

STANDARDS IN SUBJECTS

Attainment in a subject is indicated by a grade, Grade 1 being the highest and Grade 9 the lowest. Only Grades 1-8 are shown on this certificate. The interpretation of the grades is as follows:

Grades	Senior School Certificate Results
Grade 1	Excellent
Grade 2	Very Good
Grade 3	Good
Grade 4	Credit
Grade 5	Credit
Grade 6	Credit
Grade 7	Pass
Grade 8	Pass
Grade 9	Fail

Grade 6 is the minimum standard needed to satisfy University entrance requirements. A Senior School Certificate is awarded to a candidate who obtains Grade 8 or better in at least one subject.

COMPARISON OF STANDARDS

The Senior School Certificate Grades are higher than the General Certificate of Education Ordinary level grades but lower than those of the General Certificate of Education Advanced level.