



آغا خان یونیورسٹی ایگزامینیشن بورڈ
AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION BOARD

Syllabus Changes Applicable for Examinations 2023 and Onwards

Purpose of Revision: Syllabi, Exam Specifications, Model Papers and Resource Guides of AKU-EB are periodically revised to

- review the learning outcomes for inclusion of new and deletion of obsolete knowledge
- review the content for clarity and relevance as per the changing needs of students, teachers and society
- ensure development of higher-order thinking and problem-solving skills in students
- enhance and strengthen continuation and progression of content both within and across grades IX - XII (SCC and HSSC)
- ensure the readiness of students for higher education
- ensure that needs of the direct and indirect stakeholders are identified and addressed
- ensure effective implementation of the best international, national and trans-provincial standards and practices
- identify, develop and share adequate resources for effective implementation of syllabi and classroom practices

Overview of Changes

- **Revised Syllabi:** The syllabi of Set 5 subjects have been revised. These will be examined in Annual Examinations 2023 and onwards for part 1 and in Annual Examinations 2024 and onwards for part 2. These include:

SSC	Islamiyat, History of Pakistan, History and Geography of Pakistan, Geography
HSSC	Islamic Studies, Islamic History, Geography, Pakistan Culture, Computer Studies, Urdu Literature

- **Revised Examination Specifications 2023 and Onwards:** The Examination Specifications for all subjects have been changed EXCEPT for English Compulsory, Literature in English, Urdu Compulsory, Urdu Aasan, Sindhi, Art and Model Drawing and Fine Arts. These will be examined in Annual Examinations 2023 and onwards for all subjects and grades.

(**Note:** The Revised Examination Specifications 2023 are present at the end of each syllabus. A compilation of these subjects is also available as a separate document titled 'Examination Specifications 2023')

- **Model Examination Papers 2023 and Onwards:** Model Papers for all subjects have been developed based on the Examination Specifications 2023.
- **Resource Guides:** Teaching and Learning Resource Guides for all subjects have been revised based on current availability of resources in the market and online.
- **Withdrawal of the Syllabus of Additional Mathematics:** This syllabus has been withdrawn and is no longer offered at any level due to its redundancy after revision of all mathematics-related syllabi.