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**HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

**Paper 1**

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**2 ½ Hours**

**TESO SOUTH DISTRICT JOINT EVALUATION TEST - 2012**

*Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education – K.C.S.E*

**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

- This paper consists of three sections **A, B** and **C**.
- Answer **ALL** the questions from section **A**; **ANY THREE** questions from section **B** and **ANY TWO** questions from section **C**.
- Answers to all questions must be written in the foolscaps provided

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

## SECTION A

1. Give two shortcomings of Oral traditions as a source of History. (2mks)
2. Identify two species of early man whose remains were discovered in Kenya. (2mks)
3. Give two natural factors that facilitated contact between the Kenyan Coast and the outside world by 1500AD. (2mks)
4. Identify the main reason why the Mijikenda lived in Kenya. (1mk)
5. Give two features of the political organizations which were formed in Kenya before 1939. (2mks)
6. State the main reason why the British government bought in coolies to construct the railway. (1mk)
7. Name the settler farmer who introduced wheat in Kenya during the colonial period. (1mk)
8. State the main function of Legislature in Kenya (1mk)
9. Who appoints the Provincial Commissioner in Kenya? (1mk)
10. State two ways in which village elders can promote law and order in the villages. (2mks)
11. Name the two ex-officio members in parliament (2mks)
12. What is the main function of the government chief whip in Kenya's parliament. (1mk)
13. Identify one fundamental principle of the concept of natural Justice. (1mk)
14. State two ways in which the Kenyan constitution promotes national unity. (2mks)
15. What was the main political change that was introduced in KANU during Limuru Conference of 1966. (1mk)
16. State two forms of ownership advocated by Africa Socialism in Kenya. (2mks)
17. Name one ex-officio members of the local authorities. (1mk)

## SECTION B(45MARKS)

Answer any THREE question from this section.

18. (a) Give FIVE results of the settlement of the Luo in Kenya during the Pre-colonial period (5mks)  
(b) Describe the social Organization of the Luo during the Pre-colonial period. (10mks)
19. (a) Why did Seyyid Said transfer his capital from Muscat to Zanzibar in 1840? (3mks)  
(b) What were the effects of long distance trade on the people of East Africa? (12 mks)
20. (a) Explain five reasons why the Maasai collaborated with the British. (5mks)  
(b) Discuss five results of the Maasai collaboration with the British. (10mks)
21. (a) Identify FIVE roles played by women in the struggle for independence in Kenya. (5mks)  
(b) Explain five factors that hastened the achievement of independence in Kenya after 1945 (10mks)

## SECTION C (30 MARKS)

Answer any TWO question in this section.

22. (a) Give five qualifications for one to be elected a member of the National Assembly in Kenya. (5mks)  
(b) Explain five factors that undermine free and fair elections in Kenya. (10mks)
23. (a) Identify three basic aims of prison sentences. (3mks)  
(b) Explain any six problems faced by Prison inmates in Kenya. (12mks)
24. (a) Give five reasons why the Kenyan government prepares an annual national budget.(5mks)  
(b) Discuss the sources of government revenue in Kenya. (10mks)