FIRST LANGUAGE AFRIKAANS

Cambridge International Advanced Subsidiary Level

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 8779 (First Language Afrikaans) in the October/November 2013 examination.

	maximum mark available	minimum mark required for grade:				
		Α	В	Е		
Component 2	70	57	51	30		
Component 4	75	50	45	34		

The thresholds (minimum marks) for Grades C and D are normally set by dividing the mark range between the B and the E thresholds into three. For example, if the difference between the B and the E threshold is 24 marks, the C threshold is set 8 marks below the B threshold and the D threshold is set another 8 marks down. If dividing the interval by three results in a fraction of a mark, then the threshold is normally rounded down.

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 maximum total mark for this syllabus is 150.

For this syllabus in this series the grade thresholds were as follows:

Option	Combination of components	а	b	C	d	e
-	02, 04	111	100	88	77	66

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