

New Marking Schemes for Examinations

Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme (2017) onwards

Higher			Ordinary		
Grade	Percentage	CAO Points	Grade	Percentage	CAO Points
H1	90-100%	100			
H2	80 -89%	88			
H3	70-79%	77			
H4	60-69%	66			
H5	50-59%	56	O1	90-100%	56
H6	40-49%	46	O2	80 -89%	46
H7	30-39%	37	O3	70-79%	37
H8	0-29%	0	O4	60-69%	28
			O5	50-59%	20
			O6	40-49%	12
			O7	30-39%	0
			O8	0-29%	0

- Maths still attracts an extra 25 points in the LCVP.
- Link Modules still have Distinction, Merit and Pass Grades

New Junior Cycle Marking Schemes

Final Examinations (incorporating the Assessment Task results)

Grade	Percentage %
Distinction	90-100%
Higher Merit	75-89%
Merit	55-74%
Achieved	40-55%
Partially Achieved	20-39%
Not Graded	0-19%

Classroom Based Assessment Descriptors

Exceptional
Above Expectations
In Line with Expectations
Yet to Meet Expectations