

AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION BOARD

SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

CLASS IX

MODEL EXAMINATION PAPER 2020

Ethics Paper II

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes Marks: 30

INSTRUCTIONS

Please read the following instructions carefully.

1. Check your name and school information. Sign if it is accurate.

**I agree that this is my name and school.
Candidate's Signature**

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2. There are SEVEN questions. Answer ALL questions. Question 7 offers TWO choices. Attempt any ONE choice.
3. When answering the questions:

Read each question carefully.
Use a black pointer to write your answers. DO NOT write your answers in pencil.
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 4 Marks)

Societies mainly work on the principle of give and take. In other words, sharing is inherent to human life. By sharing something with a person who is in dire need, you are starting a chain of good deeds which is bound to come back to you in some form or the other. Sharing can be done of physical and material things, but broadly, emotions and moral support can also be shared. Thus, the social ethic of sharing is crucial to meaningful interaction in society.

In light of the given passage, answer the following questions in your own words:

- a. What are the TWO elements that one can share in society besides physical and material things? (2 Marks)

- b. The central idea of the given passage is that 'sharing is crucial to meaningful social interaction'. Give a brief example from your own life to support this idea. (2 Marks)

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Q2.

(Total 4 Marks)

Briefly discuss Omnipotence as an attribute of God and support your answer with an example.

Q.3.

(Total 4 Marks)

“The purpose of life is to contribute in some way to make things better.” - Robert F. Kennedy

In light of the given quote, identify any FOUR purposes of your life which relate to this quote.

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Q.4. (Total 3 Marks)

Suggest any THREE ways by which humans can preserve wildlife.

Q.5. (Total 6 Marks)

a. Describe any FOUR ways in which values contribute to society. (4 Marks)

b. Describe an incident from your life in which your negative attitude was changed through inspiration from someone else's positive behaviour. (2 Marks)

Q.6.

(Total 4 Marks)

Identify any FOUR components that contribute to a person's self-respect.

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Q.7.

(Total 5 Marks)

EITHER

a. What is reincarnation? Explain the concept of Karma in the process of reincarnation.

OR

b. Describe any FIVE ways in which a wealthy person can help underprivileged people.

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