

GCSE Science (2101)

Grade boundaries and uniform marks

The raw mark obtained in each component is converted into a standardised mark on a uniform mark scale and the uniform marks are then aggregated into a total for the subject.

Unit code	Unit title	Assessment arrangements and further notes	Raw mark	Uniform mark
5001	Practical skills (Science)	Internally assessed Non-moderated	18	40
5002	B1: Assessment Activity	Internally assessed Externally moderated	30	40
5003	C1: Assessment Activity	Internally assessed Externally moderated	30	40
5004	P1: Assessment Activity	Internally assessed Externally moderated	30	40
5005	B1a	Externally assessed (Multiple Choice)	24	40
5006	B1b	Externally assessed (Multiple Choice)	24	40
5007	C1a	Externally assessed (Multiple Choice)	24	40
5008	C1b	Externally assessed (Multiple Choice)	24	40
5009	P1a	Externally assessed (Multiple Choice)	24	40
5010	P1b	Externally assessed (Multiple Choice)	24	40
				Total 400

It will only be possible to relate the raw marks to uniform marks for each unit after the units have been awarded.

For centres with candidate entries for the November 2006 unit tests 5005-5010, centres will receive the results of the November 2006 unit tests in January 2007. These results will show how the raw marks relate to uniform marks for each unit. (Similarly for the unit tests 5005-5010 taken at the March or June sitting).

For centres with candidate entries for the June 2007 internally assessed units 5001-5004, centres will receive the results of these units in August 2007. These results will show how the raw marks relate to uniform marks for each unit.

This table shows the uniform mark needed for grades A, C and F for each unit 5001-5010.

Grade	Uniform mark /40
A	32
C	24
F	12