Grade boundaries - Summer 2026

A-Level

Subject	Exam board	Code	Paper	Maximum mark	A*	A	B	C	D	E
Accounting	AQA	7127		240	178	153	128	103	78	54
Ancient History	OCR	H407/C		196	169	145	118	91	64	38
Ancient History	OCR		Component 11	98	84	73	59	46	32	19
Ancient History	OCR		Component 23	98	85	72	59	45	32	19
Art, Craft/Design	AQA	7201		480	399	370	313	257	201	145
Art, Fine	AQA	7202		480	399	370	313	257	201	145
Biology	AQA	7402		260	199	175	146	118	90	63
Biology (AS Level)	AQA	7401		150	\	102	89	77	65	53
Business Studies	Edexcel	9BS0		335	251	233	203	173	143	113
Business Studies	Edexcel		1		77	71	62	53	44	35
Business Studies	Edexcel		2		72	67	58	49	40	32
Business Studies	Edexcel		3		76	71	61	52	43	34
Chemistry	AQA	7405		300	255	220	181	142	104	66
Computer Science	OCR	H446/A		350	289	254	216	178	141	104
Computer Science	OCR		Component 1	140	112	99	84	69	55	41
Computer Science	OCR		Component 2	140	114	99	83	68	52	37
Computer Science	OCR		Component 3	70	63	56	49	41	34	26

Drama & Theatre Studies	WJEC	A690			283	266	234	202	170	138
Economics	AQA	7136		240	178	154	132	110	88	66
Electronics	WJEC	A490			296	240	196	153	110	67
English Language	OCR	H470/B		200	168	149	126	103	80	58
English Language	OCR		Component 1	80	68	60	51	42	32	23
English Language	OCR		Component 2	80	65	57	48	39	30	21
English Language	OCR		Component 4	40	35	32	27	22	18	14
English Lang/Lit	OCR	H474/B		200	169	155	136	117	98	79
English Lang/Lit	OCR		Component 1	32	29	26	22	19	16	13
English Lang/Lit	OCR		Component 2	64	61	46	41	36	31	25
English Lang/Lit	OCR		Component 3	64	53	49	44	38	32	26
English Lang/Lit	OCR		Component 5	40	36	34	29	24	19	15
English Literature	OCR	H472/B		200	188	178	154	130	106	83
English Literature	OCR		Component 1	60	55	52	46	40	33	27
English Literature	OCR		Component 2	60	58	55	47	39	31	23
English Literature	OCR		Component 4	40	37	35	30	25	21	16
Fashion/Textiles	AQA	7204		480	399	370	313	257	201	145
Film Studies	WJEC	A670			344	316	267	218	169	121
French	AQA	7652V		400	362	329	290	251	212	174
Geography	AQA	7037		300	246	219	189	160	131	102
German	AQA	7662T		400	344	296	249	202	155	109

Graphic Communications	AQA	7203		480	399	370	313	257	201	145
History (USA Opt CQ)	AQA	7042CQ		200	157	137	116	95	74	53
History (Russia Opt CN)	AQA	7042CN		200	160	134	112	91	70	49
Law	OCR	H418/B		240	181	153	123	93	64	35
Law	OCR		Component 1	80	68	57	46	35	24	13
Law	OCR		Component 2	80	55	47	38	28	19	10
Law	OCR		Component 3	80	58	49	39	30	21	12
Maths	Edexcel	9MA0		300	254	210	173	136	100	64
Maths	Edexcel		1		81	67	55	43	31	19
Maths	Edexcel		2		87	75	62	49	37	25
Maths	Edexcel		3		86	68	56	44	32	20
Maths (AS Level)	Edexcel	8MA0		160	\	113	99	85	71	58
Maths (AS Level)	Edexcel		1		\	66	58	50	42	34
Maths (AS Level)	Edexcel		2		\	47	41	35	29	24
Maths in Context (Core Maths)	Edexcel	7MC0		150	\	124	109	94	80	66
Maths in Context (Core Maths)	Edexcel		1		\	51	44	37	30	24
Maths in Context (Core Maths)	Edexcel		2		\	65	58	51	44	37
Maths (Further)	Edexcel	9FM0		300	274	250	213	176	140	104
Maths (Further)	Edexcel		1		67	60	51	42	33	25
Maths (Further)	Edexcel		2		69	62	53	44	35	26
Maths (Further)	Edexcel		3B		70	66	56	46	37	28
Maths (Further)	Edexcel		3C		68	62	52	43	34	25
Media Studies	OCR	H409/A		200	156	134	110	87	64	41

