

SULIMO 2025 MARKING SCHEME

311/2 History and Government

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

1. State two disadvantages of oral traditions as a source of History and Government.

(2 marks)

- i. Information may be forgotten or omitted
- ii. Does not provide chronology of events
- iii. Information may be biased
- iv. Information may be exaggerated
- v. It is time consuming
- vi. It is expensive

2.Identify two sub species of Australopithecus.

(2 marks)

- i. Australopithecus Africanus
- ii. Australopithecus Anamnesis
- iii. Australopithecus Robustus
- iv. Australopithecus Afarensis

3.State the main mode of transport used during the Trans-Sahara Trade.

(1 marks)

- i. Use of pack animal, Camel
- 4. What was the contribution of Alexander Graham Bell in the field of science. (1 mark)
 - i. He invented the Telephone

5.Identify the form of writing that developed in Egypt as a result of development of agriculture. (1mark)

i. Hieroglyphics

6.State the main factor that led to emergence of Cairo as urban centre.

(1 mark)

- i. Presence of water from R. Nile for industrial and domestic use.
- 7. Give the main source of energy during the pre-colonial period.

(1 mark)

i. Wood

8. Highlight two symbols of unity among the Asante Kingdom.

(2 marks)



ii. Odwira festival iii. Asantehene 9. State two strategic reasons for the scramble and partition of Africa. (2 marks) i. The Egyptian Question ii. French activities in the Congo and West Africa The activities of King Leopold II of Belgium iii. 10. Highlight two communities that participated in the Majimaji Rebellion. (2 marks) i. Ngindo ii. Matumbi iii. Zaramo iv. Bena v. Pogoro Ndendeule vi. vii. Ngoni Wamwera viii. ix. Luguru Mbunga X. 11.State two events that led to the end of first world war. (2 marks) i. The surrender of Russia ii. The entry of USA on the side of the Allies 12. Name two founder members of the Non-Aligned Movement. (2 marks) i. China, Chou En Lai ii. India, Jewarhalal Nehru iii. Indonesia, Ahmed Surkano iv. Egypt, Gamel Abdel Nasser Yugoslavia, Marshal Tito v. 13. Identify one financial institution of the African Union. (1 mark) i. The African Monetary Fund ii. The African Central Bank The African Investment Bank iii. 14.Outline two principles of the Arusha declaration. (2 marks) i. Self-reliance

i.

Golden stool



- ii. Ujamaa, socialism
- iii. Nationalization
- iv. Avoidance of discrimination, human equality

15. Give the main duty of the United Nations General Assembly.

(1 mark)

i. To supervise other organs of the United Nations

16.Identify the main political challenge facing the African countries.

(1 mark)

i. Political instability

17. What is the name of the body in-charge of Elections in India.

(1 mark)

i. The Electoral Commission of India

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

18 a) State five factors that led to development of early agriculture in Mesopotamia. (5 mark)

- i. Availability of water from R. Tigris and Euphrates for irrigation
- ii. Availability of labour from Sumerians,
- iii. Population increase, demand for food
- iv. Availability fertile soils
- v. Availability of indigenous crops and animals
- vi. Presence of heavy rainfall
- vii. Presence of invention tools like the plough, seed drill
- viii. Favourable climate
- ix. Use of land reclamation methods, dykes

b) Explain five effects of food shortage in the third world countries.

(10 marks)

- i. Slow economic growth
- ii. Loss of lives
- iii. Overdependence on foreign countries
- iv. Malnutrition
- v. High crime rate
- vi. Refugee problem
- vii. Decline in agro based industries
- viii. Increased food prices
- ix. High school drop outs
- x. High debt burden
- xi. Poverty, Poor quality of life



19 a) Outline five reasons why African slaves were preferred during the Trans-Atlantic trade.

(5 marks)

- i. They were thought to be stronger
- ii. They were available in large numbers
- iii. They could not easily escape
- iv. They were thought to be immune to diseases
- v. They were cheaper to acquire

b) Explain five positive impact of the modern means of transport.

