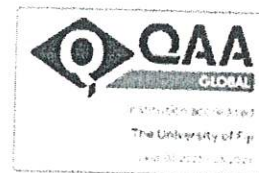




The University of Fiji
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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES & ARTS
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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER

HISF11: FOUNDATION HISTORY I

Important Instructions to Students:

1. Read the questions, instructions carefully and answer the questions.
2. You are allowed an **extra 10 minutes reading time** (during this time, you are not allowed to write with pen) and **180 minutes (3 Hours)** to complete this paper.
3. Silent, non-programmable calculators are allowed, but not supplied.
4. Write all your answers in the answer booklet provided. If you need extra sheets, please ask from the supervisor. Write your name, course code and student identification number in the answer booklet and in the attendance sheet.
5. This paper contains four (4) sections A, B, C and D. All questions are compulsory to answer **except** section A and D have choices.
6. Write all your answers legibly. The marker has the right to award zero for answers that are not legible.
7. This is a **Closed Book Examination**. The University views plagiarism, cheating and dishonest practice as serious offences and if found, offenders are penalized.

Examination Paper Content (Format):

<u>Section</u>	<u>Question</u>	<u>Content</u>	<u>Marks</u>	<u>Suggested Time</u>
A	1-10	Definitions	20	36 minutes
B	1-20	Short Answer Questions	40	72 minutes
C	1-11	Resource Interpretations	20	36 minutes
D	1-3	Essays (Choose Any TWO out of Three)	20	36 minutes
		TOTAL	100	180 Minutes

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SECTION A: DEFINITIONS

[20 MARKS]

Define **any 10 terms** listed below in your Answer book. Each definition is worth 2 marks.

1. Colonialism
2. Protectorate
3. Independence
4. Industrial Revolution
5. Annexation
6. 'Sphere of influence'
7. Mandated territory
8. 'Unsinkable Aircraft Carriers'
9. Genocide
10. Global Conflict
11. Cold War
12. Referendum
13. Crown colony
14. Dictatorship
15. Decolonisation

SECTION B: SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

[40 MARKS]

Answer **all** of the following questions:

1. Name and explain two factors that contributed to the formation of European empires (2 marks)
2. Explain two challenges faced by the Europeans in establishing Pacific colonies. (2 marks)
3. Explain and give an example of 'divide and rule' by the colonial powers. (2 marks)
4. Why did Britain make the Gilbert & Ellice Islands a protectorate? (2 marks)
5. Explain two ways of 'Japanisation' in Micronesia. (2 marks)
6. Explain 'deterrence' and give an example during the Cold War. (2 marks)
7. Explain two features of a democratic state. (2 marks)
8. Explain what 'Warsaw Pact' means and its purpose for the Soviet Union (2 marks)
9. State the importance of the 'Moscow – Washington Hotline' (2 marks)
10. Explain why USA and USSR had the 'Space Race' during the Cold War (2 marks)
11. Explain MAD [Mutual Assured Destruction]. (2 marks)
12. Explain one way the USA forced the USSR to remove missiles from Cuba (2 marks)
13. Explain the significance of the '17th Parallel Line' in Vietnam (2 marks)
14. How did the 'Paris Peace Accords' of 1973 affect USA's control in Vietnam (2 marks)
15. State Ho Chi Mihn's guerilla tactics during the Vietnam War (2 marks)

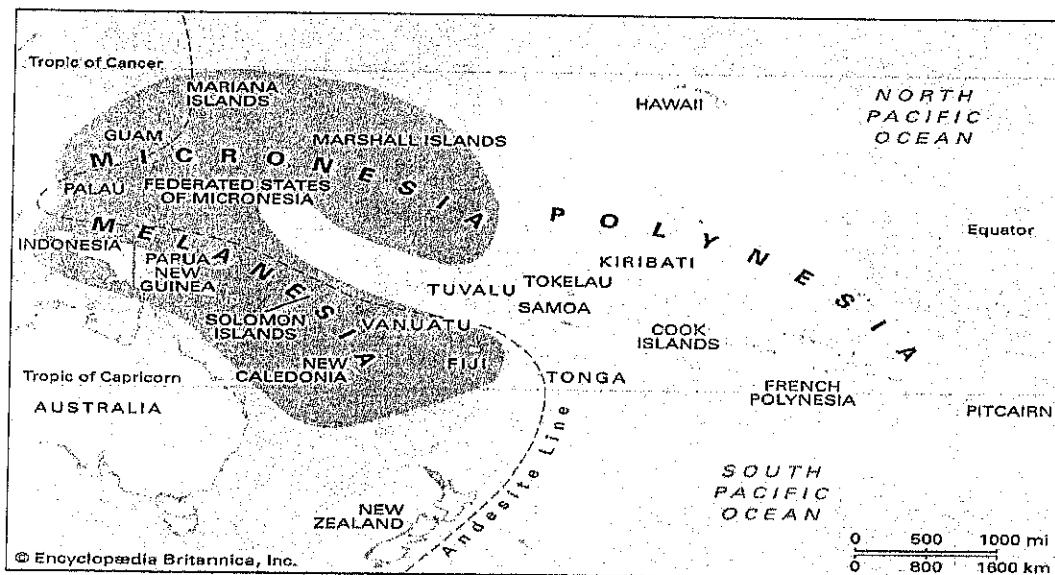
16. Explain the 'Nuclear Weapons Agreement' 1987 between the USSR and USA (2marks)
17. Explain what happened on the Bikini and Mururoa Atolls during the Cold War
(2 marks)
18. How did the 'Marshall Plan' assist West Germany during the Soviet Blockade?
(2 marks)
19. Explain the significance of the 'Berlin Wall' in Germany during the Cold War.
(2 marks)
20. Explain 'transmigration' in West Papua
(2 marks)

SECTION C: RESOURCE INTERPRETATION

[20 MARKS]

Study the resource given below and **answer all** the questions that follow:

Resource 1: Map Interpretation



- (i) In which years were the Gilbert and Ellice Islands (Kiribatis and Tuvalu) became a British protectorate and colony respectively? (2 marks)
- (ii) Name two Pacific islands that were colonised by the French (2 marks)
- (iii) What were the two main Christian religions propagated by the European colonists? (2 marks)
- (iv) What was Tokelau Islands previously known as? (1 mark)
- (v) Which other European Empire was the main threat to the British in the Pacific? (1 mark)

Resource 2: Photograph Interpretation



- (i) Explain the event that is being portrayed here in Berlin. (2 marks)
- (ii) What did the USSR do to West Berlin that led to this emergency (2 mark)
- (iii) Name the other two countries allied to USA (2 marks)
- (iv) How long did it last for and what was its final outcome? (2 marks)

Resource 3: Photograph Interpretation



- (i) Which European power colonised West Papua and from when? (2 marks)
(ii) Briefly explain why West Papuans are protesting? (2 marks)

SECTION D: ESSAY.

WRITE ANY TWO ESSAYS

[20 MARKS]

Select and write on **any two** essay questions.

QUESTION 1.

Choose either Gilbert & Ellice or Union Islands and discuss the ways she was governed by their colonial power. (10 marks)

AND/OR

QUESTION 2

With reference to the Cold War period, discuss the Arms Race with its causes and outcomes.

(10 marks)

QUESTION 3

With reference to West Papua, discuss the reasons for the ongoing conflict and state the attempts for resolving it. (10 marks)

THE END

