

MID TERM TWO EXAMINATION 2013

SENIOR ONE

HISTORY OF EAST AFRICA P241/1

TIME: 1 ½ HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer **three** questions only.

1. a) Why did foreigners from Middle East settle along the East African Coast between 1000-1500 AD? (12marks)
- b) What were the results of their settlement? (13marks)
2. a) Explain what was meant by the term “the land of Zenji” (13marks)
- b) Describe the main features of the East African Coast between 1000-1500AD . (12marks)
3. a) What factors led to the growth of Swahili Culture at the East African Coast between 1000-1500AD (13marks)
- b) What were the effects of this culture? (12marks)
4. a) Briefly write about any **three** of the early inhabitants of the East African Coast
 - i. Bantu (5marks)
 - ii. Arabs and Swahili (5marks)
 - iii. Bushmen and Hottentots (5marks)
 - iv. Asians (5marks)
- b) Explain the early way of life on the east African Coast before 1000AD (10marks)
5. a) Why did Islam spread along the East African Coast between 100-1500AD (13marks)
- b) What were its effects on the Coastal people?

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