

BDS First Year Islamic Studies Study Guide

Introduction:

This course is meant for first year Muslim students who enter Bachelor level program in Altamash Institute of Dental Medicine. This course will deal with topics related to basic information about the Quran, Hadith and Seerah, introduction to Islamic Jurisprudence, culture, economic and political systems, contribution of Muslim scientists in the development of science and a brief introduction to Islamic history. It is meant for all those Bachelor level programs that have Islamic Studies as their integral component.

All the lectures are being uploaded on JSMU website with access to faculty and students. Every week, students are expected to read the content from the presentations and come to the discussion session for better understanding and clarification of concepts.

Rationale:

Altamash Institute of Dental Medicine firmly believes in supporting the learners in their professional development. This includes development of oneself at a personal level. It is hoped that the topics discussed in this course will provide the impetus for character building and will foster the production of wellgroomed, well-rounded graduates.

Furthermore, The Higher Education Commission has mandated all universities to have included Islamic Studies as a 3-credit hour course early in the program.

Credit hours: 3

Outcome:

By the end of the course, BDS students will be able to apply the principles given in Quran and Sunnah to improve their own character.

Teaching and learning:

Islamic studies classes will be conducted every alternate week with 8 one-hour interactive lecture (IL) and 8 two hours small group discussion (SGD), in total 16 classes.

Assessment tools:

- 1. Multiple Choice Questions: (MCQs)
- One Correct Type



- One Best Type2. Short Answer Questions: (SAQs)

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1.	Introduction to the Holy Quran	 Discuss the importance of the Quran in our daily lives. Describe briefly the history of revelation of the Quran 	SGD	MCQs (1C)
		 (Prediction of Warqa bin Naufal, 1st Revelation etc) • Explain how the Quran is the greatest miracle of Rasool Allah (S.A.W) 	IL	
		 Explain how the Quran was compiled in different ways in the era of: Rasool Allah (S.A.W) Abu Bakar (R.A.) Usman Ghani (R.A.) Discuss the Quranic Sciences (Uloom ul Quran) Definition and differences between Makkan and Madinan verses or chapters Explain the Shan e Nuzool / reasons for the revelation (Two 	IL	SAQs
		examples) • Differentiate between the Abrogator & Abrogated verses (Nasikh & Mansookh) (Two examples)	SGD	
2.	Selected texts from the Holy Quran	 (Excerpts from: Surah Al Baqarah : 284-286). Discuss the different aspects of Eman 	SGD	



(Excerpts from: Surah Al		
Hujurat, 1-18)		SAQs
• Explain the reason for the		-
revelation of these Ayat		
• Explain the high status of		
Rasool Allah (S.A.W)		
• Justify the importance of		
verification of news		
• Explain the importance of	TT	
Reconciliation	IL	
• Explain the importance of		
brotherhood and unity of the		
Muslim Ummah		
• List the Moral values of a		
Muslim		MCQs
• Justify why discrimination and		(1C + 1B)
intolerance is condemned in		× /
Islam.		
• Differentiate between Islam and		
Eman.		
• Explain the harm of Hypocrisy		
and show off.		
• Explain the ability to do good is		
given by Allah S.W.T.		
(Excerpts from: Surah Al-		
Mumanoon : 1- 11)		
• Explain the Concept of success.		
• Emphasize the importance of		
humanity.		
• Justify the importance of		
abstinence from useless		
activities.		
• Emphasize the importance of	п	MCO
paying zakat.	IL	MCQs
• Describe the moral and		(1C + 1B)
character values of believers.		
• Emphasize the importance of		
trust and pledges.		
• Recognize the importance of		
prayers.		
• Describe the characteristics of		
the inheritors of Paradise.		
(Excerpts from: Surah Al-		
Furgan : 63-77)		
• Describe the characteristic of		
Ibad ur Rahman		



