

# **KCSE 2025 TOP SCHOOLS MOCKS**

## **HISTORY & GOVERNMENT**

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 1**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

**PAPER 1**

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**SECTION A (25 MARKS)**

*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 1960 (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 (3mks)
- 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)

**END**

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 1**

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**SECTION A (25MRKS)**

*Answer All The Questions In This Section.*

1. Give the **main** method used by anthropologists to gather their historical data. (1mk)
2. Identify the method used making sangoan tools (1mk)
3. Identify the external reasons for Lewanika's collaboration with the British. (2mks)
4. Identify the chartered company that British used to administer parts of West Africa. (1mk)
5. Give the reasons why the location of Samore Toure's second empire contributed to his defeat by French. (2mks)
6. Identify two ancestors of man associated with the making of Oldowan tools. (2mks)
7. List two invention which Jethro Tull, a British farmer, invented (2mks)
8. State two regions where salt was mined during the Trans-Saharan trade (2mks)
9. State two ways in which knowledge of iron-working led to the rise of kingdoms in the pre-colonial period. (2mks)
10. Identify the social classes that made up the Buganda society in the pre-colonial period. (2mks)
11. State one way through which the European nations maintained peace among themselves during the partition of African. (1mk)
12. State two duties of Native Affairs Department in Zimbabwe during the pre- colonial period. (2mks)
13. Name the underground movement that spearheaded armed resistance in South Africa during the apartheid system. (1mk)
14. Identify one weapon used during the cold war. (1mk)
15. Identify the vessel used in space exploitation. (1mk)
16. Give the UN agency tasked with promoting workers welfare. (1mk)
17. State the official head of commonwealth organization. (1mk)

**SECTION B: (45 MARKS)**

*Answer Any Three Questions*

- 18a) Identify three reasons why African slaves were more preferred than other races during the Trans – Atlantic trade. (3mks)
- b) Explain six factors that contributed to the decline of Trans – Saharan trade. (12mks)

- 19a) Give three advantages of using radio over newspaper in modern society. (3mks)
- b) Discuss six contribution of television of economic development. (12mks)
- 20a) Outline five factors that led to the rise of Shona kingdom during the 19<sup>th</sup> (5mks)
- b) Describe the political organization of Asante Empire in the pre- colonial period. (10mks)
- 21a) Other than Nigeria name other three countries colonized by the British in West Africa (3mks)
- b) Explain six reasons why the British used direct rule in Zimbabwe. (12mks)

### **SECTION C (30MRKS)**

#### **Answer Any Two Questions**

- 22a) Name three political parties that struggled for independence in Ghana. (3mks)
- b) Explain six factors for the rise nationalism in Ghana. (12mks)
- 23a) Give three reasons for the failure of peace settlement after the First World War. (3mks)
- b) Discuss six causes of the Second World War. (12mks)
- 24a) Name three founders of Non- Aligned Movement. (3mks)
- b) Explain six factors that undermined the activities of Non- Aligned movement. (12mks)

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**SECTION A (25 MARKS)**

*Answer All Questions in this section*

1. Give the branch of History that deals with peoples culture (1mk)
2. Identify **two** social practices introduced to the Bantu by the Cushites (2mks)
3. Mention the basic social unit among the Luo in pre-colonial Kenya (1mk)
4. Identify **two** main items of trade from the interior of Kenya during the long distance trade? (2mks)
5. Give the reason why Ludwig Krapf was unable to establish a mission station in Kitui (1mk)
6. Mention **two** communities in Kenya whose ancestors settled in Mt. Elgon area before migration to the present homeland (2mks)
7. Other than public bill name the other type of bill debated in the national assembly (1mk)
8. Name **two** levels of government in Kenya today (2mks)
9. State the chief executive officer in charge of the county (1mk)
10. Name the First African in Kenya to serve in the Legislative council in colonial Kenya (1mk)
11. Give importance of the Mace in parliament (1mk)
12. Mention the constitutional commission that conducts and supervises elections in Kenya (1mk)
13. Name **two** political activists assassinated in Kenya up to 1978 (2mks)
14. Give **two** changes introduced by the Mackay Commission in education sector in Kenya (2mks)
15. State **two** pillars of Nyayoism (2mks)
16. Identify two principles of devolved government. (2mks)
17. Define public revenue. (1mk)

**SECTION B (45MARKS )**

*Answer any three questions in this section*

18. State **five** economic activities of the Borana during the pre-colonial period (5mks)  
(b) Describe the social organization of the Maasai (10mks)
- 19 (a) State **three** reasons for the coming of the Portuguese to the Kenyan coast in the 15th Century (3mks)  
(b) Explain **six** factors that led to the development of plantation agriculture along East African Coast. (12mks)

20. Identify **three** methods used by the British to establish their rule in Kenya (3mks)  
(b) Explain **six** results of the Nandi resistance (12mks)
- 21 (a) State five reasons why the government of Kenya adopted the sessional paper No. 10 of 1965 (5mks)  
(b) Discuss **five** ways in which the Harambee philosophy has promoted development of education in Kenya since independence (10mks)

### **SECTION C (30 Marks)**

#### **Answer Any Two Questions in this Section**

- 22 (a) Give **three** internal factors that led to introduction of multi-party democracy in Kenya in the early 1990's (3 mks)  
(b) Describe **six** achievements of Multi-party democracy in Kenya (12mks)
23. (a) Give **three** superior courts in Kenya (3 mks)  
(b) Explain **six** measures taken by the government to improve the correctional services in Kenya (12mks)
24. (a) Mention **three** national security organs (3mks)  
(b) Explain **six** functions of the attorney general in Kenya (12mks)

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 2**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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**SECTION A (25 Marks)**

