

# FOOD AND NUTRITION

## International General Certificate of Secondary Education

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0648 (Food and Nutrition) in the October/November 2012 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:			
		A	C	E	F
Component 2	100	75	56	38	28
Component 11	100	61	43	34	27
Component 12	100	63	45	38	27
Component 13	100	63	45	38	27

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 **200**.

The overall thresholds for the different grades were set as follows.

Option	Combination of components	A*	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
X	02, 11	155	136	117	99	85	72	55	38
Y	02, 12	157	138	119	101	88	76	55	34
Z	02, 13	157	138	119	101	88	76	55	34

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