



Sheikh Zayed Islamic Centre
 University of the Punjab, Lahore
Course Outline

Programme	BS Islamic Studies	Course Code	ISQH-102	Credit Hours	3
Course Title	Study of <i>Sīrah</i> of the Holy Prophet (PBUH)			Semester	I
Course Introduction					
<p>The course titled "Study of the <i>Sīrah</i> (Life and Biography) of the Prophet <i>Muhammad</i> (PBUH)" is designed to offer students a profound exploration of the life, character, and historical significance of the Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him). This course is a valuable endeavor that aims to provide a comprehensive understanding of the Prophet's life and teachings, shedding light on the pivotal role he played in the development of Islam and its impact on the world. Throughout this course, students will engage in an in-depth study of various aspects of the Prophet's life, including his early years, family background, Prophethood, leadership, and the challenges he faced during his mission. They will delve into his exemplary character, ethics, and the way he interacted with diverse individuals and communities. The course will also explore the historical and cultural context in which the Prophet lived, offering insights into the Arabian Peninsula of his time and the broader implications of his message. Students will examine primary sources, <i>Hadīth</i> (Prophetic traditions), and historical accounts to gain a well-rounded perspective on the life of the Prophet (peace be upon him). Moreover, this course seeks to foster a deeper spiritual connection among students by delving into the spiritual and moral teachings of the Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him). It encourages reflection on how his life serves as a timeless guide for individuals striving to embody the principles of compassion, justice, humility, and ethical conduct.</p>					
Learning Outcomes					
<p>Upon completion of the course, students will have gained:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A comprehensive understanding of the life, character, and historical significance of the Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him). Students will have a deep appreciation for the historical and cultural context in which the Prophet lived, enabling them to interpret his life within its proper framework. 2. Students will be capable of analyzing and appreciating the exemplary character, ethics, and moral values embodied by the Prophet (peace be upon him). 3. Graduates will understand the leadership qualities of the Prophet and his profound impact on society, including his role in promoting justice, compassion, and social harmony. 4. The course will provide spiritual insights by exploring the spiritual teachings and practices of the Prophet, fostering a deeper connection to the faith. 5. They will be able to apply the wisdom and principles derived from the <i>Sīrah</i> to contemporary challenges, promoting ethical conduct and social responsibility. 					
Course Content					

ہفتہ 1: ماخذ سیرت قرآن، حدیث، تاریخی روایات اور دستاویزات بطور ماخذ سیرت
ہفتہ 2: بعثت نبوی سے قبل اقوام عالم اور بالخصوص جزیرہ عرب کے حالات
ہفتہ 3: سیرت نبوی ﷺ (پیدائش تا بعثت) پیدائش تا بعثت اہم واقعات۔
ہفتہ 4: بعثت تا ہجرت بعثت تا ہجرت اہم واقعات
ہفتہ 5: ہجرت مدینہ اسباب، واقعات اور اثرات
ہفتہ 6: مواخات مدینہ اور بیثاق مدینہ اسباب، واقعات اور اثرات
ہفتہ 7: غزوہ بدر و غزوہ احد پس منظر، اسباب اور واقعات و نتائج
ہفتہ 8: مڈ ٹرم امتحان
ہفتہ 9: غزوات نبوی ﷺ (غزوہ احزاب، صلح حدیبیہ) پس منظر، اسباب اور واقعات و نتائج
ہفتہ 10: غزوات نبوی ﷺ (غزوہ خیبر، جنگ موتہ) پس منظر، اسباب اور واقعات و نتائج
ہفتہ 11: غزوات نبوی ﷺ (فتح مکہ، غزوہ حنین، غزوہ تبوک) پس منظر، اسباب اور واقعات و نتائج
ہفتہ 12: خطبہ حجۃ الوداع پس منظر، واقعات، فرامین نبوی ﷺ، تاریخی و قانونی اہمیت
ہفتہ 13: لقد کان لکم فی رسول اللہ اسوۃ حسنۃ نبی ﷺ کی زندگی تا قیامت اسوہ کامل و اکمل ہے۔
ہفتہ 14: سابقہ اسباق کا اعادہ
ہفتہ 15: اسائنمنٹس کی پیش کاری

ہفتہ 16: فائنل ٹرم امتحان

Textbooks/ Reading Material

1. عبدالملک ابن ہشام، السیرۃ النبویہ ﷺ
2. محمد بن سعد، الطبقات الکبریٰ
3. محمد ابن جریر الطبری، تاریخ الرسل والملوک
4. اسماعیل بن کثیر، البدایہ والنہایہ
5. قاضی عیاض بن موسیٰ، کتاب الشفاء بتعریف حقوق المصطفیٰ
6. شیخ عبدالحق محدث دہلوی، مدارج النبوة
7. مولانا صفی الرحمن مبارکپوری، الرحیق المختوم
8. مولانا شبلی نعمانی، سیرت النبی ﷺ
9. سید سلیمان ندوی، رسول رحمت ﷺ
10. قاضی سلیمان منصور پوری، رحمت للعالمین
11. ڈاکٹر خالد علوی، انسان کامل ﷺ
12. پیر کرم شاہ الازہری، ضیاء النبی ﷺ
13. ڈاکٹر محمد حمید اللہ، رسول اللہ ﷺ کی سیاسی زندگی

Teaching Learning Strategies			
Throughout the courses, lectures and cooperative learning methods will be used. Students will work in small groups, discuss class readings, emphasize interaction with ideas, and come up with questions that will lead the discussion toward deeper understanding of the readings.			
Assignment Types and Numbers			
Class Participation, Minor and Major Assignments			
Major Assignments:			
1. Analysis of Articles Based on Academic Writing Standards Discussed in the Classroom.			
2. Research Proposal Writing			
3. Book/Article Review			
Assessment and Examination			
Sr. No.	Elements	Weightage	Details
1.	Midterm Assessment	35%	Written Assessment at the mid-point of the semester.
2.	Formative Assessment	25%	Continuous assessment includes Classroom participation, assignments, presentations, viva voce, attitude and behavior, direct activities, short tests, projects, practical, reflections, readings, quizzes etc.
3.	Final Assessment	40%	Written Examination at the end of the semester. It is mostly in the form of a test, but owing to the nature of the course the teacher may assess their students based on term paper, research proposal development, field work and report writing etc.