

DEPARTMENT OF EXAMINATIONS - SRI LANKA

Final Certificate Examination for Ahadhiya /Al - Qur'an Schools on Islamic Studies - 2016 (2018) (Equivalent to Daham Pasal Final Certificate Examination)

RULES and Regulations.– The above examination will be conducted by the Commissioner General of Examinations during July 2018. Subjects and the syllabus for the examination are given in Annexure I.

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2. *Centres for Examination.*–Examination Centers will be set up in towns indicated in Annexure II of this notification. Centers in any town will be cancelled if sufficient number of candidates has not requested that town. In case of such cancellation of any town the candidates will be transferred to centres set up in the nearest town.

3. *Language Medium.*— This Examination will be conducted in Tamil, Sinhala and English Medium, candidate should appear for all the subjects in one and the same Medium.

4. *Eligibility.*– Every applicant should have fulfilled at least one of the following requirements.

4.1 Should be a student in Grade 10 in an Ahadhiya School registered with the Department of Muslim Religious and Cutural Affairs.

or

4.2 Should be a student who has completed the senior grade A1-Quaran Madrasa Syllabus approved by the Department of Muslim Religious and Cultural Affairs ;

or

4.3 Should be a student who has passed the subjects of Islam or Arabic in the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination conducted by the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka.

Note :

- (i) Applications for this examination should be certified by the Principal of the Ahadhiya School or by the Principal of the 41 - Qur'an Madrasa or by the principle School to the effect that the candidate has fulfilled the requirements mentioned under paragraph 4 above.
- (ii) An Applicant can submit application for this examination only through the Principal of an Ahadhiya School, or the Principal of Senior A1-Qur' an Madrasa or School.

5. In the event a registered Ahadhiya School, Senior Qur' an Madrasa or a School does not receive the application forms and instructions by post on time the Principal concerned should contact the-

> Commissioner General of Examinations, (Organization and Foreign Examinations Branch), Department of Examinations, P. O. Box 1503, Colombo. on or before 12th of April 2018.

- 5.1 Applications should be prepared in duplicate. The original should be forwarded to the Department of Examinations while the duplicate should be kept filed in the relevant Institution.
- 5.2 The closing date of applications will be 23rd of April, 2018.
- 5.3 Applications should be clearly and accurately filled in. Inaccurately or Illegibly filled applications and those that are received after the closing date will be rejected.
- 5.4 Duly perfected applications should be sent under registered cover to the Commissioner General of Examinations, (Organization and Foreign Examinations Branch), Department of Examinations, P. O. Box 1503, Colombo.
- 5.5 Applications will not be acknowledged.
- 5.6 The name of the Examination "Ahadiya /Al Quran Madrasa Final Certificate - Exam - 2016(2018)" and the chosen town for the exam should be clearly written on the top left hand corner of the envelop enclosing the application.
- 5.7 No Certificate should be annexed to the application. The Principals of the Institutions should certify to the effect that the applicant holds the stipulated qualifications.

6. Mode of payment :

- 6.1 The Examination feef for all four subjects is Rs. 150 and the fee for one repeat subject is Rs. 50 No Examination fee will be charged for those who sit for the examination after the first time.
- 6.2 The amount which is equal to the total examination fee, should be paid at any post office and the receipt obtained should be firmly attached to the application. (Keeping a photo copy of the receipt will be useful.)

7. *Admission Cards.*- Commissioner General of Examinations shall issue the Admission Cards through the relevant Heads of the Institutions. They will handover Admission cards to the candidates.

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- 7.1 In the event a candidate fails to produce his/her Admission Card to the supervisor on the first instance of sitting the examination or attempting to sit the Examination at a Centre other than the one allocated to him/her by the Commissioner General of Examinations, his/her candidature can be cancelled.
- 7.2 The specimen signature of the candidate should be attested by the head of the relevant institution or by an officer in permanent government service drawing a salary not less than Rs. 240,360 p a. or by an Islamic Priest of Mosque.
- 7.3 If Admission Cards is not received by at least 7 days before the date of commencement of the examination the head of the institution concerned should notify the Commissioner General of Exminations accordingly. In all such instances, information should be provided as indicated below :
 - (a) Name of Examination,
 - (b) Name of Ahadhiya School/Madrasa/School, and the Computer number provided to the School,
 - (c) Name of candidate in full and Address,
 - (d) The town which is applied for to the examination,
 - (e) Post Office from which the application was posted,
 - (f) Registration number and Date.

8. *Personnel Idenification.*– Every applicant should prove his/her identity to the satisfaction of the supervisor on all instances he/she appears for the examination by producing acceptable identity documents.

