

## Question NO 2

There is an "unbridgable gulf" between Hinduism and Islam and their followers existed together in the same land for hundreds of years like two streams which continue to unparallel to each other indefinitely, without becoming one body of water." Elucidate.

### Answer

## INTRODUCTION

This statement means that hindu and Muslim are two spear separate communities having different religion. The practices and obligation are different. But these two communities lived together for more than thousands of year but still they were not intermingled or mixed together as a same or only one community. There are a lot of reasons that why these communities not unity because such as difference in religion, in culture, way of living, language, art, architecture and even difference in civilization.

Lir Syed Ahmed Khan said to shakspare it is impossible that these two communities lives together

Both communities lived together for  
a centuries but failed  
to live together in future.

These two communities live together  
several years with each other  
such as in the era of  
Mughal Empire.

The Era of Mughal Empire.  
In the era of Mughal  
Empire both communities lived  
together peacefully. At the time  
The Muslim were in rule

while hindus ~~or~~ were subordinated to them  
But the hindus never stand against  
the ruler and nor go went for  
revolution till the intervention of  
British.

They lived together because of the concept  
of equality.

During the Muslim rule they lived together  
peacefully because the concept of equality.  
Both communities treated equally  
in every sphere of life &  
whether in administration, education, in  
trade, in business however some priority  
to muslim.

The Freedom of Religion.

Both communities The only these two  
communities but also the other  
communities had the right to relig  
worshipped their own religion. There  
were no restriction on the  
religion practices of any community.

Protection of the Rights

During the Mughal Era all were  
treated equally and the  
right of every one protected.  
The system of courts treated  
equally all the communities.

# The Rule of Hindus

In 1937 when the ~~both~~ Hindu  
came into power they made some  
reforms and introduced policies that  
were totally inforable for Muslims  
and this rule ~~adds~~ adds  
and realized the Muslims that  
they are separate community and  
had separate identity.  
Muslims realize the following of the  
difference.

What are the reasons that these two communities not intermixed

1- Difference in history  
- There is contradiction between the historical backgrounds of both communities. The heroes of one community are the villain of the other community and vice versa. That's a reason that always creates conflict between two communities.

2- Both communities have their own culture. Add

The culture of one community is different from the other community. The things that one community practice and encourage the other community to discourage this because of the culture difference such as singing and dancing. This is the part of hindu culture but muslim discourage it. examples/references against your argument

3- Religion  
The reason most important reason there are difference between the religions of both community. This reason playing a very important role in creating difference between both

both communities.

For example

→ Islam is ~~polytheism~~ monotheism while Hinduism is polytheism. The Muslim has faith in only one Allah. while the Hinduism ~~pray~~ worship of many Gods such as Ram Raj, ~~Devi~~ Lalshmi etc.

→ ~~The muslim~~ → The Islam is divine religion but Hinduism is man made religion.

4- The Religion Practices of one community is the lin of other community. That's also a very important reason that's separate these communities. their there are a difference between practices and obligations.

For example.

→ Cow slaughter in Islam is a religion practice while in Hinduism they worship of cow.

→ The Muslims believe in life after death while the Hindu believe in Karma.

5- The way of living of both communities was are not same. There are also contradiction between the living standards of each other.

The customs and rituals are different of both the communities.

For Example:-

In Islam the Muslim of women wear hijab while there are no concept

6- of hijab in hinduism. The contradiction between the

language of two communities. The language of two communities was not the same. Each community work & create their own language.

For example

The language of Islam is Arabic while the Muslim of sub-continent the language was Urdu while the Hindi language of Hindus are the

7- The concept behind the basic of ~~the~~ nationalism was opposite!

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7- Differences in the Religious festivals. Even the festivals & are not same. Each community has its own special festival according to their religion.

For Example.

The festivals in Islam are Eid-ul-Azha and Eid-ul-jiter while the hinduism has its own festivals such as rakhbandh

8- ~~The~~ The concept of welfare is different in both communities.

The islamic <sup>state</sup> is a welfare state but in hinduism there <sup>was</sup> ~~that~~ not any concept of welfare state.

For example.

In Islam there ~~are~~ <sup>is</sup> the concept of zakaat but such concept is not found in the religion of hinduism.



# Conclusion

Because of all these difference Muslim recognize that they are separate from hindus and the rule added jeals on their thoughts. Because of these difference and harsh treatment faced by the muslim community they decided to lived separately and independantly where they are free and practice the teachings of Islam.

Improve the structure of the answer.

