



HAMEED URDU ACADEMY | ORIGINAL STUDENT RESOURCE

9UR0

Pearson Edexcel A Level

Urdu Exam Readiness

Translation, research, works, listening, reading and extended writing

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THREE EXTERNALLY EXAMINED PAPERS | MAY/JUNE

Always confirm the current specification and entry details with the school or examination centre.

**01 | QUALIFICATION MAP**

Know what the exam actually requires.

Use this page as an orientation map, then work from the official specification for your examination year. The academy pack does not replace the awarding body's syllabus, permitted-material rules or centre instructions.

PAPER 1**Translation, reading and research writing**

2 hours 30 minutes | 80 marks | 40% | Urdu-to-English translation, reading and research question

PAPER 2**Translation and response to works**

2 hours 40 minutes | 110 marks | 30% | English-to-Urdu translation and two essays on approved works

PAPER 3**Listening, reading and writing**

2 hours 15 minutes | 60 marks | 30% | listening plus integrated source evaluation

ROUTE-CHECK QUESTION

Can you show the exact awarding body, syllabus code, tier or series on the student's entry information? If not, confirm that first. Preparation should never begin from a guessed route.



02 | HOW MARKS IMPROVE

Turn practice into visible decisions.

A useful practice task should reveal a decision the student can repeat next time. Score alone is not enough: record what caused each lost mark and what action will prevent it.

PRIORITY 1**Research with evidence**

Build a source log and answer the question using both research and the unseen text.

PRIORITY 2**Analyse works**

Use accurate reference, develop an argument and evaluate technique or viewpoint.

PRIORITY 3**Translate meaning**

Check tense, idiom, register and natural expression in the target language.

PRIORITY 4**Synthesize sources**

Summarise and evaluate listening and reading viewpoints before concluding.

THE FOUR-COLUMN ERROR LOG

Task / question

What went wrong

Why it happened

Next-time action

**03 | START SMALL**

A focused two-week study sprint.

Use current official specimen or past material where a day requires exam-style practice. This schedule supplies the method; it does not reproduce copyrighted questions.

DAY 1-2

Audit Paper 1 translation, reading and research-writing evidence separately.

DAY 3

Translate one short Urdu passage into natural English.

DAY 4-5

Build a claim-evidence-source map for the research subject.

DAY 6

Write one research paragraph combining source and prior research.

DAY 7

Translate one short English passage into accurate Urdu.

DAY 8-9

Plan two responses on the approved literary texts or film route.

DAY 10

Write one analytical paragraph under time.

DAY 11-12

Listening and reading: summarise each viewpoint separately.

DAY 13

Write a 220-270 word integrated evaluation under time.

DAY 14

Score readiness by paper and select three measurable priorities.



04 | MEASURE HONESTLY

What is ready - and what needs teaching?

READINESS CHECK

- ☐ I know my research subject and maintain a source log.
- ☐ I have confirmed my two approved works.
- ☐ I can translate in both directions.
- ☐ I can evaluate rather than only describe viewpoints.
- ☐ My practice reflects the 40/30/30 paper weighting.

MY NEXT THREE PRIORITIES

1

2

3

OFFICIAL SOURCE USED

Pearson Edexcel A Level Urdu 9UR0 specification, Issue 1

<https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/A%20Level/Urdu/2018/specification-and-sample-assessments/a-level-urdu-specification11.pdf>

TURN THE CHECKLIST INTO A PERSONAL PLAN

Send the qualification code and one recent answer to Hameed Urdu Academy on WhatsApp: +92 311 5114374. A diagnostic can identify focused next steps; it cannot guarantee a grade.