(10 marks)

- i. Improved trade
- ii. Improved agriculture
- iii. Increased social interaction
- iv. Facilitated space exploration
- v. Increased government revenue
- vi. Increased employment opportunities
- vii. Increased exploitation of natural resources
- viii. Widespread migration, settlement of people
- ix. Facilitated sharing of ideas, spread of ideas
- x. Development of urban centres

20 a). Give five factors that promoted scientific revolution in Europe in the 19th century. (5marks)

- i. The emergence of the rebirth, renaissance period
- ii. Discovery of the printing press
- iii. The inability of religion to solve man's problems
- iv. The need to provide solutions to man's problems
- v. Explorers and the discovery of the new world
- vi. Presence of funds from the government and rich individuals

b) Discuss five challenges facing industrialization in Brazil.

(10 marks)

- i. Competition from developed countries
- ii. Low purchasing power, high levels of poverty
- iii. Poor transport system
- iv. Poor technology
- v. Inability to fully exploit her natural resources, low population to provide labour
- vi. Monopoly of resources by multinational companies
- vii. Huge foreign debt



- viii. Repatriation of profits by foreign investors
 - ix. Historical background, neocolonialism

21 a). Highlight five methods used by Nationalists in Ghana to fight for their independence. (5 marks)

- i. They formed political parties
- ii. They used boycotts, demonstrations, strikes and go slows
- iii. They organized political rallies to mobilize mass support
- iv. They used newspapers to articulate their views
- v. They used the legislative council
- vi. They used trade unions
- vii. They used international forum

b) Explain five factors that contributed to the success of FRELIMO in the struggle for independence in Mozambique. (10 marks)

- i. It got support from the local people
- ii. The movement cultivated its own food
- iii. The fighters were familiar with the terrain
- iv. It got support from communist countries
- v. It was supported by OAU
- vi. The fighters used guerrilla tactics
- vii. Got support from friendly African states\
- viii. Their system of administered was accepted by liberated states
- ix. It recognized the role of women
- x. They employed the strategy of attacking from different sides at the same time
- xi. It had a large army

SECTION C: Answer any two questions from this section (30 marks)

22 a). Name three members of the Axis powers during the second world war. (3 marks)

- i. Germany
- ii. Italy
- iii. Japan
- iv. Hungary
- v. Romania
- vi. Bulgaria
- vii. Slovakia
- viii. Finland



ix. Croatia

b) Explain six effects of the Cold War.

(12 marks)

- i. It undermined international peace and security world
- ii. Led to hostility and mistrust among nations
- iii. Led to developments in science and technology
- iv. Led to the splitting of some countries like Korea
- v. Led to series of crises and actual wars in some cases
- vi. Led to the spread of communist and capitalist ideologies
- vii. Led to the formation of economic and military alliances
- viii. Led to the formation of the Afro Asian block
- ix. Led to coups and counter coups, emergence of dictators
- x. Led to division of Europe into two, Communist East and Capitalist West

23 a) Give three principal organs of the United Nations.

(3 marks)

- xi. The General Assembly
- xii. The Economic and Social Council
- xiii. The Trusteeship Council
- xiv. The Security Council
- xv. The Secretariat
- xvi. The International Court of Justice

b) Explain six challenges facing the African Union since its formation in 2002. (12 marks)

- i. Political instability, civil wars
- ii. Border disputes
- iii. Lack of democracy in some countries
- iv. Interference from developed countries
- v. Neo colonialism
- vi. Ideological differences
- vii. Lack of a standing army
- viii. National interests
- ix. Inadequate funds
- x. Divided loyalty
- xi. Personality differences

24 a). Identify three categories of persons who are not allowed to contest for the British Parliamentary seats. (3 marks)

- i. Aliens, foreigners
- ii. Members of the House of Lords, Nobles, Peers



- iii. Clergymen of the Church of Scotland, England, Ireland, Roman Catholic Church
- iv. Public officers, judges, civil servants, members of the armed forces
- v. Persons declared bankrupt
- vi. Persons who have committed electoral offence, corrupt cases
- vii. Members of the royal family
- viii. A person serving a jail term of more than one year
- ix. A person of unsound mind, incapacitated persons

b) Discuss six political challenges that Democratic Republic of Congo has faced since independence. (12 marks)

- i. Competition for political dominance by political parties has undermined unity
- ii. Ethnic differences have divided the country
- iii. Mutiny staged by African soldiers created anarchy
- iv. Secession of some regions caused instability
- v. Political assassinations
- vi. Inadequate personnel to replace the Belgians
- vii. Personality differences among leaders
- viii. Belgium interference in the affairs of the country
- ix. Killing of Belgian nationals following the army mutiny created a state of lawlessness
- x. Political and ideological differences between Patrice Lumumba and Joseph Kasavubu