

311/1
HISTORY
PAPER 1
JULY/AUGUST - 2012
TIME: 2 ½ HOURS

For More Free KCSE past papers visit www.freekcsepastpapers.com

BORABU-MASABA DISTRICTS JOINT EVALUATION TEST– 2012
Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- (a) This paper consists of **three** sections A, B and C.
- (b) Answer all questions in section A, **three** questions from section B and **two** questions from section C

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 (25 MARKS)

Answer all the questions in this section.

1. Name the pre-historic site in Kenya where the Kenyapithecus fossil was discovered. (1mk)
2. State the main social custom the suba adopted from the River-lake Nilotes. (1mk)
3. State **two** factors that necessitated the Akamba to participate in the Long Distance Trade (2mks)
4. Give **two** ways in which Education promotes National Unity in Kenya. (2mks)
5. Name **two** communities in Kenya that belong to the Eastern Cushites. (2mks)
6. Name the type of constitution used in Kenya. (1mk)
7. What was the main effect of the colonial land policies on the Africans during the colonial period. (1mk)
8. State the institution that issued orders and maintained law and order during the colonial period in Kenya. (1mk)
9. Identify **two** roles of an arbitrator in a conflict resolution process. (2mks)
10. State **two** forms of Direct Democracy. (2mks)
11. What was the main reason for the formation of the Kenya Africa Democratic Union (KADU) in 1960? (1mk)
12. State **two** challenges the government is facing in implementing the free Primary Education in Kenya. (2mks)
13. Identify the main contribution of Jaramogi Oginga Odinga to political Democracy in Kenya in the 1990s. (1mk)
14. Name the sultan of Oman who introduced plantation farming along the East African Coast in the 19th century. (1mk)
15. Give **two** National philosophies adopted in Kenya by 1965. (2mks)
16. State **two** factors that may undermine free and fair Elections in Kenya. (2mks)
17. State the main function of the Judiciary in Kenya. (1mk)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer Only Three questions in this Section

18. (a) State **five** causes of the Bantu migration into Kenya. (5mks)
(b) Explain **five** consequences of the interaction between the Abagusii and their neighbours during their migration into Kenya. (10mks)
19. (a) State **five** reasons why Nabongo Mumia collaborated with the British. (5mks)
(b) Explain **five** effects of the Agikuyu mixed reaction to colonial rule. (10mks)
20. (a) State **three** factors that led to the establishment of independent churches in Kenya during the colonial period. (3mks)
(b) Explain the roles of women in the Mau Mau uprising. (12mks)
21. (a) Give **five** reasons why christian missionaries established mission centres in Kenya (5mks)
(b) Explain **five** factors that undermined Missionary activities in Kenya in the 19th Century . (10mks)

SECTION C (30 MARKS)

Answer Only Two questions from this section.

22. (a) Identify the composition of the cabinet in Kenya. (3mks)
(b) Discuss **six** ways in which criminal activities may be reduced in Kenya. (12mks)
23. (a) Identify **three** types of Direct Taxes for the government of Kenya. (3mks)
(b) Explain **six** problems the Kenya government is facing in revenue collection. (12mks)
24. (a) State **three** ways in which the government of Kenya ensures that the rule of law is upheld in the country. (3mks)
(b) Discuss the factors that may undermine the supremacy of Kenya's parliament. (12mks)