

# Guidance for UK schools making Cambridge IGCSE entries

## Cambridge IGCSE syllabus availability for First Language English, English Literature and Mathematics

In 2019, UK schools will have a choice of three Cambridge IGCSE syllabuses for First Language English, English Literature and Mathematics. UK schools should refer to the below grid which describes key features of each syllabus, in order to ensure candidates are correctly entered.

Cambridge IGCSE 9-1 Ofqual-regulated syllabuses	Cambridge IGCSE 9-1 Not regulated by Ofqual	Cambridge IGCSE A*-G Not regulated by Ofqual
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Only available to UK schools</li> <li>• Last year of assessment in 2019</li> <li>• A unique syllabus, the content and assessment structure of this syllabus is different to other Cambridge IGCSE syllabuses</li> <li>• Comparable to reformed UK GCSEs</li> <li>• Not included in English school performance tables</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Available to schools in Administration Zone 3</li> <li>• The syllabus content and the method of assessment is the same as the non-regulated A*-G syllabus</li> <li>• Not included in English school performance tables</li> <li>• Benchmarked by NARIC to be comparable to GCSE</li> <li>• Accepted as equivalent by universities worldwide</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Available to all schools</li> <li>• The syllabus content and the method of assessment is the same as the non-regulated 9-1 syllabus</li> <li>• Not included in English school performance tables</li> <li>• Benchmarked by NARIC to be comparable to GCSE</li> <li>• Accepted as equivalent by universities worldwide</li> </ul>
Ofqual-regulated syllabuses	Syllabuses not regulated by Ofqual	
<a href="#">0627</a> English – First Language  <a href="#">0477</a> English Literature  <a href="#">0626</a> Mathematics	<a href="#">0990</a> English – First Language  <a href="#">0992</a> Literature in English  <a href="#">0980</a> Mathematics	<a href="#">0500</a> English – First Language  <a href="#">0486</a> Literature (English)  <a href="#">0580</a> Mathematics

Once you have made an entry for a syllabus, you will not be able to switch to another syllabus once the entries deadline has passed. If, for example, you find that you have accidentally made an entry for the wrong syllabus you must withdraw and re-enter **before** the entries deadline.