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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES.

*This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Candidates should check the question paper to
Ensure that all the pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing.*

SECTION A

1. What is archaeology (1mk)
2. Give two ways in which early man obtained food. (2mks)
3. Give two important of the Rock Art culture during the middle stone age period. (2mks)
4. Give one social impact of land enclosure system in Britain (1mk)
5. Name two methods of trade in pre – colonial Africa (2mks)
6. Identify two early forms of water transport (2mks)
7. Give two economic uses of gold (2mks)
8. Name the European country that took the lead in industrial revolution. (1mk)
9. State two factors that facilitated Scientific revolution. (2mks)
10. Give one source of the British unwritten constitution. (1mk)
11. Name two able leaders accredited for the growth of Asante empire. (2mks)
12. Identify one Portuguese colony in Africa.
13. Name the chartered company used by Europeans to administer Tanganyika. (1mk)
14. Identify the policy of admistration that replaced the system of assimilation in Senegal (1mk)
15. Give one war front in the first world war (1mk)
16. State two economic challenges face by Tanzania. (2mks)
17. Name on Africa county that has witnessed the recent great arab revolution. (1mk)

SECTION B

18. a) Highlight the roles played by the Tuaregs in Trans – Saharan trade. (3mks)
b) Explain six factors that led to the development of Trans - Saharan trade. (12 mk)
19. a) Give five factors that led to the development of early urban centres in Africa. (5mks)
b) Explain five impacts of agrarian and industrial developments on urbanization. (10mks)
20. a) Identify three features of cell phones (3mks)
b) Explain six ways in which the modern society has benefited from development in telecommunication. (2mks)
21. a) Give three causes of shona – Ndebele war of 1896 – 7 (3mks)
b) Explain size reasons why the Shona- Ndebele were defeated by the British. (12mks)

(SECTION C (30 MKS)

22. a) Give three reasons why Britain and France adopted the appeasement policy on Germany. (3mks)
b) Explain six reasons why the Allied powers won the first world war. (12mks)
23. a) State three reasons why pan – African movement was not active before 1945 (3mks)
b) Explain six achievemets of pan – Africanism.
24. a) State three features of state government of U.S.A
b) Explain six ways in which the powers of the us President is controlled. (12mk)