

311/1
HISTORY & GOVERNMENT
PAPER 1
TIME: 2 ½ HOURS

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E.)

History & Government
Paper 1

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES:-

- This paper consists of **three** sections; **A, B, & C**
- Answer **all** questions in section **A**, **three** questions in section **B** and any **two** questions in section **C**.
- Answers to all questions **must** be written in the separate sheets provided.

This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Candidates should check to ascertain that both pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.

SECTION A (25 Marks)

1. Give **two** reasons that led to the migration of the Luo into Kenya.
(2mks)
2. Name an institution among the Maasai that is similar to the orkoiyot among the Nandi. (1mk)
3. What was the main economic activity of the river Lake Nilotes in pre-colonial Kenya? (1mk)
4. Name the dispersal area of the western Bantu in Kenya.
(1mk)
5. Name **one** Treaty signed between the British and the Arab rulers to end slave trade along the Kenyan coast.
(1mk)
6. Identify the main way in which the Islam spread in the interior of Kenya.
(1mk)
7. State **one** short coming of the Anglo-German Agreement of 1886.
(1mk)
8. Give **two** features of African farming during the colonial period.
(2mks)
9. State **two** duties of colonial chiefs in Kenya.
(2mks)
10. List **two** features of the Lennox-Boyd constitution.
(2mks)
11. Name the founder of the 'Green Belt Movement' in Kenya.
(1mk)
12. Name the process through which the citizens of Kenya would vote to either accept or reject a proposed constitution.
(1mk)
13. Give **two** types of cases handled by the Kenyan judiciary.
(2mks)
14. Who is the head of the government in Kenya?
(1mk)

15. Identify **two** peaceful methods of conflict resolution management in Kenya.
(2mks)
16. State **two** principles of Devolved Government in Kenya.
(2mks)
17. Identify **two** non-military functions of Kenya Defence Forces.
(2mks)

SECTION B (45 Marks)

Answer three questions in this section.

18. (a) Give **five** reasons why the Omani Arabs were interested in establishing their control over the Kenyan coast.
(5mks)
- (b) Explain **five** factors which led to the collapse of Portuguese rule by the 18th century. (10mks)
19. (a) State **five** problems that independent schools in colonial Kenya faced.
(5mks)
- (b) Explain **five** factors that led to the establishment of independent churches and schools in Kenya.
(10mks)
20. (a) Outline **five** reasons which made the Nandi to resist the imposition of British colonial rule in their territory.
(5mks)
- (b) What factors led to the defeat of the Nandi by the British?
(10mks)
21. (a) List **five** political developments that hastened the achievement of independence in Kenya between 1945 to 1963.
(5mks)
- (b) Explain **five** challenges facing the industrial sector in Kenya since independence. (10mks)

SECTION C (30 Marks)

Answer any two questions in this section.

22. (a) Identify **five** categories of people whose personal liberty is limited in Kenya.
(5mks)

(b) What are the rights of a child as contained in the Kenyan constitution?

(10mks)

23. (a) Give **five** reasons why parliamentary elections are held regularly in Kenya.

(5mks)

(b) Explain **five** factors that make parliament an important institution in Kenya.

(10mks)

24. (a) Identify **five** sources of public revenue in Kenya.

(5mks)

(b) Explain **five** challenges facing the Kenyan government in her effort to raise revenue. (10mks)