

InterGreat

Qualifications & Exams

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Entries

1. Which exams can I sit with InterGreat?

For students in the UK, we can offer Pearson Edexcel A Level, GCSE, iGCSE, and EPQ. If you are an international student who has studied IAL overseas previously, you may be able to apply for a special exemption to sit IAL in our London centre. Please contact us for more details.

2. How do I apply to sit exams with InterGreat?

Please complete our registration form here:

<https://www.intergreat.com/form/exam-registration-form>

3. I want to take my exams in China. Where can I take them?

Currently we only offer exams in the UK. For CAIE exams in China, you can search for a school that accepts private candidates [here](#). British Council also offers CAIE exams at some of their centres - more information available [here](#).

4. Should I take International or UK A Levels?

Both qualifications are equally valued by universities. If you are outside the UK, then you should take International A Levels. If you are inside the UK, then you can choose between UK A Levels and International A Levels. To help decide, you should consider how familiar you are already with each curriculum, how close you are to the relevant exam centres, and whether you want to take your A Level over two exam series or not, which is only possible with International A Levels.

5. Can I take different exams with different exam boards?

Yes, it is fine to take different subjects with different exam boards. It's common practice, and will have no effect on your application.

6. Which exam board should I choose?

We are able to offer Pearson Edexcel for students in the UK. When choosing an awarding body, you should consider the accessibility to an exam centre, and the practical & coursework requirements. For example, CAIE International A Level Sciences include a practical element, so you will need to have access to a laboratory, whereas Edexcel IAL Sciences is paper-based.

7. Which exams can I sit in which series?

October - Edexcel IAL and iGCSE with limited subjects.

November – Cambridge - all qualifications with no restrictions. All exam boards - English Language and Maths GCSE (resits and over 16s only).

January – Edexcel iGCSE with limited subjects

Summer – all exams available.

8. How do I find out my entry codes?

Entry codes are available via the exam board websites, or your tutor / teacher. Please check these codes carefully as they may contain option codes (such as tiers or route) that we will require to complete your entry. We are not responsible for the information provided and you must ensure that you have checked it and satisfied it is correct.

9. Why do I need to provide an ID?

It is a regulatory requirement that we can identify candidates that sit their exams with us. Your photo will be used on your timetable to allow the centre staff to identify you. Your ID will be kept on file and you are required to bring your physical ID on the days you sit exams.

10. When are the deadlines for exams?

The dates to avoid late fees are listed in our Entry Dates list.

11. What is a UCI?

Every student has one 13-character code that's unique to them. It's used to collect results for each student across time and different exam boards, schools or colleges. All students need a UCI. If you have sat exams recently at another venue, they will have your UCI, or it will appear on your entry and results information from them. You will need your UCI if you are resitting a qualification. We can issue new UCIs for new learners.

Payment

12. How can I pay?

When we receive your completed exam registration form, we will confirm availability for your chosen exam. Your InterGreat Education Consultant will then contact you to arrange payment.

13. I no longer want to sit the exam. Can I get a refund?

Refunds are available before the first entry deadline, subject to a £50 admin fee. There are no refunds after the first entry deadline.

Exams

14. When will I know my exam timetable?

Exam timetables are confirmed after the entry deadline. We will send you your exam timetable, including your personal details, candidate number, centre number, exam dates, exam papers, start time and duration. Exam timetables are also available on the exam board website.

15. What if I can't make my exam or am running late?

You must contact us as soon as possible and you will receive instructions on next steps.

Results

16. When will I get my results?

January iGCSE results are issued in March. Summer exam results are issued in August. November exam results in January.

17. How will I get my results?

Your results information will be sent to you at the end of the exam series you are sitting.

18. What if I'm not happy with my result?

There are several options available to you. Please get in touch and we can give you more information. You can also find more information about Pearson Edexcel's post-results services [here](#).

19. How will I get my certificates?

Certificates are issued around 12 weeks after results. You can collect them in-person from our centre, or they will be posted to the address you registered with us (additional charges apply).

General

20. What can I do to achieve a high grade?

Take a look at our *Top Tips for Success* guidance.

21. I need a predicted grade for my UCAS application. How does that work?

Your tutor may be able to provide you with a predicted grade for your course of study. However, in order to do so they will require evidence of learning and potential achievement. This can be based on your coursework, progress reports, homework assignments, mock tests, evidence of prior learning, and attitude to study. Your tutor may need a minimum number of tuition hours with you in order to give a predicted grade. If you require a predicted grade, please let us know as soon as possible.

22. Who can I contact if I have a question, issue, or complaint?

You can email our Exams Officer via exams@intergreat.

23. I need to resit my A Levels. Will the university penalise me for this?

In most cases, you shouldn't be penalised for resitting A Levels, and some universities will be happy to keep your offer open for the following year.

However, ***you should check the entry requirements for the course you are applying to***, as some universities do not accept resits for popular programmes (e.g [Law at UCL](#)).

Also, if you're applying for a course with very strict entry requirements like medicine, you should be aware that most universities won't offer places to anyone who has taken three years to complete their A Levels.

Here is some further guidance on resits from UCL:

"Resits are generally considered for most of our programmes. Any programmes that do not consider resits will outline this on their department webpages.

Where resits have been attempted more than once, this may put you at a disadvantage due to the competitive nature of admissions for many of our programmes.”

When resitting your A-Levels, you can explain your reasons for resitting in your personal statement. The fact that you're willing to try again shows that you're committed to achieving your goals and that you're willing to put in the hard work needed to make them happen.

Try to focus on the positive aspects and talk about what this experience has taught you and how it has helped you develop as a person.

24. Is there a limit to the number of times I can resit my A Levels?

No, you can resit A Levels as many times as you like, at any age (even while you are still at university). However, if you're applying for a course with very strict entry requirements like medicine, you should be aware that most universities won't offer places to anyone who has taken three years to complete their A Levels.