

PERSIAN

PAPER - I

Part I : Poetry :

1. Mathnavi - Rumi : 1st Daftar (1st half)
2. Shahnama-Firdawasi : Selected pieces :
 - (i) Aghaz-i-Dastan-i-Sahrab
 - (ii) Raftan-i-Rustan Ba Shikar wa Rashidan-i-Nazdi Shah Samangan.
 - (iii) Amadan-i-Tahminah nazdi Rustam wa be i-Rustam ura. zanigiriftan-
3. Hafiz : Diwan-i-Hafiz : (1st part only)
4. Ghazals of Saidi,
 - (i) Barkhez ta yaksu mihim.
 - (ii) Wagi-i-Tarab Khush Yaftan.
 - (iii) In Tui Sarwi bustani.
 - (iv) Aiki gufti hich Mushkil chum Firg-i-nist.
 - (v) Khushtar az dawran-i-ishk ayyam nist.
5. Ruba'yet-I-Umar Khayyam
1st 15 rubayats only Book recommended,
Rubayat-I-Umar Khayyam
Edited by Late A.C. Bose.
6. Parwin I tasami : Yad-i-Yaran
7. Iraj Mirza : Madar, Sharab, Bechara, Madar

Part - II : Prose :

1. Chehar Maqalah : Maqalah-i-Awwal
2. Siyasat Namah : Andar Ummal wa Pursidan-i-Ahwal-i-Waziram wa Dabiran
3. Seh Nasr-Zahuri : Nasr-i-Awwal.
4. Darye-i-Gawhar :
 - (i) Khanah-i-Pindari
 - (ii) Amaniyat
5. Kimiya-i-Saadat, Paida Kardan
Sharayat Riyazat
6. Nazhatul Qulub, The whole selection (from, Muntakhabut-I-Farsi, Calcutta University, 1963)
7. Muntakhabat Tawarikh
The whole selection. (from Muntakhabat-I-Farsi, Calcutta University, 1963.)

Books recommended :

1. Mathnavi Rumi by Jalaluddin Rumi.
2. Shahnamah by Firdausi.
3. Diwan-i-Hafiz.
4. Chazliyat-i-Sadi by Sadi.
5. Darya-i-Gawhr by Dr. Meddi Hamidi, Vol.-III
6. Seh Nasr-i-Zahuri by Zahuri Turshizi
7. Darya-i-Gawhar by Dr. Meddi Hamidi, Vol.-I

PARSIAN

PAPER - II

Part I : History of Parsian Language and Literature :

- (a) Origin and development of Persian Language.
- (b) Origin and development of persian Literature.
 - (i) Classical background
 - (ii) Socio-cultural influences.
 - (iii) Modern trends, Origin and development of modern literary genres including drama, short story, essay.

Part II : Translation, Grammar, Rhetoric, Essay :

- (a) Translation of unseen Persian passage into English.
- (b) Significant features of Persian Grammar and Rhetorics.
- (c) Short essay in Persian on a subject connected with Persian Literature.

Books recommended :

1. Literary History of Persia, 5 Vol. E.G. Browne.
2. History of Persian Language and Literature
Dr. N.H. Ansari
3. Tarikha-dabiya-i-Farsi, Raza Zadeh Shafa.
4. Sherul Azam, 5 Vol. Allama Shibli.
5. San adid-i-Azam, Mehdi Nasiri
6. Dastur-i-Zaban Farsi, Dr. P.N. Khanlari
7. Iimul Balaghat - Abdul Majid.

Note :

- (i) The candidates are expected to answer critical questions on the authors and the poem as well as the General Characteristics of the Literature.
- (ii) The candidates will be required to answer some questions carrying not less than 25 percent marks in Persian.