*Answer all the questions in this section.*

1. State one limitation of using electronics as a source of information of History and Government. (1mark)
2. Identify two classes of monarchical government. (2marks)
3. Identify two ways in which early man used tools. (2marks)
4. Identify two uses of copper in Africa during the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (2marks)
5. State one type of trade. (1mark)
6. State two ways in which slaves were acquired during the Trans-Atlantic trade. (2marks)
7. Give two negative impacts of internet today. (2marks)
8. Give two factors that led to the decline of Kilwa town. (2marks)
9. Give two categories of chiefs in the Buganda Kingdom. (2marks)
10. Name the leader of the British South African Company (BSACO.) in the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (1mark)
11. Identify two methods of colonial administration used by the British in Africa. (2marks)
12. Name one treaty signed by Lobengula and the British during the process of colonization. (1mk)
13. State one way through which the United Nations Organization contributed to the growth of African Nationalism. (1mark)
14. State the main cause of the Cold War. (1mark)
15. Give one factor that led to the failure of Ujamaa policy in Tanzania. (1mark)
16. State the main function of the International Court of Justice. (1mark)
17. State one way in which one can become a member of the House of Lords in Britain. (1mark)

**SECTION B (45MKS)**

*Answer three questions from this section*

- 18.a) Give five changes that led to Agrarian Revolution in Britain. (5marks)  
b) Explain the effects of Agrarian Revolution in Britain. (10marks)
- 19.a) Give three factors that led to the development of urban centres in Africa during the pre-colonial period. (3marks)  
b) Explain six consequences of urbanization in Europe during the 19<sup>th</sup> C. (12marks)

- 20.a) Give three social reasons that led to the scramble and petition of Africa in the 19<sup>th</sup>C by European powers. (3marks)
- b) Explain six impacts of European partition of Africa. (12marks)
- 21.a) Give three reasons why the Ndebele were defeated by the British in 1893-1894. (3marks)
- b) Briefly describe the results of the Anglo-Ndebele war of 1893-1894. (12marks)

### **SECTION C (30MKS)**

*Answer two questions from this section.*

- 22.a) Outline five grievances of Africans against Apartheid in South Africa. (5marks)
- b) Explain five challenges faced by African Nationalists in the struggle for majority rule in South Africa. (10marks)
- 23.a) Identify five achievements of Pan Africanism. (5marks)
- b) Describe five factors undermining the activities of African Union (AU) since its formation in 2001 (10marks)
- 24.a) State three functions of political parties in the United States of America (USA) (3marks)
- b) Explain six duties of the president of the United States of America (USA) (12marks)

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**SECTION A (25 MARKS)**

*Answer All The Questions In This Section.*

1. How can anthropology be used to source information on history and government. (1 mk)
2. Identify one ageset among the Nandi. (1 mk)
3. Give two positive contributions of Seyyid said to the economy of Kenyan coast up to 1700 AD. (2 mks)
4. Identify the main cause of political conflicts in Kenya. (1 mk)
5. Give the main cause of political conflicts in Kenya. (1 mk)
6. Give two remedies that have been employed to curb food shortages in Kenya. (2 mks)
7. State two main features of the 1962 constitution of Kenya. (2 mks)
8. Give two rights of persons with disabilities in Kenya. (2 mks)
9. Identify one role of religion during the Agiriyama resistance. (1 mk)
10. Give one impact of local government in colonial Kenya. (1 mk)
11. State two roles of Africans in the provision of health services during the colonial period. (2 mks)
12. Give two ways in which the first World War contributed to African political awareness in Kenya. (2 mks)
13. Give one contribution of Daniel Moi in environmental conservation in Kenya. (1 mk)
14. State two functions of the County Executive Committee. (1 mk)
15. Identify one settlement scheme established by the government in former European farms. (1 mk)
16. State two achievements of the Kenya African Democratic Union in Kenya. (2 mks)
17. Identify one principle of public finance in Kenya. (2 mks)

**SECTION B (45 MKS)**

*Answer any THREE questions in the section.*

18. (a) Give three reasons for the migration of beginning of the 19<sup>th</sup> C. (3 mks)  
(b) Describe the social organization of the Somali in pre-colonial period. (12 mks)
19. (a) State five factors that facilitated the coming of Arabs to the Kenyan coast by 1500 AD. (5 mk)  
(b) Explain five factors that contributed to the decline of early city states along the Kenyan coast. (10 mks)

20. (a) Give three reasons for the rise of independent churches during the colonial period. (3 mks)  
(b) Explain six problems that were encountered by Trade Unions during the colonial period.

(12 mks)

21. (a) Give three reasons why Africans were denied the right to grow cash crops during the colonial period. (3 mks)  
(b) Explain six problems faced by settlers in colonial Kenya. (12 mks)

### **SECTION C (30 MKS)**

*Answer any TWO questions from this section*

22. (a) State three functions of the national Security Council in Kenya. (3 mks)  
(b) Describe the court structure in Kenya. (12 mks)
23. (a) Give three reason that may lead to the impeachment of a government from officer. (3 mks)  
(b) Explain six challenges facing county governments. (12mks)
24. (a) Give five contributions of professor Wangari Maathai to the environmental conservation efforts ion Kenya. (5 mks)  
(b) Describe the main features of African socialism. (10 mks)



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**SECTION A ( 25 MKS)**

*Answer all the questions*

1. State two advantages of using electronics in History. (2mks)
2. Give the MAIN characteristic that distinguish man from other primates (1mk)
3. What two factors favoured the beginning of Agriculture during the new stone age period(2mks)
4. State two factors that facilitated Trans-Atlantic Trade. (2mks)
5. Give one way in which road carnage affects the Economy of a country. (1mk)
6. Identify one form of picture writing during the early civilization. (1mk)
7. State two uses of water as an early source of energy in industries. (2mks)
8. Identify two challenges faced by Athens as a ancient urban centre. (2mks)
9. State one way through which trade contributed to the rise of Asante Empire during the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (1mk)
10. Identify one way through which Europeans maintained peace among themselves during partition of African. (1mk)
11. State two factors that facilitated application of indirect rule in the Northern Nigeria. (2mks)
12. Mention two political challenges facing African states since independence. (2mks)
13. Identify the names of the two camps that fought during the First World War. (2mks)
14. Give one reason that contributed to the collapse of the ujamaa policy in Tanzania. (1mk)
15. Name the organization that replaced Preferential Trade Area (PTA). (1mk)
16. Identify one weapon used during cold war. (1mk)
17. Give one way in which a person can become a member of parliament in Britain. (1mk)

