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HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT
PAPER 1
Time: 2 ½ Hours

MACHAKOS COUNTY KCSE TRIAL AND PRACTICE
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- a) This paper consists of three sections A, B and C.
- b) Answer **ALL** the questions in section A, **Three** questions from section B and **Two** questions from section C.
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SECTION A (25 MARKS)**Answer ALL Questions in this section.**

1. Give two examples of early inhabitants of Kenya. (2marks)
2. Identify two cultural practices introduced by the Cushites in Kenya. (2marks)
3. Identify the title given to the war leader among the Luo community (1mark)
4. State two characteristics of a good constitution. (2marks)
5. Identify any two groups that monitor human rights in Kenya. (2marks)
6. Apart from the legislative council mention two other bodies that assisted the central government in administering the protectorate during the colonial period. (2marks)
7. Identify three recommendations of the Lennox-Boyd constitution of 1957. (3marks)
8. Mention one main strategy introduced by Jomo Kenyatta to try and eliminate the social problems that faced Kenya at independence. (1mark)
9. State two major challenges facing Health sector in Kenya. (2marks)
10. Name two sources of Nyayo philosophy (2marks)
11. Name the education commission that was established in 1982 to review the 8.4.4 system of education. (1mark)
12. Give two rule that govern that concept of natural justice (2mark)
13. Who is the head of judiciary in Kenya? (1mark)
14. State two operation forts established by the British to enhance political control in central Kenya (2marks)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)**Answer any THREE questions from this section**

15. a) Name three similarities in social organization of the Agikuyu and Luo during pre-colonial period. (3 marks)
- b) Describe the political organization of the Kenyan Somali during the pre-colonial period (12marks)
16. a) Identify Five constitutional changes in Executive in 2010 (5marks)
- b) Explain five challenges that Kenyans encountered in the search for new constitution. (10marks)
17. a) State five measures used by colonial government in Kenya to force Africans to provide labour in settler farms. (5marks)
- b) Describe five consequences of colonial land policies. (10 marks)
18. a) Name three rights of aliens in Kenya. (3 marks)
- b) Explain six civic responsibilities of Kenyan Citizens (12 marks)

SECTION C (30 MARKS)**Answer any two questions from this section**

19. a) List three methods used by the British to occupy Kenya towards the close of the 19th century (3marks)
- b) Explain six challenges that faced the Imperial British East Africa Company in its Administration of the protectorate (12 marks)
20. a) Identify three methods that have been used to conduct elections in Kenya. (3marks)
- b) Why is parliament an important institution in Kenya? (3marks)
21. a) Give three aims of Harambee movement in Kenya. (3marks)
- b) Explain six problems that faced Harambee movement in Kenya. (12 marks)

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SECTION A (25 MARKS)**Answer all the questions in this section.**

1. Give the main method used by anthropologist to gather their historical data. (1mark)
2. Identify the method used in making sangoan tools. (1mark)
3. Identify two external reasons for Lewanika's collaboration with the British (2marks)
4. Identify the chartered company that British used to administer parts of west Africa (1mark)
5. Give two reasons why the location of Samori Toures second empire contributed to his defeat by the French (2marks)
6. Identify two ancestors of man associated with the making of Oldowan Tools (2marks)
7. List two inventions which Jethro Tull a British farmer invented. (2marks)
8. State two regions where salt was mined during Trans-Saharan Trade. (2marks)
9. State two ways in which knowledge of iron working led to the rise of kingdoms in pre-colonial period. (2marks)
10. Identify two social classes that made up the Baganda society in the pre-colonial period. (2marks)
11. State one way through which the European nations maintained peace among themselves during the partition of African continent. (1mark)
12. State two duties of native affairs Department in Zimbabwe during the colonial period. (2marks)
13. Name the underground movement that spearheaded the armed resistance in South Africa during the apartheid system (1mark)
14. Identify two weapons used during cold war. (2marks)
15. Identify two vessels used in space exploration. (2marks)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)**Answer any three questions from this section**

16. a) Identify three reasons why African slaves were more preferred than other races during the Trans-Atlantic trade (3marks)
- b) Explain six factors which contributed to the decline of the Trans-Saharan Trade. (12marks)
17. a) Name three advantages of the use of radio over newspaper in modern society. (3marks)
- b) Describe six contributions of TV to economic development. (12marks)
18. a) Outline five factors that led to rise of Shona community before the 19th century (5marks)
- b) Describe the political organization of Asante Empire in the pre-colonial period (10 marks)
19. a) Other than Nigeria name other three British colonies in West Africa. (3marks)
- b) Explain six reasons why the British used Direct rule in Zimbabwe. (12marks)

SECTION C (30 MARKS)**Answer any two questions from this section**

20. a) Name three political parties that struggled for independence in Ghana. (3marks)
- b) Explain six factors that contributed to nationalism in Ghana. (12marks)
21. a) Give five reasons for the failure of the peace settlement after the First World War (5marks)
- b) Discuss five causes of the Second World War. (10marks)
22. a) Name three founders of Non-Aligned Movement (3marks)
- b) Explain six factors that undermined the activities of Non-Aligned Movement (NAM) (12marks)