

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

GCE Advanced Level and GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9396 (Physical Education) in the October/November 2011 examination.

| | maximum mark available | minimum mark required for grade: | | |
|--------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | A | B | E |
| Component 11 | 90 | 65 | 58 | 35 |
| Component 12 | 90 | 65 | 58 | 35 |
| Component 13 | 90 | 65 | 58 | 35 |
| Component 31 | 90 | 63 | 56 | 33 |
| Component 32 | 90 | 63 | 56 | 33 |
| Component 33 | 90 | 63 | 56 | 33 |

The thresholds (minimum marks) for Grades C and D are normally set by dividing the mark range between the B and the E thresholds into three. For example, if the difference between the B and the E threshold is 24 marks, the C threshold is set 8 marks below the B threshold and the D threshold is set another 8 marks down. If dividing the interval by three results in a fraction of a mark, then the threshold is normally rounded down.

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 maximum total mark for this syllabus is **400** for A Level and **200** for AS Level.

For this syllabus in this series the grade thresholds were as follows:

| Option | Combination of components | A* | A | B | C | D | E |
|--------|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| AX | 02, 04, 11, 31 | 331 | 298 | 265 | 229 | 194 | 159 |
| AY | 02, 04, 12, 32 | 331 | 298 | 265 | 229 | 194 | 159 |
| AZ | 02, 04, 13, 33 | 331 | 298 | 265 | 229 | 194 | 159 |

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