

**BIS Weekend Islamic School**

**Grade 3 Islamic Studies**

**Final Term Study Guide**

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**The test will cover Chapters 15-28 from the book. The test will contain 25 questions.**

1. Who was the first Khulafa-e Rashidun ?

Ans. Abu Bakr (RA)

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3. Who was the second Khalifah of Islam?

Ans. Umar al-Khattab (RA)

4. Name few achievements of Umar (RA) as Khalifah

Ans. He started the Islamic calendar from the date of migration of the Prophet (S).

He began a survey and assessment of lands for collecting taxes.

He made sure the poor among the Jews and Christians who lived in conquered lands got regular money from the government.

5. Who was the third Khalifah ?

Ans. Uthman ibn Affan (RA)

6. Mention some of the achievements of Uthman (RA) during his life

Ans. He made copies of Quran and circulated them to different parts of the country.

He took care of poor and orphans and gave them generous charity.

7. Who was the fourth Khalifa ?

Ans. Ali Ibn Abu Talib (RA)

8. Write down the 6 Imams and their compilation of ahadith

Ans. Imam Muhammad ibn Ismail al-Bukhaari – Sahih Bukhari

Imam Muslim ibn al-Hajjaj -- Sahih Muslim

Allamah Abu Dawud Sulaiman -- Sunan Abu Dawud

Allamah Abu Isa Tirmidhi -- Sunan al-Tirmidhi

Allamah Ahmad al Nasa'i -- Sunan al-Sughra

Allamah Ibn Majah -- Sunan Ibn Majah

9. What are the six collections of hadith called?

Ans. As-Sahih sitta, (the true six)

10. Who are the people that Shaitaan cannot mislead?

Ans. Shaitaan cannot mislead the righteous people who follow the right path.

11. Who is our biggest enemy since we are born?

Ans. Shaitaan is our biggest enemy as he is invisible and whispers us to do wrong things.

12. What were the people of 'Ad famous for?

Ans. The people of 'Ad were successful, powerful and could do uncommon things. They built beautiful houses and tall structures on the mountains. They were great craftsmen.

13. What happened to people of 'Ad for disobeying Allah? What can we learn from this lesson?

Ans. The people of 'Ad were proud and disobedient to Allah. So Allah punished them. They were destroyed by a fierce hurricane. The lesson we learn here is we may enjoy for a while by disobeying Allah but we may suffer punishment and destruction if we do not follow the right path.

14. What type of houses did the people of Thamud build?

Ans. They built tall buildings on the plains and knew how to cut out beautiful homes on the hills.

15. What happened to the people of Thamud for disobeying Allah and what do we learn from this?

Ans. The people of Thamud were proud and disobedient to Allah. So Allah punished them. They were destroyed by severe earthquakes. The lesson we learn here is we may enjoy for a while by disobeying Allah but we may suffer punishment and destruction if we do not follow the right path.

16. What is the dua made by Musa (AS) to Allah when he helped the women fetch water?

Ans. "My Lord! Truly, I am in need of whatever good that You bestow on me!"

17. How did the magicians realized that Musa (A) is speaking the truth?

Ans. In the festival arranged by Firawn, the magicians threw their rods and they became snakes. But when Musa (A) threw his rod, it began to eat what they created out of magic. Seeing this, the magicians realized Musa (A) was speaking the truth and they started believing in One Allah.

18. Explain Sulaiman (A) 's power and army greatness.

Ans. Sulaiman (A) had a large army to run his vast kingdom. His army included horses, camels, birds and jinn. He also had a large number of ships that were used to conquer other territories and do business in far off places. His ships used the power of the wind for his benefit. He also had the ability to understand the language and behavior of birds and animals. He used skillful builders to construct palaces for him. The jinn dived for him under the sea to extract pearls.

19. In few lines explain Sulaiman (AS).

Ans. Sulaiman (AS) was the richest prophet and a king. He had extraordinary power and wisdom. He was an excellent judge and Quran mentions some of the examples of his judgment.

20. How can we avoid sins?

Ans. We can avoid sins by being truthful and avoid lying.

21. What does truthfulness leads to? Explain.

Ans. If we are truthful, we can expect forgiveness from Allah. Our truthfulness will benefit us on the Day of Judgment. By practicing it, a person becomes better in the sight of Allah. And Allah says in the Quran that for truthful men and women, he has prepared forgiveness and a great reward.

22. What is the difference between patience and perseverance?

Ans. Perseverance is the quality of sticking to something until it is done and Patience is tolerating pain or difficulty until it disappears by itself.

23. What was the quality of Dawud (AS) that gave him the victory over Jalut ?

Ans. Dawud (AS) had perseverance which gave him victory over Jalut.

24. What is the main purpose of the Day of Judgment?

Ans. The main reason for the Day of Judgment is to do justice. Many times in this world a sinner is not punished in his lifetime. We also see a good believer suffers in poverty or other difficulties. Sometimes justice happens in this life, but many times we cannot see how it happened. Sometimes, justice happens long after we die. All these are principles of Allah. The Day of Judgment is set so that absolute justice is done to each and everyone.

25. What are two festivals celebrated by Muslims? Explain.

Ans. The two major festivals are Eid al-Fitr and Eid al-Adha. Eid al-Fitr is celebrated at the end of the month of Ramadan. It is celebrated on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Shawwal. In the month of Ramadan, all Muslims fast for twenty nine to thirty days and a festival is observed to mark the end of the month long fasting.

Eid al Adha is observed in the month of Dhul-Hajj. It is a festival of Sacrifice. It is observed to remember the readiness of Prophet Ibrahim (A) to sacrifice his own son for the sake of Allah. We sacrifice the animal such as sheep, goats, cows or camels but it has to be a mammal. And the meat of the sacrificed animal is given away to the friends, relatives and needy.