

AQA grade boundaries, June 2026 (June 2025 in brackets)

Subject grade boundaries from AQA's June 2026 and June 2025 GCSE documents and the June 2026 A-level document (aqa.org.uk, read 27 October 2026). AQA publishes at 8am on results day.

GCSE maths 8300 (out of 240) and English (out of 160)

Subject and tier	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Maths Higher 8300H	219 (219)	192 (191)	166 (164)	131 (130)	97 (96)	63 (63)	46 (46)		
Maths Foundation 8300F					187 (188)	154 (160)	115 (119)	76 (79)	38 (39)
English Language 8700	122 (119)	112 (109)	103 (100)	93 (91)	84 (82)	75 (73)	55 (54)	35 (35)	16 (16)
English Literature 8702	142 (136)	127 (122)	113 (108)	97 (92)	81 (77)	66 (62)	49 (46)	33 (30)	17 (15)

Combined Science: Trilogy 8464 (double award, out of 420)

Higher 8464H	9-9	9-8	8-8	8-7	7-7	7-6	6-6	6-5	5-5	5-4	4-4	4-3
June 2026 (2025)	298 (299)	280 (281)	262 (263)	245 (245)	228 (228)	208 (206)	188 (184)	168 (162)	149 (140)	130 (118)	111 (96)	101 (85)

Foundation 8464F	5-5	5-4	4-4	4-3	3-3	3-2	2-2	2-1	1-1
June 2026 (2025)	276 (271)	257 (251)	238 (231)	208 (202)	178 (173)	149 (145)	120 (117)	91 (89)	62 (61)

GCSE separate sciences (out of 200)

Subject and tier	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Biology Higher	133 (141)	120 (127)	107 (113)	88 (94)	70 (75)	52 (56)	43 (46)		
Biology Foundation					144 (140)	127 (121)	91 (87)	55 (53)	19 (19)
Chemistry Higher	155 (150)	137 (132)	120 (115)	94 (90)	68 (66)	43 (42)	30 (30)		
Chemistry Foundation					132 (132)	110 (109)	81 (80)	52 (52)	24 (24)
Physics Higher	157 (152)	142 (139)	128 (126)	107 (107)	87 (88)	67 (70)	57 (61)		
Physics Foundation					141 (144)	126 (131)	92 (95)	58 (59)	24 (24)

GCSE options

Subject (max)	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Geography 8035 (252)	204 (199)	185 (180)	166 (161)	148 (142)	130 (124)	112 (106)	82 (77)	53 (48)	24 (20)
Business 8132 (180)	133 (131)	124 (122)	115 (114)	102 (102)	89 (90)	77 (78)	55 (57)	34 (36)	13 (15)
Psychology 8182 (200)	168 (170)	154 (156)	141 (142)	122 (122)	104 (103)	86 (84)	62 (61)	38 (38)	14 (15)

AQA A level, June 2026 (June 2025 in brackets), and a mock worksheet

Subject	Max	A*	A	B	C	D	E
Mathematics 7357	300	260 (260)	219 (221)	182 (183)	145 (145)	108 (108)	72 (71)
Biology 7402	260	199 (192)	174 (165)	146 (139)	118 (113)	90 (88)	63 (63)
Chemistry 7405	300	255 (239)	220 (197)	181 (162)	142 (127)	104 (93)	66 (59)
Physics 7408 (by option)	250	186-191	157-162	132-136	107-111	82-86	57-61
English Language 7702	500	432 (433)	397 (397)	343 (341)	290 (285)	237 (229)	184 (174)
Geography 7037	300	246 (241)	219 (213)	189 (183)	160 (153)	131 (123)	102 (94)
Economics 7136	240	178 (177)	154 (153)	132 (130)	110 (107)	88 (84)	66 (61)
Business 7132	300	212 (219)	192 (197)	165 (168)	138 (139)	111 (110)	85 (82)
Psychology 7182	288	229 (222)	205 (198)	170 (163)	135 (128)	101 (94)	67 (60)
Sociology 7192	240	186 (190)	167 (171)	142 (147)	118 (123)	94 (99)	70 (76)
History 7042 (by option pair)	200	156-161	133-138	111-115	88-92	65-70	43-49
French 7652	400	362	329	290	251	212	174
Spanish 7692	400	351	313	265	218	171	124
Physical Education 7582	300	231 (223)	211 (205)	184 (178)	157 (151)	130 (125)	103 (99)
Drama and Theatre 7262	200	157 (159)	142 (145)	122 (125)	102 (105)	82 (85)	63 (66)
Philosophy 7172	200	156	134	108	83	58	33
Accounting 7127	240	179	153	128	103	78	54

English Literature A 7712 and Computer Science 7517 are published per paper and option (Computer Science Paper 1, out of 100: A* 82, A 66, B 54, C 42, D 30, E 18).

Mock-marking worksheet

Subject and tier	Paper	My mark / max	Boundary of the grade I need (2026)	Gap in marks

[] A grade 7 on Higher science was 54 to 64% in 2026 (Biology 107, Chemistry 120, Physics 128 of 200); students who assume 80% choose the wrong tier

[] Chemistry A level boundaries rose 16 to 23 marks between 2025 and 2026: a 2027 mock marked on an old table can be a grade out From

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