**SECTION B ( 45 MARKS)**

*Answer any three questions in this section*

- 18.a) Identify 3 sub-species of Homo Sapien. (3mks)  
b) Describe the culture of early man during the old stone age period. (12mks)
- 19.a) State five factors that facilitated the scientific revolution. (5mks)  
b) Explain 5 factors that enabled West Germany to recover after the world war. (10mks)

20. a) State 3 reasons for Lewanika's collaboration with the British. (3mks)  
b) Describe the political organization of the Asante in the pre-colonial period. (3mks)
21. a) Give 3 causes of army mutiny Democratic Republic of Congo in 1960. (3mks)  
b) Explain political development in Tanzania since independence. (12mks)

### **SECTION C ( 30 MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions in this section*

22. a) State five characteristics of the common wealth states . (5mks)  
b) Explain five achievements of common wealth to its members. (10mks)
23. a) State three reasons for the failure of Schlieffen plan during first world war. (3mks)  
b) Explain six reasons for the Allies Victory during Second World War. (12mks)
24. a) Give three main traditional principles that characterize the British civil service (3mks)  
b) Explain six functions of the prime minister in Britain. (12mks)

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1. Identify one main source of History and Government of the Kenyan communities during the pre-colonial period. (1 mark)
2. Identify two cultural practices introduced by the Cushites in Kenya. (2 marks)
3. Identify the title given to the war leader among the Luo community. (1 mark)
4. State one characteristic of a good constitution. (1 mark)
5. Which other name is used to refer to the Oromo? (1 mark)
6. State the two levels of government in Kenya today. (2 marks)
7. Identify one recommendation of Lyttleton constitution of 1954. (1 mark)
8. Highlight two functions of the governor during the British administration in Kenya. (2marks)
9. Give two demands of African Elected Members Organization (A.E.M.O). (2 mark)
10. Name two operation Forts established by the British to enhance political control in Central Kenya. (2 marks)
11. State two problems that the co-operative movement has faced in Kenya since independence (2 marks)
12. Identify two elements of the rule of law in Kenya (2 marks)
13. State two characteristics of human rights. (2 marks)
14. State two terms of the Heligoland treaty of 1890. (2 marks)
15. Give two values and principles of the public service according to the Kenya Constitution of 2010. (2marks)
16. Give one role played by the Public Service Commission in Kenya. (1 mark)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)****Answer any three questions.**

17. (a) Name three Kalenjin speaking communities that remained in Mt. Elgon region during migration. (3 marks)
- (b) Describe the social organization of the pre-colonial Somali community. (12 marks)
18. (a) State three factors that led to the decline of the coastal towns after 1500 AD. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain six social impacts of the missionary activities in Kenya. (12 marks)

- 19. (a)** Give five common challenges faced by both the railway builders and settlers in colonial Kenya. **(5 marks)**
- (b)** Explain five internal factors that led to the growth of Kenyan nationalist activities. **(10 marks)**
- 20. (a)** Give three grievances of the white settlers that were presented to the Duke of Devonshire in London in 1923. **(3 marks)**
- (b)** Explain six positive effects of urbanization in Kenya during the colonial period. **(12 marks)**

### **SECTION C (30 MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions from this section.*

- 21. a)** State five non-violent methods of resolving conflicts. **(5marks)**
- b)** Explain five factors that promote national unity. **(10 marks)**
- 22. (a)** Identify three ways that could be used to amend the constitution in Kenya. **(3 marks)**
- (b)** Explain the process of law making at the National level in Kenya. **(12 marks)**
- 23.a).** State five functions of Kenya correctional facilities. **(5marks)**
- b).** Explain five factors that undermine the administration of justice in Kenya. **(10marks)**

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1. Name one of the periods of History (1mk)
2. Identify the hominid that is associated with the invention of fire (1mk)
3. Give two reasons that made Early human beings to live in groups during the stone age period (2mks)
4. State two theories that explain the origin and spread of agriculture (2mks)
5. Give two reasons why the camel is referred to as “the ship of the desert” (2mks)
6. What was the main item of trade from North Africa in the Trans-Saharan Trade (1mk)
7. Give two factors that enhanced the spread of iron working in Africa (2mks)
8. Give the main advantage of a cell phone (2mks)
9. Name two communities that did not take part in the MajiMaji uprising of 1905 – 1907 in Tanganyika (2mks)
10. Name the European power that colonized Zimbabwe (1mk)
11. Name two communes in Senegal where assimilation was successful (2mks)
12. Give the main reason for the convening of the Berlin conference of 1880-1884 (1mk)
13. Give the main function of international court of justice (1mk)
14. List two founders of Pan-Africanism (2mks)
15. Name any two weapons used during cold war (2mks)
16. Name the European power that was blamed for the outbreak of the first world war (1mk)
17. Name the international organization that took over from O.A.U (1mk)

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

18. (a) Identify five ways in which Homo Erectus attempted to improve his way of life (5mks)  
(b) Explain how the development of Early agriculture changed the lives of Early man (10mks)
19. (a) State five uses of iron during the pre-colonial period in Africa (5mks)  
(b) Explain five challenges facing industrialization in Third World Countries (10mks)



- 20.** (a) Outline five methods used by Europeans to acquire colonies in Africa (5mks)  
(b) Explain five reasons for the failure of the Maji Maji uprising of 1905-1907 (10mks)

- 21.**(a) Outline the duties of the Emirs in Northern Nigeria (5mks)  
(b) Explain five roles of Kwame Nkrumah in the struggle for independence in Ghana (10mks)

**SECTION C (30MKS)**

*Answer any two questions in this section*

- 22.**(a) State three European dictators responsible for second world war (3mks)  
(b) Explain six political results of the second world war (12mks)
- 23.** (a) State the three permanent members of the council of the league of nations (3mks)  
(b) Explain six achievements of Economic Community of West African states (ECOWAS)(12mk)
- 24.** (a) Identify three reasons why the Manchester Pan African congress of 1945 was unique. (3mks)  
(b) Explain six reasons why Pan African Movement was not properly established in Africa by 1945. (12mks)

# **KCSE 2025 TOP SCHOOLS MOCKS**

## **NATIONAL TRIAL 5**

311/1

# **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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QUESTION	1-17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	TOTAL SCORE

