

Course Outlines

ES-108 - Ideology and Constitution of Pakistan

COURSE CONTENT

Introduction to the Ideology of Pakistan

Historical context of the creation of Pakistan (with emphasis on sociopolitical, religious, and cultural dynamics of British India between 1857 till 1947). Contributions of founding fathers of Pakistan in the freedom movement, including but not limited to Allama Muhammad Iqbal, Muhammad Ali Jinnah, etc. Contributions of women and students in the freedom movement for a separate homeland for Muslims of British India.

Two-Nation Theory

Evolution of the Two-Nation Theory (Urdu-Hindi controversy, Partition of Bengal, Simla Deputation 1906, Allama Iqbal's Presidential Address 1930, Congress Ministries 1937, Lahore Resolution 1940). Role of communalism and religious differences.

Introduction to the Constitution of Pakistan

Definition and importance of a constitution. Ideological factors that shaped the Constitution(s) of Pakistan (Objectives Resolution 1949). Overview of constitutional developments in Pakistan.

Constitution and State Structure

Structure of Government (executive, legislature, and judiciary). Distribution of powers between federal and provincial governments. 18th Amendment and its impact on federalism.

Fundamental Rights, Principles of Policy, and Responsibilities

Overview of fundamental rights guaranteed to citizens by the Constitution of Pakistan 1973 (Articles 8-28). Overview of Principles of Policy (Articles 29-40). Responsibilities of the Pakistani citizens (Article 5).

Constitutional Amendments

Procedures for amending the Constitution. Notable constitutional amendments and their implications.

ES-105 – Pakistan Studies

COURSE CONTENTS

Historical and Ideological Perspective of Pakistan Movement

Two Nation Theory, Factors leading to the creation of Pakistan, Jinnah and demand for Pakistan.

Land of Pakistan

Geophysical conditions of Pakistan, Geopolitical and strategic importance of Pakistan, Natural resources of Pakistan: mineral, water and power resources.

Constitutional process

Early efforts to make a constitution (1947-1956), Salient features of the Constitution of 1956, 1962, Political and Constitutional crisis of 1971, Salient features of the Constitution of 1973, Constitutional amendments from 1973 to date.

Contemporary issues of Pakistan

A brief Survey of Pakistan's economy, The Current Economic Situation of Pakistan: Problems & Issues and future perspective, Social Issues: Pakistan's society and culture: broad features, Literacy and education in Pakistan: problems and issues, Scientific and technical development in Pakistan, Citizenship: national and international. Environmental Issues: Environmental pollution: causes, hazards and solutions, National policy, International treaties, conventions and protocols.

Pakistan's Foreign Policy

Pakistan's Foreign Policy from 1947 to present, Relations with immediate neighbors, Relations with major powers, Relations with the Muslim world.

Human Rights

Conceptual foundations, Western and Islamic perspective of Human Rights, Human Rights in the Constitution of 1973, Human rights issues in Pakistan.

ES-127 Pakistan Studies (Foreigners)

COURSE CONTENTS

Land of Pakistan:

Land & People-Strategic importance- Important beautiful sights, Natural resources.

A Brief Historical Background:

A brief Historical survey of Muslim community in the sub-continent, British rule & its impacts, Indian reaction, Two nation theory, Origin & development, Factors leading towards the demand of a separate Muslim state, Creation of Pakistan

Government & Politics in Pakistan:

Constitution of Pakistan, A brief outline, Governmental structure, Federal & Provincial, Local Government Institutions, Political History, A brief account.

Pakistan & the Muslim World:

Relations with the Muslim countries

Language and Culture:

Origins of Urdu Language, Influence of Arabic & Persian on Urdu Language & Literature, A short history of Urdu literature

ES-206 - Islamic Studies

COURSE CONTENTS

Fundamentals of Islam: Tauheed, Arguments for the Oneness of God; Al-Ambiya-22, Al-Baqarah-163-164, Impact of Tauheed on human life, Place of Man in the Universe: Al Israa/Bani Israil-70; Purpose of creation: Al zariyat-56, Prophethood, Need for Prophet, Characteristics of Prophet, Finality of Prophethood: Al-Imran-79, Al-Hashr-7, Al-Maidah-3, and Faith in Hereafter (Aakhirat), Effects on worldly life: Al-Hajj-5, Al-Baqarah-48, Hadith

