

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

International General Certificate of Secondary Education

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0511 (English as a Second Language) in the May/June 2011 examination.

| | maximum mark available | minimum mark required for grade: | | | |
|--------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|-----|
| | | A | C | E | F |
| Component 11 | 56 | N/A | 32 | 27 | 18 |
| Component 12 | 56 | N/A | 36 | 31 | 24 |
| Component 21 | 84 | 59 | 46 | 36 | N/A |
| Component 22 | 84 | 65 | 51 | 38 | N/A |
| Component 31 | 30 | N/A | 22 | 16 | 12 |
| Component 32 | 30 | N/A | 22 | 16 | 12 |
| Component 41 | 36 | 30 | 22 | 17 | N/A |
| Component 42 | 36 | 30 | 22 | 17 | N/A |
| Component 5 | 30 | 26 | 22 | 15 | 12 |
| Component 6 | 30 | 26 | 22 | 15 | 12 |

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C. The threshold (minimum mark) for D is set halfway between those for Grades C and E. The threshold (minimum mark) for G is set as many marks below the F threshold as the E threshold is above it. Grade A* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

The thresholds for the **syllabus** are determined first by adding together the thresholds for the components taken by the candidate. A reduction may be made at the higher grades depending on the correlation of the papers. If the maximum raw marks for the components are not in the weighting/relationship specified in the syllabus, a weighting is applied to arrive at the overall thresholds. The A* threshold is calculated using the difference between A and B as a starting point.

The maximum total mark for this syllabus is **100**.

The overall thresholds for the different grades were set as follows.

| Option | Combination of components | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G |
|--------|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| AX | 05, 11, 31 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 62 | 55 | 49 | 35 | 21 |
| AY | 05, 12, 32 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 67 | 60 | 54 | 42 | 30 |
| BX | 06, 11, 31 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 62 | 55 | 49 | 35 | 21 |
| CY | 12, 32, 85 | N/A | N/A | N/A | 67 | 60 | 54 | 42 | 30 |
| EX | 05, 21, 41 | 80 | 74 | 66 | 59 | 52 | 45 | N/A | N/A |

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|--------|---------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|
| EY | 05, 22, 42 | 84 | 79 | 70 | 63 | 54 | 46 | N/A | N/A |
| FX | 06, 21, 41 | 80 | 74 | 66 | 59 | 52 | 45 | N/A | N/A |
| FY | 06, 22, 42 | 84 | 79 | 71 | 63 | 54 | 46 | N/A | N/A |
| GY | 22, 42, 85 | 84 | 79 | 71 | 63 | 54 | 46 | N/A | N/A |

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