**SECTION A (25 MARKS)****Answer all questions in this section**

1. Give the **main** source of information on unwritten history (2 marks)
2. Give **two** functions of council of elders among the Akamba. (2 marks)
3. Give **two** ways of interaction between Kenya societies in the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (2 marks)
4. Identify the name of the council of elders among Mijikenda community. (1 mark)
5. Give **one** written source that shows contacts between the Kenyan coast and the outside world up to 1200 AD. (1 mark)
6. Give **two** contributions of the early missionaries in the field of education (2 marks)
7. Give **two** characteristics of a good constitution. (2 marks)
8. Identify **two** special groups whose rights are protected by Kenyan constitution. (2 marks)
9. State **two** reasons why colonial government encouraged settler farming in Kenya (2 marks)
10. Identify **two** political challenges that Kenyans faced at independence. (2 marks)
11. Identify **one** reason why trade unions were formed in Kenya by 1914. (1 mark)
12. State **one** way of becoming a member of parliament in Kenya. (1 mark)
13. Name the body in charge of election in Kenya. (1 mark)
14. Identify **one** demerit of parliamentary supremacy. (1 mark)
15. Give **one** factor considered in reviewing electoral boundaries in Kenya. (1 mark)
16. Give **one** importance of the rule of law. (1 mark)
17. Give **one** function of the Senate. (1 mark)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)****Answer any three questions from this section**

18. (a) Give **five** reasons why the Maasai collaborated with the British during the colonial period in Kenya.. (5 marks)
- (a) Explain **five** reasons why the Nandi resisted the British for so long. (10 marks)
19. (a) List **five** reasons why Seyyid Said transferred his capital from Muscat to Zanzibar. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** effects of plantation agriculture. (10 marks)

20. (a) Identify **five** results of Devonshire White Paper of 1923. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** consequences of colonial land policies in Kenya. (10 marks)
21. (a) Give **five** characteristics of early political organizations in Kenya. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** problems faced by trade union movements in Kenya during colonial period. (10 marks)

### **SECTION C (30 MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions from this section*

22. (a) Give **three** advantages of unwritten constitution. (3 marks)
- (b) Describe the features of Kenya's independence constitution. (12 marks)
23. (a) Give the composition of the National Security Council in Kenya. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** functions of the Public Service Commission in Kenya. (12 marks)
24. (a) Identify **three** principles of Devolution. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** functions of County Government in Kenya. (12 marks)

# **KCSE 2025 TOP SCHOOLS MOCKS**

## **NATIONAL TRIAL 5**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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**SECTION A (25 MARKS)**

*Answer all questions in this section*

1. Define the term history. (1 mark)
2. Identify **two** methods used by archeologists to date fossils. (2 marks)
3. Name **one** sub-species of Homo Sapiens. (1 mark)
4. Give **two** characteristics of early agriculture in Europe before the Agrarian revolution. (2 marks)
5. Identify **one** river responsible for early agriculture in Mesopotamia. (1 mark)
6. Give **two** shortcomings of barter trade. (2 marks)
7. Give **two** advantages of using a motorcycle as a means of transport. (2 marks)
8. Identify the person who invented the first aeroplane. (1 mark)
9. Name **two** early metals used in industrial development. (2 marks)
10. Give **two** advantages of metal tools over stone tools. (2 marks)
11. Identify **one** early urban centre in Europe. (1 mark)
12. Give the **main** reason for the development of Kilwa as an early urban centre. (1 mark)
13. Identify **two** communities that took part in the Maji Maji rebellion. (2 marks)
14. Give the **main** reason why Europeans used scorched earth policy against African resistance. (1 mark)
15. Name **two** communes in Senegal where the policy of assimilation was applied successfully. (2 marks)
16. Name the policy adopted by France and Britain to avoid the outbreak of another war after the First World War. (1 mark)
17. Identify the immediate cause of the Second World War. (1 mark)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)**

*Answer any three questions from this section*

18. (a) Identify **five** hunting methods used by early man. (5 marks)
- (b) Describe the culture of man in the Middle Stone Age period. (10 marks)
19. (a) Identify **five** methods used to acquire slaves during the Trans-Atlantic slave trade. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** factors responsible for the decline of the Trans-Atlantic slave trade (10 marks)

20. (a) List **five** traditional forms of communication. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain **five** negative impacts of modern means of communication. (10 marks)
21. (a) Give **five** economic activities of the Shona Empire during the pre-colonial period. (5 marks)
- (b) Discuss the social organization of the Asante Empire in the pre-colonial period. (10 marks)

### **SECTION C (30 MARKS)**

**Answer any two questions from this section**

22. (a) Give **three** methods used by African nationalist in South Africa in their struggle for independence. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** problems encountered by nationalists in Ghana in their struggle for independence. (12 marks)
23. (a) Give **three** terms of the Berlin Conference of 1884-1885. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** results of Buganda collaboration. (12 marks)
24. (a) Outline the structure of the League of Nations. (3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** causes of the Second World War. (12 marks)

# **KCSE 2025 TOP SCHOOLS MOCKS**

## **NATIONAL TRIAL 6**

311/1

## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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QUESTION	1-17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	TOTAL SCORE

### **SECTION A (25 MARKS)**



*Answer ALL the questions in this section.*

1. Identify **one** advantage of using oral traditions as a source of information in History and Government. (1 mark)
2. Which Kalenjin speakers remained at Mt. Elgon during their migration and settlement during 19<sup>th</sup> century? (2 marks)
3. Give the **main** reason why the Portuguese conquered East Africa so easily. (1 mark)
4. Give **two** political rights of the youth guaranteed in the new constitution of Kenya. (2 marks)
5. How does the constitution guarantee national unity? (2 marks)
6. State **one** way in which East Africa slave trade undermined local industries. (1 mark)
7. What was the **main** reason for calling of the Anglo-Germany treaty of 1890? (1 mark)
8. What was the **main** outcome of the Devonshire White Paper of 1923? (1 mark)
9. Give **two** reasons for the calling of the Second Lancaster House Conference of 1962. (2 marks)
10. State the importance of affiliation of the Kenya Federation of Labour under Tom Mboya to the International Trade Union. (1 mark)
11. What was the **main** reason why the British compelled the Africans to pay hut tax?(1 mark)
12. Give **two** reasons why the Akamba exhibited mixed reaction to establishment of colonial rule. (2 marks)
13. What is contained in a national budget? (2 marks)
14. Give **one** house committee of parliament which deals with government financial matters. (1 mark)
15. Give **two** occasions when the president attends parliament. (2 marks)
16. Identify **two** political events that threatened the stability of Kenya between 1975 and 1978. (2 marks)
17. Name the fund into which all government revenue is paid. (1 mark)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)**

