

OxfordAQA International GCSE Grade Boundaries

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This document presents grade boundaries for OxfordAQA International GCSE specifications.

Subject grade boundaries are presented in the first section.

In the second section notional component grade boundaries are presented for illustrative purposes only. See this document for a guide to notional component grade boundaries <https://www.oxfordaqa.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/oxfordaqa-standard-setting.pdf>

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Subject grade boundaries – June 2025 exams

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OxfordAQA International GCSE											
Subject Code	Subject Title	Maximum Mark	Grade Boundaries								
			9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
9201	BIOLOGY	180	126	115	105	92	79	66	49	33	17
9201E	BIOLOGY & ENDORSEMENT	180	126	115	105	92	79	66	49	33	17
9225	BUSINESS	180	138	128	118	104	91	78	60	42	24
9225E	BUSINESS & ENDORSEMENT	180	138	128	118	104	91	78	60	42	24
9202	CHEMISTRY	180	139	125	111	96	81	67	51	35	19
9204C	COMBINED SCIENCE CORE	300	-	-	-	-	192	153	114	76	38
9204CE	COMBINED SCIENCE CORE & ENDORSEMENT	300	-	-	-	-	192	153	114	76	38
9204E	COMBINED SCIENCE EXTENSION	300	215	184	153	122	92	62	47	-	-
9204EE	COMBINED SCIENCE EXTENSION & ENDORSEMENT	300	215	184	153	122	92	62	47	-	-
9210	COMPUTER SCIENCE	160	138	124	111	94	77	61	47	33	19
9252	D&T: PRODUCT DESIGN	200	174	158	142	126	110	94	69	45	21
9214	ECONOMICS	160	126	118	111	98	86	74	56	38	20
9280	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG	200	177	164	152	140	129	118	86	54	23
9280E	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG & ENDORSEMENT	200	177	164	152	140	129	118	86	54	23
9270W	ENGLISH LANGUAGE WRITTEN OPTION	200	164	147	130	112	95	78	58	39	20
9270C	ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSEWORK OPTION	200	169	151	133	115	97	80	60	40	21
9270WE	ENGLISH LANGUAGE WRITTEN OPTION & ENDORSEMENT	200	164	147	130	112	95	78	58	39	20
9270CE	ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSEWORK OPTION & ENDORSEMENT	200	169	151	133	115	97	80	60	40	21
9275A	ENGLISH LITERATURE (ROUTE A)	150	121	108	95	82	70	58	43	29	15
9275B	ENGLISH LITERATURE (ROUTE B)	150	122	109	96	83	70	57	43	29	15
9265	FRENCH	240	177	162	147	132	117	103	76	50	24
9230	GEOGRAPHY	220	155	141	127	113	99	86	62	39	16
9260C	MATHEMATICS CORE	160	-	-	-	-	103	82	62	42	22
9260E	MATHEMATICS EXTENSION	200	163	139	115	91	67	43	31	-	-
9203	PHYSICS	180	140	127	114	101	88	76	60	44	29
9218	PSYCHOLOGY	200	158	144	130	111	92	74	53	32	11

Note: For Combined Science (9204C/E/CE/EE), the boundaries are for grades 9-9, 8-8, 7-7, ..., 1-1 and U.

Component grade boundaries – June 2025 exams

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Where component marks are scaled two sets of grade boundaries are shown. The first row shows raw mark boundaries and the second (shaded and italicised) shows the scaled grade boundaries.