			
	• Recognize the importance of		
	supplication		
	• Explain why Shirk is the		
	biggest sin		
	• Explain the meaning of		MCQs
	spiritual; blindness.		(1C + 1B)
	• Recognize the importance of		
	belief in resurrection.		
	• Compare permanent life in	IL	
	paradise with that of Hell.		
	• Describe reasons why the		
	disbelievers will stay in Hell		
	permanently.		
	(Excerpts from: Surah Al-		
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	Anam : 152- 154)		
	• Describe the importance of		
	caring for orphans.		
	• Explain the importance of		
	honesty in weights & measure		
	• Discuss the importance of		
	justice		
	• Justify that Shariah is the only		
	right path in life		
	(Surah Al- Fateha: 1 - 7)	SGD	
	• Explain the significance of		
	Surah Al Fateha		
	• List the other names of Suratul		
	Fateha		
	• Explain that Allah swt answers		
	Suratul Fatiha		
	• Justify the importance of		
	reciting Suratul Fatiha in every		
	rakah of salah		SAQs
	• Explain the benefit of saying		N1 X2
	Ameen after surah e Fatiha		
	Explain the 3 different paths in	IL	
	life		
	(Surah Al-Kahf – Part 1 : 1-12)		
	• Explain the cause of revelation		
	• Discuss the significance of		
	Surah Al Kahf		
	• Describe the story of the people		
	of the cave who preferred Deen		
	to Dunya		
	(Surah KAHF - Part 2: 13-22)		
	• Discuss the story of the people		



		of the cave in detail		
		• Summarize the moral of the	SGD	
		story		SAQs
		• Provide reasons why the elite		
		youth got disillusioned by		
		paganism		
		• Explain that Allah forbids		
		arguments about useless issue		
		(Surah Al-Kahf- part 3: 60-82)	SGD	
		• Discuss from Suratul Kahf the	500	
		Story of Musa a.s. and Khizr a.s.		
		• Discuss the etiquette of gaining		
		knowledge		
		• Explain the lessons learnt from		
		the story of Musa a.s. and Khizr		SAQs
		a.s.		
		(Surah Al-Falaq:1-5 & An-	SGD	
		Naas: 1-6)		
		• Define the term Al-		
		Mu'awwidhatayn		
		• Describe the background of		
		revelation of these Surahs		
		• Explain the importance of these		
		Surahs		
		• Describe how Surah al Falaq	**	
		and Surat al-Naas share a	IL	
		common theme.		MCQs (1C)
3.	Seerah	• Describe the early life of		
		Rasool Allah (S.A.W) before		
		prophethood	IL	
		• Describe the life of Rasool		
		Allah (S.A.W) in the early stage		
		of prophethood		
		Describe the life of Rasool		MCQs (1C)
		Allah (S.A.W) in Makkah before		141CQS (1C)
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		the Hijrah		
		• Describe the journey of Hijrah		
		and the early Madinan period		
		• Explain the Charter of Madinah	IL	
		• Describe the Change of Qiblah		
		and the Ghazwaat		
		• Describe the Treaty of		
		Hudaibiyah and its significance		
		• Describe the conquest of		
		Makkah and its significance		
		• Explain the sermon of Hajja-tul-		
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		from the Madinan period	IL	
4	Introduction to Hadith & Sunnah	 Recognize the importance of Hadith as being the 2nd basic source of Shariah Explain the history of the compilation of hadith in the different eras Classify different kinds of hadith Justify the significance and legal position of Hadith (Hujjiyat 		SAQs
		 e Hadith) Discuss Uloom ul Hadith Differentiate between Hadith & Sunnah 	SGD	
5	Selected texts from Hadith	 Recognize the importance and benefits of Husn e Akhlaq in the light of the Quran and Hadith Illustrate with examples from the life of Rasool Allah s.a.w. as our role model Provide examples from everyday life to highlight the significance of Husn e Akhlaq Discuss the importance of self-assessment and conscious effort for improving our conduct <i>The above objectives are for all of the lecture topics given below:</i> Lecture topics: Husn-e-Akhlaq & amp; Gentleness(Rifq) Patience (Sabr) & amp; Modesty (Haya) & amp; 	IL SGD	SAQs and MCQs
		 Smiling 4. Speech (Kalam) & amp; Truthfulness 5. Forgiveness (Darguzar) & amp; Reconciliation (Sulah) 6. Well Wishing (Khair khwahi) & amp; Mercy (Rehem) 7. Jealousy & amp; Injustice 		



