

KCSE 2017 JKIM JOINT EXAMINATION

Kenya certificate of secondary education-(K.C.S.E)

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311/1

HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT

Paper 1

Time: 2 ½ hours

Instructions to candidate

1. *This paper consist of three sections; A, B and C.*
2. *Answer all questions in section A, three questions from section B and two questions from section C.*
3. *Answers to all questions must be written in the answer booklet provided.*
4. *This paper consists 3 of printed papers.*
5. *Candidates should check the questions to ascertain that all the pages are printed and that no questions are missing.*

SECTION A (25 MARKS)

Answer all questions in this section

1. State two ways in which the Nandi and the Abaluyia communities interacted during the pre- colonial period. (2 mks)
2. Identify two communities which resisted the British Occupation of Kenya (2 mks)
3. Give the main reason why poll tax was introduced in Kenya during the colonial period (1 mk)
4. Who was the chairman of the East African Association during the colonial period in Kenya? (1 mk)
5. Name the first African to be nominated to the legislative Council in 1944 in Kenya (1 mk)
6. Identify two methods used by trade unionists to demand for their rights during the colonial period (1mk)
7. Give the main reason why the government of Kenya introduced the Constituency Development Fund (CDF). (1 mark)
8. Give two objectives of Kenya African Democratic Union (KADU). (2marks)
9. Name any two women warriors who were involved in the Mau Mau movement. (2marks)
10. Identify one political challenge faced by Daniel arap Moi as the president of Kenya. (1mark)
11. Identify the parliamentary symbol of authority. (1mark)
12. Give the main reason why African nationalists in Kenya formed the Kenya African democratic union (KADU) in 1960 (1 mk)
13. Identify two national philosophies which have been used in Kenya since the attainment of independence. (2 mks)
14. State one fundamental right of the individual which a person in prison is deprived of (2 mks)
15. State the main function of the Kenya Army. (1 mk)
16. Give two reasons why the chief's baraza is important in Kenya. (2 mks)
17. State two characteristics of independent churches in Kenya during the colonial period. (2marks)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer any **three** questions in this section

- 18 (a) State Five economic activities of the Borana during the pre-colonial period. (5 marks)
- (b) Describe the social organization of the Maasai during the pre-colonial period. (10 marks)
19. a) Explain why Christian missionaries established mission stations in Kenya during the colonial period.(7mks)
- b) What factors undermined Christian missionary activities in Kenya during the nineteenth century? (8mks)
20. (a) What factors facilitated the establishment of British control over Kenya during the nineteenth century? (5mks)
- (b) Explain why the Nandi were able to sustain their resistance against the British for a long time (10mks)
21. (a) Why did Africans start independent schools in Kenya during the colonial period?(5mks)
- (b) Explain the contribution Ronald Gideon Ngala to the struggle for independence in Kenya (10 mks)

SECTION C (30 MARKS)

Answer any **two** questions in this section

- 22.(a) What were the three features of the independence constitution of Kenya? (3 mks)
- (b) Explain six powers that the constitution of Kenya gives to the president. (12 marks)
23. a) State three factors that undermine free and fair election in Kenya. (3marks)
- b) Describe the stages through which a bill passes before it becomes a law in the National Assembly of Kenya. (12marks)
- 24.a) Identify three functions of the Attorney General of Kenya. (3mks)
- b) Describe the structure of the court system in Kenya. (12mks)