

THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL
Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education

311/1

Paper 1

HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT

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Name Index Number

Candidate's Signature Date

Instructions to candidates

- Write your name and index number in the spaces provided above.
- Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided above.
- This paper consists of **three** sections; **A**, **B** and **C**.
- Answer **all** the questions in section **A**, **three** questions from section **B** and **two** questions from section **C**.
- Answers **must** be written in the spaces provided at the end of question 24.
- This paper consists of 20 printed pages.**
- Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all the pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.**
- Candidates should answer the questions in English.**

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| Section | Question | Maximum Score | Candidate's Score |
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| A | 1-17 | 25 | |
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| B | | 15 | |
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| C | | 15 | |
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SECTION A (25 marks)

Answer **all** the questions in this section in the space provided after question 24.

1. Identify **two** linguistic groups in Kenya. (2 marks)
2. State **two** ways in which the Agikuyu interacted with the Akamba during the pre-colonial period. (2 marks)
3. Give the **main** economic activity of the Plain Nilotes during the pre-colonial period. (1 mark)
4. Highlight **two** factors which led to the increase in demand for slaves along the East African Coast during the 19th Century. (2 marks)
5. Name the document which contains the Bill of Rights for Kenyan citizens. (1 mark)
6. Give the meaning of the term 'conflict'. (1 mark)
7. Identify the type of constitution that is used in Kenya. (1 mark)
8. Identify **two** colours of the national flag in Kenya. (2 marks)
9. State **two** causes of the Bukusu resistance against the British. (2 marks)
10. Identify the Cushitic community which attacked the Bantu at Shungwaya during the pre-colonial period. (1 mark)
11. Name the political party that led Kenya to independence. (1 mark)
12. State **one** common political characteristic of the National Philosophies in Kenya. (1 mark)
13. Give **two** types of elections held in Kenya. (2 marks)

14. Highlight **two** branches of the National Government of Kenya. (2 marks)
15. Give **one** reason for the adoption of African Socialism in Kenya. (1 mark)
16. Identify the commission that recommended cost-sharing in education sector in Kenya. (1 mark)
17. State **two** ways in which the National Government of Kenya spends its recurrent expenditure. (2 marks)

SECTION B (45 marks)

Answer any **three** questions from this section in the space provided after question 24.

18. (a) State **five** causes of migration of the Highland Nilotes into Kenya during the pre-colonial period. (5 marks)
- (b) Describe the social organisation of the Borana in the 19th Century. (10 marks)
19. (a) Identify **five** categories of special groups of people whose rights are enshrined in the Constitution of Kenya. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** challenges faced by African political organisations in Kenya up to 1939. (10 marks)
20. (a) Highlight **five** features of the independence Constitution of Kenya. (5 marks)
- (b) Discuss **five** factors which led to the collapse of the Imperial British East African Company (IBEAC) in 1894. (10 marks)
21. (a) State **five** characteristics of independent churches during the colonial period in Kenya. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** roles played by women in the Mau Mau liberation movement in Kenya. (10 marks)

