

**AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION BOARD**

**HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE**

**CLASS XII EXAMINATION**

**MAY 2016**

**Pakistan Studies Paper II**

**Time: 1 hour 35 minutes Marks: 35**

**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.  
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2. **RUBRIC.** There are TEN questions. Answer ALL questions. Question 10 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)

Aligarh Movement in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> century was termed as a renaissance for the Muslims of the subcontinent. This movement paved the way towards the idea of an independent state and later to the formation of Pakistan.

Explain any TWO contributions of Aligarh Movement towards Pakistan Movement.

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Q.2. (Total 3 Marks)

‘We have been the victims of a deep-laid and well-planned conspiracy, executed with utter disregard of the elementary principles of honesty, chivalry and honour.’  
Quaid-e-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah, October 30, 1947

In the light of the given statement, analyse the impact of the decisions of the Bengal Boundary Commission (1947) on Pakistan.

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Q.3.

(Total 3 Marks)

How do the following human activities affect the climate?

	<b>Human Activity</b>	<b>How it Effects Climate</b>
1.	Release of carbon dioxide by burning fossil fuels; use of refrigerators	
2.	Release of particles (aerosols) from industrial and agricultural practices due to industrial emission and spray of pesticides	
3.	Patterns of land use, e.g. urbanisation, agriculture, overgrazing, deforestation, etc.	

Q.4.

(Total 3 Marks)

- i. What reasons were given by Ghulam Muhammad to justify the dissolution of Constituent Assembly in 1954?
- ii. How did this step of Ghulam Muhammad delay the process of constitution making in Pakistan?

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Q.5. (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 possible problems can arise due to the above given situation?

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Q.6. (Total 2 Marks)

Describe any ONE cultural festival celebrated in Pakistan.

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Q.7.

(Total 4 Marks)

Discuss any FOUR purposes for the introduction of different land reforms in Pakistan.

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Q.8.

(Total 3 Marks)

Suggest how national cohesion can be increased in Pakistan.

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Q.9.

(Total 4 Marks)

What are the FOUR benefits that Pakistan is likely to enjoy due to its close relationship with Iran?

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