



CLUSTER UNIVERSITY OF SRINAGAR

SYLLABUS (FYUP UNDER NEP 2020)

UG- 2nd Semester

Subject: Islamic Studies

Course Title: Introduction to Islamic Civilization-II (Major)

Course Code: UGISL22J201

Contact Hrs: 60 (Theory: 45, Tutorial: 15)

Total Credits: 04 :(Theory: 03; Tutorial/Practical = 01)

Max. Marks: 100

Theory External: 75

sTutorial (Internal): 25 Marks

Objectives: The objective of the course is to gain knowledge of early Islamic civilization and achievements of prominent Islamic rulers.

Learning Outcomes: By the end of the course, the students will be able to:

- Understand the general characteristics of the Islamic Civilization.
- Know the historical account of the Caliphate of Abbasids and Umayyads of Muslim Spain.
- Know how Islam has contributed to world civilization in the area of science and social science.

Unit I.	Abbasids a) Causes of the Revolt against the Umayyads. b) Establishment of Abbasid Dynasty- Consolidation under Al-Mansur. c) The Golden Age: Role of Baitul Hikmah. d) Administration under Abbasids (General Introduction).
Unit II.	Social and Economic Life Under Abbasids a) Social life. b) Development of Education c) Architecture and Industry d) Intellectual Contribution (Science and Philosophy)
Unit III.	Islam in Spain a) Establishment of Muslim Rule in Spain b) Main contribution of Umayyad Rulers: (I). I. Abd al-Rahman-I (II). Abd al-Rahman-III c) Development of Science and Medicine under Umayyad rule d) Contribution in the field of History and Philosophy.
	Tutorials
	Assignment/Group Discussions/Presentation/Quiz/Book Review/Field Survey(Followed by Viva-Voce)
Unit IV.	a) Book Review (relevant to the contents of the syllabus). b) Assignment and Presentation. c) Group Discussion. d) Quiz.

Suggested Readings:

- Hasan, Masudul, *History of Islam*, Adam Publishers, Delhi.
- Nadvi, Shah Moin ud din Ahmad, *Tarikhi Islam*, Darul Musanifeen, Azamgarh.
- Hussain Athar, *The Arab Administration*, Delhi.
- Ali, K. A., *Study of Islamic History*, Adam Publishers, Delhi.
- Relevant articles in encyclopedia of Islam.
- Najeebadi, Akbar Shah, *The History of Islam*, Da'rus Salam Publishers, Riyad.
- Hitti, P.K., *History of Arabs*, Macmillan Company, USA.
- Firas, al-Khateeb, *Lost Islamic History*, C Hurst and Co Publishers Ltd.