# International GCSE – updates in red

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#### 1 Introduction

## Information on retaking International GCSEs

Candidates wishing to retake an International GCSE are required to retake all written units in the qualification. All non-examined assessment results can be carried forward from a previous series provided the relevant transferred entry option is selected when making the entry.

#### 2 **Entry procedures and key dates**

#### 2.1 **Entry procedures**

Support for entries and registrations can be found here.

#### 2.2 Private candidates

Private candidates are candidates taking a qualification without being enrolled full time in a centre. They are responsible for their own entries, which must be made through an approved centre. Some qualifications are not available to private candidates. For a full list of qualifications and private candidate eligibility see our website.

#### 2.3 **Fees**

Information about fees can be found here.

#### 2.4 **Entry deadlines and results**

Please see the Key Dates section of this manual for entry and results dates, and the certification and centre mark submission dates. The Key Dates section also includes details of when EDI basedata and Edexcel Online are available for the submission of entries.

#### 2.5 Retention of certificates

It is no longer necessary to return uncollected certificates to us. They may be destroyed (in a confidential manner) after retention for a period of no less than 12 months from the date of issue. Centres that do not have a means of destroying certificates confidentially may return them to our Manchester office. A record of certificates that have been destroyed should be retained for four years from their date of destruction. Centres must comply with any request from us to return a certificate. Certificates remain the property of the awarding bodies at all times.

#### 2.6 Option codes

#### Regional paper ('R' papers)

Customers whose centres are based in specified countries must use alternative option codes, where applicable, as listed in this manual (for example, 4BI1 R). Pearson requires the following countries to use the alternative option codes: Australia, Azerbaijan, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Laos, Macau, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, New Zealand, Oman, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, United Arab Emirates and Vietnam.

The January 2023 series was the final January series available for International GCSE.

The new November series will not require R papers. Instead, exams in this series will predominantly be scheduled in the AM slot (GMT) to ensure that centres can run exams at reasonable local times.

#### **Onscreen option**

Five International GCSEs may be sat onscreen in June 2024: English Language A, English Literature, Business, Economics and History. Centres must request approval to offer the onscreen option. The onscreen options have 'C' codes. Centres requiring regional papers and using the onscreen option use 'CR' option codes.

#### **Modular option**

Eight International GCSEs are available as modular qualifications to international centres only: Accounting, Commerce, Economics, English Language A, English Literature, Geography, History and Religious Studies.

First certification of Modular International GCSEs is in August 2025.

#### 3 **Exams Officer support**

Further support and information can be found <u>here</u>.

#### **International GCSE Availability** 4

## **ACCOUNTING (LINEAR)**

What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4AC1		Accounting (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4AC1	R	Accounting (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes

#### **ACCOUNTING (MODULAR)**

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## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4WAC1		Accounting (Unit 1)	No	Yes
4WAC1	R	Accounting (Unit 1R)	No	Yes
4WAC2		Accounting (Unit 2)	No	Yes
4WAC2	R	Accounting (Unit 2R)	No	Yes

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## **ARABIC (FIRST LANGUAGE)**

What entry options are available?

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4AA1		Arabic (First Language) (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes	

## ART AND DESIGN: FINE ART

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4FA1		Art and Design: Fine Art (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes	
4FA1	Т	Art and Design: Fine Art (Papers 1 (Transferred from Previous Series) & 2)	No	Yes	

## ART AND DESIGN: GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION

## What entry options are available?

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4GC1		Art and Design: Graphic Communication (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes	
4GC1	Т	Art and Design: Graphic Communication (Papers 1 (Transferred from Previous Series) & 2)	No	Yes	

# ART AND DESIGN: PHOTOGRAPHY What entry options are available?

	Specification			bility
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4PY1		Art and Design: Photography (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes
4PY1	Т	Art and Design: Photography (Papers 1 (Transferred from Previous Series) & 2)	No	Yes

# ART AND DESIGN: TEXTILE DESIGN What entry options are available?

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4TE1		Art and Design: Textile Design (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes	
4TE1	Т	Art and Design: Textile Design (Papers 1 (Transferred from Previous Series) & 2)	No	Yes	

## ART AND DESIGN: THREE-DIMENSIONAL DESIGN

## What entry options are available?

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4TD1		Art and Design: Three-dimensional Design (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes	
4TD1	Т	Art and Design: Three-dimensional Design (Papers 1 (Transferred from Previous Series) & 2)	No	Yes	

