

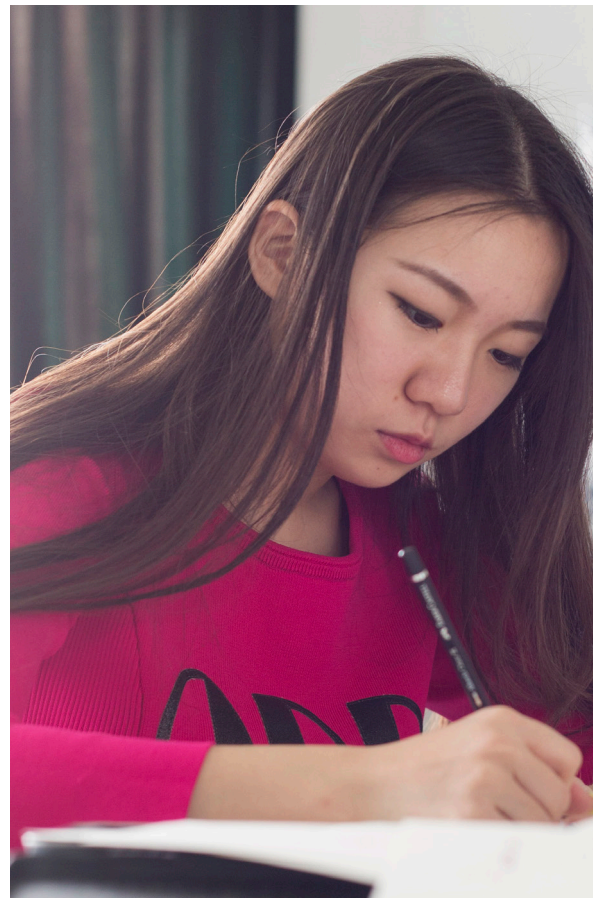


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Cambridge International AS & A Level is an international education programme typically for 16 to 19 year olds. The syllabuses develop a deep understanding of subjects, as well as independent learning and constructive thinking skills which are valued by universities.

Cambridge International AS & A Level at a glance

- Cambridge International AS & A Level qualifications are accepted and recognised by universities worldwide, including all UK universities and over 500 US universities.
- Cambridge International AS Level is typically a one-year course, and Cambridge International A Level is typically a two-year course.
- Some courses can be started as a Cambridge International AS Level and extended to a Cambridge International A Level. This flexibility helps schools build a curriculum to suit their learners.
- Exam series take place in November and June.
- There are three assessment routes: students can take all components of the Cambridge International A Level in one sitting (the linear route); follow a staged assessment route by taking all Cambridge International AS Level components in one exam series and completing the final Cambridge International A Level in a subsequent series; or they can take the Cambridge International AS Level as a standalone option.
- The grade scale is A* to E for Cambridge International A Level, and A to E for Cambridge International AS Level, with E being the lowest grade.
- The UK government has made changes to UK AS & A Levels taught from 2015, moving them closer to the structure of Cambridge International AS & A Level. The reforms do not affect Cambridge International AS & A Level.



- Cambridge International AS & A Level is taught in over **2500** schools in over **130** countries.
- Over **525 000** entries made by schools worldwide in 2016/17.
- A choice of more than **55** subjects in any combination.
- Worldwide entries for Cambridge International AS & A Level in June 2017 increased by **10%** on June 2016.

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