## FIRST LANGUAGE RUSSIAN

## International General Certificate of Secondary Education

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0516 (First Language Russian) in the May/June 2012 examination.

	maximum	minimum mark required for grade:					
	mark available	A	С	Е	F		
Component 1	50	39	27	15	11		
Component 2	50	39	27	16	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	<b>A</b> *	А	В	С	D	E	F	G
	01, 02	90	78	66	54	42	31	23	15

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