

# LITERATURE IN ENGLISH

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## GCE Advanced Level and GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9695 (Literature in English) in the May/June 2009 examination.

|             | maximum<br>mark<br>available | minimum mark required for grade: |    |    |
|-------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|
|             |                              | A                                | B  | E  |
| Component 3 | 50                           | 35                               | 30 | 16 |
| Component 4 | 50                           | 36                               | 32 | 18 |
| Component 5 | 50                           | 43                               | 38 | 19 |
| Component 6 | 50                           | 43                               | 38 | 17 |
| Component 7 | 50                           | 40                               | 33 | 16 |

The thresholds (minimum marks) for Grades C and D are normally set by dividing the mark range between the B and the E thresholds into three. For example, if the difference between the B and the E threshold is 24 marks, the C threshold is set 8 marks below the B threshold and the D threshold is set another 8 marks down. If dividing the interval by three results in a fraction of a mark, then the threshold is normally rounded down.

Grade Thresholds are published for all GCE A/AS and IGCSE subjects where a corresponding mark scheme is available.