## **BANGLA**

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4BA0		Bangla (Paper 1)	Yes	Yes

## **BANGLADESH STUDIES**

### What entry options are available?

	Specification			bility
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4BN1		Bangladesh Studies (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes

## **BIOLOGY**

#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4BI1		Biology (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes	
4BI1	R	Biology (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes	

#### **BUSINESS**

#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4BS1	Α	Business (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes	
4BS1	R	Business (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes	
4BS1	ZA	Business (Papers 1C & 2C)	No	Yes	
4BS1	ZB	Business (Papers 1C & 2)	No	Yes	
4BS1	ZC	Business (Papers 1 & 2C)	No	Yes	
4BS1	ZD	Business (Papers 1CR & 2CR)	No	Yes	
4BS1	ZE	Business (Papers 1CR & 2R)	No	Yes	
4BS1	ZF	Business (Papers 1R & 2CR)	No	Yes	

Due to the number of entry options now available, the traditionally assessed linear papers (Not onscreen or Regional) now have the entry code '4BS1/A'.

#### **CHEMISTRY**

### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on p. 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4CH1		Chemistry (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4CH1	R	Chemistry (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes

#### **CHINESE**

Note: The speaking component is compulsory. For information about the oral window for the speaking exam please refer to the full Key Dates table on our website at qualifications pearson. com/infomanual. The speaking assessment will be available in Mandarin and Cantonese. The option chosen for each candidate is indicated by its entry code. For subject-specific information please see the specification.

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on p. 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

		Specification	Avail	ability
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4CN1	С	Chinese (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Cantonese)	Yes	Yes
4CN1	М	Chinese (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Mandarin)	Yes	Yes
4CN1	CR	Chinese (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Cantonese)	No	Yes
4CN1	MR	Chinese (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Mandarin)	No	Yes
4CN1	СТ	Chinese (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Cantonese) (Transferred from previous series)	Yes	Yes
4CN1	MT	Chinese (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Mandarin) (Transferred from previous series)	Yes	Yes
4CN1	RT	Chinese (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Cantonese) (Transferred from previous series)	No	Yes
4CN1	RV	Chinese (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component – Mandarin) (Transferred from previous series)	No	Yes

## **COMMERCE (LINEAR)**

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on p. 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4CM1		Commerce (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4CM1	R	Commerce (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes

## **COMMERCE (MODULAR)**

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## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4WCM1		Commerce (Unit 1)	No	Yes
4WCM1	R	Commerce (Unit 1R)	No	Yes
4WCM2		Commerce (Unit 2)	No	Yes
4WCM2	R	Commerce (Unit 2R)	No	Yes

First certification of Modular International GCSEs is in August 2025. The cash-in 4XCM1 is not available for entry in June 2024.

## **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4CP0	Α	Computer Science (Papers 1 & 2AW & 2AP: Application – Python)	No	Yes	
4CP0	В	Computer Science (Papers 1 & 2BW & 2BP: Application – C#)	No	Yes	
4CP0	С	Computer Science (Papers 1 & 2CW & 2CP: Application – Java)	No	Yes	

## **ECONOMICS (LINEAR)**

### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

		Specification	Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4EC1	А	Economics (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4EC1	R	Economics (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes
4EC1	ZA	Economics (Papers 1C & 2C)	No	Yes
4EC1	ZB	Economics (Papers 1C & 2)	No	Yes
4EC1	ZC	Economics (Papers 1 & 2C)	No	Yes
4EC1	ZD	Economics (Papers 1CR & 2CR)	No	Yes
4EC1	ZE	Economics (Papers 1CR & 2R)	No	Yes
4EC1	ZF	Economics (Papers 1R & 2CR)	No	Yes

Due to the number of entry options now available, the traditionally assessed linear papers (Not onscreen or Regional) now have the entry code '4EC1/A'.

## **ECONOMICS (MODULAR)**

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#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4WEC1		Economics (Unit 1)	No	Yes	
4WEC1	R	Economics (Unit 1R)	No	Yes	
4WEC1	С	Economics (Unit 1C)	No	Yes	
4WEC1	CR	Economics (Unit 1CR)	No	Yes	
4WEC2		Economics (Unit 2)	No	Yes	
4WEC2	R	Economics (Unit 2R)	No	Yes	
4WEC2	С	Economics (Unit 2C)	No	Yes	
4WEC2	CR	Economics (Unit 2CR)	No	Yes	

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#### **ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE**

Note: The optional speaking component will be awarded a separate grade from the subject grade, and both will be reported on the certificate. An additional fee is payable for each candidate entered for Paper 3 Speaking. For information about the oral window for the speaking option please refer to the full Key Dates table on our website at <u>qualifications.pearson.com/infomanual</u>. For subject-specific information please see the specification.

