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Paper 1

October/November 2014

1 hour 30 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.
Write in dark blue or black pen on both sides of the paper.
Do not use staples, paper clips, glue or correction fluid.
DO NOT WRITE IN ANY BARCODES.

Answer **Question 1, Question 2** and **two** other questions.
All answers must be in continuous prose.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.
The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

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This document consists of **16** printed pages.

1 Choose any **two** of the following passages from the Qur'an, and:

(a) briefly describe the main theme(s) in each passage [4]

(b) briefly explain the importance of these themes in a Muslim's life today. [4]

(i) وَمِنْ آيَاتِهِ اللَّيْلُ وَالنَّهَارُ وَالشَّمْسُ وَالْقَمَرُ لَا تَسْجُدُوا لِلشَّمْسِ وَلَا لِلْقَمَرِ وَاسْجُدُوا لِلَّهِ الَّذِي خَلَقَهُنَّ إِن كُنْتُمْ
إِيَّاهُ تَعْبُدُونَ

37. Among His signs are the night and the day, and the sun and the moon. Adore not the sun and the moon, but adore Allah, who created them, if it is Him you wish to serve. **(Sura 41.37)**

(ii) بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ

الْحَمْدُ لِلّٰهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِیْنَ

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مٰلِكِ یَوْمِ الدِّیْنِ

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اهْدِنَا الصِّرَاطَ الْمُسْتَقِیْمَ

صِرَاطَ الَّذِیْنَ أَنْعَمْتَ عَلَیْهِمْ غَیْرِ الْمَغضُوبِ عَلَیْهِمْ وَلَا الضَّالِّیْنَ

1. In the name of Allah, most gracious, most merciful. 2. Praise be to Allah, the cherisher and sustainer of the worlds; 3. Most gracious, most merciful; 4. Master of the day of judgment. 5. You we worship, and your aid we seek. 6. Show us the straight way, 7. The way of those to whom You have given your grace, not those who earn your anger, nor those who go astray. **(Sura 1)**

(iii) إِذَا زُلْزِلَتِ الْأَرْضُ زِلْزَالَهَا

وَأُخْرِجَتِ الْأَرْضُ أَنْقَالَهَا

وَقَالَ الْإِنْسَانُ مَا لَهَا

یَوْمَئِذٍ تُحَدِّثُ أَخْبَارَهَا

بِأَنَّ رَبَّكَ أَوْحَى لَهَا

یَوْمَئِذٍ یَصْدُرُ النَّاسُ أَشْتَاتًا لِّیُرَوْا أَعْمَالَهُمْ

فَمَنْ یَعْمَلْ مِثْقَالَ ذَرَّةٍ خَیْرًا یَرَهُ

وَمَنْ یَعْمَلْ مِثْقَالَ ذَرَّةٍ شَرًّا یَرَهُ

1. When the earth is shaken to her utmost convulsion, 2. And the earth throws up her burdens, 3. And man cries out: 'What is the matter with her?', 4. On that day will she declare her tidings: 5. For that your Lord will have given her inspiration. 6. On that day will men proceed in companies sorted out, to be shown their deeds. 7. Then shall anyone who has done an atom's weight of good see it! 8. And anyone who has done an atom's weight of evil shall see it. **(Sura 99)**

2 (a) Write about the methods used to compile the Qur'an into a book after the death of the Prophet. [10]

(b) Why is understanding the teachings of the Qur'an important to Muslims? [4]

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3 (a) Write about the Prophet's activities in spreading Islam outside Makka, before the migration to Madina. [10]

(b) Choose one quality shown by the Prophet in these activities and explain how Muslims today can learn from it. [4]

