

# K.C.S.E E YEAR 2010 PAPER 1

## SECTION A (25 marks)

*Answer all the questions in this section in the answer booklet provided.*

- 1 Give the meaning of history.  
(1 mark)
- 2 Identify **one** age-grade for elders among the Akamba.  
(1 mark)
- 3 State the first settlement area of the Luo during their migration from Sudan.  
(1 mark)
- 4 Name **one** early Christian missionary who worked in Kenya.  
(1 mark)
- 5 State **two** characteristics of independent churches in Kenya during the colonial period.  
(2 marks)
- 6 Identify the constitutional change that increased the number of African members to the legislative council in Kenya in 1957.  
(1 mark)
- 7 Identify **one** Asian who took part in the struggle for independence in Kenya.  
(1 mark)
- 8 Name **one** African political party whose leaders attended the 2nd Lancaster House Conference in 1962.  
(1 mark)
- 9 Identify two Educational Commissions appointed by the government of independent Kenya to review the education system.  
(2 marks)
- 10 Give the **main** reason why the government of Kenya introduced the Constituency Development Fund (CDF).  
(1 mark)
- 11 State two ways in which the government has promoted the culture of the people of Kenya since independence.  
(2 marks)
- 12 Identify **two** conditions that one must fulfil in order to register as a voter in Kenya.  
(2 marks)
- 13 Give **two** special courts in Kenya.  
(2 marks)
- 14 State **two** duties of the leader of Government Business in parliament in Kenya.  
(2 marks)
- 15 Identify **two** symbols of national unity in Kenya.  
(2 marks)
- 16 Give **two** reasons' that can make a registered person to lose citizenship in Kenya,  
(2 marks)
- 17 Give **one** type of human rights.  
(1 mark)

**SECTION B** (45 marks)

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

- 18** (a) Give **five** reasons which influenced the migration of the Plains Nilotes to Kenya during the pre-colonial period.  
(5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** results of the migration and settlement of the Maasai in Kenya during the pre-colonial period.  
(10 marks)
- 19** (a) Give **three** reasons why the early visitors came to the Kenyan-coast before 1500 A.D.  
(3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** factors that contributed to the development of trade between the Kenyan coast and the outside world by 1900.  
(12 marks)
- 20** (a) State **three** socio-economic reasons why Britain colonized Kenya in the 19th Century.  
(3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** factors that contributed to the formation of political associations in Kenya before 1939.  
(12 marks)
- 21** (a) State **three** ways in which the government of Kenya facilitated the acquisition of land for Africans after 1963.  
(3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** challenges facing the agricultural sector in Kenya.  
(12 marks)

**SECTION C** (30 marks)

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

- 22** (a) Give the structure of the provincial administration in Kenya.  
(5 marks)
- (b) Describe **five** functions of the president of the Republic of Kenya.  
(10 marks)
- 23** (a) Give **three** reasons why the constitution is important in Kenya. ,  
(3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** factors that may undermine the administration of justice in Kenya.  
(12 marks)
- 24** (a) Identify **five** stages in the preparation of the national budget.  
(5 marks)
- (b) Explain why it is important for the Government to prepare the national budget annually  
(10 marks)