

KIYALA HIGH SCHOOL

MID-TERM ASSESSMENT TEST 2025

HISTORY AND POLITICAL EDUCATION

S.4

Time: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS:

- The paper contains *four* items.
- Attempt *only three* items from all.
- Any *additional item* attempted *will not* be scored

SECTION A

Item 1

Tarawa is a senior business man whose parents migrated from Rukungiri district to Nabbingo in Wakiso district when he was still a young man of five years; he has grown up, studied and become rich in Kampala. Recently, his primary seven son was asked at his class to describe the origin of his grandparents which he totally failed to trace since they died before he was born.

Task

In an essay, help Tarawa's son to trace the origin of his grandparents.

Item 2

A few years ago, Karamoja sub-region and the surrounding areas were attacked by a group of pastoralists called the Baka wonderers, they imposed their will on the residents and grabbed their lands and dominated their grazing grounds leading to untold suffering, deaths and abrupt displacements. The natives have tried to regain sovereignty over their land but have failed leading to tension between the two groups. You have been identified to provide a solution to this situation.

Task

Write an essay explaining how the Karimojong residents can regain independence of their land.

SECTION B

Item 3

During the 2021 elections in Uganda, it was discovered that many Ugandans did not turn up to vote for their local council, they explained that these councils lack value and importance to their villages, as a result the ministry of local government has embarked on sensitizing the locals about the need to have a local government system. You have been identified to be part of the sensitization team that will travel to different parts of the country.

Task

Prepare an essay that you will use during these tour to sensitize the locals about the local government systems.

Item 4

Some African countries are faced with rampant autocratic and dictatorial tendencies that put them to risk of weakening democratic practices in those countries by the leaders who focus on consolidation of power instead of service delivery leading to human rights violation like abductions, imprisonments, deaths, beatings, injuries among others which are direct indicators of lack of democracy. A number of human rights and civil society groups have shown their dissatisfaction about this injustice of abandoning democratic practices in a series of human rights summits and conferences. One of human rights organization has spotted you to be part of their team in their countrywide democratic sensitization tours.

Task

Write an elaborate text document that you will use in these countrywide conference

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