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# KISUMU WEST DISTRICT JOINT EVALUATION EXAM

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

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## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- This paper consists of **three parts**. Sections **A, B** and **C**.
- Answer **all** questions in section **A**, **three** questions from Sec. **B** and **two** questions from section **C**.
- Answers to **all** questions should be written in the answer sheets provided.

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

**SECTION A 25 MARKS**

*Answer all questions in the section in the answer sheet provided*

1. Give **two** physical characteristics of the proconsul (2mks)
2. State **two** reasons why African is considered as the cradle of mankind (2mks)
3. Identify an important milestone for democracy in South Africa in 1999 (1mk)
4. Give **one** function of the trusteeship council of the United Nations. (1mk)
5. Name **one** legislative house in the United States of America (1mk)
6. Identify **two** ports that were used during the Trans – Atlantic slave trade in West Africa (2mks)
7. Give **two** reasons why there was a military stalemate on the western front during the 1<sup>st</sup> world war. (2mks)
8. Give the **main** reason for the transfer of the capital city of Tanzania from Dar – es- salaam to Dodoma. (1mk)
9. Give the contribution of George Stephenson on railway transport (1mk)
10. A part from Kenya name **two** other countries in Africa where in-direct rule was practiced (2mks)
11. Name the chartered company used to administer Southern Rhodesia (1mk)
12. Give **one** contribution of the Shirazi towards the growth of Kilwa (1mk)
13. Identify **two** structural defects of the organization of African Unity (OAU) that have undermined its activities since 1963 (2mks)
14. Name the treaty signed between Samori Toure and the French during the scramble and partition of Africa (1mk)
15. Identify **two** social classes that made up the Buganda society in the pre-colonial period. (2mks)
16. What event prompted the USA to join the First World War. (1mk)
17. State **two** uses of steel (2mks)

**SECTION B (45MARKS)**

*Answer any three questions from this section in the answer sheet provided.*

18. (a) State **five** impacts of early agriculture in Mesopotamia (5mk)  
(b) Explain the effects of food shortages in third world countries (10mks)
19. (a) State **three** treaties that Lewanika signed with the British (3mks)  
(b) What were the results of the British Ndebele war of 1893 (12mks)
20. (a) State **three** factors that influenced the development of early urban centres in African (3mks)  
(b) Explain **six** consequences of urbanization on European communities during the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (12mks)
21. (a) Identify **three** types of trade (3mks)  
(b) Describe the organization of Trans – Saharan trade (12mks)

**SECTION C (30MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions from this section in the answer sheet provided*

22. (a) Describe **three** factors that enabled the Allied powers to win the 2<sup>nd</sup> world war (3mks)  
(b) Explain the results of the 2<sup>nd</sup> world war (12mks)
23. (a) State **three** ways in which the Manchester Pan African congress of 1945 was different from the earlier ones (3mks)  
(b) Explain **six** challenges that undermined the operation of the Pan African movement. (12mks)
24. (a) Name any **three** political parties in India (3mks)  
(b) Describe how the government of India is organized (12mks)