

3 (Sem-6/CBCS) ARA HC 2

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Paper : ARA-HC-6026

[(History of Arabic Literature—II)

Early Islamic Period]

(Honours Core)

Full Marks : 80

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions (any ten) :

1×10=10

- (a) When did the Holy *Quran* revealed first?
- (b) Who was the second caliph of Islam?
- (c) Whom did caliph Abu Bakr entrusted to compile the Holy *Quran*?

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- (d) What is the meaning of the term *Quran* in English?
- (e) Who was Imam Bukhari?
- (f) Who is the founder of Umayyad dynasty?
- (g) Who was the poet of the prophet?
- (h) Who wrote قصيدة البردة?
- (i) Who was مسيلمة الكذاب?
- (j) For how many years did الخلافة الراشدة last for?
- (k) Name the poet who accepted Islam at the age of 60.
- (l) Who was كعب بن زهير?
- (m) Who was كعب بن مالك?
- (n) Who was الخنساء?
- (o) Who was حاطم طائي?

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2. Answer the following questions (any five) : $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Define early Islamic period.
- (b) Define الحماسة
- (c) Define الشعراء المخضرمون
- (d) Who was أبو ذؤيب الهذلي?
- (e) Who was ليلى الأخيلى ?
- (f) Write down any two characteristics of the poetry of Islamic period.
- (g) Define المدائح النبوية
- (h) Write down any two characteristics of the poetry of حسان بن ثابت

3. Answer the following questions (any four) :

$5 \times 4 = 20$

- (a) Discuss the characteristics of pre-Islamic Arabic poetry.
- (b) Write down the subject matter of early Islamic poetry.

- (c) Discuss the literary achievements of the Arabs before the advent of Islam.
- (d) Write a short note on the holy *Quran*.
- (e) Discuss the characteristics of Arabic prose during Islamic period.
- (f) Discuss the compilation of the holy *Quran*.
- (g) Write down a hadith from your memory and translate the same into English or Assamese.
- (h) Discuss the growth and development of Arabic literature during the caliphate of Hazrat Umar Farooq (R).

4. Answer the following questions (any four) :

10×4=40

- (a) Discuss the features of Arabic poetry during the Islamic period.
- (b) Did poetry flourish in Islamic period? Illustrate the position of Arabic poetry during early Islamic period.

- (c) Analyze the contribution of 'Mukhadramun' poets to the enrichment of Arabic poetry.
- (d) "Hassan bin Thabith is best known for his poems in defense of the Prophet Muhammad (SM)." Discuss the life and poetry of حسان بن ثابت in the light of the above statement.
- (e) "Ka'b bin Zuhayr was the writer of *Bahat Su'ad*, a qasida in praise of Prophet Muhammad (SM)." Discuss the life and contribution of كعب بن زهير in the light of the above statement.
- (f) Discuss the life and poetry of كعب بن مالك
- (g) Estimate عبدالله بن رواحة as a poet of Islamic period.
- (h) Discuss the life and poetry of النابغة الجعدي
- (i) Give an account of the الخطابة literature during the Islamic period.

- (i) Illustrate the life and contribution of
علي بن أبي طالب رضي الله عنه to the
promotion of Arabic literature.