*Answer any three questions from this section.*

18. a) Give **three** social reasons for the coming of the Christian missionaries to Kenya. (3 mks)  
b) Explain **six** factors that facilitated the spread of Christianity in Kenya. (12 marks)
19. a) Highlight **five** reasons leading African communities to collaborate with colonialists. (5 marks)  
b) Explain the results of the Maasai collaboration with the British. (10 marks)
20. a) State **three** political development which hastened the achievement of independence in Kenya between 1945 and 1963. (3 marks)  
b) Discuss **six** roles of Wangari Maathai in the history of Kenya. (12 marks)
21. a) State **five** internal factors that led to the revival of Multi-party politics in Kenya from 1991. (5 marks)  
b) Explain **five** challenges experienced in implementing multi-party democracy in Kenya. (10 marks)

**SECTION C (30 MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions from this section.*

22. a) How does the Kenyan government ensure that rule of law is upheld in the country? (3 marks)  
b) Explain **six** efforts made by the government of Kenya to promote national unity. (12Mks)
23. a) Outline **three** responsibilities of the secretary to the Cabinet. (3 marks)  
b) Discuss the functions of the Supreme Court. (12 marks)
24. a) Identify **five** duties of a returning officer. (5 marks)  
b) Discuss the electoral process in Kenya. (10 marks)

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 6**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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### **SECTION A (25 MARKS)**

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

1. Name **one** distinct stage in which evolution of man took place. (1 mark)
2. Mention **one** chemical dating method used by the archeologists. (1 mark)
3. Identify **two** hunting methods used by early man. (2 marks)
4. State **two** theories that explain the origin and spread of agriculture. (2 marks)
5. What was the main reason behind the spread of agriculture in USA? (1 mark)
6. Give **two** characteristic of currency as a method of trade. (2 marks)
7. Apart from Ghana and Mali, name any other empire that developed as a result of Trans-Saharan Trade. (1 mark)
8. Define “space age”. (1 mark)
9. Name the people accredited to the invention of stone tablets as a means of communication. (1 mark)
10. Highlight **two** major factors that contributed to the decline of Meroe as an urban centre. (2 marks)
11. Mention **one** activity that took place during the Odwira festival. (1 mark)
12. Name **two** leaders who prepared African forces in majimaji rebellion. (2 marks)
13. State **two** types of nationalism expressed in South Africa. (2 marks)
14. Identify the rival movement formed in Mozambique to counter FRELIMO in 1965. (1 mark)
15. Name **two** weapons that were introduced in a bid to end the stalemate during the First World War. (2 marks)
16. Name **two** wars that occurred because of Cold War. (2 marks)
17. Identify the organ that keeps annual register of voter in Britain. (1 mark)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)**

Answer **any three** questions from this section.

18. a) State **five** factors that favoured the beginning of early agriculture during the New Stone Age. (5 marks)
- b) Explain **five** effects of early agriculture in Egypt. (10 marks)

19. a) Identify **three** sub-groups of the Shona. (3 marks)  
b) Discuss the political organization of the Shona. (12 marks)
20. a) Identify **three** factors that led to the industrial recovery of West Germany after World War II. (3 marks)  
b) Explain **six** challenges facing industrialization in India. (12 marks)
21. a) Outline **three** economic factors that led to the scramble and partition of Africa. (3 mks)  
b) Explain **six** reasons why the Mandika resistance took long to suppress. (12 marks)

### **SECTION C (30 MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions from this section*

22. a) Identify **three** main bodies of the League of Nations. (3 marks)  
b) Explain **six** problems faced by the League of Nations. (12 marks)
23. a) State **five** causes of Second World War. (5 marks)  
b) Explain **five** reasons why the Axis were defeated during the Second World War. (10 marks)
24. a) State **five** symbolic and ceremonial significance of the British Monarch. (5 marks)  
b) Explain **five** ways in which powers of an American president are checked. (10 marks)

# **KCSE 2025 TOP SCHOOLS MOCKS**

## **NATIONAL TRIAL 7**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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**SECTION A (25MKS)**

*Answer all the questions in this section.*

1. Identify the main source of information used to gather information about Kenyan communities. (1mk)
2. Give **one** example of the Maa speakers in Kenya. (1mk)
3. State **two** ways in which the Mijikenda intensified their security in the pre-colonial colonial period. (1mk)
4. Identify **two** natural factors that enabled the early visitors to come to the East African coast by 1500 A.D . (2mks)
5. Give **one** economic duty of a Kenya citizen. (1mk)
6. State **one** level of conflict. (1mk)
7. State **two** problems facing Nairobi as a modern urban centre. (2mks)
8. Outline **two** factors that determine the type of a constitution in a country (2mks)
9. Highlight **two** characteristics of human rights. (2mks)
10. Name **two** groups of people whose rights and fundamental freedoms are protected by the constitution. (2mks)
11. Identify **two** rights of workers in Kenya according to the new constitution(2010). (2mks)
12. Give **two** reasons for the construction of Kenya Uganda Railways during colonialism. (2mks)
13. What is the main contribution of Tom Joseph Mboya in the development in Kenya. (1mk)
14. State **one** roles of Mekatilili wa meza during the Agiriyama resistance. (1mk)
15. Name **one** method used to elect leaders in Kenya. (1mk)
16. What is the symbol of authority of parliament in Kenya. (1mk)
17. Identify the last stage in the law making process in Kenya. (1mk)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)**

*Answer any three questions in this section*

- 18(a) Outline **five** reasons for the migration of the Luo from their original homeland. (5mks)  
(b) Describe the Political Organization of the Borana in the Pre – colonial Period.
- 19(a) Name **three** Missionaries at work in East Africa during the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> Centuries. 3mks  
(b) Describe the challenges encountered by Missionaries in East Africa during the Pre-colonial period. (12mks)

