

**SOCIAL STUDIES**  
**PAPER 2**  
**PTE MOCK EXAMINATION**  
**MARCH/APRIL 2019**  
**TIME: 2 ½ HRS**

**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

1. *This paper contains SIX questions*
2. *Question one is compulsory*
3. *Candidates should also answer all questions in English*

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Question	Max. score	Candidates score
1	20	
2	20	
3	20	
4	20	
5	20	
Total score		

1. This question is compulsory

Study the map of Africa below and use to answer question as follows

a. (i) Name the ocean currents marked (2mks)

K \_\_\_\_\_

P \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) Language group which originated in the area shaded R (1mk)

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(iii) Name the climatic region marked N (1mk)

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(iv) State six characteristics of the vegetative in the climatic region marked N (6mks)

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b. (i) Name the river project marked M (1mk)

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(ii) Identify two reasons why river projects are established (2mks)

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c. Give three problems associated with the river projects (3mks)

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d. State four contributions of River Tana project to the economy of Kenya (4mks)

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2. (a) (i) State two theories that explain the origin of man (2mks)

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(ii) Explain three ways in which the upright posture helped Homo erectus to adapt to his environment (6mks)

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(b) Give four reasons for the migration of the Luo (2mks)

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(c) State results for the migration and settlement of the Luo (4mks)

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(d) Explain three ways by which the Kenyan government has used to manage population growth (6mks)

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3. (a) (i) Define the term mining (2mks)

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(ii) Where are the following minerals mined

Diatomite \_\_\_\_\_ (1mk)

Fluorspar \_\_\_\_\_ (1mk)

Salt \_\_\_\_\_ (1mk)

(b) Describe the following methods of mining

(i) strip mining (2mks)

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(ii) Hydraulic mining (2mks)

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(c) State four problems facing mining in Kenya (4mks)

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- (d) Explain four benefits of mining to the economy of Kenya (8mks)
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4. (a) (i) Give three methods used by European powers to acquire colonial in Africa (3mks)
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- (ii) State three reasons for the scramble and partition of Africa by different European powers in the 19<sup>th</sup> century (3mks)
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- (b) State four reasons why the British used indirect rule in Northern Nigeria (4mks)
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- (c) Explain how the 2<sup>nd</sup> world war influenced the African nationalism (6mks)
- (d) Give four positive effects of the colonial rule in Africa (4mks)
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5. (a)(i) Define the term nomadic pastoralism (2mks)
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- (ii) Give four characteristics of nomadic pastoralism (4mks)
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- (b) Explain how the following factors influence nomadic pastoralism
- (i) Culture (2mks)
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- (ii) Large tracts of lands (2mks)
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- (iii) Unreliable rainfall (2mks)
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- (c) Give four changes taking place in pastoral areas in Kenya (4mks)
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- (d) Identify four benefits of the nomadic pastoralism to the economy of Kenya (4mks)
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6. (a) Name two types of trade (2mks)
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- (b) Give four factors that may influence trade (4mks)
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- (c) i. List four imports from Europe to Kenya (4mks)
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ii. Give three objectives of the New partnership for African Development cooperation (NEPAD) (3mks)

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d) i. Name two countries of East Africa that are members of the southern African Development cooperation (SADC) (2mks)

II. State five challenges facing SADC member states (5mks)

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