

KCSE PREDICTIONS 2019
HISTORY PAPER 2

SECTION A (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions from this section.

1. Identify one archaeological site in Africa outside East Africa. (1 mark)
2. Mention Two physical features that separated human beings from apes. (2 marks)
3. Identify two scientific discoveries that contributed to food preservation in the nineteenth century. (2 marks)
4. State one role that the Tuaregs played in the Tran Saharan Trade. (1 mark)
5. Mention Two early forms of written communication. (2 marks)
6. Identify Two inventions which improved the textile industry in Britain during the eighteenth century. (2 marks)
7. Name the main dispersal centre of iron smelting in Africa. (1 mark)
8. Mention one initial problem that London faced when it was established. (1 mark)
9. Give one reason why early urban centers in Ancient Egypt developed in the Nile valley. (1 mark)
10. Identify the Two leaders who signed the Buganda Agreement of 1900. (2 marks)
11. Name Two African communities involved in the Chimurenga. (2 marks)
12. State Two conditions which one had to fulfill in order to become a French citizenship in Senegal.
13. Identify Two new weapons of war employed during the First World War. (2 marks)
14. Identify the main factor that prompted the U.S.A to join the First World War in 1917. (1 mark)
15. Mention ONE feature of the Executive Secretariat of the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS). (1 mark)
16. Give the main reason for the formation of Chama Cha Mapinduzi in Tanzania in 1977. (1 mark)
17. Identify the head of the lower chamber of the Indian parliament. (1 mark)

SECTION B (45 Marks)

Answer any THREE questions from this section in a separate answer booklet provided.

18. a) State FIVE characteristics of early agriculture in Europe before the agrarian revolution. (5 marks)
- b) Explain FIVE effects of Agrarian Revolution in Britain.
19. a) State THREE ways in which religion contributed to the growth of the Asante Kingdom. (3 marks)
- b) Describe the political organization of the Asante Empire. (12 marks)
20. a) State THREE advantages of road transport. (3 marks)
- b) Explain the shortcomings of the traditional methods of communication. (12 marks)
21. a) Mention five communities involved in the maji maji rebellion. (5 marks)
- b) Explain five reasons why Africans were defeated in the maji maji rebellion (10 marks)

SECTION C (30 Marks)

Answer Any Two questions in this section.

22. a) State THREE factors which favoured the application of assimilation policy in Senegal. (3 marks)
- b) Explain SIX factors which undermined the use of indirect rule in Southern Nigeria. (12 marks)
23. a) Name THREE political parties which struggled for independence in South Africa. (3 marks)
- b) Explain the factors that led to the development of African Nationalism in South Africa. (12 marks)
24. a) Identify THREE main institutions of British Parliament. (3 marks)
- b) Explain six functions of monarchy in Britain. (12 marks)