

**DETAILED SYLLABUS FOR THE POST OF HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL  
TEACHER IN ISLAMIC HISTORY  
HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

(Cat.No.: 485/2019)

(Total – 100 Marks)

**PART I**

**Module I(i) -10 Marks**

Geographical Features of Arabia: Semitic Race - North Arabian and South Arabian Kingdoms -  
Pre Prophetic Period / Jahiliyyah - Advent of Prophet Muhammed - Birth and Early Life -Mission -  
Life at Makkah - Prophet at Madeena - Diplomatic Relations - Expansion and Consolidation -  
Fulfillment of Prophetic Missions  
Foundation of Islamic Culture: Concept of Tawhid - Shirk - Risalat - Akhirat -  
Fundamentals of  
Islam - Five Pillars of Islam - Revolutionary Reforms of the Holy Prophet - Concept of Jihad  
Life and Times of Glorious Caliphs: Khilafat - Abu Bakr - Election - Consolidation - Umar the  
Great -Administration - Polity and Society - Reforms - Uthman and His Times - Fitna -  
Allegations  
- Assassination - Ali and his Election - Civil Wars-Sects - Kharijites - Battles - Shias  
Islamic Concept of Society: Family - Moral Science - Ethics - Social Values - Rights and  
Duties -  
Marriage - Divorce - Social Justice - Women's Rights.  
Rise of Umayyahs: Muawiyah - Administration - Yezid -Battle of Karbala- Abdul Malik -  
Abdullah  
ibin Zubair-Walid - Hajjaj Ibn Yusuf - Administration - Society. Umar II - Administration -  
Art -  
Architecture - Literary Progress  
Islam in Europe: Spain - Sicily - Italy - Norman Culture - Intellectual Life - Cultural Progress -  
Religious Sciences - Contributions of Muslim Spain

**Module I(ii) – 10 Marks**

The Abbasiyahs: Establishment -Abbasiyah Propaganda— Abul Abbas - Al-Mansur - Al-Mahdi -  
Al-Hadi -Haroon Al-Rashid -Barmakids- Al-Amin - Al-Ma'mum -Baitul Hikmah- Al-Mu'tasim -  
Glory of Baghdad -Abbasiyahs Administration - Society and Culture - History of Later  
Abbasiyahs  
- Saljuq Turks - Malik Shah -Fathimids- - Ayyubids- Crusades - Transmission of Knowledge  
and

Culture - Cultural Development - Education -Scientific Development - Decline and Fall - Intellectual Revolution in the Middle Ages  
Development of Muslim Philosophy: Al-Kindi - Al-Farabi - Ibn Sina - Al-Ghazzali - Ibn Bajjah - Ibn Rushd - Ibn Maymun - Muhyiddi Ibn al Arabi - Ibn Khaldun - Shihabuddin Yahya Suhrawardi - Al-Jilli - Sadruddin Shirazi -Development of Medicine - Botany - Alchemy - Zoology - Mathematics and Astronomy - Physics - Geography -Art and Architecture - Calligraphy etc.  
Sciences of Qur'an: 'Ilm al Qira'ah - 'Ilm al Tafsir - I'jaz al Qur'an - Classical Mufassirin and their Works - Al-Tabari - Al-Qurtubi - Ibn Kathir - Al Razi - Al Baydhawi - Jalalayn - Indian Muffassirin and their Works - Sir Sayyid Ahmad Khan - Mawlana Abul Kalam Azad - Mawlana Abul A'la Mawdudi - Muhammad Amani Mawlawi -Science of Hadith - 'Ilm al Hadith - 'Ilm al Riwayah - 'Ilm Rijal al Hadith - Ilm Gharib al Hadith - 'Ilm Mukhtalaf al Hadith - Muhaddithin - Imam Malik - Ibn Hanbal - Sihah al Sittah - Shah Waliyullah al Dihlawi - Shah Abdul Aziz - Fiqh - Meaning - Definition - Nature and Scope - Usul-Al-Fiqh - Development of Islamic Law - Civil - Criminal - Personal Laws - Law of Inheritance etc.

