LITERATURE (SPANISH)

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Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 0488 (Literature (Spanish)) in the October/November 2011 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:					
		А	С	Е	F		
Component 1	60	41	28	17	12		
Component 2	40	35	25	15	10		
Component 3	20	13	10	7	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.

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 100.

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

Option	Combination of components	A *	Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G
A	01, 02	83	73	62	52	41	31	22	13
В	01, 03	74	66	57	48	39	30	22	14

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

