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HISTORY & GOVERNMENT

Form 4

Paper 1

PRE-MOCKS

Time: 2 ½ Hours

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education KCSE

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- This paper consists of **two** Sections **A**, and **B**,
- Answer all questions in section **A** and **five** questions in section **B**.
- Answers to **all** questions must be written in the answer sheets Provided
- Candidates should check the question papers to ensure that all pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing.

Section A (15 marks)

1. Give the main limitation of relying on oral tradition as a source of information on Kenyan history(1mk)
2. Name the hominid whose remains were discovered at Rusinga Island (2mk)
3. Give two factors which influenced the Abaluhya to become crop farmers by the beginning of the 19th century (2mks)
4. State the main reason for the migration of the Luo into Kenya in the pre-colonial period (1mk)
5. State two roles played by Ptolemy in acquisition of information about the East Africa's Coast (2mks)
6. Mention two reasons why the Portuguese attempted to spread Christianity in East Africa had little success (2mks)
7. State two ways in which trading activities led to colonization of Africa (2mks)
8. Give one implication of the Devonshire White Paper of 1923 to the Asians (1mk)
9. Give one way through which the white settlers acquired land in Kenya during the colonial period (1mk)
10. Give the main reason for introduction of taxation during the colonial period in Kenya (1mk)
11. Name two education commissions created in the colonial Kenya to look into issues of African education (2mks)
12. State two reasons why Trade Unionism was inactive in Kenya up to 1914 (2mks)
13. Mention two roles of civilians during the struggle for independence in Kenya(2mks)
14. Give one arm of the county government (1mk)
15. Give two duties of the Director of public prosecution in Kenya (1mk)
16. State the main function of the Court Martial in Kenya (1mk)
17. State the main reasons why the government adopted the African Socialism philosophy in 1965 (1mk)

Section B (45marks)

18. a) State three ways in which the political structures of the Maasai and the Agikuyu were similar during the pre-colonial period (3mks)
b) Describe the political organization of the Mijikenda during the pre-colonial period (12mks)
19. a) State three reasons why the Akamba actively participated in the long distance trade (3mks)
b) Explain six effects of the Indian Ocean trade on the people of the East African coast during the pre-colonial period (12 mks)
20. a) What were the responsibilities of the Imperial British East African Company (5mks)
b) Explain six ways in which the introduction of colonial rule in Kenya affected Africans negatively (10mks)
21. a) State three characteristics of independent schools and churches in Kenya during the period of struggle for independence in Kenya (3mks)
b) Explain six factors for the rise of political organization in Kenya after 1945 (12mks)

Section C (30marks)

Answer any 2 questions from this section

22. a) Identify three peaceful ways of solving conflicts in Kenya today (3mks)
b) Explain how the bill of rights in the Kenyan constitution protects the rights of an individual (12mks)
23. a) Give three circumstances in which one's right to life may be taken away (3mks)
b) Explain six reasons why it is important to respect human rights (12mks)
24. a) Mention any five circumstances when the office of the county governor can become vacant in Kenya (5mks)
b) Explain five measures taken by the government to improve the services of the national security organs in Kenya today (10mks)