## **Module I(iii) – 10 Marks**

Islamic Jurisprudence: Hanafi School - Maliki School - Shafi School - Hanbali School - Shiah Schools - Later Development of Fiqh -Shariah- Taqlid -Ijma-Qiyas-Ijtihad - Ibn Taymiyyah - Ibn Qayyim - Zaynuddin Maqdam -Fatawah-i-Alamghiri - Shah Waliyullah - Al-Mujallah - Contemporary Debate on Islamic Law - Human Cloning -Surrogate Mothers - Organ Transplant - Birth Control - Dowry -  
Islamic Political Thought: Qur'anic Concept of State and Politics - Islamic State - Functions and Objectives -Khilafah al Rashidah - Administration - Organization -• Legislative Bodies - Al Farabi - Wawaridi - Theory of Imama - Nasir al Din Tusi - Ibn Taymiyyah - Ibn Khaldun - Shah Waliyullah - Allam Iqbal - Al Ghazzali etc.  
Islamic Economics: Definition - Nature and Scope - Economic References in Holy Qur'an and Hadith - Economic Philosophy of Islam - Distribution of Wealth in Islam - Inheritance - Fara'id - Wirathat - History of Islamic Economics - Abu Yusuf- Ibn Taymiyyah - Ibn Khaldun -

Islamic

Banking -Riba- Interest Free Banking - Micro Finance - Globalization and Global Perspective

## **Module I(iv)- 10 Marks**

Origin and Growth of Ottoman Power: Golden Age of the Ottomans - Conquest of Constantinople

- Sulaiman the Magnificent - Administration - Economy - Social Institutions - Art and Architecture

- Yanicheri - Decline and Fall - Tanzimat Reforms -Abdul Hameed II - Young Turk

Revolution - Turkey and I World War - Republic of Turkey - Mustafa Kamal and His Anti Islamic

Policies - Egypt under the Ottoman Power - Mamluks - Nepoleon's Conquest -

Modernization of Egypt - Iran - History and Politics of Iran - Islamic Revolution and Ayatullah

Qumayni - Iraq - British Mandate - World War I - British Occupation of Iraq - Military Coup -

Saddam Husayn - Saudi Arabia – Ibn Saud - Impact of World War I - Discovery of Oil - Saudi

American Friendship

Contemporary Islamic World: Palestine Problem - Zionism and Establishment of Israel - PLO

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Afro-Americans and Muslims of America - America and Islamic World - Islamophobia - Muslims

of Central Asia - Morocco-Algeria - French Colony - National Movement - Tunisia - Nationalism -

Libya - Assassination of Ghaddafi

Revivalist Movement in Islam: History of Islamic Revivalism - Umar ibn Abd al-Aziz - Ibn

Taimiyah - Abdul Wahab - Sanusi Movement - Jamaludheen Afghani and Pan Islamism - Hasanul

Bannah - Mawdudi – Salafi Movement - Muhammed Abduh - Rashid Ridah - Sayyid Qutb - Ah

Shanati - Ayattullah Qumaini - Arab Nationalism - Abdul Rahman Al Kawakibi

Muslim Rule in India: Advent of Islam in the Sub Continent - Indo-Arab Trade Links - Conquest

of Sind -Muhammad ibn Qasim - Ghaznavid Rule - Ghors in India - Delhi Sultanates - Balban -

Sultana Razia- Al'uddin Khilji - Muhammad ibn Tughluq - Firuz Shah Tughluq - Sultanate

Administration - Polity and Society -Administration - Art - Architecture - Bhakti Movement -

Sufism and its Impact - Mughal Rule in India - Babar -Humayun - Akbar - Jahanghir - Shahjahan -

Aurangazeb - Mughal Administration - Development of Indo - Islamic Culture - Art and

