

**KCSE TRIAL 2021
HISTORY PAPER 2**

SECTION A (25 marks)

Answer ALL the questions in this section in the answer booklet provided.

1. Give **two** sources of information in history and government. (2 marks)
2. State **two** methods used by Early Man to find food during the Stone Age period. (2 marks)
3. Give the main reason why early agriculture developed in Egypt. (1 mark)
4. Identify **two** early sources of energy. (2 marks)
5. State **one** disadvantage of using a messenger to pass on information. (1 mark)
6. State the main advantage of using air transport. (1 mark)
7. Identify the main method of trade in Africa during the pre- colonial period. (1 mark)
8. Identify **one** reason that led to the decline of Meroe as an early urban centre. (1 mark)
9. State the role of the 'golden stool' in the Asante Kingdom during the 19th century. (1 mark)
10. Identify the **two** European powers that acquired colonies in East Africa. (2 marks)
11. Give **one** reason why the Lozi collaborated with the British during the colonization of Africa. (1 mark)
12. Give **two** results of the French assimilation policy in Senegal. (2 marks)
13. Identify the immediate cause of the First World War. (1 marks)
14. State the main reason why nationalism developed in Ghana during the colonial rule. (1 mark)
15. State **two** duties of the United Nations Secretariat. (2 marks)
16. Give **two** achievements of the commonwealth. (2 marks)
17. Identify **two** types of democracy. (2 marks)

SECTION B (45 marks)

Answer any **THREE** questions from this section in the answer booklet provided

18. (a) State **three** ways in which people in developing countries are affected by food shortages. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** ways that the developing countries can use to reduce the problem of food shortages. (12 marks)
19. (a) Identify the **three** types of trade. (3 marks)
- (b) Describe the organization of the Trans – Saharan trade. (12 marks)
20. (a) Outline **five** European activities in Africa during the 19th century. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** effects of the Mandinka resistance against the French invasion in the late 19th Century. (10 marks)
21. (a) Give the reasons why it took long for Mozambique to achieve independence from Portugal. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** factors that favoured the success of FRELIMO nationalists during their struggle for independence in Mozambique. (12 marks)

SECTION C (30 marks)

Answer any **TWO** questions from this section in the answer booklet provided

22. (a) State the role played by the United States of America in ending the Second World War. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** causes of the cold war after 1945. (12 marks)
23. (a) Identify **three** duties performed by the Secretary-General of the new East African Community established in 2001. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** benefits of the new East African Community established in 2001. (12 marks)
24. (a) Identify **three** circumstances that may make the vice president assume presidency in India. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** functions of the president in India. (12 marks)

