

15. Briefly comment on the rise of False Prophets.
16. Write a note on the Arab conquest of Egypt during the Khulaf al Rashideen.
17. Bring out a brief note on the Arab conquest of Sindh.
18. Write a note on the tragedy of Karbala.
19. Explain the status of Mawali under the Umayyad Dynasty.
20. Printout the artistic value of the Dome of the Rock.

PART – 4

Essay questions. Answer **any 2** of the following questions. **Each** question carries **5** marks.

21. Outline the results of Arab military campaign in Syria, Egypt and Persia during the Khulaf al Rashideen.
22. Examine the political and military achievements of al Waleed I.
23. Critically discuss the consequences of the Karbala tragedy.
24. Write an essay on the development of Sciences and Culture during the Umayyad period.