

**GEM SUB-COUNTY JOINT EVALUATION EXAMS 2016***Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E)*

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**HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

Paper 1

**JULY/AUGUST 2016**

Time 2 hours 30 minutes

**SECTION A (25 MARKS)****Answer all the questions in this section in the answer booklet provided**

1. Give the **main** reason for studying social history (1 mk)
2. Identify **two** activities that influenced early man to set up permanent settlement (2 mks)
3. Which was the first cereal to be domesticated in the world? (1 mk)
4. State **two** limitations of canal transport (2 mks)
5. State how the abundance of wood fuel facilitated the growth of Meroe as an early urban centre (1 mk)
6. Name **two** officials who assisted the ruler of the Shona to administer the kingdom (2 mks)
7. State **two** factors that facilitated scientific revolution in Europe (2 mks)
8. State **two** pull factors that led to the scramble for Africa (2 mks)
9. Name the first Senegalese Deputy who was elected to the French National Chamber of Deputies (1 mk)
10. Identify **two** political reforms introduced by Frederick de Klerk that led to the achievement of Black majority rule in South Africa (2 mks)
11. Give **one** reason why Germany was overconfident of speedy and overwhelming victory over her enemies in the first World War (1 mk)
12. State **one** African state in the commonwealth which is not a former British colony (1 mk)
13. State **two** roles of the Council of Ministers in the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS) (2 mks)
14. What was the **main** weakness of the Ujamaa policy in Tanzania (1 mk)
15. Give **two** ways in which the policy of nationalization slowed down economic development in Tanzania during the reign of Julius Nyerere (2 mks)
16. State **two** components of Congress in U.S.A. (2 mks)
17. Identify **one** way through which the powers of the President of U.S.A is checked (1 mk)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)****Answer any three questions from this section in the answer booklet provided**

18. a) State **five** hunting methods used by early man (5 mks)  
b) Explain **five** benefits of settling in villages during the Late Stone Age period (10mks)
19. a) Give **five** reasons why animal transport was not a reliable form of transport in ancient times (5 mks)  
b) Explain **five** disadvantages of Air Transport to modern man (10mks)
20. a) Outline **three** tactics employed by Samouri Toure of the Mandika to resist the French rule (3 mks)  
b) Explain **six** results of Lozi collaboration (12mks)
21. a) Give **five** reasons why there were civil wars in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) soon after independence (5 mks)  
b) Describe **five** economic developments in Tanzania since independence (10mks)

**SECTION C (30 MARKS)****Answer any two questions in the answer booklet provided**

22. a) Outline the structure of the French system of administration in West Africa (5 mks)  
b) Explain **five** factors that led to the failure of indirect rule in southern Nigeria (10mks)
23. a) Give **three** reasons why the Treaty of Versailles led to the second world war (3 mks)  
b) Explain **six** characteristics of the League of Nations (12mks)
24. a) Identify **three** similar features of political systems in the United States and Britain (3 mks)  
b) Explain **six** functions of the British parliament (12mks)