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		(Zulm)		
		8. Salaam & amp; Contentment		
		(Qanaat)		
		9. Giving Gifts & amp; Love of		
		Allah		
		10. Arrogance & amp; Anger		SAQs and
		Management		MCQs
		11. Greed & amp; Miserliness		
		12. Etiquette of Gatherings		
		& amp; Social Interactions		
		13. Respect for Elders (Adab)		
		& amp; Affection towards		
		Children's		
		14. Maintaining ties of		
		Relationship (Sila Rehmee)		
		&Duty to Parents		
		15. Trustworthiness (Amanat)		
		& amp; Sense of Responsibility		
6	Islamic Law &	Significance of Islamic		
	Jurisprudence	Jurisprudence		
	T T T	• Define Islamic Jurisprudence		
		• Explain the significance of		
		Islamic Jurisprudence in Quran &		
		Hadith		MCQs (1B)
		• Discuss the importance of		
		Ijtihad	SGD	
		Name the famous Mujtahidee	5.02	
		Sources of Islamic		
		Jurisprudence		
		• Explain the role of civilization		
		in the development of human		
		personality and communities		
		Discuss the distinct features of		
		various Islamic civilizations		
		Discuss the contemporary		
		issues in Islamic societies.		
		issues in islamic societies.	SGD	
7	Islam & Science	• Explain the close relationship	500	
,		between Islam & Science		
		• List the contributions of Muslim		SAQs
		scientists in the development of	IL	~~~~~~
1		science		
		• Identify how the Quran explains		
1		Scientific facts		
8	Islamic	• Describe the significance of the		
	Economic	Islamic Economic system		
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	System	 List the basic Principles of the Islamic Economic System Explain how Islam ensures Social Justice Justify the importance of Zakat Explain why Interest (Riba / Sood) is prohibited Explain the significance of Earning Money Through Legitimate / Lawful Sources (Halal) Distinguish clearly between Halal & Haram Explain the Forbidden Means of Livelihood 	IL	SAQs
9	Political System of Islam	 Explain the basic concepts of the Islamic political system Discuss the Islamic concept of sovereignty Explain the functions of the basic institutions of an Islamic Government 	SGD	SAQs
10	Islamic History	 ABU BAKR (R.A). Describe the life of Abu Bakr (RA) Explain how he is a role model in upholding the unity of the 	IL	
		Muslim Ummah UMAR BIN KHATTAB (R.A). • Explain the contribution of Umar r.a. in laying the foundation of Islamic Political and civil administration • List the Military expansion under Umar r.a. • Discuss his reforms and laying the foundation of the Welfare state • Discuss the incomparable justice and taqwa of Umar (RA) USMAN BIN AFFAN (R.A). • Discuss his life & legacy of the Compilation of the Quran • Explain his Economic and social administration • List his Military expansions	SGD	MCQs (1C)



• Explain the prophecy in	n the SGD	
Quran about the tragic		
martyrdom of Hazrat Us	man	
(R.A)		
ALI BIN ABI TALIB (R.A.)	
Discuss his life and leg	acy	
Explain the reasons for	the	
battles fought during his	era:	SAQs
a) Battle of Jaml (C	amel)	
b) Battle of Siffin		
• Describe the final year	s of his	
caliphate		
• Explain the reasons of		
assassination of Ali r.a a	nd its SGD	
consequences.		
Describe the period of	the	
Umayyads with regard		
• Their background & or		
• Important Events		
Conquest Of Spain By	Tariq	
Bin Ziyad & Musa Bin N	-	
Conquest Of Sindh By		
Muhammad Bin Qasim		
• Umar Bin Abdul Aziz		
• Milestones in the era o	f	
Umayyads		
Describe the Period of	the	
Abbasids with regard t		
• Their background & or		
Huge Development in	-	MCQs (1C)
Sciences of:		
a) Hadith		
b) Fiqh		
c) Other Islamic So	ciences in	
the Abbasid era		
Milestones in the era o	f the	
Abbasids		

Reading Sources:

Reading sources and presentations will be provided by JSMU uploaded on AIDM official website.

<u>Assessment Criteria</u>: 20% marks from internal assessment will be added to the final marks. Continuous assessment (10%), Mid-term examination (5%) & Mock examination (5%)



Annual Examination:

University Annual examination will be based on MCQs only.

Attempts:

The first attempt must be in the first professional examination. If failed, Students will have to pass this examination any time before graduation.

Course Evaluation:

Pass/fail ratio of continuous and summative assessments will be evaluated

75% attendance is mandatory to be eligible for annual professional examination

Feedback will be taken

- Regarding course from students and faculty
- Student feedback regarding faculty
- Faculty feedback of students

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