

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 2026 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
9215	ACCOUNTING	150	111	98	85	72	59	46	36	27	18
9215E	ACCOUNTING & ENDORSEMENT	150	111	98	85	72	59	46	36	27	18
9201	BIOLOGY	180	126	115	105	92	80	68	51	35	19
9201E	BIOLOGY & ENDORSEMENT	180	126	115	105	92	80	68	51	35	19
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	148	133	118	101	84	68	51	34	18
9202E	CHEMISTRY & ENDORSEMENT	180	148	133	118	101	84	68	51	34	18
9204C	COMBINED SCIENCE CORE*	300					193	154	115	76	38
9204CE	COMBINED SCIENCE CORE & ENDORSEMENT*	300					193	154	115	76	38
9204E	COMBINED SCIENCE EXT*	300	211	181	151	121	92	63	48		
9204EE	COMBINED SCIENCE EXTENSION & ENDORSEMENT*	300	211	181	151	121	92	63	48		
9210	COMPUTER SCIENCE	160	138	124	111	94	78	62	47	33	19
9210E	COMPUTER SCIENCE & ENDORSEMENT	160	138	124	111	94	78	62	47	33	19
9221	CORE BIOLOGY	100	72	65	58	50	43	36	27	18	9
9222	CORE CHEMISTRY	100	77	69	62	53	45	37	28	19	11
9285	CORE ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	120	105	98	91	84	77	71	52	33	14
9223	CORE PHYSICS	100	80	71	63	55	47	39	31	23	16
9252	D&T: PRODUCT DESIGN	200	174	158	142	126	110	94	69	45	21
9252E	D&T: PRODUCT DESIGN & ENDORSEMENT	200	174	158	142	126	110	94	69	45	21
9214	ECONOMICS	160	126	118	111	98	86	74	56	38	20
9214E	ECONOMICS & ENDORSEMENT	160	126	118	111	98	86	74	56	38	20
9280	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	200	176	164	152	142	132	123	89	56	23
9280E	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE & ENDORSEMENT	200	176	164	152	142	132	123	89	56	23
9270CE	ENGLISH LANGUAGE (COURSEWORK & ENDORSEMENT)	200	169	151	133	115	97	80	60	40	21

9270C	ENGLISH LANGUAGE (COURSEWORK)	200	169	151	133	115	97	80	60	40	21
9270WE	ENGLISH LANGUAGE (WRITTEN & ENDORSEMENT)	200	164	147	130	112	95	78	58	39	20
9270W	ENGLISH LANGUAGE (WRITTEN)	200	164	147	130	112	95	78	58	39	20
9275A	ENGLISH LITERATURE (ROUTE A)	150	119	106	93	81	69	58	43	29	15
9275AE	ENGLISH LITERATURE (ROUTE A) & ENDORSEMENT	150	119	106	93	81	69	58	43	29	15
9275B	ENGLISH LITERATURE (ROUTE B)	150	120	107	94	81	69	57	43	29	15
9275BE	ENGLISH LITERATURE (ROUTE B) & ENDORSEMENT	150	120	107	94	81	69	57	43	29	15
9265	FRENCH	240	186	166	147	132	117	103	76	50	24
9265E	FRENCH & ENDORSEMENT	240	186	166	147	132	117	103	76	50	24
9230	GEOGRAPHY	220	155	141	127	113	99	85	62	39	16
9230E	GEOGRAPHY & ENDORSEMENT	220	155	141	127	113	99	85	62	39	16
9237	ISLAMIAT	100	81	73	65	57	49	42	31	20	10
9237E	ISLAMIAT & ENDORSEMENT	100	81	73	65	57	49	42	31	20	10
9260C	MATHEMATICS CORE	160					102	82	62	42	22
9260E	MATHEMATICS EXTENSION	200	166	136	106	84	63	42	31		
9260EE	MATHEMATICS EXTENSION & ENDR	200	166	136	106	84	63	42	31		
9257	MEDIA STUDIES	200	156	143	131	115	99	83	62	41	20
9257E	MEDIA STUDIES & ENDORSEMENT	200	156	143	131	115	99	83	62	41	20
9236	PAKISTAN STUDIES	154	116	105	94	83	72	61	45	30	15
9236E	PAKISTAN STUDIES & ENDORSEMENT	154	116	105	94	83	72	61	45	30	15
9203	PHYSICS	180	144	132	121	110	99	88	69	50	31
9203E	PHYSICS & ENDORSEMENT	180	144	132	121	110	99	88	69	50	31
9218	PSYCHOLOGY	200	158	144	130	111	92	74	53	32	11
9218E	PSYCHOLOGY & ENDR	200	158	144	130	111	92	74	53	32	11
9269	SPANISH	240	178	163	148	133	119	105	78	51	24
9269E	SPANISH & ENDORSEMENT	240	178	163	148	133	119	105	78	51	24
9264	URDU	140	130	121	112	101	90	80	58	36	14
9264E	URDU & ENDORSEMENT	140	130	121	112	101	90	80	58	36	14

