

# FIRST LANGUAGE ENGLISH

## International General Certificate of Secondary Education

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0500 (First Language English) in the October/November 2010 examination.

|              | maximum mark available | minimum mark required for grade: |    |    |     |
|--------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|-----|
|              |                        | A                                | C  | E  | F   |
| Component 11 | 50                     | N/A                              | 43 | 22 | 17  |
| Component 12 | 50                     | N/A                              | 36 | 22 | 17  |
| Component 13 | 50                     | N/A                              | 36 | 22 | 17  |
| Component 21 | 50                     | 36                               | 27 | 21 | N/A |
| Component 22 | 50                     | 32                               | 23 | 19 | N/A |
| Component 23 | 50                     | 34                               | 25 | 19 | N/A |
| Component 31 | 50                     | 35                               | 27 | 18 | 13  |
| Component 32 | 50                     | 32                               | 24 | 17 | 12  |
| Component 33 | 50                     | 32                               | 24 | 17 | 12  |
| Component 4  | 50                     | 44                               | 32 | 20 | 14  |

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|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|----|---|
|             |                        | 1                                | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5 |
| Component 5 | 30                     | 25                               | 20 | 15 | 10 | 5 |
| Component 6 | 30                     | 25                               | 20 | 15 | 10 | 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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