

FORM FOUR CLUSTER KCSE MODEL8

HISTORY& GOVERNMENT PAPER 1 QUESTIONS

SECTION A (25 Marks)

1. Name the period in History that relies on excavated materials and fossils.
2. Identify the archeological site in Kenya where the Ramapithecus remains were discovered.
3. Name two roles of age set system among the maasai :
4. Give two evidences which show that Portuguese ruled the Kenyan Coast.
5. State two technological factors that facilitated the coming of the early visitors to the Kenyan Coast.
6. Name the dispersal point of the River Lake Nilotes before sailing in their present day homeland
7. What was the main reason why Malindi welcomed the Portuguese in the 16th century?
8. Give two major exports from the Kenyan Coast by 1500AD:
9. Identify two written evidence of contacts between the Kenyan Coast and outside world before 1500AD.
10. . Name the Treaty that was signed to partition East Africa 1890
11. Give two political reasons why the Uganda railway was built.
12. Identify the main feature of education system during colonial period.
13. State two reasons why Kipande system was introduced in Kenya.
14. Identify one feature of African farming during the colonial period
15. State the main function of the parliament in Kenya
16. Identify two types of landholding in Kenya.

SECTION B (50 Marks)

17. a) State three reasons which led to the development between the East African Coast and Arabia by the 18th century. (3marks)
b) Explain six effects of Arab settlement along East African Coast. (12marks)
18. a) State any three roles played by the Njuri Ncheke among the Ameru people of Kenya. (3marks)
b) Describe the social organization of the Mijikenda in pre-colonial Kenya. (12marks)
19. a) State any five factors which the British used to colonize Kenya. (5marks)
b) Explain the impact of the British colonization and the political organization of African communities in Kenya. (10marks)
20. a) Outline five ways used by the colonial government to provide labour for the settler farmers in Kenya. (5marks)
b) Explain five effects of colonial land policies in Kenya on Africans. (10marks)

SECTION C (25 Marks)

21. . a) State three provision of Kenya's independence constitution of 1962. (3marks)

b) Identify the weakness of the old constitution which caused electoral violence in Kenya December 2007. (12marks)

22. a) State five peaceful methods of solving conflicts. (5marks)

Explain five economic factors that promote national unity. (10marks)

23. a) State five principles of democracy. (5marks)

b) Explain how the constitution of Kenya guarantees human rights. (10marks)