

HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT FORM ONE

OPENER EXAM TERM 2 2023

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

* This paper has **two** sections: A and B
* Answer **ALL** questions in section A and **Section B**
* All answers **MUST** be written in the Foolscap papers provided.

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| Section A | Question | Maximum score | Candidates Score |
| 1. 14 | **25** |  |
| Section B | 15 | **15** |  |
| 16 | **15** |  |
| 17 | **15** |  |
| 18 | **10** |  |
| TOTAL |  | **80** |  |

**SECTION A (25 MARKS)**

**ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS**

1. **Give the meaning of history. (1 mark)**
2. **State one characteristics of a historical event. (l mark)**
3. **Name two main sources of information on history and government (2 marks)**
4. **State two disadvantages of relying on oral traditions as a source of history. (2 marks)**
5. **Identify two sources of Kenyan history (2 marks)**
6. **Give two reasons for studying Government. (2marks)**
7. **Identify one branch in the study of History and Government of Kenya ( 1 mark)**
8. **Give two forms of Oral traditions, (2marks)**
9. **Give two limitations of using anthropology as a source of information on History and Government.(2 marks)**
10. **State two ways in which the study of History and Government promotes a sense of patriotism in the learner.( 2 marks)**
11. **Give two ways in which archaeologists identify a pre-historic site. (2 marks)**
12. **Identify one chemical method of dating fossils 1 mark)**
13. **Identify two pre-historic sites where the remains of Kenyapithecus were discovered.(2 marks)**
14. **Identify two theories which explain the origin of man. (2 marks**)

**SECTION B (55 MARKS)**

**ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS**

**15 a) Name three- historic sites in Kenya. (3 mks)**

**b) Explain six uses of fire by Early Man. (12mks)**

**16 a)State three theories why Evolution theory was not readily accepted (3 marks)**

**b)Explain six reasons why Africa is considered as original place where man probably lived first/cradleland(12 marks)**

**17a) Identify three species of Homo Sapiens (3 marks)**

**b) Describe the culture of man during the Late/new stone age (12 marks)**

**18a) Mention any two arms of government (2 marks)**

**b) Describe four types of government (8 marks)**