- 20(a) Identify **three** Communities in Kenya who offered mixed reaction against the British during colonization. (3mks)
- (b) Explain **six** causes of Maasai collaboration. (12mks)
- 21(a) Give reasons why Africans were not allowed to grow Cash crops during colonialism. (3mks)
- (b) What were the results of the Mau Mau **uprising** (12mks)

### **SECTION C (30 MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions in this section*

- 22(a) State **five** circumstances under which freedom of movement may **be limited** (5mks)
- (b) Discuss **five** functions of Kenya National Human rights and Equality commission (10mks)
- 23(a) How can one lose citizenship acquired by birth in Kenya? (3mks)
- (b) Explain **six** challenges encountered by the Kenyans while coming up with a new constitution. (12mks)
- 24.(a)Identify **three** factors that may necessitate the holding of a by-election in Kenya . (3mks)
- (b)Discuss **six** functions of the Kenya Defence forces(K.D.F). (12mks)



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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 7**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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**SECTION A (25MARKS)**

Answer All questions from this section.

1. What is political history as an area of study in History and Government? (1mark)
2. Give two chemical dating methods used by Archaeologists to reconstruct History. (2marks)
3. Give the main reason why early agriculture developed in Egypt. (1mark)
4. Identify two scientific discoveries during the nineteenth century which contributed to food preservation. (2marks)
5. State two ways in which Africans participated in the Trans-Atlantic Trade. (2marks)
6. Give two results of the development of the steamship in Europe. (2marks)
7. Give one reason why coal was used as the main source of industrial power in Britain during the Industrial Revolution. (1mark)
8. Identify two social functions of the Ancient city of Athens in Greece. (2marks)
9. State the main function of the Golden stool in the Asante Empire during the pre-colonial period. (1mark)
10. Give one contribution of religion in the Maji Maji rebellion. (1mark)
11. Why was Ethiopia not colonized by the Europeans in the nineteenth century? (1mark)
12. Identify two ways in which Samori Toure acquired fire arms during the Mandinka Resistance. (2marks)
13. Identify one political reform introduced by President de Klerk that led to the achievement of black majority rule in South Africa. (1mark)
14. Give the main reason why the League of Nations was formed in 1919. (1mark)
15. Name two agencies of the United Nations Organisation which deal with the problem of health. (2marks)
16. Identify one military alliance formed during the cold war. (1mark)
17. Give two non-British colonies who are members of the Commonwealth. (2marks)

**SECTION B (45 MARKS)**

Answer only three questions from this section

18. a) Give three species of **Australopithecus**. (3marks)
- b) Explain six ways in which **Homo erectus** attempted to improve his way of life. (12marks)

19. a) Identify three major Trans-Continental railways in the **modern world**. (3marks)
- b) Explain six ways through which the invention of the railway speeded up industrialization in **Europe**. (12marks)
- 20 a) Give three methods used by European powers to establish colonial rule in **Africa**. (3marks)
- b) Explain six effects of the partition of Africa on the African **communities**. (12marks)
21. a) **State** three methods used by the nationalists in Ghana to fight for their independence. (3marks)
- b) Explain six factors that led to the development of African Nationalism in Ghana. (12marks)

### SECTION C (30MARKS)

Answer only **two questions** from this section.

22. a) **Identify** five main organs of the United Nations **Organization**. (5marks)
- b) **Discuss five** ways through which the United Nations Organization promotes peace in the world. (10marks)
23. a) **Give** five reasons why the First World War was referred to as the greatest war ever fought in the **world by 1914**. (5marks)
- b) **Explain** five effects of the cold war that emerged after the Second World War. (10marks)
24. a) **Give five** factors for the growth of Pan-Africanism. (5marks)
- b) Discuss five reasons why the Pan-African Movement had not established itself in the African continent before **1945**. (10marks)

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 8**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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### **SECTION A (25 MARKS)**

**SECTION A (25MARKS)**

*Answer all questions in this section*

1. **Identify** two pre historic sites where the remains of Kenyapithecus were discovered by archeologists. (2mks)
2. **State two** ways in which the migration of the Cushites into Kenya affected the Agikuyu during the pre-colonial period. (2mks)
3. **Identify** the town established by missionaries in kenya as a centre for freed slaves in the advent of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (1mks)
4. **Give one** historical monuments that establish evidence of the activities of the Portuguese along the east African coast. (1mk)
5. **Give two** economic responsibility of a Kenyan citizen. (2mks)
6. **Give one** economic factor that promotes national unity in **Kenya**. (1mk)
7. **Give two** peaceful methods of resolving conflicts in **Kenya**. (2mks)
8. **Give one** reason why the British used indirect rule in some parts of **Kenya**. (1mk)
9. **Identify two** education commissions established in Kenya before **independence**. (2mks)
10. **Name** the body that made laws in Kenya during the colonial **period**. (1mk)
11. **Outline two** problems experienced by political associations in Kenya up to **1939**. (2mks)
12. **Give one** type of parliamentary election held in **Kenya**. (1mk)
13. **Give two** reason why the Africans in Kenya started independent schools during the colonial period. (2mks)
14. **State the main** functions of parliament in **Kenya**. (1mk)
15. **Name** one ex-officio member of the **senate**. (1mk)
16. **Identify** the political party formed in 1960 to champion the interest of minority group in Kenya. (1mk)
17. **Give two** types of human **rights**. (2mks)

**SECTION B (45MARKS)**

*Answer any three questions in this section*

18. a) State five economic activities of the Agikuyu during the pre-colonial **period**. (5mks)
- b) **Discuss** five effects of the migration and settlement of the highland Nilotes during the pre-colonial **period**. (10mks)

- 19.a) Give three** reasons why the early visitors came to the Kenyan coast before 1500A.D. **(3mks)**
- b. Explain six** factors that contributed to the development of trade between the Kenyan coast and outside world by 1900. **(12mks)**
- 20.a) Give five** grievances of the Kikuyu Central Association which were presented by Jomo Kenyatta to the colonial secretary in **1929**. **(5mks)**
- b) Explain** five problems faced by Africans working for the European settlers during the colonial period. **(10mks)**
- 21.a) Identify five** roles played by women in the MAUMAU uprising. **(5mks)**
- b) Explain five** reasons why the MAUMAU movement was able to last for a long time. **(10mks)**

