

## Resit rules for linear 9-1 International GCSEs in English

### Key dates

Please note: the Spoken Language Endorsement (SLE) is optional, and students follow the exam-only or coursework route. The deadlines for SLE grades and coursework marks and sample only apply to students doing those options.

### November exam series

Entry deadline each year	13 September
Submit SLE grades on Edexcel Online and <b>video-recordings</b> on the Learner Work Transfer portal (LWT) by	5 November
Submit coursework marks on Edexcel Online and coursework sample on the LWT by	5 November

### May/June exam series

Entry deadline each year	21 March
Submit SLE grades on Edexcel Online and <b>video-recordings</b> on the LWT by	15 May
Submit coursework marks on Edexcel Online and coursework sample on the LWT portal by	15 May

### Who is eligible to sit 4EA1, 4EB1 and 4ET1 in these 2 exam series?

All students using international qualifications, including new entries, deferrals and students wanting to resit from any previous exam series, may enter in the November and May/June exam series.

### English Language A (4EA1)

Students have the option to sit Papers 1 and 2 (exam-only route), or 1 and 3 (coursework).

Resitting students on the exam-only route must resit both papers 1 and 2.

Resitting students who have sat Paper 1 and coursework, must resit Paper 1. They have the option to either carry forward their coursework marks or submit new coursework. New coursework may be written on the same texts (from Part 2 of the anthology) as in the previous attempt at

the qualification, but a new title must be selected and new work submitted. After making the entry with the correct option, the teacher/exams officer submits the student's marks and their coursework (if the student forms part of the requested sample).

If a student chooses to carry forward their coursework marks, after making the entry with the correct option, the teacher/exams officer does not resubmit the student's marks or coursework to the moderator. The student's work will not be a part of the sample.

4EA1 has an optional Spoken Language Endorsement (SLE). As with the coursework element, resitting students have the option to either carry forward the grade achieved in their previous attempt at 4EA1 (with the SLE) or they can make a new attempt at the SLE when they resit 4EA1. Again, the teacher/exams officer needs to select the option code which reflects that the student is carrying forward or resitting the SLE.

### **Reminder about coursework changes for 4EA1**

From May/June 2024 and in all subsequent exam series, students must submit the coursework in the format from the [issue 6 specification](#) (students write on 3 texts from Part 2 on the anthology including poetry and prose with no commentary). The total marks for the coursework is the same as in the previous specifications and the change in format does not affect the carry forward arrangements. A student may carry forward coursework marks from a pre-May/June 2024 exam series in May/June 2024 and subsequent exam series.

### **English Language B (4EB1)**

This qualification has a single exam and an optional Spoken Language Endorsement (SLE). Students wishing to resit 4EB1 should be entered with the correct option code (either with or without the SLE).

### **English Literature (4ET1)**

Students have the option to sit Papers 1 and 2 (exam-only route), or 1 and 3 (coursework).

Resitting students on the exam-only route must resit both papers 1 and 2.

Resitting students who have sat Paper 1 and coursework, must resit Paper 1. They have the option to either carry forward their coursework marks or submit new coursework. New coursework may be written on the same texts as in the previous attempt at the qualification, but a new title must be selected and new work submitted. After making the entry with the correct option, the teacher/exams officer submits the student's marks and their coursework (if the student forms part of the requested sample).

If a student chooses to carry forward their coursework marks, after making the entry with the correct option, the teacher/exams officer does not resubmit the student's marks or coursework to the moderator. The student's work will not be a part of the sample.

## **Introduction of Modular International GCSEs from September 2023 for first assessment in May/June 2024 for international centres only (not UK)**

From September 2023 we offer:

[4XEA1 Int GCSE English Language A \(Modular\)](#)

and

[4XET1 Int GCSE English Literature \(Modular\)](#)

The resit arrangements and entry codes below do not apply to Modular International GCSEs, which do not include coursework.

The modular entry arrangements are captured in '[Modular International GCSE s-support with entry, aggregation and certification](#)'.

### **Linear entry codes for UK centres**

See full details in the [information manual](#) each year.

4EA1

Specification		
Entry	Option	Title
4EA1	A	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2)
4EA1	AE	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2 & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	B	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3)
4EA1	BE	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	FT	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	GT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	HT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	KT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	JT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))

## 4EB1

Specification		
Entry	Option	Title
4EB1		English Language Specification B (Paper 1)
4EB1	E	English Language Specification B (Paper 1 & Spoken language endorsement)
4EB1	ET	English Language Specification B (Paper 1 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))

## 4ET1

Specification		
Entry	Option	Title
4ET1	A	English Literature (Papers 1 & 2)
4ET1	B	English Literature (Paper 1 & Coursework 3)
4ET1	BT	English Literature (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))

## Linear entry codes for international centres

### Option codes

Customers whose centres are based in specified countries must use alternative option codes, where applicable, as listed in this manual (for example, 4B11 R). Pearson requires the following countries to use the alternative option codes: Australia, Azerbaijan, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Laos, Macau, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Oman, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, United Arab Emirates and Vietnam.

### 4EA1

Specification		
Entry code	Option	Title
4EA1	A	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2)
4EA1	AE	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2 & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	B	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3)
4EA1	BE	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	FT	English Language Specification A (Papers 1 & 2 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	GT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	HT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	JT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	KT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1 & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	AR	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2R)
4EA1	BR	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3)

Entry code	Option	Title
4EA1	CR	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2R & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	DR	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	LT	English Language Specification A (Papers 1R & 2R & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	MT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	NT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement)
4EA1	PT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EA1	RT	English Language Specification A (Paper 1R & Coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series) & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))

## 4EB1

Specification		
Entry code	Option	Title
4EB1		English Language Specification B (Paper 1)
4EB1	E	English Language Specification B (Paper 1 & Spoken language endorsement)
4EB1	R	English Language Specification B (Paper 1R)
4EB1	RE	English Language Specification B (Paper 1R & Spoken language endorsement)
4EB1	ET	English Language Specification B (Paper 1 & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))
4EB1	RT	English Language Specification B (Paper 1R & Spoken language endorsement (Transferred from previous series))

## 4ET1

Specification		
Entry code	Option	Title
4ET1	A	English Literature (Papers 1 & 2)
4ET1	B	English Literature (Paper 1 & coursework 3)
4ET1	AR	English Literature (Papers 1R & 2R)
4ET1	BR	English Literature (Paper 1R & coursework 3)
4ET1	BT	English Literature (Paper 1 & coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))
4ET1	RT	English Literature (Paper 1R & coursework 3 (Transferred from previous series))