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification			ability
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4ES1		English as a Second Language (ESL) (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4ES1	Е	English as a Second Language (ESL) (Papers 1, 2 & Optional Paper 3)	Yes	Yes
4ES1	ET	English as a Second Language (ESL) (Papers 1, 2 & Optional Paper 3) (Transferred from previous series)	Yes	Yes
4ES1	R	English as a Second Language (ESL) (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes
4ES1	ER	English as a Second Language (ESL) (Papers 1R, 2R & Optional Paper 3)	No	Yes
4ES1	RT	English as a Second Language (ESL) (Papers 1R, 2R & Optional Paper 3) (Transferred from previous series)	No	Yes

## **ENGLISH LANGUAGE SPECIFICATION A (LINEAR)**

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

		Availa	Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4EA1	А	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	AE	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2 & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	В	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	BE	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	AR	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes
4EA1	BR	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3)	No	Yes
4EA1	CR	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2R & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	DR	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	FT	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	GT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	НТ	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes

		Specification	Avail	ability
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4EA1	JТ	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	KT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	LT	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2R & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	MT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	NT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	PT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	RT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	ZA	English Language Specification A (Papers 1C & 2C)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZB	English Language Specification A (Papers 1C & 2)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZC	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2C)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZD	English Language Specification A (Papers 1C & 2C & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZE	English Language Specification A (Papers 1C & 2 & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZF	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2C & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZG	English Language Specification A (Paper 1C & Coursework 3)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZH	English Language Specification A (Paper 1C & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZJ	English Language Specification A (Papers 1CR & 2CR)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZK	English Language Specification A (Papers 1CR & 2R)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZL	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2CR)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZM	English Language Specification A (Papers 1CR & 2CR & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZN	English Language Specification A (Papers 1CR & 2R & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZP	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2CR & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZQ	English Language Specification A (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZR	English Language Specification A (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	ZT	English Language Specification A (Papers 1C & 2C & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZU	English Language Specification A (Papers 1C & 2 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZV	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2C & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZW	English Language Specification A (Paper 1C & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes

		Specification	Availa	ability
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4EA1	ZX	English Language Specification A (Paper 1C & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZY	English Language Specification A (Paper 1C & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	ZZ	English Language Specification A (Paper 1C & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EA1	YA	English Language Specification A (Papers 1CR & 2CR & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	YB	English Language Specification A (Papers 1CR & 2R & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	YC	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2CR & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	YD	English Language Specification A (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	YE	English Language Specification A (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EA1	YF	English Language Specification A (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4EA1	YG	English Language Specification A (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes

## **ENGLISH LANGUAGE SPECIFICATION A (MODULAR)**

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## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4WEA1		English Language Specification A (Unit 1)	No	Yes	
4WEA1	R	English Language Specification A (Unit 1R)	No	Yes	
4WEA1	С	English Language Specification A (Unit 1C)	No	Yes	
4WEA1	CR	English Language Specification A (Unit 1CR)	No	Yes	
4WEA2		English Language Specification A (Unit 2)	No	Yes	
4WEA2	R	English Language Specification A (Unit 2R)	No	Yes	
4WEA2	С	English Language Specification A (Unit 2C)	No	Yes	
4WEA2	CR	English Language Specification A (Unit 2CR)	No	Yes	
4WEAE		English Language Specification A (Spoken Language Endorsement)	No	Yes	

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## **ENGLISH LANGUAGE SPECIFICATION B**

### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

		Specification	Availa	ability
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4EB1		English Language Specification B (Paper 1)	Yes	Yes
4EB1	Е	English Language Specification B (Paper 1 & Spoken language endorsement)	Yes	Yes
4EB1	ET	English Language Specification B (Paper 1 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4EB1	R	English Language Specification B (Paper 1R)	No	Yes
4EB1	RE	English Language Specification B (Paper 1R & Spoken language endorsement)	No	Yes
4EB1	RT	English Language Specification B (Paper 1R & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes

