

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 Give the meaning of history. (1 mark)
- 2 Identify one age-grade for elders among the Akamba. (1 mark)
- 3 State the first settlement area of the Luo during their migration from Sudan. (1 mark)
- 4 Name one early Christian missionary who worked in Kenya. (1 mark)
- 5 State two characteristics of independent churches in Kenya during the colonial period. (2 marks)
6. Give the main outcome of the Lyttelton constitution of 1954. (1 mark)
7. Identify the representative of Africans in the Legco before the appointment of Eliud Mathu. (1 mark)
8. Give two laws that regulate elections in Kenya. (2 marks)
9. Give the main function of the National Police Service Commission. (1 mark)
10. State one role of the supreme court of Kenya. (1 mark)
11. State two reasons why the Portuguese built Fort Jesus (2 mks)
12. Give two reasons why the Agiriyama were opposed to British Colonial rule (2 mks)
13. State two terms of the Anglo- German Agreement of 1886 (2 mks)
14. Give one reason why the British colonial government encouraged white settlers to come to Kenya. (1mk)
15. Identify two factors which enabled the white settlers to establish farms in the Kenya Highlands during the colonial period.(2mks)
16. State two results of the development of railway transport in Kenya during the colonial period.(2mks)
- 17 In what two ways did the Kenyan communities interact during the pre- colonial period? (2 mks)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer any **three** questions in this section

18. a) Explain the results of the migration and settlement of the Somali into Kenya by 1800. (7mks)
b) Describe the political organization in Kenya during the pre-colonial period. (8 mks)
19. (a) Describe the way of life of the people who lived in the coastal city states by 1500. (7 mks)
(b) Explain four factors which led to the decline of the coastal settlements between 1500 and 1700.(8mks)
20. (a) Describe five common characteristics of the political parties which were formed in Kenya after 1945. (5 mks)
(b) Explain five roles of the political parties in the struggle for independence in Kenya between 1945 and 1963. (10 mks)
21. (a) Give any three cases of political assassinations in the independent Kenya. (3 marks)
(b) Explain the economic challenges faced by Kenya at independence. (12 marks)

SECTION C (30 MARKS)

Answer any **two** questions in this section

22. a) What are the constitutional duties of the president of Kenya? (3mks)
b) Explain six factors which have promoted national unity in Kenya since 1963. (12mks)
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) Explain why the Kenya government prepares an annual budget. (10 mks)
(b) What measures does the Kenya government take to ensure that public funds are properly used? (5 mks)