

KCSE 2017 REVISION QUESTIONS

HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT PP2

SECTION A (25 MKS)

Answer all questions in this section

- 1.State one theory that explains the origin of people (1mk)
2. Give one reason why Homo habilis was referred to as able man (1mk)
3. Identify one of picture writing during the early civilization (1mk)
- 4.State two ways in which the River Nile contributed to the development of early agriculture in Egypt (2mks)
- 5.State two problems faced by traders when using barter system (2mks)
- 6.Give two disadvantages of human transport (2mks)
- 7.What was the main contribution of Alexander Graham bell in the field of communication? (1mk)
8. What is the meaning of the term “urbanization? (1mk)
9. What was the main function of the council of elders among African societies during the pre-colonial period (1mk)
10. Identify one symbol of unity in the Asante kingdom during the pre-colonial period (1mks)
- 11.Name two weapon that were used during the cold war (2mks)
12. Identify any two personalities whose activities promoted colonialism in East Africa (2mks)
13. List two European countries that formed the triple Alliance before the outbreak of the First World War (2mks)
14. Give the main reason why the European powers held the Berlin conference of 1884 and 1885 (1mk)
15. State two social problems that were experienced by the French colonialist in Senegal (2mks)
16. State two reasons for the establishment of the united Nation Organization (UNO) (2mks)
17. Name one major political party in the United States of America (1mk)

SECTION B (45 MKS)

Answer any three questions in this section

- 18 a) what were the stages in the development of tools by the early people (3mks)

b) explain six ways through which the development of iron technology affected African communities in the pre-colonial period (12mks)

19 a) Give five effects of scientific inventions on agricultural development in Europe during the 19th century (5mks)

b) explain five major obstacles to scientific inventions in the developing (10mks)

20 a) State three factors that enabled European powers to colonize Africa in the late 19th century (3mks)

b) what were the results of the collaboration between lewanika of the lozi and the British in the 19th century (12mks)

21 a) Give five reasons why Ghana attained independence earlier than other African countries (5mks)

b) explain five problems encountered by the nationalists in South Africa in their struggle for independence (10mks)

SECTION C (30MKS)

Answer any two questions from this section

22 a) Name three chartered companies used by European powers to administer colonies in Africa (3mks)

b) Describe the structure of the French colonial administration in Senegal (12 mks)

23 a) State three economic developments that have taken place in Democratic Republic of Congo (3mks)

b) explain six political challenges which Tanzania has faced since independence (12mks)

24 a) List three organs of COMESA (3mks)

b) Explain six achievements of COMESA (12mks)