Attempt by giving proper headings and subheadings and relate the said to the qs statement

## Part II

### Question No 2:-

Basically educational in character, the Aligarh Movement was not devoid of political objectives. Discuss.

### Answer

#### INTRODUCTION

The Aligarh movement has very significant role in the history of Muslims of sub-continent. Even some people called the Aligarh movement gave birth to many leaders who played very well role in independence movement of Pakistan. Before the movement the condition of Muslims of sub-continent was very worse. Because of the war of independence. So, the purpose of this movement to help the Muslim and made their lives better. For this purpose the this movement was introduced and the focused was this movement was education. This movement believed that the solution of all the problems of the Muslim was the lack

of modern education. So, their main focus was on the education of the Muslims rather than politics. They believed that the education is the way through which Muslims were aware of the actual political problems and prepared themselves. And then they were able to solve the political problems, and achieved political objectives.

Who led this movement and why?

Sir Syed Ahmed Khan was a great leader who had led this movement. He was born in Delhi, 1817. When he was born his grandfather said "A jai has been arrived in our family".

He went to other countries for a higher education and he belonged to a well-educated family. He was a member of the Indian Legislative Council. He started the movement because the conditions of Muslims in the sub-continent were worse. The British government considered that the Muslim was responsible for the

war of Independence. And that's why they started harsh treatment with the Muslims of sub-continent. In a result the Muslim community become isolated.

So, that's why Sir Syed Ahmed Khan started the Aligarh movement.

The conditions of the Muslim of sub-continent.

Not required

1- The Britisher considered them for the war of Independence and vice versa. Both Both the Muslims and British Blame each other for the war of Independence. And considered each other their enemies. Muslim considered them their enemy because they snatch power from Muslims and British had years that Muslim will again try to come in power.

2- Aversion from the Modern education. As the relations between British and Muslims were not so good that's why Muslim don't did not take part in modern education.

that's why introduced by British.  
Another reason, Muslim consider that  
the modern education will betray  
them from their religion Islam.

3- No Jobs for Muslims.

As, Muslims are were not much educated  
that's why British was not  
gave them any higher job. They  
are were like the dogs in  
the manager offices. Because of the  
lack of jobs the condition  
of Muslims economically backward.

4- the Muslims As a depressed society  
Because of the financially poor,  
and lack of jobs, even  
no participation in administration  
this community were  
isolated and become the  
depressed community.

~~Because of all these reasons Sir Syed  
Ahmed.~~

The purpose of Aligarh  
The main objective of the  
Aligarh movement to get out  
help.

the Muslim isolation to in coming out from the  
happened when Muslims will only get  
the modern education are:

- The main objectives are:
- 1- Loyalty towards British
  - 2- Apologetic from politics
  - 3- To get the modern education in order to cope or tackle the political problems.

Why Sir Syed Ahmed Khan adopted the character of Education?

In sub-continent there were two majority communities the Muslim and Hindus that was governed by British. The Hindus were educated that's why they had good relations with British and because of education they were at higher position. So, Sir Syed Ahmed Khan believed that the solution of the all the problems of Muslim is ~~to~~ education and that's why he adopted the character of education.

1- To compete with other Muslim community

The main purpose of education was that without education Muslims were unable to compete with other community that who were more educated.

Because of the lack of education other community early defeated the Muslims in every sphere of life.

2- In order to maintain loyalty toward British.

The British was the ruling party in sub-continent if Muslims want to made their life better than they would made peaceful relations with British. To make peaceful relations with British, education is the only way that brings these two communities near together.

3- Made them able to solve their problems.

The Muslim faced many problems in sub-continent, to tackle them through education. Education awared them from the modernization the needs of the modern times and through the education they able to solve their problems.

4-10 made the Muslims As future leaders  
The main purpose of this education  
was to prepared them for  
the future. To give education now  
and give your voice for  
fundamental rights tomorrow. That  
the only me thing education  
who made them able to be  
lead the world in future.

For the education of the Muslims  
Sir Syed Ahmed Khan performed  
the following services in Education.

1- School And Madrasah<sup>as</sup>  
He performed by educational service  
in order to gave the education  
to Muslim and made education  
easy for Muslim. That Muslim gets  
easily education for this purpose  
he opened school in Muradabad  
and opened another  
school in Gazipur. That was the  
first school and Madrasah that  
give teachers the modern  
education.



## 2- Scientific Society

He introduced the scientific society. The purpose of this society was to translate the books. The books that ~~was~~ were in another language and unable to understand for the Muslims of sub-continent. ~~then~~ So, he translated these books into Urdu for easily understandable for them.