## **ENGLISH LITERATURE (LINEAR)**

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

		Specification	Availa	ability
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4ET1	А	English Literature (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4ET1	В	English Literature (Paper 1 & Coursework 3)	Yes	Yes
4ET1	AR	English Literature (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes
4ET1	BR	English Literature (Paper 1R & Coursework 3)	No	Yes
4ET1	ВТ	English Literature (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4ET1	RT	English Literature (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes
4ET1	ZA	English Literature (Papers 1C & 2C)	Yes	Yes
4ET1	ZB	English Literature (Papers 1C & 2)	Yes	Yes
4ET1	ZC	English Literature (Papers 1 & 2C)	Yes	Yes
4ET1	ZD	English Literature (Paper 1C & Coursework 3)	Yes	Yes
4ET1	ZE	English Literature (Papers 1CR & 2CR)	No	Yes
4ET1	ZF	English Literature (Papers 1CR & 2R)	No	Yes
4ET1	ZG	English Literature (Papers 1R & 2CR)	No	Yes
4ET1	ZH	English Literature (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3)	No	Yes
4ET1	ZJ	English Literature (Paper 1C & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	Yes	Yes
4ET1	ZK	English Literature (Paper 1CR & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))	No	Yes

## **ENGLISH LITERATURE (MODULAR)**

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#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4WET1		English Literature (Unit 1)	No	Yes	
4WET1	R	English Literature (Unit 1R)	No	Yes	
4WET1	С	English Literature (Unit 1C)	No	Yes	
4WET1	CR	English Literature (Unit 1CR)	No	Yes	
4WET2		English Literature (Unit 2)	No	Yes	
4WET2	R	English Literature (Unit 2R)	No	Yes	
4WET2	С	English Literature (Unit 2C)	No	Yes	
4WET2	CR	English Literature (Unit 2CR)	No	Yes	

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#### **FRENCH**

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#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4FR1		French (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component)	Yes	Yes	
4FR1	Т	French (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component) (Transferred fromprevious series)	Yes	Yes	
4FR1	R	French (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component)	No	Yes	
4FR1	RT	French (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component) (Transferred fromprevious series)	No	Yes	

#### **FURTHER PURE MATHEMATICS**

### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Entry Option Title		Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4PM1		Further Pure Mathematics (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes	
4PM1	R	Further Pure Mathematics (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes	

## **GEOGRAPHY (LINEAR)**

### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Entry Option Title		Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4GE1		Geography (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4GE1	R	Geography (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes

#### **GEOGRAPHY (MODULAR)**

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#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4WGE1		Geography (Unit 1)	No	Yes
4WGE1	R	Geography (Unit 1R)	No	Yes
4WGE2		Geography (Unit 2)	No	Yes
4WGE2	R	Geography (Unit 2R)	No	Yes

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#### **GERMAN**

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### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4GN1		German (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component)	No	Yes	
4GN1	Т	German (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component) (Transferred fromprevious series)	No	Yes	
4GN1	R	German (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component)	No	Yes	
4GN1	RT	German (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component) (Transferred fromprevious series)	No	Yes	

## **GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP**

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4GL1		Global Citizenship (Paper 1)	No	Yes

## **GREEK (FIRST LANGUAGE)**

### What entry options are available?

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4GK1		Greek (first language) (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes

#### **HISTORY (LINEAR)**

#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title. Centres choosing the onscreen option select papers marked as 'C' in the title. Centres using both regional and onscreen papers select papers marked as 'CR'.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	June 2024
4HI1	А	History (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4HI1	R	History (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes
4HI1	ZA	History (Papers 1C & 2C)	No	Yes
4HI1	ZB	History (Papers 1C & 2)	No	Yes
4HI1	ZC	History (Papers 1 & 2C)	No	Yes
4HI1	ZD	History (Papers 1CR & 2CR)	No	Yes
4HI1	ZE	History (Papers 1CR & 2R)	No	Yes
4HI1	ZF	History (Papers 1R & 2CR)	No	Yes

Due to the number of entry options now available, the traditionally assessed linear papers (Not onscreen or Regional) now have the entry code '4HI1/A'.

#### **HISTORY (MODULAR)**

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### What entry options are available?

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	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	June 2024	
4WHI1		History (Unit 1)	No	Yes	
4WHI1	R	History (Unit 1R)	No	Yes	
4WHI1	С	History (Unit 1C)	No	Yes	
4WHI1	CR	History (Unit 1CR)	No	Yes	
4WHI2		History (Unit 2)	No	Yes	
4WHI2	R	History (Unit 2R)	No	Yes	
4WHI2	С	History (Unit 2C)	No	Yes	
4WHI2	CR	History (Unit 2CR)	No	Yes	

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#### **HUMAN BIOLOGY**

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4HB1		Human Biology (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4HB1	R	Human Biology (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes

## **INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT)**

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4IT1		Information and Communication Technology (ICT) (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes	
4IT1	R	Information and Communication Technology (ICT) (Papers 1R & 2)	No	Yes	

#### **ISLAMIC STUDIES**

### What entry options are available?

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4IS1		Islamic Studies	No	Yes

#### **MATHEMATICS SPECIFICATION A**

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title..

