

Appendix VIII

**Mississippi Guide for Cambridge International A and AS Level Credit
Adopted by the Chief Academic Officers of the MS Institutions of Higher Learning and
the MS Association of Community Colleges
Effective Date – Fall 2020**

A Cambridge International Exam official score report must be sent to the college or university to evaluate, award appropriate college credit, and articulate the specific college course satisfied by the AS or A level exam. Students will receive subject area credit with an examination score of E or higher (A*, A, B, C, D, E).

*Mississippi public universities may provide up to 4 hours for AS level for students scoring E or higher and additional credit hours for the A level.

Levels of Cambridge International Exams

Advanced (A) – A level is comparable to completion of two semesters of an undergraduate course up to 8 credit hours

Advanced Subsidiary (AS) – AS level is comparable to one semester of an undergraduate course up to 4 credit hours

Complete list of Cambridge International AS and A Level subjects and course syllabi: <https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/cambridge-advanced/cambridge-international-as-and-a-levels/subjects/#>

Category/Cambridge Course Title	AS&A Credit Score	Corresponding Course for MS Community Colleges	College Credit Hours
English Language and Literature			
AS and A Level English Language (9093)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	ENG 1113 - English Composition I	3*
AS and A Level English Literature (9695)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	ENG 2323 – British Literature I OR ENG 2223 - American Literature I	3*
AS Level Language and Literature	A,B,C,D,E	ENG 1113 - English Composition I	3
AS Level General Paper 8001, 8004, 8021	not recommended for credit		
Creative and Professional			
AS and A Level Art & Design (9479)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	ART 1433 - Design I	3*
AS and A Level Music (9483)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	MUS 1113 – Music Appreciation	3*
AS and A Level Media Studies (9607)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	No corresponding CJC course code; Corresponding course dependent upon college	
AS and A Level Digital Media and Design (9481)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	No corresponding CJC course code; Corresponding course dependent upon college	
AS and A Level Computer Science (9608) (9618 will replace 9608 in 2021)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	CSC 1613 - Computer Programming I	3*
AS and A Level Thinking Skills	A*,A,B,C,D,E	PHI 2123 -Introduction to Philosophy	3*

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Humanities and Social Sciences			
Humanities and Social Sciences	A*,A,B,C,D,E	No corresponding CJC course code; Corresponding course dependent upon college	
AS and A Level Geography (9696)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	GEO 1123 - Principles of Geography	3*
AS and A Level Economics (9708)	A,B,C,D,E	ECO 2113 - Principles of Macroeconomics	3
AS and A Level Psychology	A*,A,B,C,D,E	PSY 1513 - General Psychology I	3*
AS and A Level Sociology (9699)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	SOC 2113 – Introduction to Sociology	3*
AS and A Level History (9389) (9489 will replace 9389 beginning in 2021)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	HIS 2813 – Special Topics in History	3*
Sciences and Math			
AS and A Level Biology (9700)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	BIO 1134 - General Biology I	3*
AS and A Level Chemistry (9701)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	CHE 1214 - General Chemistry I	3*
AS Level Environmental Management (8291)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	BIO 1214 - Environmental Science	3*
AS and A Level Physics (9702)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	PHY 2414 - General Physics I	3*
AS and A Level Marine Science	A*,A,B,C,D,E	BIO 2213– Introduction to Marine Science	3*
AS Mathematics (9709) AS Papers 1 & 2	A*,A,B,C,D,E	MAT 1313 – College Algebra	3*
A Mathematics (9709) A Papers 1,3,5 & 6	A*,A,B,C,D,E	MAT 2323 – Statistics	3*
AS and A Level Mathematics – Further (9231)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	No corresponding CJC course code; Corresponding course dependent upon college	
Languages			
AS Chinese Language (8681) and A Level Chinese (9715)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	No corresponding CJC course code; Corresponding course dependent upon college	
AS French Language (8682) and A Level French (9716)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	MFL 1113 - French I	3*
AS Level German Language (8683) and A Level German (9717)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	MFL 1313 - German I	3*
AS Level Japanese Language (8281)	A,B,C,D,E	MFL 1413 - Japanese I	3*
AS Level Spanish Language (8685) and A Level Spanish (9719)	A*,A,B,C,D,E	MFL 1213 - Spanish I	3*