Grade Comparisons

GCSE MATHEMATICS IN ENGLAND

GCSE GRADING SCALES

PREVIOUS GRADES

A*–G letter grades

CURRENT GRADES

9–1 number grades

How the grades compare

A side-by-side comparison of the GCSE grading scales in England.

Previous grades	Current grades	
A*	9	
	8	
A	7	
B	6	
	5	Strong pass
C	4	Standard pass
D	3	
E	2	
F		
G	1	
U	U	Ungraded

Comparable grade thresholds

The minimum needed for grades 7, 4 and 1 is comparable to the minimum for the old grades A, C and G respectively.

Ofqual: GCSE 9 to 1 grade scale explained