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4MA1	F	Mathematics Specification A (Papers 1F & 2F)	Yes	Yes	
4MA1	Н	Mathematics Specification A (Papers 1H & 2H)	Yes	Yes	
4MA1	FR	Mathematics Specification A (Papers 1FR & 2FR)	No	Yes	
4MA1	HR	Mathematics Specification A (Papers 1HR & 2HR)	No	Yes	

## **MATHEMATICS SPECIFICATION B**

#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

Specification		Availability		
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4MB1		Mathematics Specification B (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4MB1	R	Mathematics Specification B (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes

## **PAKISTAN STUDIES**

## What entry options are available?

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4PA1		Pakistan Studies (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes

## **PHYSICS**

## What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification		Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4PH1		Physics (Papers 1 & 2)	Yes	Yes
4PH1	R	Physics (Papers 1R & 2R)	No	Yes

## **RELIGIOUS STUDIES (LINEAR)**

## What entry options are available?

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4RS1	А	Religious Studies (Paper 1 & Paper 2 (Buddhism))	No	Yes	
4RS1	В	Religious Studies (Paper 1 & Paper 2 (Christianity))	No	Yes	
4RS1	С	Religious Studies (Paper 1 & Paper 2 (Hinduism))	No	Yes	
4RS1	D	Religious Studies (Paper 1 & Paper 2 (Islam))	No	Yes	
4RS1	Е	Religious Studies (Paper 1 & Paper 2 (Judaism))	No	Yes	
4RS1	F	Religious Studies (Paper 1 & Paper 2 (Sikhism))	No	Yes	

## **RELIGIOUS STUDIES (MODULAR)**

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## What entry options are available?

	Specification		Availa	Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4WRS1		Religious Studies (Unit 1)	No	Yes	
4WRS2	А	Religious Studies (Unit 2 (Buddhism))	No	Yes	
4WRS2	В	Religious Studies (Unit 2 (Christianity))	No	Yes	
4WRS2	С	Religious Studies (Unit 2 (Hinduism))	No	Yes	
4WRS2	D	Religious Studies (Unit 2 (Islam))	No	Yes	
4WRS2	Е	Religious Studies (Unit 2 (Judaism))	No	Yes	
4WRS2	F	Religious Studies (Unit 2 (Sikhism))	No	Yes	

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#### **SCIENCE SINGLE AWARD**

### What entry options are available?

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4SS0		Science Single Award (Biology Paper 1, Chemistry Paper 1 & Physics Paper 1)	No	Yes	

#### SCIENCE DOUBLE AWARD

#### What entry options are available?

Centres in the locations listed on page 2 under 'regional papers' select papers marked as 'R' in the title.

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4SD0		Science Double Award (Biology Paper 1, Chemistry Paper 1 & Physics Paper 1)	Yes	Yes	
4SD0	R	Science Double Award (Biology Paper 1R, Chemistry Paper 1R & Physics Paper 1R)	No	Yes	

#### **SINHALA**

#### What entry options are available?

	Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4SI1		Sinhala (Paper 1)	No	Yes	

#### **SPANISH**

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## What entry options are available?

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Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4SP1		Spanish (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component)	No	Yes
4SP1	Т	Spanish (Papers 1 & 2) Paper 3 (Speaking Component) (Transferred from previous series)	No	Yes
4SP1	R	Spanish (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component)	No	Yes
4SP1	RT	Spanish (Papers 1R & 2R) Paper 3 (Speaking Component) (Transferred fromprevious series)	No	Yes

## **SWAHILI**

## What entry options are available?

Specification				Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024	
4SW1		Swahili (Papers 1 & 2)	No	Yes	
4SW1	Е	Swahili (Papers 1, 2 & Speaking Component)	No	Yes	
4SW1	ET	Swahili (Papers 1, 2 & Speaking Component) (Transferred from previous series)	No	Yes	

## **TAMIL**

Specification			Availability	
Entry	Option	Title	Nov 2023	Jun 2024
4TA1		Tamil (Paper 1)	No	Yes