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SECTION A (25 mks)

Answer all the questions in this section in the answer booklet provided

1. Name two pre- historic sites in Kenya. (2 mks)
2. Identify the main economic activity of the Plain Nilotes during the pre- colonial period. (2 mk)
3. Name one community in Kenya which played a leading role in the long distance trade. (1 mk)
4. Identify one community in Kenya which had a centralized system of government in pre- colonial Kenya. (1 mk)
5. Give two evidences which show that Chinese traders reached the Kenyan coast before 1500 A.D. (2 mks)
6. State the main reason for the coming of the Portuguese to the Kenyan coast in the 15th century. (1mk)
7. State two problems which the imperial British East African Company had in the administration of the protectorate.
8. Name the treaty which marked the colonial spheres of influence in East Africa in 1886. (1 mk)
9. State two grievances of the Kikuyu Central Association (K.C.A) against the colonial government in Kenya. (2 mks)
10. What was the main results of the Devonshire White Paper of 1923? (1 mk)
11. Name two African leaders who were detained in 1952 at the declaration of a state of emergency. (2 mks)
12. Identify two sources of government revenue in Kenya. (2 mks)
13. Name two officers of a Municipal Council who are appointed by the public service commission. (2 mks)
14. What is the main function of the Civil Service in Kenya? (1 mk)
15. Give one reason why parliament is regarded as supreme in Kenya. (1mk)
16. Give one way in which the constitution of Kenya guarantees the rule of law. (1 mk)
17. State two contributions of parastatal to the economic development of Kenya. (2 mks)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer three questions from this section in the answer booklet provided

18. (a) Give five reasons which led to the migration of the Cushites from their original homeland into Kenya during the pre- colonial period. (5 mks)
(b) Explain five results of the interactions between the Bantu and the Cushites in Kenya during the pre- colonial period. (10 mks)
19. (a) What were the reasons for the construction of the Kenya- Uganda railway during the colonial period? (3 mks)
(b) Explain six effects of the construction of the Kenya- Uganda railway during the colonial period? (3 mks)
20. (a) State three methods which were used by the British to establish their rule in Kenya. (3 mks)
(b) Describe the organization of the Central Government in Kenya during the colonial period. (12 mks)

21. (a) Why did the British use direct rule in administering most parts of Kenya? (3 mks)
- (b) Explain six ways through which Ronald Ngala contributed to the struggle for independence in Kenya. (12 mks)

SECTION C (30 MARKS)

Answer any two questions from this section in the answer booklet provided

22. (a) Identify three types of local Authorities in Kenya. (3mks)
- (b) Explain the relationship between the central and local government in Kenya. (12 mks)
23. (a) Give three symbols of National Unity. (3 mks)
- (b) Explain six factors which undermine National Unity in Kenya. (12 mks)
24. (a) What are the functions of the Attorney General in Kenya? (3 mks)
- (b) Explain six responsibilities of a Kenyan citizen. (12 mks)

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SECTION A (25 Marks)

Answer all the questions in this section in the answer booklet provided

1. State one theory that explains the origin of early people (1 mk)
2. Give two advantages of using the steam engine in the transport industry in the 19th Century (2 mks)
3. Give two factors which led to the growth of urban centers in Greece (2 mks)
4. Identify one form of picture writing during the early civilizations (1 mk)
5. State two advantages of cinemas (2 mks)
6. Give one importance of the Odwira festival in the ancient kingdom of Ashanti (1 mk)
7. Identify the main commodity from Africa in the Trans- Atlantic trade (1 mk)
8. Identify two economic effects of industrial revolution in North America (2 mks)
9. Name two missionary societies which worked in West Africa in the 19th century (2 mks)
10. State one way in which European Nationalism contributed to colonization of Africa (1 mk)
11. Identify two chartered companies which were used to administer European colonial possessions in Africa (2 mks)
12. Give one reason why the Shona supported the British during the Ndebele war of 1893 (1 mk)
13. Name one political party that fought for independence in Ghana (1 mk)
14. Give two reasons why there were civil wars in the democratic republic of Congo (DRC) soon after independence (2 mks)
15. State two advantages of being a member of the commonwealth organization
16. Name the type of constitution used in Britain (1 mk)
17. Give one disadvantages of a federal system of government (1 mk)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer any three questions from this section in the answer booklet provide

18. (a) What were the stages in the development of tools by early people (3 mks)
(b) Explain six ways through which the development of iron technology affected African communities in the pre- colonial period (12 mks)
19. (a) Give three classes of people in Hinduism (3 mks)
(b) Explain six effects of the spread of Islam in Africa up to the end of the 19th century (12 mks)
20. (a) What were the effects of using electricity in industries in Europe during the 19th century? (5 mks)
(b) Explain five effects of scientific inventions on agricultural development in Europe during the 19th century (10 mks)
21. (a) Give three problems which European colonialists faced as they established their rule in Africa in the second half of the 19th century (3 mks)
(b) What were the results of the collaboration between Lewanika of the Lozi and the British in the 19th Century (12 mks)

SECTION C (30 MKS)

Answer any two questions from this section in the answer booklet provided

22. (a) State three privileges which were enjoyed by assimilated Africans in the four communes of Senegal (3 mks)
(b) Why did the French system of assimilation fail in the areas outside the communes? (12 mks)
23. (a) What were the results of the bombing of Nagasaki and Hiroshima in Japan in 1945? (3 mks)
(b) Explain six factors which contributed to the rise of Japan as an industrial power after the second world war (12 mks)
24. (a) What are the functions of the security council of the united Nations (3 mks)
(b) Explain six problems which the United Nations is facing in its efforts to maintain world peace (12 mks)