

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

311/2

HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT

Paper 2

JULY/AUGUST 2016

Time 2 hours 30 minutes

SECTION A (25 MARKS)**Attempt all the questions in this section.**

1. Identify **two** periods in History (2 mks)
2. Name the hominid whose remains were discovered in Fort Tenan (1 mk)
3. Name **two** sub-tribes of the Abaluhya (2 mks)
4. State **one** evidence that the Chinese traders reached the East African Coast (1 mk)
5. State **one** way in which force can be used to resolve conflict (1 mk)
6. Name the document in which the rights of a child are contained (1 mk)
7. Give **two** characteristics of human rights (2 mks)
8. Identify **two** ways in which direct democracy is exercised (2 mks)
9. Identify **two** Luo communities that resisted the British during colonial rule in Kenya (2 mks)
10. State **two** provisions of the crown-land ordinance of 1915 (2 mks)
11. State **two** features of the political organizations which were formed in Kenya before 1939 (2 mks)
12. State **one** reason for the declaration of the state of emergency in Kenya in 1952 (1 mk)
13. Name the administrative head of Kenya's National Assembly (1 mk)
14. What was the **main** method used by Tom Mboya in the struggle to protect African rights against colonisation (1 mk)
15. Identify **two** changes which were introduced by the Inter-Party Parliamentary Group (IPPG) in 1997 (2 mks)
16. What is contained in National Budget ? (1 mk)
17. Give **one** reason why the government of Kenya should conserve the environment (1 mk)

SECTION B: 45 MARKS**Answer any three questions in this section**

18. a) Give **five** economic activities of the Bantu (5 mks)
- b) Describe the political organization of the Luo in pre-colonial Kenya (10mks)
19. a) Identify **five** reasons why trade developed between the East African Coast and Arabia by the 8th century (5 mks)
- b) Explain the effects of Arab settlement along the East African Coast (10mks)
20. a) Explain **five** causes of the Somali resistance to the British rule in Kenya (5 mk)
- b) Explain **five** factors which enabled the British to establish their colonial rule in Kenya easily (5 mks)
21. a) Name **three** clergymen who were involved in the struggle for multiparty in Kenya in 1990's (3mks)
- b) Explain six ways in which political pluralism has enhanced democracy in Kenya (12mks)

SECTION C: 30 MARKS**Answer any two questions from this section**

22. a) List the symbols of national unity (3 mks)
- b) Explain **six** significance of National Integration in Kenya (12mks)
23. a) State the composition of Kenya's cabinet (3 mks)
- b) Explain the functions of the cabinet in Kenya (12mks)
24. a) Identify **three** members of the County Executive Committee (3 mks)
- b) Explain **six** reasons for preparing the National Budget in Kenya (12mks)