



Pearson

Funding Focus – International GCSEs approved for funding

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Funding for Pearson International GCSEs in 2016/17

13 Pearson International GCSEs are now approved by Ofqual and the funding agencies and can now therefore attract public funding for pre-16, 16-19, and 19+ learners (with two exceptions – see the table below). None of the qualifications count in performance tables.

Spec	Subject	QAN	Eligible for pre-16 year-olds	Eligible for 16-19 funding	Eligible for adult local flexibility funding
4BIO	Biology	60188169	Yes	Yes	Yes
4CHO	Chemistry	60188170	Yes	Yes	Yes
4CNO	Chinese	60188182	Yes	Yes	Yes
4EA0	English language A*	60188194	Yes	Yes	No
4ETO	English literature	60188200	Yes	Yes	Yes
4FR0	French	60188212	Yes	Yes	Yes
4GEO	Geography	60188224	Yes	Yes	Yes
4GN0	German	60188236	Yes	Yes	Yes
4HIO	History	60188248	Yes	Yes	Yes
4MA0	Mathematics A*	6018825X	Yes	Yes	No
4PH0	Physics	60188261	Yes	Yes	Yes
4SCO	Science (double award)	60188273	Yes	Yes	Yes
4SPO	Spanish	60188285	Yes	Yes	Yes

* These qualifications are not eligible for adult funding in 2016/17. In addition:

- They will **not** be funded by the EFA and the SFA as **legacy GCSEs** in English, English language and mathematics. The re-sit opportunity for legacy qualifications is for GCSEs and equivalent Level 1/2 certificates in English and maths counting towards the EBacc only.
- They **cannot** be taken by learners to meet the EFA's condition for funding for English and maths for 16 to 19 learners in 2016/17.

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