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

Component grade boundaries – June 2026 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
9215	ACCOUNTING	9215/1	ACCOUNTING PAPER 1	75	55	48	42	35	28	21	17	13	9
		9215/2	ACCOUNTING PAPER 2	75	56	49	43	37	31	25	19	14	9
9201	BIOLOGY	9201/1	BIOLOGY PAPER 1	90	63	57	52	45	39	33	25	17	10
		9201/2	BIOLOGY PAPER 2	90	63	58	53	47	41	35	26	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	72	64	56	47	39	31	23	16	9
		9202/2	CHEMISTRY PAPER 2	90	76	69	62	53	45	37	27	18	9
9204	COMBINED SCIENCE	9204/BC	COMBINED SCIENCE: BIOLOGY CORE	100					62	48	36	25	14
		9204/BE	COMBINED SCIENCE: BIOLOGY EXT	100	68	57	47	37	28	19	14		
		9204/CC	COMBINED SCIENCE: CHEMISTRY CORE	100					67	55	40	25	11
		9204/CE	COMBINED SCIENCE: CHEMISTRY EXT	100	72	62	53	42	31	20	14		
		9204/PC	COMBINED SCIENCE: PHYSICS CORE	100					64	51	38	25	13
		9204/PE	COMBINED SCIENCE: PHYSICS EXT	100	71	61	51	42	33	24	19		
9210	COMPUTER SCIENCE	9210/1	COMPUTER SCIENCE PAPER 1	80	70	63	57	47	38	29	21	14	7
		9210/2	COMPUTER SCIENCE PAPER 2	80	68	61	54	47	40	33	26	19	12
9285	CORE ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG	9285/1	CORE ENG AS A SECOND LANG PAPER 1	42	37	34	32	29	27	25	18	11	5
		9285/2	CORE ENG AS A SECOND LANG PAPER 2	78	68	63	59	54	50	46	33	21	9
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 LANG	9280/L	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG LISTENING	40	36	34	32	29	27	25	18	12	6
		9280/R	ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANG READING	60	54	50	47	45	43	41	29	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	52	48	44	41	39	37	27	17	7
9270	ENGLISH LANGUAGE	9270/1	ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 1	80	66	59	52	44	37	30	22	15	8
		<i>9270/1</i>	<i>ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 1</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>99</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>12</i>
		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/C	ENGLISH LITERATURE NEA	30	25	23	21	18	15	13	9	6	3
		9275/1	ENGLISH LITERATURE PAPER 1	60	46	40	34	29	24	20	15	10	6
		9275/2A	ENGLISH LITERATURE PAPER 2 ROUTE A	90	73	66	59	52	45	38	28	18	9
		9275/2B	ENGLISH LITERATURE PAPER 2 ROUTE B	60	49	44	39	34	29	24	18	12	6
9265	FRENCH	9265/L	FRENCH PAPER 1 LISTENING	40	31	27	24	21	18	16	12	8	4
		9265/L	FRENCH PAPER 1 LISTENING	60	47	41	36	32	27	24	18	12	6
		9265/S	FRENCH PAPER 2 SPEAKING	40	31	28	25	22	20	18	13	8	4
		9265/S	FRENCH PAPER 2 SPEAKING	60	47	42	38	33	30	27	20	12	6
		9265/R	FRENCH PAPER 3 READING	60	46	41	36	32	29	26	19	12	6
		9265/W	FRENCH PAPER 4 WRITING	60	47	42	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	37	33	29	21	13	6
		9230/3	GEOGRAPHY PAPER 3	60	47	44	41	37	33	29	21	13	5
9237	ISLAMIAT	9237/1	ISLAMIAT PAPER 1	50	41	37	33	29	25	21	15	10	5
		9237/2	ISLAMIAT PAPER 2	50	40	36	32	28	24	21	15	10	5
9260	MATHEMATICS	9260/1C	MATHEMATICS PAPER 1 CORE	80					52	42	31	21	11
		9260/1E	MATHEMATICS PAPER 1 EXTENSION	100	84	70	56	44	32	21	15		
		9260/2C	MATHEMATICS PAPER 2 CORE	80					50	40	30	20	11
		9260/2E	MATHEMATICS PAPER 2 EXTENSION	100	82	66	50	40	30	21	16		
9257	MEDIA STUDIES	9257/C	MEDIA STUDIES NEA	100	80	74	68	60	52	44	33	22	12
		9257/W	MEDIA STUDIES WRITTEN PAPER	100	76	69	63	55	47	39	28	18	8
9236	PAKISTAN STUDIES	9236/1	PAKISTAN STUDIES PAPER 1	77	58	52	47	41	36	31	23	15	8
		9236/2	PAKISTAN STUDIES PAPER 2	77	58	52	47	41	35	30	22	14	7
9203	PHYSICS	9203/1	PHYSICS PAPER 1	90	74	69	64	58	52	47	36	25	15
		9203/2	PHYSICS PAPER 2	90	70	63	57	51	46	41	32	24	16
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
9269	SPANISH	9269/L	SPANISH PAPER 1 LISTENING	40	29	26	24	21	19	17	12	8	4
		9269/L	SPANISH PAPER 1 LISTENING	60	44	39	36	32	29	26	18	12	6
		9269/S	SPANISH PAPER 2 SPEAKING	40	30	27	25	22	20	18	13	8	4
		9269/S	SPANISH PAPER 2 SPEAKING	60	45	41	38	33	30	27	20	12	6
		9269/R	SPANISH PAPER 3 READING	60	45	41	37	33	29	26	19	12	6
		9269/W	SPANISH PAPER 4 WRITING	60	45	41	37	33	29	26	19	12	6
9264	URDU	9264/1	URDU PAPER 1	70	65	60	56	50	45	40	29	18	7
		9264/2	URDU PAPER 2	70	65	60	56	50	45	40	29	18	7