

KCSE CLUSTER TESTS 11

History Paper 1

SECTION A (25 Marks)

1.

Identify two sources of Kenyan History.

2 marks

2.

Name two communities in Kenya who belong to the Plain Nilotes

2 marks

3.

What was the original homeland of the Eastern Cushites.

1 marks

4.

State two similarities in the political organization of the Ameru and Abagusii of Kenya during the 19th century.

2 marks

5.

Give the main reason why the early visitors came to the Kenyan coast by 1500 A.D.

1 marks

6.

Identify two peaceful ways of resolving conflicts

2 marks

7.

A part from the Nandi, name two other communities that resisted the establishment of colonial rule in Kenya.

2 marks

8.

State the main duty of the governor during the British colonial rule in Kenya

1 marks

9.

State one grievance raised by the Asians in Kenya that was addressed by the Devonshire White Paper.

1 marks

10.

Identify two features of African farming in Kenya during the colonial period

1 marks

11.

Identify two ways of becoming a Kenyan citizen

2 marks

12.

Name two political parties which were formed in Kenya between 1960 and 1963.

2 marks

14.

Give one house committee of parliament which deals with government financial matters.

1 marks

15.

Identify one national philosophy adopted at independence to promote social justice in Kenya.

1 marks

16.

State one type of government expenditure in Kenya.

1 marks

17.

Give one qualification for the Deputy President in Kenya

1 marks

SECTION B (45 Marks)

18.

a) Give three factors which contributed to the development of trade between the Kenya coast and the outside world by the 16th century. (3 marks)

b) Explain six reasons that led to the decline of the Portuguese rule along the Kenyan coast during the 17th century. (12 marks)

15 marks

19.

a) State three activities of the imperial British East Africa Company (IBEACO) between 1888 and 1895. (3 marks)

b) Explain six reasons why the Imperial British East Africa Company rules come to an end in 1895. (12 marks)

15 marks

20.

a) Give three reasons why the British Colonial Government encouraged Europeans to settle in Kenya by 1939. (3 marks)

b) Explain six effects of land alienation in Kenya and during the colonial period. (12 marks)

15 marks

21.

a) Give three political reasons that led to the colonization of Kenya by the British during the 19th century. (3 marks)

b) Explain six factors enabled Missionaries to carry out their activities in Kenya by 1920 (12 marks)

15 marks

SECTION C (30 Marks)

22.

- a) What three situations can make a registered voter in Kenya to be denied the right to vote.(3 marks)
- b) Explain the rights of an accused person during trial in a court of law in Kenya. (12 marks)

15 marks

23.

- a) Outline three sources of revenue for the national government. (3 marks)
- b) Discuss six importance of a national budget in Kenya. (12 marks)

15 marks

24.

- a) Outline any three members of the county executive committee. (3 marks)
- b) Explain six functions of the governor in a county. (12 marks)

15 marks