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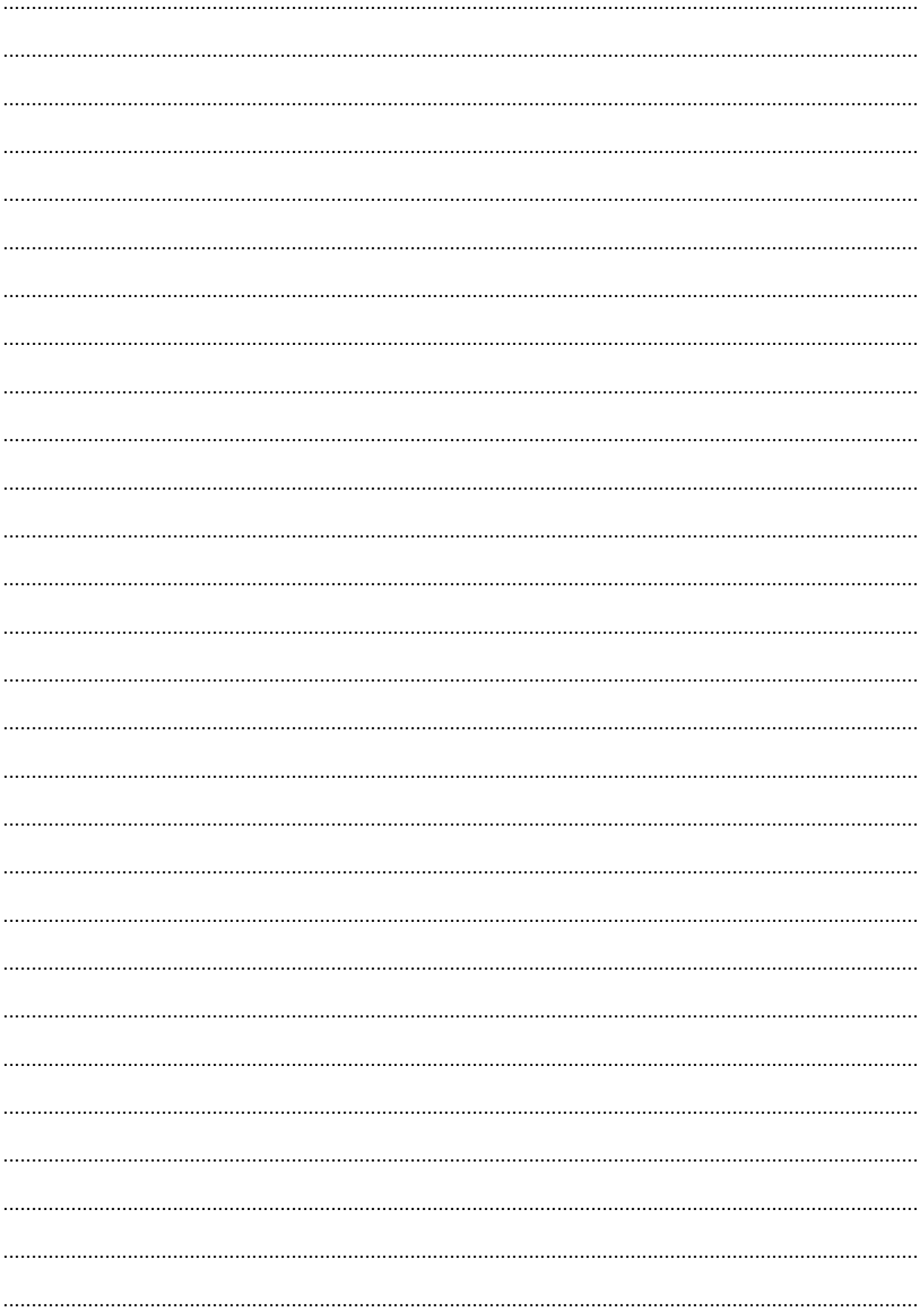
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- 4 (a) Outline the Prophet's experiences in the caves of Hira and Thawr. [10]
- (b) In what respects were the Prophet's experiences in the cave of Thawr important for his prophethood? [4]

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