



**FORM 1 HISTORY & GOVERNMENT
END OF TERM 1 EXAM 2016
TIME: 2 HOURS**

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Instructions

- This paper consists of **THREE** sections A, B and C.
- Answer **ALL** questions in section A in the spaces provided.
- Answer **THREE** questions in section B and **TWO** questions in section C in the foolscaps provided.

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SECTION	MAX. SCORE	CANDIDATE'S SCORE
A 1 - 17	25	
B	45	
18	15	
19	15	
20	15	
21	15	
C	30	
22	15	
23	15	
24	15	
TOTAL SCORE	100%	

SECTION A (25 MARKS)

Answer all questions from this section in the spaces provided in the question paper

1. Define the term History. (1mk)

2. State **two** branches of History. (2mks)
 - (i)
 - (ii)

3. Name **two** forms of government in the world today. (2mks)
 - (i)
 - (ii)

4. Name one dictator in the world today. (1mk)
 - (i)

5. Name the **main** source of African history in the pre-colonial period. (1mk)
 - (i)

6. What is Archaeology? (1mk)

7. Identify **two** forms of written sources of History. (2mks)
 - (i)
 - (ii)

8. State **two** theories that explain the origin of man. (2mks)
 - (i)
 - (ii)

9. Name **two** Archaeological sites found in Ethiopia. (2mks)

(i)

(ii)

10. State **two** species of the Australopithecus. (2mks)

(i)

(ii)

11. Give **two** sites where Acheulian tools were found. (2mks)

(i)

(ii)

12. Identify the Hominid associated with Middle Stone Age tools. (1mk)

(i)

13. Name the major invention during the Mesolithic stage which improved man's way of life. (1mk)

(i)

14. Give the name of the tool made during Late Stone Age. (1mk)

(i)

15. Define the term Agriculture. (1mk)

16. State **two** theories that explain how agriculture started in the world. (2mks)

(i)

(ii)

17. Name the first African to be nominated to the Legislative Council Legco in colonial Kenya. (1mk)

(i)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

Answer any three questions from this section in the foolscaps provided.

18. (a) Name **three** arms of government in Kenya. (3mks)

(b) Explain **six** reasons why we study History in secondary schools in Kenya. (12mks)

19. (a) Name **three** categories of sources of information on History and Government. (3mks)

(b) Explain **six** advantages of oral tradition as a source of history. (12mks)

20. (a) Name **five** methods of dating fossils. (5mks)

(b) Explain **five** ways on how Archaeologists discover a historical site. (10mks)

21. (a) Give **three** examples of electronic sources of information of history and government. (3mks)

(b) Explain **six** advantages of printed sources of information of history and government. (12mks)

SECTION C (30 MARKS)

Answer any two questions from this section in the foolscaps provided.

22. (a) State **five** characteristics of Dryopithecus. (5mks)

(b) Explain **five** reasons why Africa is regarded as a cradle land for mankind. (10mks)

23. (a) State **five** uses of tools made by man during the Stone Age period. (5mks)

(b) Describe the cultural and economic practices of Early Man during the Late (New) Stone Age. (10mks)

24. (a) Name **three** early crops to be domesticated by man in the Late Stone Age. (3mks)

(b) State **six** factors that led to the domestication of animals and crops. (12mks)