

SULIMO 2025 MARKING SCHEME

HISTORY 311/1

SECTION A: Answer all questions in this section. (25 marks)

- 1. Name the southern Cushitic group that migrated to Kenya during the pre-colonial period. (1 mark)
 - i. Sanye
- 2.State two ways through which the knowledge of iron working facilitated the migration of the Bantus during the pre-colonial period. (2 marks
 - i. Iron weapons were used for protection
 - ii. Iron tools were used to clear bushes
 - iii. Were used for cultivation which led to increased food production hence population pressure
- 3. Identify the name of the council of elders among the Mijikenda.

(1 mark)

- i. Kambi
- 4.What was the main factor that facilitated the coming of the early visitors to the Kenyan coast by 1500AD (1 mark)
 - i. Accessibility of the East African Coast by the sea/ocean
- 5. Give two reasons why the Portuguese built Fort Jesus

(2 marks)

- i. Watch tower
- ii. Store of weapons/armaments
- iii. Prisons for captives of war
- iv. Administrative center/base of sending expedition
- v. Hiding place against the enemies

6.State one advantage of dual citizenship to a Kenyan citizen

(1 mark)

- i. One can reside in both countries
- ii. One can work in either of the country
- iii. One enjoys rights and freedoms in both countries

7. Give two economic factors that promotes National unity in Kenya

(2 marks)

- i. Equitable distribution of resources
- ii. Equal employment opportunities
- iii. Use of common currency
- iv. Commercial trade/ Interaction



8. Identify one minority group whose rights were protected by the constitution of Kenya at independence (1 mark) i. **Asians** ii. Europeans iii. Minority/Smaller communities 9. Highlight two types of indirect democracy (2 marks) i. **Parliamentary** ii. Presidential iii. Composite 10. Name the treaty that ended the partition conflicts between the European powers in East Africa (1 mark) i. Heligoland/ Anglo Germany agreement of 1890 11.Outline two education commissions that were established in Kenya before independence (2 marks) i. Fraser ii. Phelps stock iii. Beecher iv. Binns 12.Identify the political party formed by Oginga Odinga in 1966 (1 mark) i. Kenya people unions 13. Name two houses of parliament in Kenya (1 mark) i. National assembly ii. Senate 14. What is the main function of Correctional service in Kenya (1 mark) i. Reform/Rehabilitate the offenders (2 marks) 15. Give two sources of Nyayoism. Biblical teachings / ten Commandments i. ii. Moi long political career experience iii. Sessional paper No 10 0f 1965 16.Identify the institution of county government that implement County policies (1 mark)

i.

County executive committee



17. Give two main ways through which National government spend their revenue. (2 mark)

- i. Capital
- ii. Recurrent

SECTION B: (Answer any three questions from this section. (45 marks)

18 a). State five reasons for the migration of the Highland Bantus into Kenya during the pre-colonial period. (5 marks)

- i. Population pressure
- ii. Internal conflicts
- iii. External attacks
- iv. Spirit of adventure
- v. Escape natural disasters e.g. drought and famine
- vi. Escape human/animal diseases/epidemics
- vii. Search for fertile soils

b) Explain five social effects of the migration and settlement of the Luo into Kenya during the 19th century. (10 marks)

- i. Intermarriages
- ii. Cultural exchange
- iii. Displacements of some communities
- iv. Assimilation/absorption of some communities
- v. Increase in population where they settled
- vi. Population redistribution where they settled
- vii. Loss of lives due to increased conflicts.

19 a) Give five reasons for the coming of the Christian missionaries to Kenya in the 19th century. (5 marks)

- i. To spread Christianity
- ii. To end slave trade
- iii. To civilize Africans
- iv. To explore the region
- v. To promote legitimate trade
- vi. To spread western education to Africans

b) Explain five problems faced by Europeans settlers in Kenya during the colonial period. (10 marks)

- i. Inadequate capital to invest in farming
- ii. Poor transport and communication network
- iii. Lacked essential agricultural skills They were not familiar with seasons
- iv. Inadequate market during world wars



- v. Inadequate labour force
- vi. Attack from hostile Africans
- vii. Animal and crop diseases
- viii. Price fluctuation of agricultural produce/economic depression.

