

# FIRST LANGUAGE ENGLISH

**Grade thresholds** taken for Syllabus 0500 (First Language English) in the May/June 2008 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:			
		A	C	E	F
Component 1	50	n/a	36	23	18
Component 2	50	33	24	17	n/a
Component 31	50	34	25	17	13
Component 32	50	34	25	17	13
Component 4	50	44	32	20	14

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:		
		1	3	5
Component 5	30	25	15	5
Component 6	30	25	15	5

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.

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