Architecture - Influence of Islam on Indian Society

## **Module I(v)- 10 Marks**

Indian Muslims and Freedom Movement: Muslim Opposition to British Ascendancy - Fara'idi Movement - The Wahhabi Movement of Sayyid Ahmad Barelawi - Revolt of 1857 -Deoband  
Ulama- Sir Sayyid Ahmed Khan - His educational contributions - Political ideas - Social and Religious views - Reconciliation of British Muslim Relations - Foundation of Indian National Congress - Partition of Bengal - Formation of Muslim League - Lucknow Pact - Khilafat Non co-operation Movement - Ali Brothers - Allama Muhammad Iqbal - Muhammad Ali Jinnah - Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan - Nehru Report and fourteen points of Jinnah - Presidential Address of Iqbal - Pakistan Project of Chaudhari Rahmat Ali - Provincial elections of 1936 - Congress - League rivalry - Two Nation Theory - Mawlana Mahmud Hasan and Mawlana Abdul Kalam Azad - Lahore session of League and Demand for Pakistan — Cripps Mission - Quit India Movement - Cabinet Mission plan - Direct Action - Mount Batten Plan - Partition of India - Problems of Muslims after Independence-Socio-Educational issues-Sachar Committee Report.  
Advent of Islam in Kerala: Arab Trade Links - Origin and Spread of Islam in Kerala  
Resistance against European Imperialism: Portuguese Incursion - Zamorin and Kunhali Marakkars  
– Mysorean Inyterlude - Hyder Ali and Tipu Sultan- Reforms and Administration. - British Domination - Mappila Outbreaks (1836- 1919)- Khilafat Movement in Malabar - Malabar Rebellion (1921): Causes, Course and Consequences.  
Leaders and Reformers: Umar Qadi - Mamburam Sayyid Alavi Tangal - Sayyid Fazl Pookkoya  
Tangal- Ali Musaliyar - Variyankunnatt Kunhahammad Haji - Chembrassery Tangal - Muhammad Abdurahiman – Moidu Maulavi - Narayana Menon - Vakkom Khadar and the Indian National Army. Makti Tangal – Chalilakatt Kunhahammad Haji - Hamadani Tangal - Vakkom Abdul Khadir Maulavi  
Education and Culture: Origin and Development of Arabi - Malayalam - Moyinkutti Vaidyar First Qur'an Translation : Mayankutty Elaya - Zaynuddin Maqdam I (Taharid) - Zaynuddin II (Tuhfat-al-Mujahidin) – Political and Social Resurgence of Mappilas - Impact of Pan-Islamism and Khilafat

Movement in Kerala - The Kerala Muslim Aikya Sangham - Madrasah Movement  
Contemporary Muslim Society: The Role of Muslim League in Kerala Politics - Muslim  
Political  
Representation

### **Module I (vi) -10 Marks**

Historiography: Definitions - Nature and Scope - History and Social Sciences – Greco - Roman

Historiography - Church historiography - Causation in History

Philosophers of history: Ibn Khaldun -Muqadhimah- Ranke - Hegel - Karl Marx - Spengler -

Toynbee

Arab and Muslim historiography: Islamic Concept of History - Sources of Islamic History - Qur'an -

Hadith -Basic Forms of Muslim Historiography - Early Muslim Historians - Later Muslim Historians - Arab Philosophy of History and Ibn Khaldun - Origin and Development of Indo-Muslim Historiography - Historiography under the Sultanate Period and under the Mughals- Historiography under the Mughals - New Trends in Historiography

### **Module I (vii) -10 Marks**

Recent developments in Islamic History

## **PART II**

### **II (a). TEACHING APTITUDE – 5 Marks**

- Teaching: Nature, objectives, characteristics and basic requirements;
- Learner's characteristics;
- Factors affecting teaching;
- Methods of teaching;
- Teaching aids;
- Evaluation systems.

### **II (b) RESEARCH APTITUDE – 5 Marks**

- Research: Meaning, Characteristics and types;
- Steps of research;
- Methods of research;
- Research Ethics;
- Paper, article, workshop, seminar, conference and symposium;
- Thesis writing: its characteristics and format.

## **PART III**

### **Part III(a) Salient Features of Indian Constitution – 5 Marks**

Salient features of the Constitution - Preamble- Its significance and its place in the interpretation of the Constitution.

Fundamental Rights - Directive Principles of State Policy - Relation between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles - Fundamental Duties.

Executive - Legislature - Judiciary - Both at Union and State Level. - Other Constitutional Authorities.

Centre-State Relations - Legislative - Administrative and Financial.

Services under the Union and the States.

Emergency Provisions.

Amendment Provisions of the Constitution.

