

GCSE Unit Level Uniform Mark Boundaries Summer 2026



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GAU1	Agriculture & Land Use (Soils, Crops and Habitats)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GAU2	Agriculture & Land Use (Animals on the Land)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GAU3	Agriculture & Land Use (CA: Contemporary Issues)	50%	-	200	160	146	134	120	100	80	60	40
GBL1	Biology (Cells, Living Processes and Biodiversity)	35%	Foundation	102	82	75	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	140	112	103	94	84	70	63	48	32
GBL2	Biology (Body Systems, Genetics, Microorganisms and Health)	40%	Foundation	116	93	85	75	66	53	42	32	21
			Higher	160	128	117	108	96	80	72	48	32
GBL3	Biology (Practical Skills)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	47	40	33	27	20	15
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GSY1	Business & Communications Systems (Applications)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GSY2	Business & Communications Systems (Environment)	35%	-	105	84	77	71	63	53	42	32	21
GSY3	Business & Communications Systems (CA: Digital Solutions)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GBU1	Business Studies (Starting a Business)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GBU2	Business Studies (Developing a Business)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GBU3	Business Studies (CA: Planning a Business)	20%	-	60	48	44	41	36	30	24	18	12
GCM1	Chemistry (Structures, Trends, Chemical Reactions, Quantitative Chemistry and Analysis)	35%	Foundation	102	82	75	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	140	112	103	94	84	70	63	48	32
GCM2	Chemistry (Further Chemical Reactions, Rates & Equilibrium, Calculations and Organic Chemistry)	40%	Foundation	116	93	85	75	66	53	42	32	21
			Higher	160	128	117	108	96	80	72	48	32
GCM3	Chemistry (Practical Skills)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	47	40	33	27	20	15
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GCD1	Child Development (Parenthood)	30%	-	90	72	66	61	54	45	36	27	18
GCD2	Child Development (Development of Child 0-5 Years)	30%	-	90	72	66	61	54	45	36	27	18
GCD3	Child Development (CA: Investigation)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GCN1	Construction and the Built Environment (Introduction to the Built Environment)	20%	-	80	64	59	54	48	40	32	24	16
GCN2	Construction and the Built Environment (Sustainable Construction)	30%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GCN3	Construction and the Built Environment (CA: Craft)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GCN4	Construction and the Built Environment (CA: Design)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GDG1	Digital Technology (shared unit)	30%	-	90	72	66	61	54	45	36	27	18
GDG2	Digital Technology - Multimedia (Authoring Concepts)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GDG3	Digital Technology - Multimedia (CA: Authoring Practice)	30%	-	90	72	66	61	54	45	36	27	18
GDG4	Digital Technology - Programming (Development Concepts)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GDG5	Digital Technology - Programming (CA: Development Practice)	30%	-	90	72	66	61	54	45	36	27	18
GEM1	Engineering & Manufacturing (CA: Design)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GEM2	Engineering & Manufacturing (Production)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GEM3	Engineering & Manufacturing (Systems)	50%	-	150	120	110	101	90	75	60	45	30
GEN1	English Language (Writing for Purpose)	30%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GEN2	English Language (Speaking & Listening)	20%	-	80	64	59	54	48	40	32	24	16
GEN3	English Language (CA: Spoken & Written Language)	20%	-	80	64	59	54	48	40	32	24	16
GEN4	English Language (Personal / Creative Writing)	30%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GEL1	English Literature (Study of Prose)	30%	-	60	48	44	41	36	30	24	18	12
GEL2	English Literature (Study of Drama & Poetry)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GEL3	English Literature (CA: Shakespeare)	20%	-	40	32	30	27	24	20	16	12	8
GFC1	French (Listening)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	47	40	33	27	20	15
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GFC2	French (Speaking)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GFC3	French (Reading)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	47	40	33	27	20	15
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GFC4	French (Writing)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	47	40	33	27	20	15
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GFM1	Further Mathematics (Pure Mathematics - mandatory unit)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GFM2	Further Mathematics (Mechanics - optional unit)	25%	-	50	40	37	34	30	25	20	15	10
GFM3	Further Mathematics (Statistics - optional unit)	25%	-	50	40	37	34	30	25	20	15	10
GFM4	Further Mathematics (Discrete and Decision - optional unit)	25%	-	50	40	37	34	30	25	20	15	10
GGY1	Geography (Natural World)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GGY2	Geography (Living in Our World)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GGY3	Geography (Fieldwork)	20%	-	60	48	44	41	36	30	24	18	12

