



Islamic History
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**Third Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – OBE – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, November 2022
(2019 Admission Onwards)
CORE COURSE IN ISLAMIC HISTORY
3B03ISH : History of Abbasids**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

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

PART – A

(Short Answer)

Answer **all** questions, **each** question carries **1** mark.

1. The word meaning of Assaffah:
2. The city of Baghdad was founded by:
3. Baithul Hikhma was founded by:
4. The founder of Buwayhid dynasty
5. The philosopher known as the philosopher of the Arabs:
6. The battle of Hittin took place in the year.

(1×6=6)

PART – B

(Short Answers)

Answer **any six** questions in **not** less than **50** words. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

7. Abbasid Propaganda
8. Nizamiya University
9. Hamadanids
10. Samanids
11. Safarids

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12. Bermakids

13. Al Azhar

14. Invasion of Halagu Khan.

(6×2=12)

PART – C

(Essay)

Answer **any four** questions in **not** less than **150** words. **Each** question carries **3** marks.

15. Track down the rise and fall of Buwayhids.
16. Analyse the reasons and results of Crusades.
17. Examine the significance of Battle of Manzikart.
18. Evaluate the development of science under the Abbasid Dynasty.
19. Highlight the philosophical contributions of Al Farabi.
20. Point out the political history of Fathimids under Al Muizz.

(4×3=12)

PART – D

(Long Essays)

Answer **any two** questions in **not** less than **300** words. **Each** question carries **5** marks.

21. Discuss the contributions of Abbasids to the development of historiography and geography.
22. Critically analyze the reasons for the decline of Abbasid dynasty.
23. Examine the services rendered by Abu Jafer Al Mansur in the consolidation of Abbasid empire.
24. Delineate the rise and fall of Seljuk dynasty.

(2×5=10)