- 8.1 National Identity Card.
- 8.2 Valid Passport.
- 8.3 Postal Identity Card.

9. Issue of the Examination Results and Confirmation of the Result :

9.1 This examination consists of four papers, A candidate who passes in all four papers in one and the same sitting will be considered to have passed the Examination.

9.2 However, if a candidate gets passed in 3 subjects and fails to get through in the fourth subject in one and same sitting he/she will be allowed referral.

Such a candidate should get through the referred subject within the subsequent two examinations in order to be considered to have passed in this certificate examination. (This will be effective from 2011 Examination)

Referred candidates should apply and sit only for the referred subject.

9.3 Each of the four question papers carries 100 marks and grades will be awarded as shown below :

Range of Marks	Grade	Symbol
0-34	Fail	F
35-54	Ordinary Pass	S
55-69	Credit Pass	С
70-100	Distinction Pass	D

9.4 *Release of the Results.*– Details of examination results will be posted to the relevant Heads of Institutions.

10. *Certificates.*—Action will be taken to issue a Certificate to every candidate passing the examination.

11. *Re-scrutiny of answer scripts.*– Opportunity will be provided for the re-serutiny of answer- scripts if requested within 30 days from the date of issue of examination results. such request should be made through the respective Heads of Institutions, using the specimen form issued by this Department for this purpose. A specified fee must be paid.

Such fee will be refunded only in instances where any alteration is made to the examination results. Applicants or their representatives will not be granted permission to examine the answer scripts for any reason what so ever.

12. All applicants are bound to act in accordance with the above conditions. Decision of the Commissioner General of Examination on any matter that is not dealt with in this notification will be the final.

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13. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala, Tamil and English text of this Examination Notification the Sinhala text shall private.

> B. SANATH PUJITHA, Commissioner General of Examinations.

Department of Examinations, Pelawatta. Battaramulla, 22nd February, 2018.

ANNEXURE I

SUBJECTS AND THE PRESCRIBED SYLLABUS FOR THE EXAMINATION

THERE WILL BE FOUR QUESTION PAPERS, OF THREE HOUR DURATION EACH. STRUCTURE OF THE QUESTION PAPERS AND MARKS ALLOCATION FOR THE OUESTIONS WILL BE ACCORDING TO THE GAZETTE NOTIFICATION PUBLISHED ON GAZETTE NO. 1358 OF 10th September 2004.

First Paper

1 Aqeedha, Sharee 'ah (Principles and Fundamentals of Islam) and Arabic language

- 1.1 Ageedha General understandings (Al Ilahiyath, Annubuwath, Arroohaniyyath and Assam Ivyath)
- 1.2 Sections of Ageedha
 - * Ageeda of Alhussunnah Wal Jam'ath
 - * Few other Ageeda Sections such as : Jabariya, Kadariyya, Murjiya, Mu'tazila and Shee'ah
- 1.3 Tawheedh and Shirk
 - * Iman and Kufr
 - * Riddath, Nifak
 - * History of revelation and compilation of the Qur'an
 - * Use of Al-Our'an as a source of Law
 - * Sunna and history of its collection
 - * Utilization of Sunna as source of Law
 - * History of Hadees and the contribution of Muhaddis
 - * Details relating to Ijthihad
 - * Ijma as secondary source
 - * Kiyas as secondary source
 - * History of Fikhu and its Imams

- * Writing with proper shapes of Alphabets
- * Writing of small Sentences.
- * Writing of Arabic words having relation to the subject of Islam
- * Writing of specific Qur' an suras, verses and Hathees

Second Paper

- 2. Al Fiqhul Islami (Islamic Law)
 - 2.1 Details Relating to Ibadath
 - * Kinds of Ibathath
 - * Thaharath
 - 2.2 Najees and its categories :
 - * Methods of cleaning Najees
 - * Water and its categories
 - * Wulu, Thayamman and Procedures existing relating to bathing
 - 2.3 Zakath:
 - * Significance
 - * Rules and Regulations
 - * Collection and distribution
 - * Minimizing poverty through Zakath and distribution of Wealth
 - 2.4 Assawan (Fasting) :
 - * Significance
 - * Rules and Regulations and usefulness
 - 2.5 Hajj :
 - * Significance
 - * Rules and Regulations
 - Usefulness
 - 2.6 Hajj Method of Performance
 - * Farlu Wajibu Sunnath
 - * Haji Performed in addition to Farlu Hajj
 - 2.7 Attention and procedures in Islam relating to food, Dressing, and Dwellings.
 - 2.8 Understanding of Jihadh
 - 2.9 Kurbani and methods of slaughter
 - 2.10 Oaths and Vows

