

CERTIFICATES AND DIPLOMAS

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QUALIFICATION	LEVEL OF COMPLETION	CERTIFICATES	DIPLOMAS / ADVANCED DIPLOMAS	ADDITIONAL GRADE CALCULATION INFORMATION
GLOBAL				
International Baccalaureate Diploma	Completed with an overall result of at least	18	20	
General Certificate of Education (A-Levels)	Completed with a pass in at least	1 Advanced Level (A2)	1 Advanced Level (A2) and 2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	
	Completed with a pass in at least	2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	2 Advanced Levels (A2)	
General Certificate of Education (O-Levels)	Completed with a pass in at least	5 subjects	NA	
AUSTRALIA				
Foundation Program	Completed with an overall average of at least	pass	50%	
Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE)	Completed with an overall (ATAR/ENTER) score of at least	40 - 49 (out of 100)	50 (out of 100)	
BAHRAIN				
Tawjihiya (Secondary School Leaving Certificate)	Completed with an overall average of at least	60%	65%	
	Completed with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least	2 (out of 4)	2.2 (out of 4)	
BANGLADESH				
Higher School Certificate (HSC)	Completed with an overall average of at least	50% - 59%	60% - 69%	
	Completed with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least	3 (out of 5)	3.5 (out of 5)	
CANADA				
High School Diploma (from relevant Territory or Province)	Completed the first year (grade 11 certificate) with an overall average of at least:	50%	NA	
	Completed the second year (grade 12 certificate) with an overall average of at least:	NA	50%	
CHILE				
Licencia de Enseñanza Media / Bachillerato	Completed with an average score of:	4 (out of 7)	5 (out of 7)	
CHINA				
Senior Middle School Graduation Diploma	Completed the second year (Senior Middle 2) with an average score of:	65%	NA	
	Completed the third year (Senior Middle 3) with an average score of:	NA	70%	
COLOMBIA				
Bachillerato	Completed with a score of at least:	50 (out of 100)	NA	
	Completed with a score of at least:	5 (out of 10)	NA	
FIJI				
Fiji School Leaving Certificate (FSLC) - Form 6	Completed with an overall average (all subjects) of at least:	50%	NA	
Fiji 7th Form Certificate	Completed with an overall average (all subjects) of at least:	NA	50%	

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GERMANY				
Abitur (or equivalent)	Completed the second last year (year 11 equivalent) with a score of at least:	pass	NA	
	Completed with a score of at least:	4 (in 3 subjects)	4 (in 4 subjects)	
HONG KONG				
Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)	Completed with a minimum score of at least:	NA	12	Total score is calculated on the sum of 5 subjects (selected from 4 core subjects and 2 electives from category A or C). Grades are calculated where: 5**=6, 5*=5.5, 5=5, 4=4, 3=3, 2=2 and 1=1.
Hong Kong Certificate of Education Examination (HKCEE)	Completed with a pass (E or above) in at least:	4 subjects	NA	
HK A Levels qualification	Completed with a pass in at least:	1 Advanced Level (A2)	1 Advanced Level (A2) and 2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	
	Completed with a pass in at least:	2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	2 Advanced Levels (A2)	
INDIA				
Indian School Certificate (issued by the Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations)	Completed the first year (Year XI) with average score of at least:	55% (in all subjects)	NA	Average score is calculated as the average of the best 4 subjects (excluding local language) non-academic subjects.
	Completed with a average score of at least:	NA	55% (in all subjects)	Average score is calculated as the average of the best 4 subjects (excluding local language) non-academic subjects.
All India Senior School Certificate (issued by the Central Board of Secondary Education)	Completed the first year (Year XI) with average score of at least:	60% (in all subjects)	NA	Average score is calculated as the average of the best 4 subjects (excluding local language) non-academic subjects.
	Completed with a average score of at least:	NA	55% (in all subjects)	Average score is calculated as the average of the best 4 subjects (excluding local language) non-academic subjects.
Higher Secondary Certificate/Intermediate Certificate from State Board	Completed the first year (Year XI) with average score of at least:	65% (in all subjects)	NA	
	Completed with a average score of at least:	NA	60%	Average score is calculated as the average of the best 4 subjects (excluding local language) non-academic subjects.
INDONESIA				
Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA) 2	Completed with an average score (academic subjects only) of at least:	6.0	NA	
Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA) 3	Completed with an average score (academic subjects only) of at least:	NA	6.0	Successful completion of the National Examination is also required.
JAPAN				
Kotogakko Satsugyo Shosho (Upper Secondary School) qualification	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	2 (out of 5)	NA	
Kotogakko Satsugyo Shosho (Upper Secondary School) qualification	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	NA	2 (out of 5)	

