

B.A. (HONS.) ISLAMIC STUDIES
Semester -III Examination
January 2023

Paper Code: BAIS-301-C
Paper Title: The Umayyad Dynasty

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

(Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper)

Attempt all questions. The first 3 questions carry 20 marks each. The last question is for 15 marks.

Q1.

- a) What role did Abdul Malik play in responding internal and external challenges faced by Umayyad dynasty? Explain (20)

OR

- b) Discuss the role of Amir Muawiyah in the establishment of Umayyad dynasty

Q2.

- a) Sulaiman was not a good and competent ruler. Give your reasons for your agreement or disagreement (20)

OR

- b) Write a short essay on the establishment of independent rule in Spain

Q3.

- a) Critically examine the social condition in the Umayyad period with special reference to women and slaves (20)

OR

- b) Write an essay on administrative structure of Umayyad dynasty

Q4.

Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following: (15)

- a. Development of rational sciences during Umayyad period
- b. Calligraphy in Umayyad period
- c. Music in Umayyad period
- d. Architecture in Umayyad period