

**C. ABDUL HAKEEM COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS),
MELVISHARAM - 632 509.
SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER - 2018**

M.A., HISTORY **SEMESTER III**
P15EHS301 – ISLAMIC HISTORY AND CULTURE FROM A.D. 500 TO
A.D.750 (ELECTIVE)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION - A (5 X 6 = 30 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions.

1. a) What do you know about the events associated with Hijrah?
(Or)
b) Bring forth the development of language and literature during Jahiliyya period.
2. a) Explain about the farewell pilgrimage of Prophet Mohammed.
(Or)
b) Discuss the importance of Quran and Hadith.
3. a) Examine the proclamation of Uthman Ali as the fourth Caliph.
(Or)
b) Give a brief note on the contributions of Abu Bakr.
4. a) Bring forth the tragedy of Karbala.
(Or)
b) List out the four political geniuses of the Arab Moslems.
5. a) What do you know about the social life during the period of Umayyads?
(Or)
b) Analyze the progress of poetry achieved under the Umayyads.

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SECTION - B (3 X 15 = 45 Marks)
Answer **ANY THREE** Questions.

6. Examine the political structure during Jahiliyya period.
7. Write an essay on the career, personality and teachings of Prophet Mohammed.
8. Describe the achievements of the rightly guided Caliphs between 571 and 661 A.D.
9. Discuss the reasons for the downfall of the Umayyads.
10. Analyze the major administrative contributions made by the Umayyads.

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