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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

1. This paper consists of three sections; A, B and C
2. Answer all the questions in section A, three questions from section B and two questions from section C
3. Answers to all the questions must be written in the answer booklet provided.
4. This paper consist of 2 printed pages
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**SECTION A (25 MARKS)**  
**Answer ALL questions in this section.**

1. State **Two** limitations of relying on oral tradition as a source of information on history (2mks)
2. Give **Two** evidence of the past (2mks)
3. Which of the pithecines or hominids was also known as proconsul (1mk)
4. Name **Two** forms of picture writing during the ancient time (2mks)
5. Identify **Two** uses of Bronze during the pre-colonial period (2mks)
6. Identify **Two** discoveries of Sir Isaac Newton (2mks)
7. Give **one** example of regional trade in Africa (1mk)
8. State **Two** ways in which the wheel promoted early transport in Mesopotamia (2mks)
9. Name the company that was used by the British to administer West Africa (1mk)
10. Which African leader signed the Lochner's treaty of 1890 (1mk)
11. Identify **one** way in which the 1870 – 71 Franco-prussian war contributed to the scramble and partition of Africa (1mk)
12. State **Two** Economic effects of direct rule in Zimbabwe (2mks)
13. Identify **Two** privileges which members of British parliament enjoy (2mks)
14. State **one** goal of the New Partnership for Africa Development (NEPAD) (1mk)
15. State **one** function of the security council of the U.N.O (1mk)
16. State **One** functions of the Lukiiko in Buganda (1mk)
17. State **One** social effect of the second world war (1mk)

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

18. (a) Identify **Five** physical changes that occurred in early man as they evolved from Ape like creature to modern man (5mks)
- (b) Explain any **Six** effects of early agriculture in Egypt (10mks)
19. (a) Highlight **Five** advantages of space exploration (5mks)
- (b) Discuss ways in which agrarian and industrial development has led to the development of urban centres (10mks)
20. (a) Mention **Five** reasons why Lewanika of the Lozi collaborated with the British (5mks)
- (b) Explain **Five** reasons why the Shona and Ndebele were defeated by the British (10mks)
21. (a) Explain **Three** objectives of the Arusha declaration in Tanzania (3mks)
- (b) What social challenges have African states faced since independence (12mks)

**SECTION C (30 MARKS)**  
**Answer Any TWO questions in this section**

22. (a) What factors facilitated the growth of Asante Kingdom? (5mks)
- (b) Describe the political organization of the Asante in the 19<sup>th</sup> century (10mks)
23. (a) State **Five** functions of the cabinet in India (5mks)
- (b) Describe the functions of the federal government in Unites States of America (10mks)
24. (a) State **Three** factors for the rise of Pan-African movement (3mks)
- (b) Why was the Manchester Pan-African Congress of 1945 regarded as the turning point in the history of the movement (12mks)