## 3- MOU School and College.

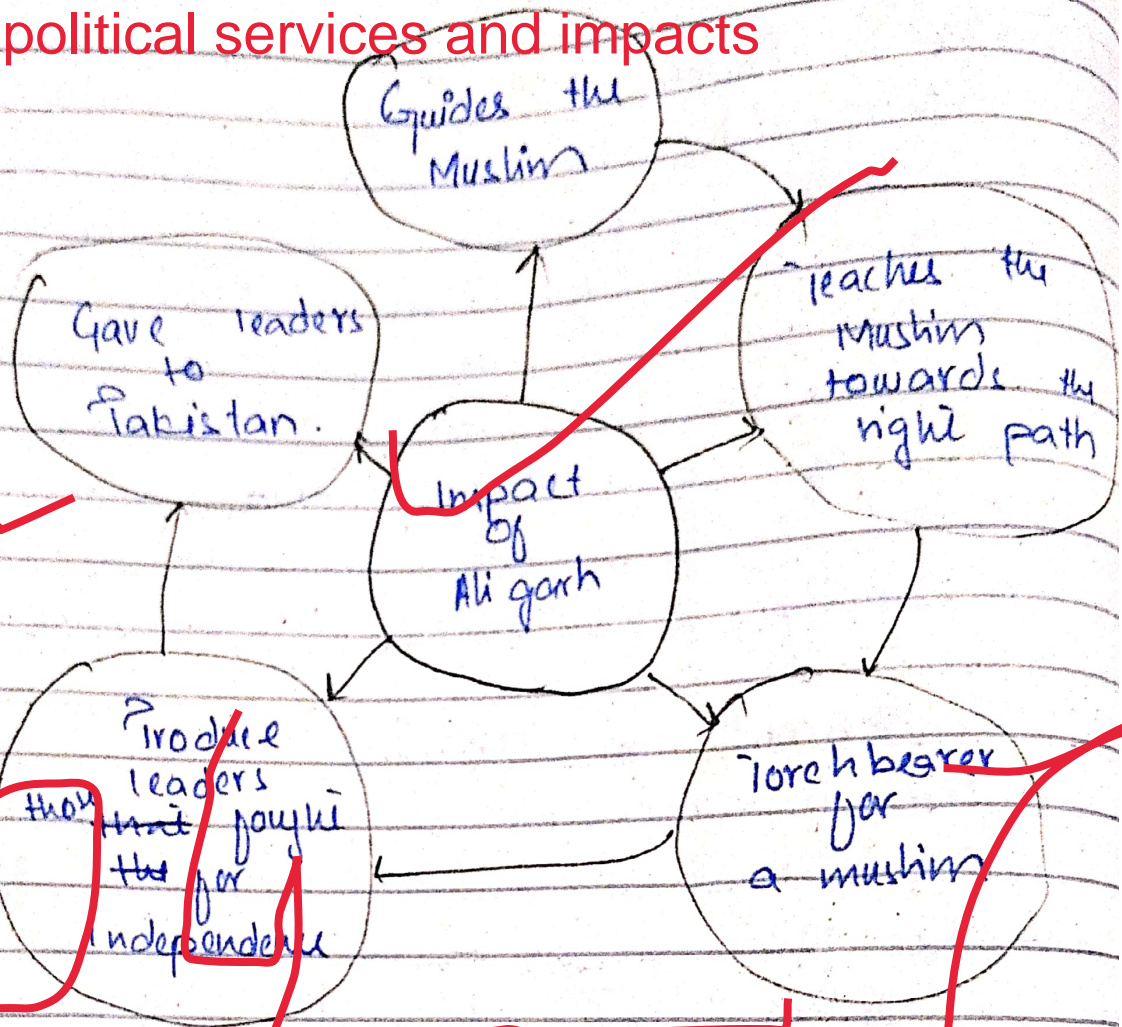
He opened MOU school and college. Later it will become the university. This was not only for the Muslims but for the other communities as well. The syllabus of MOU school and college was based on the syllabus of Oxford and Cambridge universities.

## Impacts of the Aligarh movement.

"The Aligarh movement injected the new spirit in the Muslims of sub-continent."

This movement has a positive impact on Muslims of sub-continent.

Not properly answered . You have understood the qs. It was about the political services and impacts



### Conclusion

The Muslims of sub-continent lived not a good life. They were depressed, isolated, deprived and backward community. The who losses all the hopes. The aligarh movement guides the muslim, motivated them and the muslims. The Muslim got the guided path and succeeded in getting the right in sub-continent also succeed in sub-continent and in independence the participation of sub-continent.