20 a) Give five characteristics of political parties which were formed in Kenya after 1945. (5 marks)

- i. They had a national outlook
- ii. They were fighting for independence
- iii. Demanded for return of alienated land
- iv. They were radical
- v. They were led by educated Africans
- vi. They demanded for improved conditions for African workers/welfare
- vii. They Demanded for fair taxation

b) Explain ways through which Ronald Ngala contributed to the struggle for independence in Kenya. (10mks)

- i. Founder member of the Mijikenda Union which created political awareness
- ii. He was a member of Legislative council that advocated for increased African representation.
- iii. He demanded for the release of political prisoner
- iv. He was the president of KADU, where he advocated for independence
- v. As a member of AEMO, he mediated between the extremes and moderates to create unity
- vi. He attended Second Lancaster House Conference that drafted the independence constitution
- vii. As a leader of KADU, he accepted to form a coalition government with New Kenya Party so as not to delay independence process.
- viii. He advocated for Equal living standards for all races in Kenya

21 a) State five ways through which Harambee Philosophy has promoted development of Health sector in Kenya.

- i. Led to building of health centers
- ii. Money has been contributed to buy drugs
- iii. Money has been contributed to treat the sick
- iv. Medical personnel offer free medical services
- v. Money has been contributed to train medical personnel

b) Discuss five factors that have promoted industrialization in Kenya since independence (10 marks)

- i. Good transport and communication network
- ii. Availability of sources of energy e.g. electricity
- iii. Availability skilled and unskilled labor from large population
- iv. Availability of Agricultural raw materials.
- v. Existence of mineral resources



- vi. Availability of varied tourist sceneries promoting tourist's industry vii. Existence of natural and man-made forests promoting furniture industry Government support/policy favoring industrialization viii. ix. Water resources rich in fish has promoted fish processing industries in the country. **SECTION C:** Answer two questions from this section (30 marks) 22 a) Identify **three** members of the National Security Council in Kenya. (3 marks) i. President ii. Deputy president Cabinet Secretary for Defense iii. iv. Cabinet Secretary for internal security/interior **Attorney General** ٧. vi. Cabinet Secretary for foreign affairs Chief of Defense Forces vii. viii. Inspector General of Police
 - b) Explain six rights of an arrested person in Kenya.

(12 marks)

- i. Right to be told the reason for arrest
- ii. Right to remain silent/be told consequences of not remaining silent
- iii. Right to contact an advocate/any person that may be of importance
- iv. Right to be presented before the court of law within 24hours/be told reason for extension of the detent.
- v. Right to bail/bond
- vi. Right not to be mixed with those serving their sentence

23 a) Name three subordinate courts in Kenya.

(3 marks)

- i. Kadhi court
- ii. Magistrate court
- iii. Courts Martials
- iv. Local tribunals

b) Explain six functions of the Cabinet in Kenya.

(12 marks)

- i. It performs any duty delegated to it by the president
- ii. It appoints board members of parastatals in respective ministries
- iii. It initiates new bills which are debated in parliament
- iv. It Formulate policies and programs for government to the people
- v. It coordinates and controls activities in their respective ministries
- vi. It updates the president on the progress of activities in their ministries
- vii. It advises the president on matters pertaining administration of the country
- viii. It prepares the budgets which shows the government expenditure



- ix. It provides parliament with full and regular reports concerning matters in their dockets
- x. Defends government policies collectively

24 a) Identify three members of County Assembly in Kenya.

(3 marks)

- i. The speaker
- ii. The elected members of the county assembly
- iii. The nominated members

b) Explain ways in the National and the County government relates.

(12 marks)

- i. There is mutual respect in performance/exercising their powers
- ii. They assist/consult/support as appropriate
- iii. They liaise for purposes of exchanging information/coordinating policies
- iv. They set up mechanisms for settling disputes
- v. They cooperate in the performance of functional/joint set up committee
- vi. They implement legislation of each other level of government

