**GATITU MIXED SECONDARY SCHOOL NAME:**

**FORM TWO TERM TERM 3 2014 ADM. NO.**

**MID-TERM EXAM HISORY AND GOVERNMENT**

1. Identify one branch in the study of History and Government of Kenya ( 1 mk)
2. Apart from the Maasai, name two other plains Nilotes found in Kenya ( 2mk)
3. What was the main economic activity of the Cushites in the pre- colonial period?.( 1 mk)
4. State two political functions of the council of elders among the Agikuyu during the colonial period. (2mks)
5. Give three sources of information in history and government (3 mks)
6. State two methods used by Early Man to find food during the Stone Age period.(2mks)
7. Give two reasons why early agriculture developed in Egypt (2mks)
8. Identify two early sources of energy. (2mks)
9. State one disadvantage of using a messenger to pass on information (1mk)
10. State two advantages of using air transport. (2mk)
11. Identify the main method of trade in Africa during the pre- colonial period.(1mk)
12. Identify two reasons that led to the decline of Meroe as an early urban centre.(2mk)
13. What is oral tradition as a source of History? (1 mk)
14. State two uses of bronze in early Egypt. (2 mks)
15. Identify one way in which invention of the wheel promoted early transport. (1 mk)

**SECTION B**

1. a) Give five reasons for the migration of the Luo from their original homeland into Kenya. (5mks)

b) Discuss factors that hinder industrial growth in the third world countries (10mks)

18 .a) Identify five factors that led to the growth of town along the coast of Kenya before the 19th Century. (5mks)

b) Explain five causes of food shortage in Kenya today. (10 mks)

19a) Give **three** factors which should be considered when sending a message. (3mks)

b) Explain the effects of Telecommunications on modern society. (12mks)

**SECTION C**

20.a) Identify five factors that led to the development of early urban centres in Africa. (5mks)

(b) Explain six factors that led to the decline of the Portuguese rule on the Kenyan coast. (12 mks)

1. a) Sate three functions of Cairo. (3mks)

**b)**Explain six challenges facing Nairobi. (12mks)