

# HISTORY KCSE PREDICTION 2021

## Paper 1

### FORM FOUR

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education

311/1 HISTORY & GOVERNMENT

PAPER ONE

TIME: 2½HRS

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

1. The paper consist of Three sections A, B and C
2. Answer **all** the questions in section A.
3. Answer only **Three** questions in Section B
4. Answer only **Two** questions from section C.

**SECTION A (25MKS)**

**Answer ALL the questions in this section.**

1. Identify one example of the Highland Bantu.  
(1mk)
2. State the main economic activity of the Cushites during the pre-colonial era. (1mk)
3. State **two** roles played by Seyyid Said in the spread of Christianity in Kenya (2mks)
4. Define the term citizen according to the Kenyan constitution 2010.  
(1mk)
5. Identify **one** political cause of conflict in Kenya (1mk)]
6. State **two** factors that led to the decline of Kilwa as early urban centre (2mks)
7. Identify **one** factor that determines the form of a constitution a country may adopt (1mk)
8. Name **one** way in which direct democracy is exercised (1mk)
9. State **two** achievements of the Imperial British East Africa Company in colonial Kenya  
(2mks)
10. State **two** reasons why the British applied indirect rule in administering Kenya (2mks)
11. Identify **two** reasons why Africans were denied right to grow cash crops until 1937  
(2mks)
12. State the main reason why the white settlers were disappointed with the Devonshire white paper of 1923  
(1mk)
13. Identify the main reason for convening of the second Lancaster House conference of 1962  
(1mk)
14. State **two** characteristics of early political organizations (2mks)
15. Name the electoral body that is responsible for conducting elections in Kenya (1mk)
16. State **two** functions of the court of appeal in Kenya (2mks)

17. Identify the main function of the correctional services in Kenya (1mk)

**SECTION B (45 MKS)**

*Answer THREE questions from this section*

18. a) State **three** social reasons for the migration of the plain Nilotes

(3msk)

b) Explain the political organization of the Nandi during the pre-colonial period

(12mks)

19. a) State the reasons for the success of Portuguese conquest along the East Coast of Africa

(5mks)

b) Explain the effects of the long distance trade

(10mks)

20. a) State **five** factors that led to the growth of Nairobi as a modern urban centre

(5mks)

b) Describe the features of the independence constitution

(10mks)

21. a) Identify the reasons for the Maasai collaboration in the pre-colonial period (5mks)

b) Explain **five** reasons why armed resistance failed in Kenya during the colonial period

(10mks)

**SECTION C (30MKS)**

*Answer TWO questions in this section*

22. a) State **three** circumstances that may lead to revocation of citizenship by registration

(3mks)

b) Explain the importance of national integration

(12mks)

23. a) Identify **three** advantages of democracy

(3mks)

b) Explain **six** rights of an arrested person

(12mks)

24. a) State the factors that undermine free and fair elections in Kenya

(3mks)

b) Explain **six** functions of the National police service

(12mks)

# Paper 2

## FORM 4

### Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education

#### 311/2 HISTORY & GOVERNMENT

#### PAPER TWO

TIME: 2½HRS

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

1. The paper consist of Three sections A, B and C
2. Answer **all** the questions in section A.
3. Answer only **Three** questions in Section B
4. Answer only **Two** questions from section C.

#### **SECTION A (25MKS)**

#### **ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION.**

1. List down **one** disadvantage of Electronic sources of information of History and Government (1mk)
2. Identify the main difference between humans and other primates (1mk)
3. Name the form of early picture writing invented in Egypt (1mk)
4. State **two** characteristics of Regional trade (2mks)
5. List down **two** negative impact of tele-communication (2mks)
6. State **two** factors that enhanced the spread of iron-working in Africa (2mks)
7. Identify **two** natural factors for the growth Meroe as an early urban centre (2mks)
8. List down **two** symbols of unity among the Asante kingdom (2mks)

9. Identify the main reason for the convening of Berlin conference 1884-1885 (1mk)
10. State **one** reason why British used Direct rule in Zimbabwe (1mk)
11. Name **one** method used by nationalists in South Africa during the struggle for independence (1mk)
12. Identify the immediate cause of the second world war (1mk)
13. State **two** reasons why united States of America delayed in joining the first world war (2mks)
14. Identify the main function of the international court of Justice (1mk)
15. Name the weapons of the cold war (2mks)
16. List **two** founders of pan Africanism (2mks)
17. State **one** failure of the organization of African unity (1mk)

**SECTION B (45 MKS)**

**Answer any THREE questions in the section.**

18. a) State **three** characteristics of regional trade (3mks)  
b) Explain **six** reasons for the decline of Trans-Atlantic trade (12mks)
19. a) Identify **five** reasons why Lewanika collaborated with the British (5mks)  
b) Explain **five** reasons why the FRELIMO succeeded in the armed struggle against the Portuguese (10mks)
20. a) State **three** demands put across by Austrian authorities to the Serbian government in relation to the Sarajevo assassinatio (3mks)  
b) Explain **five** political effects of the Second World War (12mks)
21. a) State **five** challenges facing the common wealth (5mks)  
b) Explain **five** objectives of the East African community in the 1967 treaty (10mks)

**SECTION C (30MKS)**

**Answer any TWO questions from this section**

22. a) State **three** factors that contributed to the decline of the Buganda kingdom (3mks)  
b) Describe the social organization of the Asante during the 19<sup>th</sup> century (12mks)

23. a) State **five** factors for the growth of the Shona kingdom in the 19<sup>th</sup> century (5mks)  
b) Explain **five** reasons why the policy of assimilation failed in Senegal (10mks)
24. a) State **three** duties of Emirs in Northern Nigeria (5mks)  
b) Explain **five** reasons why Ghana got independence earlier than other African countries (10mks)