

**AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION BOARD**

**SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE**

**CLASS IX EXAMINATION**

**MAY 2012**

**Pakistan Studies Paper II**

**Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes Marks 30**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**Please read the following instructions carefully.**

1. Check your name and school information. Sign that it is correct.

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2. RUBRIC. There are SIX questions. Answer ALL SIX questions. Question 6 offers TWO choices. Attempt any ONE choice.

3. When answering the questions:

Read each question carefully.

Use a black pencil for diagrams. DO NOT use coloured pencils.

DO NOT use staples, paper clips, glue, correcting fluid or ink erasers.

Complete your answer in the allocated space only. DO NOT write outside the answer box.

4. The marks for the questions are shown in brackets ( ).

Q.1. (Total 5 Marks)

a. Why is it important for a country to have an ideology? (2 Marks)

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b. Define the concept of Tauheed by giving THREE points (3 Marks)

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Q.2.

(Total 5 Marks)

- a. India was termed as a 'golden sparrow' by the British. Justify the given statement by mentioning TWO reasons. (2 Marks)

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- b. Simla Deputation was the turning point for the Muslims of India, which led to the formation of All India Muslim League. Justify the given statement by mentioning THREE reasons. (3 Marks)

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Q.3. (Total 5 Marks)

- a. Muslims celebrated the Day of Deliverance with great reverence. Do you think the Day of Deliverance should be celebrated? Why or why not? (2 Marks)

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- b. 'Gandhi-Jinnah talks were an eye opener for Gandhi'. Give reasons to support the given statement (3 Marks)

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Q.4.

(Total 5 Marks)

a. Why is Pakistan strategically important to China?

(2 Marks)

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b. As an individual, what THREE steps can you take to control pollution?

(3 Marks)

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Q.5. (Total 5 Marks)

a. The given picture is of a fish farm. Describe a typical fish farm. (2 Marks)



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b. Why are urban areas more populated than rural areas in Pakistan? (3 Marks)

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Q.6.

(Total 5 Marks)

**EITHER**

- a. Identify the crop in the given picture and explain the steps involved from its sowing till it is processed.



**OR**

- b. “Deforestation in the Northern areas has greatly harmed tourism.” What is deforestation and how can we rectify the situation?

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