

# DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

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**Grade thresholds** taken for Syllabus 0453 (Development Studies) in the October/November 2007 examination.

|             | maximum mark available | minimum mark required for grade: |    |    |    |
|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|----|
|             |                        | A                                | C  | E  | F  |
| Component 1 | 60                     | 41                               | 31 | 24 | 20 |
| Component 2 | 70                     | 43                               | 33 | 28 | 23 |
| Component 4 | 35                     | 26                               | 22 | 18 | 16 |

The threshold (minimum mark) for B is set halfway between those for Grades A and C. The threshold (minimum mark) for D is normally 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.

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