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CORE COURSE IN ISLAMIC HISTORY  
5B07 ISH : Muslims in Europe

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Weighatge : 27

**Instruction :** Answer may be written either in **English** or in **Malayalam**.

A. **One** word answer questions :

- 1) Which dynasty ruled in Spain at the eve of Muslim conquest ?
- 2) Who wrote 'Iqd al Farid' ?
- 3) Where was Ibn Khaldun born ?
- 4) Under which of the Aghilabid rulers Siuty was conquered ?

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B. Fill in the blanks :

- 5) Abdul Rahman al Gafiqi was the Muslims commander in the battle of \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_ was the first ruler to assume Catchphase in Spain.
- 7) Ibn al Qutiya was a \_\_\_\_\_ of Spain.
- 8) Al Hambra was built by \_\_\_\_\_

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C. Choose the correct answers.

- 9) The Umayyad Caiph who persecuted Musa Ibn Nusayr was
  - a) Al Walid
  - b) Sulayman
  - c) Umer II
  - d) Abdul Malik
- 10) Yusuf in Thashfin built the empire named \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) The Mowahhid
  - b) The morabite
  - c) The Mamlak
  - d) The Kalbile

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11) Muwassha was a form literature in

- a) Prose  
b) Poetry  
c) Travel account  
d) Geometry

12) Al Idrisi was a geographer in the court of

- a) Frederic I    b) Frederic II    c) Roger II    d) Louis XIV

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D. Match the following :

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|---------------------|-------------|
| 13) Tariq Ibn Ziyad | Christians  |
| 14) Muzarabs        | Mathematics |
| 15) Kitaba Ibar     | Gibratter   |
| 16) Al Majriti      | Muquddinah  |

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E. Write true or false :

- 17) Ibn Abdul Rabih was the poet laureate of Abdul Rahman II.  
18) Charles Martel was the commander of the battle of Cordova.  
19) The Moriscos were originally Muslims.  
20) The Morabites originated from Africa.

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F. Answer in a paragraph :

- 21) Witiza.  
22) Seville  
23) The Pyrannies  
24) Ibn Khaldun  
25) Al Hambra  
26) Arab Norman culture.

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G. Write short essays :

- 27) Write a note on the Umayyad Amirate of Spain. 2  
28) Briefly comment on the development of Botany in Muslim Spain. 2  
29) Write a note on the Moriscose. 2  
30) Assess the importance of the book of Roger in the field of geography. 2

H. Write essays :

- 31) Evaluate the political and cultural achievements of Abdul Rahman III in Muslim Spain. 4  
32) Examine the factors that led to the decline and fall of Muslim power in Spain. 4