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MANG'U HIGH SCHOOL
HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT
Paper 2

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SECTION A: (25 marks)

Answer all questions in this section

1. Give two ways in which anthropology contributes to information on History and Government (2 marks)
2. Identify two chemical methods of dating materials used by archaeologists (2 marks)
3. Give two physical features of *Homo erectus* (2 marks)
4. State Charles Darwin’s theory of Evolution. (1 mark)
5. Give the main reason why man domesticated the dog (1 mark)
6. State any two disadvantages of using messengers to pass messages (2 marks)
7. State one disadvantage of the internet as a means of communication (2 marks)
8. State the major limitation of gold as a metal (1 mark)
9. Outline two factors that influenced the development of early urban centres in Africa (2 marks)
10. Identify the leader who convened the Berlin conference of 1884-1885 (1 mark)
11. Identify one country in Africa that was not colonized by the European powers (1 mark)
12. Give two reasons that influenced Lewanika to collaborate with the British (2 marks)
13. Identify two military tactics that Samori used against the French. (2 marks)
14. Identify one characteristic of the cold war (1 marks)
15. Give ONE functions of the council of Ministers of the Organization of African Unity. (1 mark)
16. State any two objectives for the formation of the Economic Community of West African States (2 marks)
17. Name the form of government that is practiced in Great Britain? (1 mk)

SECTION B: (45 marks)

Answer only three questions in this section

18. (a) State five reasons why early man domesticated crops and animals during the Neolithic period. (5marks)
(b) What was the impact of the Agrarian Revolution in Britain (10marks)
19. (a) State three factors that contributed to the development of Trans-Saharan trade. (3marks)
(b) Explain five positive results of Trans-Saharan trade on the people of Western Sudan. (10marks)
20. (a) State any three factors that led to the growth of London as an urban Centre (3marks)
(b) Discuss any six problems facing modern urban centre in Africa . (12marks)
21. (a). Outline five terms of the Berlin conference of 1884-1885. (5marks)
(b) Explain FIVE factors that led to the defeat of Shona and Ndebele during the Chimurenga uprising.(10marks)

SECTION C: (30marks)

Answer only two questions in this section

22. (a) Outline five causes of the First World war (5marks)
(b) Discuss five reasons why the League of Nations failed to preserve World peace (10marks)
23. (a) State three economic aspects of the Shona during the pre-colonial period. (3marks)
(b) Describe the political organization of the Asante Empire during the 19th Century (12marks)
24. (a) Identify three ways through which a person can become a member of the House of Lords in Britain. (3marks)
25. (b) Discuss six roles of the prime Minister in Britain (12marks)