

**AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION BOARD**  
**HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE**  
**CLASS XII**  
**MODEL EXAMINATION PAPER 2023 AND ONWARDS**  
**Pakistan Studies Paper II**  
**Time: 1 hour 5 minutes Marks: 20**

**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 SIX questions. Answer ALL questions. Question 6 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 3 Marks)

The Khilafat Movement (1919-1924) failed to achieve its immediate objectives but it left lasting impact on the politics of the subcontinent.

Explain any THREE benefits reaped by the Indian Muslims from the Khilafat Movement in the long run.

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Q.2. (Total 3 Marks)

Why is the Objectives Resolution of 1949 considered to be the most important document in the constitutional history of Pakistan?

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Q.3.

(Total 2 Marks)

After the Eighteenth Amendment in the Pakistan's Constitution of 1973, the portfolio of education has been moved from federal government to provincial governments. However, higher education is still controlled by the federal government.

What TWO possible problems can arise due to the given situation?

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Q.4.

(Total 3 Marks)

Major factors that contribute to low enrolment rate of girls in primary school include poverty, cultural constraints, illiteracy of parents and parental concerns about their daughters' mobility and safety. According to the statistics, enrolment of rural girls is around 45% lower than that of urban girls.

Suggest any THREE ways through which the given problem can be resolved.

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Q.5. (Total 3 Marks)

Explain any THREE reasons why Pakistan became an ally of the United States of America in the war against terrorism after the incident of 9/11.

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Q.6.

(Total 6 Marks)

**EITHER**

- a. As a state, has Pakistan been able to implement the rights given in the constitution of Pakistan, 1973?

Give any FIVE reasons to support your stance.

**OR**

- b. Zia-ul-Haq won over the West by extending full support to USA during the Russian invasion of Afghanistan. It resulted in a huge influx of aid for the rehabilitation of refugees which enabled him to take lots of initiatives in terms of reforms, but at a cost.

Analyse the negative impact of the steps taken by Zia-ul-Haq's as stated above on Pakistan.

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