

TOR – Tourism Geography

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**ADVANCED LEVEL NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS, 2018,
TECHNICAL AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES**

EXAM TITLE: TOURISM GEOGRAPHY

OPTION: Tourism (TOR)

DURATION: 3 hours

INSTRUCTIONS:

The paper is composed of **three (3) main Sections** as follows:

Section I: Eighteen (18) compulsory questions. 55 marks

Section II: Attempt any three (3) out of five questions. 30 marks

Section III: Attempt any one (1) out of three questions. 15 marks

Note:

Every candidate is required to carefully comply with the above instructions. Penalty measures will be applied on their strict consideration.

Section I. Eighteen (18) Compulsory questions**55 marks**

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01. Identify and give three ways how physical landforms are used for tourism activities in Rwanda. **(3 marks)**
 02. Outline four factors which influence the climate conditions of Rwanda. **(4 marks)**
 03. Identify three vegetation types which tourists can observe in the Akagera National Park of Rwanda. **(3 marks)**
 04. Mention the three volcanoes which are located both in Rwanda and Uganda. **(3 marks)**
 05. Give two examples of fault lakes which are found in east Africa. **(2 marks)**
 06. Define the process of Volcanism and give 2 resultant landforms in Rwanda. **(4 marks)**
 07. Mention three ways in which the lakes of Rwanda have been exploited for tourism activities. **(3 marks)**
 08. Describe the relief of the eastern region of Rwanda. **(2 marks)**
 09. Name two rivers of Rwanda which are part of the Congo River basin. **(2 marks)**
 10. Define herbivores and give two examples of herbivores which can be found in Akagera National park. **(4 marks)**
 11. Name four species of primates which have been habituated for tourism activity in Nyungwe National Park. **(4 marks)**
 12. Give three tourism activities which tourists enjoy in the Nyungwe National Park. **(3 marks)**
 13. What is the Equator and give two countries of East Africa crossed by it. **(3 marks)**
 14. On which two dates of the year is the sun directly above the equator? **(2 marks)**
 15. List the three highest mountains in East Africa and their heights. **(3 marks)**
 16. Mention three adventure tourism activities which are carried out in the Volcanoes National park. **(3 marks)**

17. Identify four new tourism products which have been introduced by RDB in the last 10 years. **(4 marks)**

18. Name three types of reptiles which can be found in the Akagera National Park. **(3 marks)**

Section II. Choose and Answer any three (3) questions **30 marks**

- ✓ 19. (a) Give five ways in which geography is important to tourism.
(b) Give two species of fauna which have been reintroduced in the Akagera National Park.
(c) Identify three hydrosphere elements in Rwanda. **(10 marks)**
20. (a) Outline five characteristics of the savannah grassland vegetation.
(b) Identify five types of soils which are found in Rwanda. **(10 marks)**
21. (a) Explain briefly five causes of deforestation in East Africa.
(b) Point out five effects of deforestation in the region. **(10 marks)**
22. a) List five processes which have led to the formation of landforms in Africa.
(b) Mention five of the lakes which are found in Akagera National Park. **(10 marks)**
23. (a) Discuss briefly five causes of the global warming challenge as observed in East Africa.
(b) Describe five ways in which global warming has impacted on tourism in East Africa. **(10 marks)**

Section III. Choose and Answer any one (1) question **15 marks**

24. (a) Mention five countries in the region which are part of the Nile river basin.
(b) Describe briefly five ways in which the rivers have been exploited for tourism in east Africa.
(c) Outline five major challenges to tourism use of the rivers in east Africa. **(15 marks)**
25. (a) Describe five ways in which climate influences tourism activities in Rwanda and around the world.

(b) Describe the climate conditions experienced by people living near the equator.

(c) Briefly explain why the Greenwich meridian is an important geographical reference point.

(15 marks)

26. (a) Discuss five ways in which the tropical rain forests are contributing to tourism development in East Africa.

(b) Explain five challenges faced by the management of East African National parks in promoting conservation.

(c) With examples, give five types of accommodation which tourists to Nyungwe National park can use.

(15 marks)