

Cambridge International Examinations

Cambridge Ordinary Level

ISLAMIC STUDIES 2068/22

Paper 2 Development, Sources, Beliefs and Observances

October/November 2018
1 hour 30 minutes

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

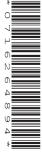
An answer booklet is provided inside this question paper. You should follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

Answer three questions.

Choose one question from each section.

You must answer all parts of the questions you have chosen.

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.



International Examinations

Answer **three** questions.

Choose **one** question from each section.

You must answer all parts of the questions you have chosen.

Section A: The Caliphate Period/The Four Pious Caliphs

1	(a)	State four actions Uthman took to ensure the Qur'an was accurately preserved.	[4]		
	(b)	Describe the ways in which Uthman changed the state that he ruled.	[10]		
	(c)	'Uthman's greatest achievement was to preserve the Qur'an.' Discuss this statement and give reasons to support your views.	[6]		
2	(a)	How did Ali become Caliph, despite his reluctance to do so?	[4]		
	(b)	Give an account of the campaign of Caliph Ali against the Kharijites.	[10]		
	(c)	'Ali was unsuccessful because he did not want to become Caliph.' Discuss this statement and give reasons to support your views.	[6]		
	Section B: The history and importance of the Qur'an and Hadith				
3	(a)	State the four different classifications of Hadith according to their reliability.	[4]		
	(b)	Relate the methods used by the collectors to ensure the content of Hadith were reliable	e. [10]		
	(c)	'The Qur'an alone can solve all problems.' Assess this statement, giving reasons to agree or disagree with it.	[6]		
4	(a)	Describe Prophet Yusuf's dream according to the Qur'an.	[4]		
	(b)	Give an account of how Prophet Yusuf (AS) became separated from his family.	[10]		
	(2)	an account of now reprior radar (no) became coparated from the family.	[]		

© UCLES 2018 2068/22/O/N/18

Section C: Beliefs, practices and rituals

5	(a)	Give an account of the stages of the Hajj pilgrimage.	[12]
	(b)	'Spending money on pilgrimage is less important than donating to charity.' Discuss this statement with reference to Islam.	[8]
6	(a)	Describe Muslim belief in predestination and its significance for Muslims.	[12]
	(b)	'Greater Jihad is in the heart of the believer.' Do you agree? Give reasons to support your point of view.	[8]

© UCLES 2018 2068/22/O/N/18

4

BLANK PAGE

Permission to reproduce items where third-party owned material protected by copyright is included has been sought and cleared where possible. Every reasonable effort has been made by the publisher (UCLES) to trace copyright holders, but if any items requiring clearance have unwittingly been included, the publisher will be pleased to make amends at the earliest possible opportunity.

To avoid the issue of disclosure of answer-related information to candidates, all copyright acknowledgements are reproduced online in the Cambridge International Examinations Copyright Acknowledgements Booklet. This is produced for each series of examinations and is freely available to download at www.cie.org.uk after the live examination series.

Cambridge International Examinations is part of the Cambridge Assessment Group. Cambridge Assessment is the brand name of University of Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate (UCLES), which is itself a department of the University of Cambridge.

© UCLES 2018 2068/22/O/N/18