



Grade thresholds – November 2020

Cambridge International AS & A Level History (9389)

Grade thresholds taken for Syllabus 9389 (History) in the November 2020 examination.

| | maximum raw mark available | minimum raw mark required for grade: | | | | |
|--------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|
| | | A | B | C | D | E |
| Component 11 | 40 | 21 | 18 | 16 | 13 | 11 |
| Component 12 | 40 | 21 | 18 | 16 | 13 | 11 |
| Component 13 | 40 | 21 | 18 | 16 | 13 | 11 |
| Component 21 | 60 | 36 | 32 | 26 | 21 | 16 |
| Component 22 | 60 | 36 | 32 | 26 | 21 | 16 |
| Component 23 | 60 | 36 | 32 | 26 | 21 | 16 |
| Component 31 | 40 | 27 | 23 | 21 | 18 | 15 |
| Component 32 | 40 | 27 | 23 | 21 | 18 | 15 |
| Component 33 | 40 | 27 | 23 | 21 | 18 | 15 |
| Component 41 | 60 | 39 | 35 | 30 | 26 | 22 |
| Component 42 | 60 | 39 | 35 | 30 | 26 | 22 |
| Component 43 | 60 | 39 | 35 | 30 | 26 | 22 |

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 **200** for A Level, **100** for A2-only A Level, and **100** for AS Level.

The overall thresholds for the different grades were set as follows. Options with the suffix J, e.g. BX (BXJ), refer to A2-only options.

| Option | Combination of Components | A* | A | B | C | D | E |
|--------|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|
| AX | 11, 21, 31, 41 | 138 | 123 | 108 | 93 | 78 | 64 |
| AY | 12, 22, 32, 42 | 138 | 123 | 108 | 93 | 78 | 64 |
| AZ | 13, 23, 33, 43 | 138 | 123 | 108 | 93 | 78 | 64 |
| BP | 33, 43, 87 | 144 | 127 | 110 | 97 | 84 | 71 |
| BQ | 31, 41, 88 | 145 | 128 | 111 | 97 | 84 | 71 |
| BQJ | 31, 41 | 75 | 66 | 57 | 48 | 39 | 31 |
| BR | 32, 42, 89 | 145 | 128 | 111 | 97 | 84 | 71 |
| BRJ | 32, 42 | 75 | 66 | 57 | 48 | 39 | 31 |

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|--------|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|
| BX | 31, 41, 87 | 144 | 127 | 110 | 97 | 84 | 71 |
| BY | 32, 42, 88 | 145 | 128 | 111 | 97 | 84 | 71 |
| BYJ | 32, 42 | 75 | 66 | 57 | 48 | 39 | 31 |
| BZ | 33, 43, 89 | 145 | 128 | 111 | 97 | 84 | 71 |
| BZJ | 33, 43 | 75 | 66 | 57 | 48 | 39 | 31 |
| CX | 31, 41, 97 | 143 | 127 | 111 | 97 | 83 | 69 |
| CY | 32, 42, 98 | 143 | 127 | 111 | 97 | 83 | 69 |
| CZ | 33, 43, 99 | 143 | 127 | 111 | 97 | 83 | 69 |
| SX | 11, 21 | – | 57 | 50 | 42 | 34 | 27 |
| SY | 12, 22 | – | 57 | 50 | 42 | 34 | 27 |
| SZ | 13, 23 | – | 57 | 50 | 42 | 34 | 27 |