Ibadah: Concept of Ibadah, Major Ibadah, Salat, Zakat, Hajj and Jihad. Al-Mu'minun-1-11, Al Anfaal- 60, & Two Ahadiths

Basic Sources of Shariah: The Holy Quran, Its revelation and compilation, the authenticity of the Text, Hadith, Its need, Authenticity and Importance, Consensus (Ijmaa), Analogy (Qiyas)

Moral and Social Philosophy of Islam: The concept of Good and Evil; **A'l e Imran - 110, Al Nahl-125,** Akhlaq-e-Hasna with special reference to **Surah Al-Hujrat, verses 10, 11, 12, 13,** Professional Ethics (Kasb-e-Halal) **Al Taha-81, Al Baqar 188, one hadith.**

Seerat of the Holy Prophet(PBUH):

a) Moral and ethical teachings of the Holy Prophet (PBUH) with special reference to Hajjat-ul-Wida, (Fundamentals of Islam, Social aspects, Economics aspects, political aspects

b). Personal Characteristics: perseverance & trust in Allah, honesty & integrity, simplicity & humility, mercy & compassion, clemency & forgiveness, bravery & valor, generosity, patience.

c) Engagement and communication with collaborators and foes:

Cases Study from Seerah: Charter of Madina, Ghazwa e Khandaq, Treaty of Hudaibya , Ghazwa e Khayber, Najran's Delegation, Victory of Makkah.

d) Social values and rights, (peace & harmony, tolerance, solidarity, collaborations, inclusivity & cohesion)

Case Studies from Seerah: Al –Fudoul Confederacy, Placement of Black stone, charter of Medina, Treaty of Hudaibya)

Leadership Skills (Vision, communication, negotiation, conflict management, decision making, relationship building, Integrity, positivity, compassion, empathy, loyalty, accountability, confidence, delegation, empowerment, problem- solving, foresightedness, openness, gratitude and justice).

Teaching of Holy Quran: Translation and tafseer of **Surah-e- Fatiha**, and The Selected Section of **Surah Al-Furqan** verses (63-77), **Surah-e-Luqman** (verses (12-19)).

Nazraah and Tajveed of: Surat ul Fatiha, Ayatal Kursi, and last 10 surahs of the Holy Quran. (Ghunnah, Qalqalah, Al-Madd, Noon Sakinah & Tanween Rules)

ES-209 - Ethical Behaviour (for Non-Muslims)

COURSE CONTENTS

Nature, Scope and Methods of Ethics: Ethics and Religion, Ethical teachings of World Religions

Basic Moral Concepts: Right and Wrong, Good and Evil

Ethical Systems in Philosophy: Hedonism, Utilitarianism, Rationalism & Kant, Self-Realization Theories, Intuitionism

Islamic Moral Theory: Ethics of Qur'an and its Philosophical basis, Ethical precepts from Qur'an and Hadith and Promotion of Moral Values in Society.

ES-222 – Arabic Language I

COURSE CONTENTS:

Introduction and general guide to Arabic language: I

- ❖ Chapter -1 -8 from: (العربية بين يديك-1 Elementary Level Arabic Between Your Hands)

Greetings والتعارف , Family الأسرة , Accommodation السَّكَن , Daily life الحياة اليومية , Food and Drinks الطعام والشراب ,
Food and Drinks الطعام والشراب , Prayer الصلاة , Study الدراسة , Work العمل

- ❖ Arabic Grammar Basic: Word كلمة , Sentence جملة , Nouns اسم , Verbs فعل

ES-223 – Arabic Language II

COURSE CONTENTS:

Introduction and general guide to Arabic language: II

- ❖ Chapter -9 -16 from:(العربية بين يديك-1 Elementary Level Arabic Between Your Hands)

Shopping التسوق , Weather الجو , People and Places الناس والأماكن , Hobbies الهوايات , Traveling السفر , Haj and Umrah الحج والعمرة , Health الصحة , Vacations العطلة

Arabic Grammar Intermediate: Word كلمة , Sentence جملة , Nouns اسم , Verbs فعل Articles حرف