

Here are the step-by-step answers for the Summer Camp 2026 Q&A, designed to be clear and educational for both Group-A and Group-B students.

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## Summer Camp 2026: Islamic Studies Q&A

### 1. What is Deen?

Deen is a complete way of life. Unlike just a "religion" in the modern sense, it encompasses a person's beliefs, character, transactions, and daily conduct according to Divine guidance.

### 2. What is Islam?

Islam literally means "submission" and "peace." It is the act of submitting one's will to the Will of Allah (SWT) and following the guidance sent through His messengers.

### 3. What is Shariat?

Shariat refers to the Divine Law. It is the set of practical rules and regulations (derived from the Quran and Sunnah) that guide a Muslim's actions, worship, and social dealings.

### 4. What is Nabi and what is Rasool?

- **Nabi:** A Prophet who receives revelation from Allah to guide people but usually follows the law (Shariat) of a previous Messenger.
- **Rasool:** A Messenger who is given a new Divine Book and a specific Law (Shariat) to deliver to a nation.

### 5. Who was the first Nabi and who was the last Rasool?

- **First Nabi:** Prophet Adam (A.S.).
- **Last Rasool:** Prophet Mohammed ﷺ.

### 6. What is the meaning of Millat-e-Islamia?

It refers to the global community of Muslims, bound together by a shared faith, culture, and religious heritage, regardless of their nationality or race.

### 7. What is the meaning of Ummat?

Ummat means "nation" or "community." In this context, it refers to the *Ummah* of Prophet Mohammed ﷺ—all those who follow his message.

### 8. What is the difference between Nabi and Rasool?

Every Rasool is a Nabi, but not every Nabi is a Rasool. A Rasool brings a new Shariat and a Book, while a Nabi reinforces the existing Shariat of the time.

### **9. Who are Prophets and who appoints them?**

Prophets are chosen human beings who serve as intermediaries between Allah and humanity. They are **appointed solely by Allah (SWT)**; no person can become a Prophet through their own effort or merit.

### **10. Name some Prophets mentioned in the Quran.**

Prophet Adam, Nuh (Noah), Ibrahim (Abraham), Moosa (Moses), Isa (Jesus), Ismail, Ishaq, Yusuf, and Yunus (peace be upon them all).

### **11. Name some Prophets who were given Books.**

- **Prophet Dawood (A.S.):** Zabur (Psalms).
- **Prophet Moosa (A.S.):** Tawrat (Torah).
- **Prophet Isa (A.S.):** Injeel (Gospel).
- **Prophet Mohammed ﷺ:** Holy Quran.

### **12. What is Quran? And for how long was it revealed?**

The Quran is the literal Word of Allah (SWT), revealed as the final guidance for mankind. It was revealed to Prophet Mohammed ﷺ gradually over a period of approximately **23 years**.

### **13. What is Aalam-e-Arwah, Aalam-e-Wajood, Aalam-e-Barzakh, and Aalam-e-Akhirat?**

- **Aalam-e-Arwah:** The World of Souls (where souls existed before birth).
- **Aalam-e-Wajood:** The Physical World (the current life on Earth).
- **Aalam-e-Barzakh:** The Intermediate World (the life in the grave after death until Resurrection).
- **Aalam-e-Akhirat:** The Hereafter (the eternal life after the Day of Judgment).

### **14. What are the main teachings of Quran? And what is Tawheed, Risalat, and Aakhirat?**

The Quran teaches the Oneness of God and moral conduct.

- **Tawheed:** Belief in the absolute Oneness of Allah.
- **Risalat:** Belief in the Prophethood of all Messengers, ending with Mohammed ﷺ.
- **Aakhirat:** Belief in the Life After Death and the Day of Judgment.

### **15. What is Islam and what is Imaan?**

- **Islam:** The outward submission (performing the 5 pillars).
- **Imaan:** The inward belief and conviction in the heart regarding the articles of faith.

## 16. What are the Pillars of Islam?

1. **Shahadah** (Faith)
2. **Salah** (Prayer)
3. **Zakat** (Charity)
4. **Sawm** (Fasting)
5. **Hajj** (Pilgrimage)

## 17. What is Imaan-e-Mujmil?

It is the "Brief Declaration of Faith": *"I believe in Allah as He is with His names and attributes, and I accept all His commands."*

## 18. What is Imaan-e-Mufassil?

It is the "Detailed Declaration of Faith": Belief in Allah, His Angels, His Books, His Messengers, the Last Day, Destiny (Good and Bad), and Resurrection after death.

## 19. Define Muslim, Momin, Kaafir, Mushrik, and Munafiq.

- **Muslim:** One who submits to Allah.
- **Momin:** A true believer with deep conviction in the heart.
- **Kaafir:** One who rejects the truth of Islam.
- **Mushrik:** One who associates partners with Allah (Polytheist).
- **Munafiq:** A hypocrite (one who pretends to be Muslim but hides disbelief).

## 20. What is the role of a Muslim/Human on Earth?

The role is to be a *Khalifah* (vicegerent/representative) of Allah on Earth, establishing justice, doing good, and preventing evil.

## 21. What is the purpose of life?

The purpose of life is to recognize, worship, and serve Allah (SWT) as stated in the Quran (Surah Adh-Dhariyat, 51:56).

## 22. What are the sources of Islamic Knowledge?

1. The **Quran** (The Word of Allah).
2. The **Sunnah/Hadith** (Actions and sayings of the Prophet ﷺ).
3. **Ijma** (Consensus of scholars).
4. **Qiyas** (Analogical reasoning).

## 23. What is Fiqa?

Fiqa (Jurisprudence) is the human understanding and application of Shariat to specific legal and practical issues in life.

#### **24. What is Meesaq? And where is it mentioned?**

Meesaq is the "Covenant." It refers to the oath all souls took in Aalam-e-Arwah to recognize Allah as their Lord. It is mentioned in the Quran (Surah Al-A'raf, 7:172).

#### **25. What is Seerat-un-Nabi?**

It is the study of the life, character, and biography of Prophet Mohammed ﷺ.

#### **26. What are Ahadees?**

Ahadees are the recorded sayings (**Aqwal**), actions (**Aamal**), and silent approvals of Prophet Mohammed ﷺ.

#### **27. Name some prominent companions (Sahabah).**

Abu Bakr Siddiq, Umar ibn al-Khattab, Uthman ibn Affan, Ali ibn Abi Talib, Khalid ibn al-Walid, and Bilal ibn Rabah (may Allah be pleased with them).

#### **28. What is the meaning of Sahabah and Sahabiyyat?**

- **Sahabah:** The male companions who saw the Prophet ﷺ, believed in him, and died as Muslims.
- **Sahabiyyat:** The female companions of the Prophet ﷺ.

#### **29. What is Khilafat-ur-Raashida? Name the first four.**

It is the "Rightly Guided Caliphate." The first four Caliphs are:

1. Hazrat Abu Bakr Siddiq (R.A.)
2. Hazrat Umar ibn al-Khattab (R.A.)
3. Hazrat Uthman ibn Affan (R.A.)
4. Hazrat Ali ibn Abi Talib (R.A.)

#### **30. Who were called Tabaye and Tabae Tabaye?**

- **Tabaye (Tabi'un):** The generation of Muslims who met the Sahabah but did not see the Prophet ﷺ.
- **Tabae Tabaye (Atba al-Tabi'in):** The generation who met the Tabaye.

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