### **SECTION C (30MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions in this section*

- 22.a) State** five responsibilities of a Kenyan citizen. **(5mks)**
- b. Describe five** features of the constitution of Kenya (2010). **(10mks)**
- 23.a) Name five** types of courts in Kenya. **(5mks)**
- b) Explain** the rights of an accused person in Kenya. **(10mks)**
- 24.a) Outline** five functions of Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission of Kenya. **(5mks)**
- b) Describe five** functions of the president of Kenya. **(10mks)**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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**SECTION A (25MARKS)**

*Answer all questions in this section*

1. Identify the theory explaining that the world and all that is in was created by a special supreme being. (1mk)
2. Name the group of old stone age man, who is associated with oldwan tools. (1mk)
3. Name **two** ancient writing in Mesopotamia and Egypt. (2mks)
4. Give **two** items used as currency in pre-colonial Africa (2mks)
5. Give **two** forms of water transport used during ancient times. (2mks)
6. State **two** uses of horn blowing in traditional African societies. (2mks)
7. State **one** reason why African slaves were preferred during the Trans- Atlantic slave trade.(1mk)
8. Identify **two** chartered companies used to administer East Africa during the process of colonization. (2mks)
9. State **two** factors that facilitated scientific revolution in Europe from 14<sup>th</sup> century. (2mks)
10. Give **two** duties of the Katikiro in the Buganda community. (2mks)
11. State **one** main function of the royal fire in Mwene Mtapu Kingdom. (1mk)
12. Identify **one** way through which the Europeans maintained peace among themselves during the partition of Africa. (1mk)
13. Name two former Portuguese colonies in Africa. 2mks)
14. Give one specialized UN agency which finances development programmes in developing Nations. (1mk)
15. Give the immediate cause of the first world war (1mk)
16. Name one type of dwelling used by early man during the stone age period (1mk)
17. Give one military organization formed by power blocks during the cold war period. (1mk)

**SECTION B: (45MARKS)**

*Answer any three questions from this section*

18. a) Give three stages in the evolution of man after Homo Habilis. (3mks)
- b) Explain six cultural practices of Homo-erectus during the old stone age period. (12mks)
19. a) Outline three disadvantages of road transport. (3mks)
- b) Explain six effects of telecommunication in modern society. (12mks)



20. a) Give three systems of administration used by the colonists in Africa. (3mks)  
b) Explain six positive results of the collaboration between the British and Lewanika. (12mks)
21. a) Give three methods used by Mozambican nationalists to struggle for Independence. (3mks)  
b) Explain six challenges faced by FRELIMO in nationalist struggle. (12mks)

**SECTION C: (30MARKS)**

*Answer any two questions from this section*

22. a) Give three reasons why the British used direct rule to administer Zimbabwe. (3mks)  
b) Explain six reasons for the failure of majimaji rebellion (12mks)
23. a) Apart from Britain name three permanent member states of the UN security council. (3mks)  
b) Explain six causes of the cold war after 1945. (12mks)
24. a) Name the three countries that formed tripple entente (3mks)  
b) Discuss six results of the first world war (12mks)

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 9**

311/1

## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

**PAPER 1****TIME: 2½ HOURS**

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SECTION	A	B				C			
QUESTION	1-17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	TOTAL SCORE

**SECTION A (25MKS)**

*Answer All The Questions In This Section.*

1. **Identify** one source of Kenyan History. (1 mark)
2. **Name** two sub-clans of the **Mijikenda**. (2 marks)
3. **State two** natural factors that facilitated the coming of the early visitors to the Kenyan Coast before 1500 A.D. (2 marks)
4. **Name one** Portuguese commander who led the Portuguese expeditions to the E. Africa Coast. (1 mark)
5. **Identify one** peaceful method of conflict resolution in Kenya. (1 mark)
6. **Give two** symbols of national unity in Kenya. (2 marks)
7. **Give one** right of person with **disability**. (1 mark)
8. **State one** strategic reason for the colonization of Kenya. (2 marks)
9. **Identify two** social challenges of the early political associations in Kenya. (2 marks)
10. **Name one** independent churches founded in Kenya **before 1940**. (2 marks)
11. **Identify** the national philosophy associated with President Daniel T. arap Moi. (1 mark)
12. **State** two features of missionary education in colonial Kenya. (2 marks)
13. **Identify one** qualification of a county **governor**. (1 mark)
14. **Identify two** functions of the Senate in Kenya. (2 marks)
15. **State one** way in which criminal activities can be **reduced**. (1 mark)
16. **Give two** sources of revenue for the national government. (2 marks)
17. **State one** way in which the government of Kenya is promoting games and sports. (1 mark)

**SECTION B. (45 MARKS)**

*Answer Three Questions In This Section. (45 Marks)*

18. (a) **Give five** reasons which influenced the migration of the plain Nilotes to Kenya during the Pre-Colonial period. (5 marks)
- (b) **Explain five** results of the migration and settlement of the Maasai in Kenya during the pre-colonial period. (10 marks)

19. (a) State **three** reason for the coming of the Portuguese to Kenyan Coast in the **15th century**.  
(3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** effects of the Portuguese rule on the East African **Coast**.  
(12 marks)
20. (a) Give **five** grievances of the Kikuyu Central Association which were Presented by Jomo Kenyatta to the colonial secretary in **1929**.  
(5 Marks)
- (b) Explain **five** factors which led to the migration of African to the urban areas in Kenya during the colonial **period**.  
(10 marks)
21. (a) State **three** factors that have contributed to high illiteracy levels in Kenya since Independence.  
(3 marks)
- b) Discuss **six** factors that have facilitated industrialization in Kenya since Independence.  
(12 marks)

