3.13 Prophethood (Risalah): 10-minute Pack

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Total Marks

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Answer ALL questions.

1 This question checks key vocabulary used in Muslim teaching about prophethood.

(a) State what is meant by Risalah. **(1)**

(b) Give the Arabic term for 'prophet'. **(1)**

(c) Give the Arabic term for 'messenger', a prophet given a book of revelation to deliver. **(1)**

(d) State how many prophets are named in the Qur'an. **(1)**

(e) Give the title given to Muhammad as the final prophet. **(1)**

(Total for Question 1 is 5 marks)

2 Give three prophets named in the Qur'an.

(Total for Question 2 is 3 marks)

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3 Explain two reasons why prophets are important in Islam. Refer to the Qur'an in your answer.

(Total for Question 3 is 4 marks)

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Question 1

(a) prophethood, the belief that Allah sends messages to humanity through chosen prophets, oe **B1**

(a) Answer: Prophethood: the belief that Allah sends messages through chosen prophets.

(b) Nabi, oe **B1**

(b) Answer: Nabi.

(c) Rasul, oe **B1**

(c) Answer: Rasul.

(d) twenty-five (25), oe **B1**

(d) Answer: Twenty-five.

(e) the Seal of the Prophets (Khatam an-Nabiyyin), oe **B1**

(e) Answer: The Seal of the Prophets.

Question 2

Adam, oe **B1**

Ibrahim (Abraham), oe **B1**

Musa (Moses) / Isa (Jesus) / Muhammad, any not already credited, oe **B1**

Answer: Any three: Adam; Ibrahim; Musa; Isa; Muhammad.

Question 3

point 1: prophets are chosen by Allah to guide humanity and deliver his message, oe **B1**

development: Qur'an 21:25 teaches that every messenger was told, 'There is no deity except Me, so worship Me', showing the shared purpose of the prophets' message, oe **B1**

point 2: prophets set a moral example for believers to follow in their own lives, oe **B1**

development: Qur'an 33:21 describes Muhammad as an excellent example ('uswa hasana') for believers to imitate, oe **B1**

Answer: E.g. prophets deliver Allah's unified message (Qur'an 21:25); Muhammad as an example to imitate (Qur'an 33:21).

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