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KENYA				
Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE)	Completed with an overall average of at least	D+ (from 8 subjects)	C- (from 8 subjects)	Average of subjects are calculated where A = 12, A- = 11, B+ = 10, B = 9, B- = 8, C+ = 7, C = 6, C- = 5, D+ = 4, D = 3, D- = 2 and E = 1.
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF				
Immumgye Kodung Hakkyo Choeupchang (Senior High School Certificate)	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	60% (Yang)	NA	
	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	NA	60% (Yang)	
MACAU				
General Certificate of Education (A-Levels)	Completed with a pass in at least:	1 Advanced Level (A2)	1 Advanced Level (A2) and 2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	
	Completed with a pass in at least:	2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	2 Advanced Levels (A2)	
MALAYSIA				
Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM)	Completed with an overall average of:	pass (E or higher) in 4 subjects	NA	
Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM)	Passed at least 1 subject with a score (in each passed subject) of at least:	2	NA	
	Passed at least 2 subjects with a score (in each passed subject) of at least:	NA	2	
Unified Examination Certificate (UEC)	Completed with a score of at least:	pass (at least C8) in 5 subjects	pass (at least C8) in 6 subjects	
MAURITIUS				
General Certificate of Education (A-Levels)	Completed with a pass in at least	1 Advanced Level (A2)	1 Advanced Level (A2) and 2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	
	Completed with a pass in at least	2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	2 Advanced Levels (A2)	
MEXICO				
Bachillerato	Completed with an overall score of at least	5.5 (out of 10)	6 (out of 10)	
	completed with an overall score of at least	55%	60%	
NEPAL				
Higher Secondary Certificate	Completed with an overall result of at least	40%	2nd Division Pass (45%)	
	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) with an overall score of at least	2nd Division Pass (45%)	NA	
Higher Secondary Education Board Certificate	Completed with an overall score of at least	2nd Division Pass (45%)	2nd Division Pass (55%)	
Intermediate Proficiency Certificate	Completed with an overall score of at least	40%	NA	
NEW ZEALAND				
National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA)	Completed the fourth year (NCEA Level 2) with an overall score of at least:	80 credits (60 at Level 2, 20 at level 1)	NA	
	Completed the fifth year (NCEA Level 3) with an overall score of at least:	NA	80 Credits (60 at level 3, 20 at level 2)	
NIGERIA				
Senior School Certificate	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	7	6	

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NORWAY				
Vitnemal fra den videregående skolen (Upper Secondary Certificate)	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	2.5 (out of 6)	3 (out of 6)	Overall average of subjects from 1 - 6 where 6 is the highest grade.
	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) of with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	2.8 (out of 6)	NA	Overall average of subjects from 1 - 6 where 6 is the highest grade.
OMAN				
Thanawiya amma (General Secondary School Certificate)	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	65%	70%	
PAKISTAN				
Intermediate Certificate/Higher Secondary School Certificate	Completed with an overall score of at least	450 (out of 1100)	500 (out of 1100)	
PHILIPPINES				
High School Diploma	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	C (75%)	C (75%) plus completion of two years of higher education studies (deemed comparable to an Australian AQF Certificate IV)	
QATAR				
Al-Thanawaya Al-Amah (General Secondary Certificate Examination)	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	60%	65%	
RUSSIAN FEDERATION				
Attestat o Srednem (polnom) Obshchem Obrazovanii (Certificate of Secondary (Complete) General Education)	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) of with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	3	NA	
	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	2.5	3	
SAUDI ARABIA				
Tawjihyah (General Secondary Examination)	Completed with an overall score of at least	60%	65%	
SINGAPORE				
Singapore Cambridge O-Levels qualification	Completed with a pass in at least	5 subjects	NA	
Singapore Cambridge A-Levels qualification	Completed with a pass in at least	1 Advanced Level (A2)	1 Advanced Level (A2) and 2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	
	Completed with a pass in at least	2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	2 Advanced Levels (A2)	
Singapore Polytechnic Diploma	Completed with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least	1.5 (out of 4)	2 (out of 4)	
SOUTH AFRICA				
Senior Certificate (prior to 2008)	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	40% (pass)	50% (pass)	
National Senior Certificate (from 2008)	Completed with an overall result of at least	40% (pass) or level 3	50% (pass) or level 4	
	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) of with an overall result of at least	pass	NA	
SRI LANKA				
Sri Lankan O-Levels	Completed with a score of at least	C (Credit) in at least 6 subjects	NA	
Sri Lankan A-levels	Completed with a score of at least	S in 2 subjects	S in 3 subjects	

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SWEDEN				
Avgangsbetyg/Slutbetyg Fran Gymnasieskola	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	G	NA	The average grade is calculated with G = 3, GV = 4, MVG = 5
	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	NA	G	The average grade is calculated with G = 3, GV = 4, MVG = 5
TAIWAN				
Senior High School Leaving Certificate	Completed the second year (year 11 equivalent) with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	60%	NA	
	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least:	60%	65%	
THAILAND				
Matayom 5	Completed with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least	2.0 (out of 4)	NA	
Matayom 6 (Certificate of Secondary Education)	Completed with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least	1.5 (out of 4)	2.0 (out of 4)	
TURKEY				
Devlet Lise Diplomasi (State High School Diploma)	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	2 (or 45%)	3 (or 55%)	
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES				
Tawjihyya (Secondary School Certificate)	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	60%	65%	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA				
High School Diploma	Completed the second last year (grade 11) with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least:	2.0 (out of 4)	NA	
	Completed with a Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least:	NA	2.0 (out of 4)	
VIETNAM				
Bang Tot Ngiep Pho Thong Trung Hoc (Secondary School Graduation Certificate)	Completed with an overall average (in all subjects) of at least	5.5 (out of 10)	6.5 (out of 10)	
ZIMBABWE				
General Certificate of Education (A-Levels)	Completed with a pass in at least	1 Advanced Level (A2)	1 Advanced Level (A2) and 2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	
	Completed with a pass in at least	2 Advanced Subsidiary Levels	2 Advanced Levels (A2)	

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