1.4 Arabic Language

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- 2.11 Details relating to Muamalath :
 - * Dignity of earning
 - * Main transaction (Trading)
 - * Other transactions (Eg. Borrowing, Rent)
 - * Wakfu, Wasiyiyath, Warasath, (Public Property, Testamentary Property, Inhertited Property)
- 2.12 Position of man and woman in Islam :
 - Marriage Laws in Islam and their uses.
 - Family life in Islam
 - Husband and wife
 - Rights and duties of parents and Children
 - Talaq and Idhdha
- 2.13 Jinayath
 - Hudood, Kisas and Ta'zeer

Third Paper

- 3. Seera and Tarigh
 - 3.1 Socio-Religious position in Arabian Society in the period before Islam.
 - 3.1.1 Prophet Mohamed (Sal)
 - Life before the Nubuwwath
 - * Family Lineage
 - * Youth hood
 - * Noble characteristics
 - * Marriage
 - Life between Nubuwwath and Hijrath
 - * Nubuwwath
 - * Propaganda of Islam and its outcomes
 - * Hijirath
 - Madina Life
 - * Socio Political activities
 - * Defensive wars and Peace Agreements
 - * Completion of Islam
 - Position of Sahabas and their contribution towards Islam
 - History and Political contribution of Kulafa Urrashidoon
 - Period of rule by Umaiya and Abbasiya
 - History of Baitul Mukaddas
 - History and contributions of Sri Lankan Muslims

- Contribution of Muslims to Scientific Knowledge
- History relating to the following personalities
 - * Imam Buhari (Rah)
 - * Imam Shafi (Rah)
 - * Imam Gassali (Rah)
 - * Imam Abdul Cader Jeelani (Rah)
 - * Imam Saduli (Rah)

Fourth Paper

- 4. Aklaw (Islamic Values)
 - 4.1 View point of Islam on Aklaq
 - * Understanding Aqhalq
 - * Relationship between Iman and Aqhlaq
 - * Relationship between Aqhalq and Ibadath
 - * Purity of mind (Ikhlas)
 - 4.2 Taqwa
 - * Wara'u and Suhud
 - * Murakaba, Muhasafa
 - * Shawq
 - 4.3 Charity
 - * Dedication
 - * Gratitude
 - * Patience, Tolerance, accomodating, Pardoning
 - * Politeness
 - * Appreciation of time
 - * Safeguarding organs in the body : mouth, eye, ear and sew organs
 - * Respecting others
 - * Justice and honesty
 - * Important moral values visible among youth
 - * Harmonious living with people of other faiths
 - 4.4 Islamic Jurisprudence

Annexure II Name of towns and their town numbers where Examination Centres will be Established.

Town	Town No.	District No.
Colombo District		01
Colombo (Central)	01	
Bambalapitiya	02	

Town	Town No.	District No.	Town
Gampaha District		02	Nawalapitiya
Thihariya	03		Deltota
Mabola	04		Gelioya
Malwana	05		Nuwara Eliya District
Negombo	06		Nuwra Eliya
Kal-Eliya	07		Ratnapura District
Kalutara District		03	Eheliyagoda
Panadura	08		Balangoda
Kalutara	09		Badulla District
Aluthgama	10		Badulla
Galle District		04	Welimada
Galle	11		Monaragala District
Matara District		05	Bibila
Weligama	12		Ampara District
Matara	13		Akkaraipattu
Tangalle District		06	Pottuvil
Hambantota	14		Kalmunai
Kegalle District		07	Sammanthurai
Mawanella	15		Irakkaman
Warakapola	16		Nintavur
Kannattota	17		Oluvil
Kurunegala District		08	Batticaloa District
Kuliyapitiya	18		Kattankudy
Kurunegala	19		Eravur
Melsiripura	20		Valachchenai
Polgahawela	21		Trincomalee District
Kekunagolla	22		Mutur
Puttalam District		09	Kinniya
Nuraichcholai	23		Trincomalee
Puttalam	24		Vavuniya District
Chilaw	25		Vavuniya
Anuradhapura District		10	Mannar District
Anuradhapura	26		Mannar
Kekirawa	27		Mullaitivue District
Galenbindunuwewa	28		Mullaitivu
Polonnaruwa District		11	Kilinochchi District
Kaduruwela	29		Kilinochchi
Matale District		12	Jaffna District
Matale	30		Jaffna
Kandy District		13	Ι
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