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Specification Code	Specification Name	Component Code	Component Title	Maximum Mark	Grade Boundaries								
					9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
9201	BIOLOGY	9201/1	BIOLOGY PAPER 1	90	63	57	52	45	38	32	24	16	8
		9201/2	BIOLOGY PAPER 2	90	63	58	53	46	40	34	25	17	9
9225	BUSINESS	9225/1	BUSINESS PAPER 1	90	70	65	61	54	47	40	30	21	12
		9225/2	BUSINESS PAPER 2	90	68	62	57	50	44	38	29	20	12
9202	CHEMISTRY	9202/1	CHEMISTRY PAPER 1	90	71	64	58	49	41	33	25	18	11
		9202/2	CHEMISTRY PAPER 2	90	68	60	53	46	40	34	25	16	8
9204	COMBINED SCIENCE	9204/BC	COMBINED SCIENCE: BIOLOGY CORE	100	-	-	-	-	62	48	36	25	14
		9204/BE	COMBINED SCIENCE: BIOLOGY EXT	100	69	58	47	37	28	19	14	-	-
		9204/CC	COMBINED SCIENCE: CHEMISTRY CORE	100	-	-	-	-	66	54	39	25	11
		9204/CE	COMBINED SCIENCE: CHEMISTRY EXT	100	73	63	54	42	31	20	14	-	-
		9204/PC	COMBINED SCIENCE: PHYSICS CORE	100	-	-	-	-	64	51	38	25	13
		9204/PE	COMBINED SCIENCE: PHYSICS EXT	100	72	62	52	42	32	23	18	-	-
9210	COMPUTER SCIENCE	9210/1	COMPUTER SCIENCE PAPER 1	80	70	64	58	48	39	30	22	14	7
		9210/2	COMPUTER SCIENCE PAPER 2	80	68	60	53	45	38	31	24	18	12
9252	D&T: PRODUCT DESIGN	9252/C	D&T: PRODUCT DESIGN NEA	100	88	80	73	64	55	47	35	23	11
		9252/W	D&T: PRODUCT DESIGN WRITTEN PAPER	100	86	77	69	61	54	47	34	22	10
9214	ECONOMICS	9214/1	ECONOMICS PAPER 1	80	63	59	56	49	43	37	28	19	10
		9214/2	ECONOMICS PAPER 2	80	63	59	55	49	43	37	28	19	10
9280	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	9280/L	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG LISTENING	40	37	35	34	31	28	26	19	12	6
		9280/R	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG READING	60	54	50	47	44	41	39	28	17	6
		9280/S	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG SPEAKING	40	35	32	29	26	23	20	14	9	4
		9280/W	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG WRITING	60	51	46	42	39	36	33	24	15	7
9270	ENGLISH LANGUAGE	9270/1	ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 1	80	66	59	52	44	37	30	22	15	8
		9270/1	ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 1	120	99	89	78	66	56	45	33	23	12
		9270/2	ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2	80	66	59	52	45	39	33	24	16	8
		9270/P	ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEA PROJECT	60	51	46	41	36	31	26	19	13	7
		9270/P	ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEA PROJECT	80	68	61	55	48	41	35	25	17	9
9275	ENGLISH LITERATURE	9275/1	ENGLISH LITERATURE PAPER 1	60	47	41	35	30	25	20	15	10	6
		9275/2A	ENGLISH LITERATURE PAPER 2 ROUTE A	90	74	67	60	52	45	38	28	18	9
		9275/2B	ENGLISH LITERATURE PAPER 2 ROUTE B	60	50	45	40	34	29	24	18	12	6
		9275/C	ENGLISH LITERATURE NEA	30	25	23	21	18	15	13	9	6	3
9265	FRENCH	9265/L	FRENCH PAPER 1 LISTENING	40	29	26	24	21	18	16	12	8	4
		9265/L	FRENCH PAPER 1 LISTENING	60	44	39	36	32	27	24	18	12	6
		9265/S	FRENCH PAPER 2 SPEAKING	40	30	27	25	22	20	18	13	8	4
		9265/S	FRENCH PAPER 2 SPEAKING	60	45	41	38	33	30	27	20	12	6
		9265/R	FRENCH PAPER 3 READING	60	44	40	36	32	29	26	19	12	6
		9265/W	FRENCH PAPER 4 WRITING	60	44	40	37	33	29	26	19	12	6
9230	GEOGRAPHY	9230/1	GEOGRAPHY PAPER 1	80	55	49	44	38	32	27	19	12	5
		9230/2	GEOGRAPHY PAPER 2	80	53	47	42	38	34	30	22	14	6
		9230/3	GEOGRAPHY PAPER 3	60	47	44	41	37	33	29	21	13	5
9260	MATHEMATICS	9260/1C	MATHEMATICS PAPER 1 CORE	80	-	-	-	-	52	42	31	21	11
		9260/1E	MATHEMATICS PAPER 1 EXTENSION	100	80	67	54	43	32	21	15	-	-
		9260/2C	MATHEMATICS PAPER 2 CORE	80	-	-	-	-	51	40	30	20	11
		9260/2E	MATHEMATICS PAPER 2 EXTENSION	100	83	72	61	48	35	22	15	-	-
9203	PHYSICS	9203/1	PHYSICS PAPER 1	90	72	66	60	53	46	40	31	23	15
		9203/2	PHYSICS PAPER 2	90	68	61	54	48	42	36	28	21	14
9218	PSYCHOLOGY	9218/1	PSYCHOLOGY PAPER 1	100	79	72	65	55	46	37	26	16	6
		9218/2	PSYCHOLOGY PAPER 2	100	79	72	65	55	46	37	26	15	5