

## **Professor Ashfaq Ali khan**

Ferozepur, February 11, 1917; received early education, Gujrat; admission to Government College, 1931; B.A. (with honors in English), 1935; M.A. English 1937; Started his teaching career as a part-time teacher at Islamia College, Lahore, 1937; Joined Government College, Ludhiana, 1937; transferred to Multan, 1938; joined Government College, Lahore, 1944; Principal, Government College, Campbellpur, 1958 – 1964; Principal, Government College, Rawalpindi, 1964 – 67; Principal, Central Training college, January 1967 – December 1967; Principal, Government College, Lahore, December 1967 to August 1970; member of a number of local educational bodies member of the Punjab Civil Services Appellate Tribunal, August, 1972; a prolific writer, critic an author, an exponent of Pakistan movement; main contribution being: Pakistan: A Nation, published under the name of El-Hamza in February, 1941; a preacher of the notion of “hukumat” with “ hikamat” by which he means that the Government should be conducted by men of knowledge an not by a small group of bureaucrats, recipient of President’s medal for outstanding teachers in August 1967.