

GATUNDU SUB COUNTY FORM FOUR 2014 EVALUATION EXAM

311/1

HISTORY

PAPER I

JULY/AUGUST 2014

TIME: 2 ½ Hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

- This paper consists of three sections A, B and C.
 - Answer all questions in section A, three questions in section B and any two questions in section C.
- Answers to all the questions must be written in the answer booklet provided.

SECTION A (25 Marks)

Answer all questions in this section.

1. Give two economic activities which the Maasai acquired as a result of interacting with the Agikuyu during their settlement in Kenya. (2 marks)
2. State one way in which the Abaguii and the Kipsigis interacted during the pre-colonial period. (1 mark)
3. Identify two written evidences of contacts between the Kenyan coast and the outside world before 1500 AD (2 marks)
4. State one way in which possession of iron technology facilitated migration and settlement of the Bantu into Kenya. (1 mark)
5. State two main factors which enabled traders from Arabia to come to the Kenya coast before 1500. (2 marks)
6. State two reasons why the Portuguese built Fort Jesus at Mombasa. (2 marks)
7. Give one reason why the British colonial government encouraged white settlers to come to Kenya. (1 mark)
8. State one way through which the construction of the Uganda Railway contributed to the development of settler farming in Kenya. (1 mark)
9. State the main function of the Kenya defence forces. (1 mark)
10. State two objectives of the Kikuyu central association. (KCA) (2 marks)
11. State two main roles that Thomas J. Mboya played in the Kenya African Union. (2 marks)
12. What was the main ideological difference between KANU and KADU before independence in 1963? (1 mark)
13. Name one Education Commissions set up in Kenya since independence. (1 mark)
14. State the major challenge in the Kenya healthy sector. (1 mark)
15. Give two factors considered when changing constituency boundaries. (2 marks)
16. State two circumstances under which the office of the Governor may fall vacant in Kenya. (2 marks)
17. Give the main source of government revenue in Kenya. (1 mark)

SECTION B(45 Marks)

Answer any THREE questions from this section.

18. a) Name the Bantu communities in Kenya whose ancestors settled first on Mt. Elgon area before migrating to their present homeland. (3 marks)
b) Describe the political organization of the Maasai during the pre-colonial period. (12 marks)
19. a) Describe the way of life of the people who lived in the coastal city state of Kenya by 1500 AD. (5 marks)
b) Explain five factors which led to the decline of the coastal settlements between 1500 and 1700 AD. (10 marks)
20. a) Identify three terms of the Devonshire White Paper of 1923. (3 marks)
b) Explain six measures taken by the colonial government to ensure adequate supply of labour to white settler farms in Kenya. (12 marks)
21. a) State three factors that led to the development of multi-party democracy in Kenya in the early 1990s? (3 marks)
b) Explain six roles played by opposition political parties in nation building in Kenya. (12 marks)

SECTION C (30 Marks)

Answer any two questions from this section.

22. a) State five functions of the speaker of the National Assembly in Kenya. (5 marks)
b) Explain five functions of the senate in Kenya. (10 marks)
23. a) State three functions of the Supreme Court of Kenya. (3 marks)
b) Explain six challenges facing the Judiciary in Kenya. (12 marks)
24. a) State three functions of the correctional services in Kenya. (3 marks)
b) Explain six measures that have been taken to enhance service delivery by the National Police Service. (12 marks)