## **PORTUGUESE**

## GCE Advanced Level and GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9718 (Portuguese) in the June 2006 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:		
		Α	В	Е
Component 1	100	78	68	48
Component 2	70	55	48	30
Component 3	40	32	28	17
Component 4	75	55	48	35

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.