**HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT (311)**

**END OF TERM 1 2024 EXAM**

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**Instructions to Candidates**

1. *This paper consists of* ***TWO*** *sections* ***A AND B***
2. *Answer* ***ALL*** *QUESTIONS.*
3. *Answers to all the questions must be written legibly in the answer booklet provided.*

***Candidates should answer the questions in English***

SECTION A (40 MARKS)

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS.

1. Define the term Pre-history (1 mark)

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1. Apart from Political history, name two other branches of history (2 marks)

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1. State two characteristics of a historical event (2 marks)

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1. Identify two forms of government that exists in the world (2 marks)

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1. Give three career choices that are influenced through the study of History and Government ( 3 marks)

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1. State three forms of oral traditions (3 marks)

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1. What is an archaeological site (2 marks)

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1. State two disadvantages of relying on linguistics as a source of history and government (2 marks)

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1. Identify two chemical methods that are used by archaeologists in dating fossils and artifacts (2 marks)

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1. Give one example of an audio-visual source of history and government (1 mark)

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1. State the two theories that explains the origin of agriculture (2 marks)

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1. Identify two irrigation methods that were used in Egypt (2 marks)

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1. Give a reason why *Homo habilis* was also called man with ability (1 mark)

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1. a.)State five methods that are used by archaeologists to locate archeological sites (5 marks)

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b.)Explain five benefits of the discovery of fire by the early man (10 marks)

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SECTION B (60 MARKS)

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

1. a.)State three disadvantages of written sources of history and government (3 marks)

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b.)Explain the importance of studying government (12 marks)

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1. a.)Give three theories which explains the origin of human (3 marks)

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b.)Explain six reasons why Africa is regarded as the original homeland for mankind (12 marks)

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1. a.)Identify three prehistoric sites that are found in Kenya (3 marks)

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b.)Describe the life of early human beings during the Old Stone Age period (12 marks)

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1. a.)State three reasons why hunting of wild animals was mainly a group activity during the stone age period (3 marks)

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b.)Explain six reasons why early people domesticated crops and animals during the Neolithic period (12 marks)

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