

**241/2 HISTORY OF WEST
AFRICA**

Paper 2
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2 hours

ENTEBBE JOINT EXAMINATION BUREAU Uganda

Certificate of Education HISTORY OF WEST AFRICA

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

*Attempt only **four** questions.*

All questions carry equal marks.

*Any extra question shall **not** be marked.*

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1. (a) Explain how Mai Idris Alooma governed the Empire of Kanem Bornu? *(15 marks)*
- (b) What factors led to the decline of the empire? *(10 marks)*
2. (a) Describe the origins of the Asante Empire. *(10 marks)*
- (b) Explain how Osei Tutu administered the Asante Empire. *(15 marks)*
3. (a) What were the causes of the Yoruba civil wars between 1821 and 1893? *(13 marks)*
- (b) How did the wars affect the Yoruba? *(12 marks)*
4. Explain how Islam was spread In West Africa up to the 19th century. *(13 marks)*
- (b) What were the consequences of the spread of Islam on the people of West Africa? *(12 marks)*
5. (a) Describe the steps that were taken to abolish slave trade in West Africa. *(15 marks)*
- (b) What were the results of its abolition? *(10 marks)*
6. (a) Why did the Christian Missionaries come to West Africa? *(15 marks)*
- (b) What problems did they face in West Africa? *(10 marks)*
7. Describe the response of the following towards the imposition of colonial rule:
 - (a) Jaja of Opobo *(12 marks)*
 - (b) Nana of Itsekiri *(13 marks)*
8. (a) How did World War II contribute to the nationalism West Africa? *(15 marks)*
- (b) What problems did West African nationalists *(10 marks)*

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