### **SECTION C (30 MARKS)**

*Answer any TWO questions from this section.*

22. (a) State **three** characteristics of human rights  
(3marks)
- (b) Explain **six** rights of an accused person in Kenya  
(12marks)
23. (a) Give **three** functions of the prisons department in **Kenya**  
(3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** reforms that have been introduced in the prisons department in **Kenya** (12 marks)
24. (a) Describe the stages in the preparation of the National Budget  
(3 marks)
- (b) Explain **six** ways in which the National Government uses its funds  
(12marks)

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 9**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

**PAPER 2**

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SECTION	A	B				C			
QUESTION	1-17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	TOTAL SCORE

**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 assassination (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)

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## **NATIONAL TRIAL 10**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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QUESTION	1-17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	TOTAL SCORE



**SECTION A: (25 Marks)****Answer ALL questions**

1. **Name** the main source of historical information used in grouping the language groups in Kenya  
1mk
2. **Name two** communities that make up Western Bantu. 2mks
3. **State two** reasons why the Omani rulers were interested in establishing their control over the Kenyan coast. 2mks
4. **State two** ways in which Kenyan Communities interacted in the pre-colonial period. 2mks
5. **Identify two** ways in which the Maasai benefitted from their collaboration with the British. 2mks
6. Name two treaties that were used to partition East Africa. 2mks
7. **Give one** peaceful method of resolving conflicts in Kenya. 1mk
8. State two ways in which direct democracy is exercised in Kenya. 2mks
9. **Name one** development right of children. 1mk
10. Apart from Agikuyu give one community that practised mixed reaction to establishment of colonial rule by the British. 1mk
11. **Give two** ways in which education system in Kenya promotes National Unity . 2mks
12. **State two** characteristics of early political organization established in Kenya before 1932. 2mks
13. **Give two** members of the County Executive Committee 2mks
14. **Give the** main function of the parliament. 1mk
15. **Identify** one type of government expenditure in Kenya. 1mk
16. **State one** pillar of Nyayoism 1mk
17. **What** is the main challenge of Free Day Secondary Education? 1mk

**SECTION B: (45 Marks)****Answer any THREE questions**

18. a) **Three** communities in Kenya who belong to the Coastal Bantu. 3mks
- b) **Six** results of the migration and settlement of the Agikuyu in Kenya during the pre-colonial period. 12mks

19. a) State three reasons why Seyyid Said transferred his capital from Muscat to Zanzibar. **3mks**  
b) Six effects of missionary activities in Kenya. **12mks**
20. a) Give five reasons for the construction of the Uganda Railway. **5mks**  
b) Explain five problems encountered during the construction of Uganda railway. **10mks**
21. a) State five factors that facilitated Mau Mau movement. **5mks**  
b) Explain five roles played by the trade union movement in the struggle for independence in Kenya. **10mks**

**SECTION C: (30 MARKS)**

*Answer any TWO questions in this section*

22. a) Mention five values of a good Kenyan citizen. **5mks**  
b) Explain five social-economic rights of a Kenyan citizen **5mks**
23. a) Give three principles guiding public revenue and expenditure in Kenya. **3mks**  
b) Explain six reasons why the Kenyan government prepares national budget annually? **12 mks**
24. a) State the composition of the supreme court. **3mks**  
b) Explain the concept of natural justice. **12mks**

# **KCSE 2025 TOP SCHOOLS MOCKS**

## **NATIONAL TRIAL 10**

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## **HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT**

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QUESTION	1-17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	TOTAL SCORE

**SECTION A (25MARKS)**

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

1. Name **two** types of written materials used by historians as a source of history and Government. (2mks)
2. Identify **one** artifact that is likely to be found in an archaeological site. (1mk)
3. Name the **main** method that was used to plant cereal crops when early agriculture began. (1mk)
4. Identify **two** advantages of barter as a method of exchange of goods during the Trans-Atlantic Trade. (2mks)
5. State **one** result of the invention of the wheel in Mesopotamia. (1mk)
6. State **two** advantages of horn blowing as a means of communication during the pre-colonial period. (2mks)
7. Give **two** inventions that improved textile industry in Britain in the 18<sup>th</sup> Century. (2mks)
8. Identify the **main** factor that led to the growth of Meroe. (1mk)
9. State **two** functions of the Saza chiefs among the Buganda in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century. (2mks)
10. State **one** social reason for the coming of Europeans to Africa in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century. (1mk)
11. Identify **two** European activities in Africa during the 19<sup>th</sup> Century. (2mk)
12. Give **one** method used by the French to administer their colonies in Africa. (1mk)
13. State **two** roles played by Kwame Nkurumah in the Struggle for independence in Ghana. (2mks)
14. Identify **one** weapon used during the cold war. (1mk)
15. Name **two** permanent members of the United Nations who are non-Europeans. (2mks)
16. Give the **main** reason why Pan African Movement was formed at the beginning of 20<sup>th</sup> Century. (1mk)
17. Name **one** type of elections held for the house of common in Britain. (1mk)

**SECTION B: (45MARKS)**

**Answer any THREE questions from this section.**

18. a) Give reasons why hunting and gathering was a group activity during Stone Age-period. (5mks)
- b) Describe **five** ways in which the development of upright posture improved the early man's way of life. (12mks)

19. a) State **five** factors that contributed to the development of the Trans-Atlantic Trade. (5mks)  
b) Explain **five** negative effects of the Trans-Atlantic Trade on African Communities. (10mks)
20. a) Give **five** benefits of the development of railway transport in Europe during the late 19<sup>th</sup> Century. (5mks)  
b) Explain **five** disadvantages of using air transport. (10mks)
21. a) Give **three** factors that enabled Europeans powers to colonize Africa in the late 19<sup>th</sup> Century. (3mks)  
b) Explain **six** political impacts of Scramble and partition of Africa. (12mks)

### **SECTION C: (30MARKS)**

*Answer any TWO questions from this section*

22. a) Give **three** economic organization of the Buganda Kingdom during the pre-colonial period. (3mks)  
b) Describe the social organization of the Buganda Kingdom during the pre-colonial period. (12mk)
23. a) State **three** roles played by United States of America in ending the Second World War. (3mks)  
b) Explain **six** reasons why the Central Powers were defeated in the First World War (12mks)
24. a) Identify **three** ways through which United Nations promote peace in the world. (3mks)  
b) Explain **six** functions of the General Assembly of the United Nations. (12mks)

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