3KNT EXAMS

FORM FOUR

HISTORY PAPER 1 311/1

TIME : 2 ½ HOURS

SECTION A; ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

1. Identity TWO sources of information which historians use to write the history of Kenya. (2mks)
2. Give ONE natural factor that caused the Abagusii to migrate from Mt Elgon to their present homeland. (1mk)
3. Give TWO evidence which showed that the Portuguese rules the Kenyan coast (2mks)
4. Give ONE way in which the translation of the Bible into vernacular languages facilitated the spread of Christianity in Kenya. (1mk)
5. Identify TWO Kenyan communities which participated in the long distance trade. (2mks)
6. State the method used by the British to administer Kenya colony between 1920 and 1963. (1mk)
7. Give TWO reasons why African communities collaborated with the British colonialists in Kenya. (2mks)
8. State TWO demands made by the Young Kavirondo Association (2mks)
9. Identify TWO educational bodies that spear headed the establishment of independent schools and churches among the Agikuyu (2mks)
10. State TWO problems faced by the trade unions in colonial Kenya (2mks)
11. Name TWO political parties which led Kenya to Independence in 1963. (2mks)
12. What was the main contribution of Prof. Wangari Maathai to the development of Kenya. (1mk)
13. Mention one pillar of Nyayoism. (1mk)
14. Identify the main way of acquiring Kenyan citizenship (1mk)
15. State one national activity that promote national unity in Kenya (1mk)
16. Name TWO branches of the National police service in Kenya (2mks)

SECTION B

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

1. a) Give FIVE reasons which influenced the migration of the plain nilotes to Kenya during the pre-colonial period (5mks)

b) Describe the political organization of the Luo during the pre-colonial period (10mks)

18. a) Describe the characteristics of the city states by 1500 A.D (5mks)

b) Explain the factors that led to the development of trade between East Africa coast and the outside World in the 19th Century (10mks)

19. a) Give THREE reasons why Africans were discouraged from growing cash crops by the colonial government in Kenya. (3mks)

b) Explain SIX problems faced by Africans working for the European settles during the colonial period. (12mks)

20. a) Mention THREE education commissions set up by the government of Kenya before 1990. (3mks)

b) Identify the challenges facing the education sector in Kenya today. (12mks)

SECTION C ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

21. a) Identity THREE methods of conflict resolution in Kenya. (3mks)

b) Explain SIX effects of conflicts in Kenya (12mk)

22. a) Identify THREE development rights of the child. (3mks)

b) Explain SIX circumstances in which one’s right to life may be taken away (12mks)

23. a) Mention the composition of the county Executive Committee (3mks)

b) Explain the functions and powers of the county government in Kenya (12mks)