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DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

Time: 3 Hour.

Monday, 13th May 2002 a.m.

Instructions

1. This paper consists of sections **A**, **B** and **C**.
2. Answer all questions in section A and **two (2)** questions from both sections B and C.
3. Section A carries 40 marks and section B and C carry 60 marks.
4. Cellular phones are **not** allowed in the examination room
5. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet(s)

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SECTION A (40 Marks)

Answer all questions in this section.

1. Define the term "national development" and mention four (4) indicators used to measure it.
2. What is a constitution? Explain four (4) ways in which it protects citizens' rights in Tanzania.
3. Identify four (4) reasons why poverty persists in many African countries despite having abundant resources.
4. Mention four (4) contributions of the education sector to socio-economic development.
5. State four (4) effects of corruption on national development.
6. Define the term “gender equality” and explain its importance in national progress.
7. Outline four (4) challenges facing sustainable development in developing countries.
8. What are the functions of the legislature in a democratic government? Give four (4) points.
9. Mention four (4) consequences of poor governance in developing nations.
10. Give four (4) reasons why environmental conservation is important to Tanzania.

SECTION B (40 Marks)

Answer two (2) questions from this section.

11. Discuss the impacts of climate change on agricultural development in Tanzania.
12. Explain the importance of respecting human rights in promoting peace and stability in a nation.
13. With examples, describe the efforts made by the Tanzanian government in empowering the youth economically and socially.
14. Analyze the effects of international trade on the economy of developing countries like Tanzania.

SECTION C (20 Marks)

Answer two (2) questions from this section.

15. Examine the role of political tolerance in strengthening democracy in African states.
16. Describe how cultural diversity can be used positively to promote unity and development in Tanzania.
17. Assess the challenges that limit women's participation in political leadership in Tanzania.
18. Explain the ways in which science and technology can help to accelerate economic transformation in developing nations.