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GGR1	German (Listening)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GGR2	German (Speaking)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GGR3	German (Reading)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GGR4	German (Writing)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GGP1	Government & Politics (Democracy in Action)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GGP2	Government & Politics (International Politics)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GHL1	Health & Social Care (Personal Development, Health and Well-Being)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GHL2	Health & Social Care (CA: Early Years)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GHR1	History (Modern World and Local Study)	60%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GHR2	History (Outline Study)	40%	-	80	64	59	54	48	40	32	24	16
GPT1	Hospitality (Industry)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GPT2	Hospitality (Customer)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GPT3	Hospitality (CA: Food and Beverage)	50%	-	150	120	110	101	90	75	60	45	30
GIH1	Irish (Listening)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GIH2	Irish (Speaking)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GIH3	Irish (Reading)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GIH4	Irish (Writing)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GLF1	Learning for Life & Work (Local and Global)	20%	-	80	64	59	54	48	40	32	24	16
GLF2	Learning for Life & Work (Personal Development)	20%	-	80	64	59	54	48	40	32	24	16
GLF3	Learning for Life & Work (Employability)	20%	-	80	64	59	54	48	40	32	24	16
GLF4	Learning for Life & Work (CA: Investigation)	40%	-	160	128	117	108	96	80	64	48	32
GLE1	Leisure, Travel & Tourism (Understanding...)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GLE2	Leisure, Travel & Tourism (Promoting and Sustaining)	40%	-	120	96	88	81	72	60	48	36	24
GLE3	Leisure, Travel & Tourism (CA: Working in..)	20%	-	60	48	44	41	36	30	24	18	12
GMC1	Mathematics (Modular Tests)	45%	Foundation	107					90	72	54	36
GMC2			Foundation	131			121	108	90	72	54	36
GMC3			Higher	143		132	121	108	90	72		
GMC4			Higher	180	144	132	121	108	99			
GMC5	Mathematics (Completion Tests)	55%	Foundation	131					110	88	66	44
GMC6			Foundation	160			148	132	110	88	66	44
GMC7			Higher	175		161	148	132	110	88		
GMC8			Higher	220	176	161	148	132	121			
GMR1	Motor Vehicle & Road Users (Theory)	50%	-	150	120	110	101	90	75	60	45	30
GMR2	Motor Vehicle & Road Users (CA: Investigative Study)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GMR3	Motor Vehicle & Road Users (CA: Practical Riding)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GPY1	Physics (Motion, Force, Moments, Energy, Density, Kinetic Theory, Radioactivity, Nuclear Fission and Fusion)	37.5%	Foundation	109	88	80	101	90	75	60	45	30
			Higher	150	120	110	101	90	75	68	45	30
GPY2	Physics (Waves, Light, Electricity, Magnetism, Electromagnetism and Space Physics)	37.5%	Foundation	109	88	80	101	90	75	60	45	30
			Higher	150	120	110	101	90	75	68	45	30
GPY3	Physics (Practical Skills)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GRE1	Religious Studies (Christian Church)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE2	Religious Studies (Option A: Catholic Church)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
	Religious Studies (Option B: Protestant Church)		-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE3	Religious Studies (Revelation of God)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE4	Religious Studies (Gospel of Matthew)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE5	Religious Studies (Gospel of Mark)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE6	Religious Studies (Ethics)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE7	Religious Studies (Philosophy)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE8	Religious Studies (Islam)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GRE9	Religious Studies (Judaism)	50%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20

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GDW1	Science: Double Award (Biology Unit 1)	11%	Foundation	48	39	36	45	40	33	27	20	14
			Higher	66	53	49	45	40	33	30	20	14
GDW2	Science: Double Award (Chemistry Unit 1)	11%	Foundation	48	39	36	45	40	33	27	20	14
			Higher	66	53	49	45	40	33	30	20	14
GDW3	Science: Double Award (Physics Unit 1)	11%	Foundation	48	39	36	45	40	33	27	20	14
			Higher	66	53	49	45	40	33	30	20	14
GDW4	Science: Double Award (Biology Unit 2)	14%	Foundation	61	49	45	57	51	42	34	26	17
			Higher	84	68	62	57	51	42	38	26	17
GDW5	Science: Double Award (Chemistry Unit 2)	14%	Foundation	61	49	45	57	51	42	34	26	17
			Higher	84	68	62	57	51	42	38	26	17
GDW6	Science: Double Award (Physics Unit 2)	14%	Foundation	61	49	45	57	51	42	34	26	17
			Higher	84	68	62	57	51	42	38	26	17
GDW7	Science: Double Award (Practical Skills)	25%	Foundation	109	88	80	101	90	75	60	45	30
			Higher	150	120	110	101	90	75	68	45	30
GSA1	Science: Single Award (Biology)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GSA2	Science: Single Award (Chemistry)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GSA3	Science: Single Award (Physics)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GSA4	Science: Single Award (Practical Skills)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GSH1	Spanish (Listening)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GSH2	Spanish (Speaking)	25%	-	100	80	73	67	60	50	40	30	20
GSH3	Spanish (Reading)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GSH4	Spanish (Writing)	25%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GST1	Statistics (Unit 1)	50%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GST2	Statistics (Unit 2)	50%	Foundation	72	58	53	67	60	50	40	30	20
			Higher	100	80	73	67	60	50	45	30	20
GTY1	Technology & Design (Core Content)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GTY2	Technology & Design (Option A: Electronic & Microelectronic Control Systems)	25%	-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
	Technology & Design (Option B: Mechanical & Pneumatic Control Systems)		-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
	Technology & Design (Option C: Product Design)		-	75	60	55	51	45	38	30	23	15
GTY3	Technology & Design (CA: Project)	50%	-	150	120	110	101	90	75	60	45	30

Notes:	Tier of Entry - indicates an untiered unit. (CA) - indicates Controlled Assessment unit. Digital Technology <i>Multimedia</i> - students complete GDG1, which is a shared unit with Programming, along with units GDG2 and GDG3. Digital Technology <i>Programming</i> - students complete GDG1, which is a shared unit with MultiMedia, along with units GDG4 and GDG5. Further Mathematics - students must complete the mandatory unit GFM1 along with two optional units from GFM2, GFM3 or GFM4. Mathematics - students must complete two units, one Modular Test GMC1 to GMC4 and one Completion Test GMC5 to GMC8. Religious Studies <i>Full Course</i> - students must complete two units from GRE1 to GRE9 (students can only complete GRE2 option A or GRE2 option B). Religious Studies <i>Short Course</i> - students complete one unit from GRE1 to GRE9. Technology & Design - students complete mandatory units GTY1 and GTY3 along with one option for GTY2 (A, B or C).
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