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CENTRAL EAST EDUCATION DIVISION
2026 MALAWI SCHOOL CERTIFICATE OF EXAMINATION MOCK



HISTORY

Tuesday 17 March

Subject Number: M081/II

Time Allowed: 2 hours

2:00 - 4:00pm

PAPER II

(120 marks)

CENTRAL AFRICA AND WORLD HISTORY

Instructions:

1. This paper contains 12 printed pages. Please **Check**.
2. There are **three** sections in this paper: **A, B** and **C**.
3. Write your answers in the spaces provided.
4. Write your **Name** and **Examination Number** on all the pages in the spaces provided.
5. In the table provided on this page, **tick** against the question number you have answered.
6. Hand in your question paper to the invigilator when time is called to stop writing.

Question Number	Tick if answered	Do not write in these columns	
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SECTION A (40 MARKS)

CENTRAL AFRICAN HISTORY

Answer **all** the questions in this section in the spaces provided.

1. a.Mention any **two** social classes of the Ndebele society.

(2marks)

b. Explain any **two** reasons why the Ndebele left Eku-pumuleni for Emhlahlandela

(4marks)

c. Explain any **two** motives of the Portuguese in East and Central Africa.

(4 marks)

d. Give any **two** reasons why the Portuguese were ineffective in gold trade in East and Central Africa.

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e. Explain any two factors that made the Maseko Ngoni settle in the Dedza-Ntcheu uplands on their way to Central Africa..

(4 marks)

f. Explain any **two** reasons why Mvera was unstable for missionary work by the Dutch Reformed Church?

(4 marks)

2a. Explain any two factors for the change of policy by the colonial government to involve Africans in commercial farming.in Nyasaland?

(4 marks)

b.Mention any two labour recruiting agencies in Malawi during labour migration.

(2marks)

c.How did each of the following African Independent Churches lead to the rise of nationalism in Malawi?

i. Watch Tower Movement

(2marks)



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ii. The Providence Industrial Mission

(2marks)

d. Explain any two failures of the Central African Federation.

(4 marks)

e.Explain the two roles played by the BSA Company in the occupation of Northern Rhodesia.

(4 marks)

f.State any **two** problems faced by the African peasant farmers in Nyasaland.

(2 marks)

SECTION B (40 marks)

WORLD HISTORY

Answer all the questions in this section in the spaces provided.



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3. a. Mention any two events that took place between 1870 and 1914 in relation to the First World.

(2 marks)

b.Explain any two events that made Britain to abandon her policy of splendid isolation?

(4 marks)

c.Explain any ways how the Balkan Wars contributed to the outbreak of the First World War?

(4 marks)

d. State any two challenges that Germany faced with reparations.

(2 marks)

e.Explain any two weaknesses of the Weimar Republic in Germany.

(4 marks)

f.Explain any two reasons why Adolf Hitler attacked Russia during the Operation Barbrossa.

(4 marks)



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4a.State any two reasons why the provisional government was unpopular in Russia

(2 marks)

b.Explain any two reasons that made Britain and France tolerate the Appeasement policy.

(4 marks)

c.How did the following factors contribute to the outbreak of the Second World War?

i.failure of the Disarmament Conference in 1933.

(2marks)

ii.the Great Economic Depression

(2marks)

d.Mention any two political achievements in Africa since independence .

(2marks)

e.In what two ways did the First and Second World wars lead to nationalism in India?

(4marks)

f.How did each of the following contribute to the weak economies in Africa?

i.corruption

(2marks)



ii.geographical position.

(2marks)

SECTION C (40 marks)

ESSAYS

Answer any **two** questions from this section; **one** from African History and the other **one** from World History. Failure to answer the questions in essay form will lead you to Automatic loss of **4 marks**.

AFRICAN HISTORY

5. Explain the impact of Ivory and Slave Trade on the people of East and Central Africa
6. Describe the factors for the formation of African Independent Churches in Malawi.

WORLD HISTORY

7. Explain the causes of the First World War **(20marks)**
- 8..Compare and contrast the League of Nations and the United Nations Organisation
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(20 marks)

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