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Leaving Certificate Examination

Arabic Ordinary Level

Marking scheme

Question 1 (20 marks):

Cloze Test

10 spaces to be filled in at 2 marks each; no single marks; minor mistakes of case ending not penalised.

Question 2 (80 marks):

Passage for comprehension

Comprehension question Section 1 (20 marks) Content = 7; Language = 7; Style = 6.

Comprehension question Section 2 (20 marks) Content = 7; Language = 7; Style = 6.

Comprehension question Section 3 (20 marks) Content = 7; Language = 7; Style = 6.

Comprehension question Section 4 (20 marks) Content = 7; Language = 7; Style = 6.

Question 3

Part A (60 marks):

Koranic Text

Section 1 (30 marks): Comprehension of Koranic text and analysis. Content = 16; Language = 7; Style = 7.

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Section 2 (30 marks): Comprehension and historical. Content = 16; Language = 7; Style = 7

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Part B (60 marks)

Prophetic Tradition

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Section 1 (30 marks): Structure of text.
Content = 16; Language = 7; Style = 7.
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Section 2 (30 marks): Historical question
Content = 16; Language = 7; Style = 7.
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Question 4 (80 marks)

Verse

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Section 1 (30 marks). In three parts (10 marks each section; Content =10; Language = 10; Style = 10.
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Characteristics of poetry

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Section 2 (25 marks). Content = 15; Language = 5; Style = 5. Structure
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Section 3 (25 marks) in three parts (6 marks for each section; 4 = language; 3 = style) Structure question

Question 5 (100 marks)

Essay

Three questions / one of which to be chosen for the essay: 30 marks for content; 30 for correctness of language; 20 for soundness of structure; 20 for style.

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