Media Studies	OCR		Component 1	70	52	44	36	28	20	12
Media Studies	OCR		Component 2	70	51	43	35	27	19	11
Media Studies	OCR		Component 3	60	53	47	39	32	25	18
Music	Edexcel	9MU0		250	209	188	164	140	116	93
Music	Edexcel		1		55	50	42	35	28	21
Music	Edexcel		2		51	46	39	33	27	21
Music	Edexcel		3		76	68	61	54	47	40
Photography	AQA	7206		480	409	390	336	282	228	175
Physical Education	AQA	7582		300	231	211	184	157	130	103
Physics	AQA	7408A		250	191	162	136	111	86	61
Politics	Edexcel	9PL0		252	177	158	134	111	88	65
Politics	Edexcel		1		56	51	43	36	29	22
Politics	Edexcel		2		61	54	46	38	30	22
Politics	Edexcel		3A		60	53	45	37	29	21
Product Design	AQA	7205		480	399	370	313	257	201	145
Psychology	AQA	7182		288	229	205	170	135	101	67
Religion - Philosophy & Ethics	WJEC	A120			249	214	176	138	100	63
Sociology	AQA	7192		240	186	167	142	118	94	70
Spanish	AQA	7692V		400	351	313	265	218	171	124
EPQ (Extended Project Qualification	AQA	7993		50	45	40	35	30	25	21

BTEC

	Exam board	Code	Unit	Maximum Mark	D	M	P	N	U
Applied Law	Edexcel	20168K	1 - Dispute Solving in Civil Law	60	42	30	19	9	0
Applied Law	Edexcel	2010K	3 - Applying the Law	72	55	41	28	15	0
Applied Science (National Diploma)	Edexcel	31617H	1 - Principles and Applications of Science 1	90	56	38	20	10	0
Applied Science (National Diploma)	Edexcel	31619H	3 - Science Investigation Skills	60	39	27	15	7	0
Applied Science (National Diploma)	Edexcel	31627H	5 - Principles and Applications of Science 2	120	67	47	28	14	0
Applied Science (Extended Certificate)	Edexcel	60316T	1 - Principles and Applications of Biology	50	37	26	16	8	0
Applied Science (Extended Certificate)	Edexcel	60317T	2 - Principles and Applications of Chemistry	50	35	24	13	6	0
Creative Digital Media	Edexcel	31668H	1 - Media Representations	80	50	36	22	11	0
Creative Digital Media	Edexcel	31674H	8 - Responding to a Commission	72	48	36	24	12	0
Health & Social Care	Edexcel	60309T	1 - Human Lifespan & Development	80	59	45	32	19	0

IT	Edexcel	20158K	11 - Cyber Security and Incident Mgt	80	59	43	28	14	0
IT	Edexcel	31760H	1 - IT Systems	90	39	27	15	7	0
IT	Edexcel	31761H	2 - Creating Sys to Manage Info	66	42	30	18	9	0

CTEC

	Exam board	Code	Unit	Maximum Mark	D	M	P	N	U
Business	OCR								
Health & Social Care	OCR								
Sport	OCR								

Cambridge Advanced National

	Exam board	Code	Unit	Maximum Mark	D	M	P	N	U
Computing: Application Development	OCR	F160	Fundamentals of App Dev	60	42	32	22	\	0
Computing: Application Development	OCR	F162	Designing Communicating UX/UI Solutions	24	20	15	10	\	0
IT: Data Analytics	OCR	F200	Fundmentals of Data Analytics	60	42	31	20	\	0
IT: Data Analytics	OCR	F202	Spreadsheet Data Modelling	24	20	15	10	\	0

WJEC Applied

Edexcel

	Exam board	Code	Paper	Maximum mark	A	B	C	D	E
Criminology	WJEC		Unit 1	100	80	69	59	49	39
Criminology	WJEC		Unit 2	75	57	48	39	30	22

Criminology	WJEC	Unit 3	100	83	72	61	50	40
Criminology	WJEC	Unit 4	75	60	51	42	33	25

Note - These are raw marks

GCSE

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Biology Foundation	AQA					
Biology Foundation	AQA					
Biology Foundation	AQA					
Biology Higher	AQA					
Biology Higher	AQA					
Biology Higher	AQA					
Chemistry Foundation	AQA					
Chemistry Foundation	AQA					
Chemistry Foundation	AQA					
Chemistry Higher	AQA					
Chemistry Higher	AQA					
Chemistry Higher	AQA					
Citizenship	Edexcel					
Citizenship	Edexcel					
Citizenship	Edexcel					
Electronics	WJEC					
Electronics	WJEC					
Electronics	WJEC					
Electronics	WJEC					
English Language	AQA					
English Language	AQA					
English Language	AQA					
Film Studies	WJEC					
Film Studies	WJEC					
Film Studies	WJEC					
Film Studies	WJEC					
Fine Art	Edexcel					
Fine Art	Edexcel					
Fine Art	Edexcel					
Graphics	Edexcel					
Graphics	Edexcel					
Graphics	Edexcel					
Maths Foundation	AQA					
Maths Foundation	AQA					
Maths Foundation	AQA					

Maths Foundation	AQA					

Maths Higher	AQA					
Maths Higher	AQA					
Maths Higher	AQA					
Maths Higher	AQA					

Photography	Edexcel					
Photography	Edexcel					
Photography	Edexcel					

Psychology	OCR					
Psychology	OCR					
Psychology	OCR					

Sociology	AQA					
Sociology	AQA					
Sociology	AQA					

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