### **Part III (b) Social Welfare Legislations and Programmes – 5 Marks**

Social Service Legislations like Right to Information Act, Prevention of atrocities against

Women & Children, Food Security Act, Environmental Acts etc. and Social Welfare

Programmes like Employment Guarantee Programme, Organ and Blood Donation etc.

## **PART IV**

### **Part IV (a) Renaissance in Kerala – 5 Marks**

#### **TOWARDS A NEW SOCIETY**

Introduction to English education - various missionary organisations and their functioning- founding of educational institutions, factories, printing press etc.

#### **EFFORTS TO REFORM THE SOCIETY**

### **(A) Socio-Religious reform Movements**

SNDP Yogam, Nair Service Society, Yogakshema Sabha, Sadhu Jana Paripalana Sangham, Vaala

Samudaya Parishkarani Sabha, Samathwa Samajam, Islam Dharma Paripalana Sangham, Prathyaksha

Raksha Daiva Sabha, Sahodara Prasthanam etc.

### **(B) Struggles and Social Revolts**

Upper cloth revolts. Channar agitation, Vaikom Sathyagraha, Guruvayoor Sathyagraha, Paliyam

Sathyagraha. Kuttamkulam Sathyagraha, Temple Entry Proclamation, Temple Entry Act .Malyalee

Memorial, Ezhava Memorial etc.

Malabar riots, Civil Disobedience Movement, Abstention ovement etc.

### **ROLE OF PRESS IN RENAISSANCE**

*Malayalee, Swadeshabhmani, Vivekodayam, Mithavadi, Swaraj, Malayala Manorama, Bhashaposhini,*

*Mathnubhoomi, Kerala Kaumudi, Samadarsi, Kesari, Al-Ameen, Prabhatham, Yukthivadi, etc*

### **AWAKENING THROUGH LITERATURE**

Novel, Drama, Poetry, *Purogamana Sahithya Prasthanam, Nataka Prashtanam, Library movement etc*

### **WOMEN AND SOCIAL CHANGE**

Parvathi Nenmenimangalam, Arya Pallam, A V Kuttimalu Amma, Lalitha Prabhu. Akkamma Cheriyan, Anna Chandi, Lalithambika Antharjanam and others

### **LEADERS OF RENAISSANCE**

Thycaud Ayya Vaikundar, Sree Narayana Guru, Ayyan Kali. Chattampi Swamikal, Brahmananda

Sivayogi, Vagbhadananda, Poikayil Yohannan (Kumara Guru) Dr Palpu, Palakkunnath Abraham

Malpan, Mampuram Thangal, Sahodaran Ayyappan, Pandit K P Karuppan, Pampadi John Joseph,

Mannathu Padmanabhan, V T Bhattathirippad, Vakkom Abdul Khadar Maulavi, Makthi Thangal,

Blessed Elias Kuriakose Chaavra, Barrister G P Pillai, TK Madhavan, Moorkoth Kumaran, C. Krishnan, K P Kesava Menon, Dr. Ayyathan Gopalan, C V Kunjuraman, Kuroor Neelakantan Namboothiripad, Velukkutty Arayan, K P Vellon, P K Chathan Master, K Kelappan, P. Krishna Pillai, A K Gopalan, T R Krishnaswami Iyer, C Kesavan. Swami Ananda Theerthan , M C Joseph, Kuttippuzha Krishnapillai and others

## **LITERARY FIGURES**

Kodungallur Kunhikkuttan Thampuran, KeralaVarma Valiyakoyi Thampuran, Kandathil Varghese

Mappila. Kumaran Asan, Vallathol Narayana Menon, Ulloor S Parameswara Iyer, G Sankara Kurup,

Changampuzha Krishna Pillai, Chandu Menon, Vaikom Muhammad Basheer. Kesav Dev, Thakazhi

Sivasankara Pillai, Ponkunnam Varky, S K Pottakkad and others

## **Part IV (b) General Knowledge and Current Affairs      5 Marks**

General Knowledge and Current Affairs

***NOTE: - It may be noted that apart from the topics detailed above, questions from other topics prescribed for the educational qualification of the post may also appear in the question paper. There is no undertaking that all the topics above may be covered in the question paper***