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FACULTY OF ARTS, ARABIC AND ISLAMIC CIVILIZATION UNIT

GENERAL EXAMINATION IN ARTS, 1<sup>ST</sup> YEAR, SEMESTER –I, YEAR  
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ICV – 1107, Introduction to Islamic principles (EM)

Time: two hours

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Answer any three questions below:

1. The Islamic concept of education is logical and rationale. Examine this statement.
2. Demonstrate with examples that the Holy Qur'anic guidelines are pertinent for all times.
3. Hadith is one of the fundamental sources of Islam, explain with evidence.
4. Rationally examine, whether following a particular Madhhab is feasible in contemporary practice.
5. Explain one of the following sects of thought which originated in the name of Islam,
  - a. Shias
  - b. khawarij
  - c. Mu'thazilah

(OR)

Explain the main elements of objectives of Islamic law (mahasidush Shari'a) and comment on their necessity.