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INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

- This paper consists of **THREE** sections: **A**, **B** and **C**.
- Answer **ALL** questions in section **A**.
- Three questions from section **B** and Two questions from section **C**.

*This paper consists of 4 printed pages.
Candidates should check the question paper to ensure that all pages are printed as indicated
and no question are missing*

SECTION A (25 Marks)

Answer all the questions in this section for the answer booklet provided

1. Name two printed sources of written materials (2 Marks)
2. Give two features of Kenyapithecus (2 Marks)
3. State two importance of the domestication of cattle by the early man. (2 Marks)
4. List one method of irrigation used in the ancient Mesopotamia (1 Mark)
5. Identify two social features of the Buganda Kingdom during the pre colonial Period (2 marks)
6. List two items of trade acquired from Europe during the Trans Atlantic slave trade (2 Marks)
7. What was the contribution of William Morton to medical science? (1 Mark)
8. Give two inventions that led to the Agrarian Revolution in America (2 Marks)
9. State one reason why African slaves were more attractive than the others from the British colonies. (1 Mark)
10. List two uses of horns as medium of conveying message during the ancient times (2 Marks)
11. Why was the Odwira festival vital in the Asante Kingdom? (1 Mark)
12. Identify one method used by the British to administer their colonies in Africa (1 Mark)
13. Name any two founder members of the Axis powers during the second world war (2 Marks)
14. What was the main aim for the formation of the United Nations Organization? (1 Mark)
15. Which event promoted USA to join the second world war? (1 Mark)
16. Identify two weapons which were used during the cold war (2 Marks)

SECTION B (45 Marks)

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

17. a) Identify three stone Age or palaeolithic periods (3 Marks)
b) Describe the way of life of the early man during the last phase of Stone Age period (12 Marks)
18. a) Give three disadvantages of mobile phones (3 Marks)
b) Discuss the positive impact of telecommunication (12 Marks)
19. a) State three political events in Europe which promoted the scramble and partition of Africa (3 Marks)
b) What were the causes of Chimurenga war of 1896 – 1897? (12 Marks)
20. a) Identify three economic activities of the Asante Empire during the pre colonial Period (3 Marks)
b) Describe the political organization of Shona Kingdom (12 Marks)

SECTION C

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

21. a) List three minerals that has led to rapid industrialization in South Africa. (3 Marks)
b) Explain the factors that led to industrialization in Brazil (12 Marks)
22. a) Name three personalities who have been secretary general of the United Nations Organization. (3 Marks)
b) Discuss six challenges that the United Nations Organizations faces in promoting world peace (12 Marks)
23. a) Identify three political parties in India (3 Marks)
b) Describe how the government of India is organized (12 Marks)