

Grade thresholds – June 2017

Cambridge O Level Biology (5090)

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 5090 (Biology) in the June 2017 examination.

	maximum raw mark available	minimum raw mark required for grade:				
		A	B	C	D	E
Component 11	40	29	23	17	14	12
Component 12	40	31	25	19	16	14
Component 21	80	54	42	30	24	17
Component 22	80	51	40	29	24	17
Component 31	40	32	28	24	20	17
Component 32	40	32	28	24	20	17
Component 61	40	27	22	17	14	11
Component 62	40	31	26	21	17	14

Grade A* does not exist at the level of an individual component.

The maximum total mark for this syllabus, after weighting has been applied, is **160**.

The overall thresholds for the different grades were set as follows.

Option	Combination of Components	A*	A	B	C	D	E
AX	11, 21, 31	136	114	92	71	58	46
AY	12, 22, 32	134	113	92	72	60	48
BX	11, 21, 61	132	109	86	64	52	40
BY	12, 22, 62	134	112	90	69	57	45