ALM1

Resource 3: What’s in the specification?

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| Exam board |  |
| Subject name and code |  |
| Exam board website and relevant pathways |  |

AS Level – Unit 1

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| Title and code |  |
| Skills tested |  |
| Length of exam |  |
| % of AS marks |  |
| % of A Level marks |  |
| Exam sessions offered (e.g. January, June) |  |

AS Level – Unit 2

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| Title and code |  |
| Skills tested |  |
| Length of exam |  |
| % of AS marks |  |
| % of A Level marks |  |
| Exam sessions offered (e.g. January, June) |  |

AS Level overview

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| Are there set topic areas? What are they? |
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| Is there a grammar list? Where can I find it? |
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A2 Level – Unit 3

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| Title and code |  |
| Skills tested |  |
| Length of exam |  |
| % of A2 marks |  |
| % of A Level marks |  |
| Exam sessions offered (e.g. January, June) |  |

A2 Level – Unit 4

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| Title and code |  |
| Skills tested |  |
| Length of exam |  |
| % of A2 marks |  |
| % of A Level marks |  |
| Exam sessions offered (e.g. January, June) |  |

A2 Level overview

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| Are there set topic areas? What are they? |
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| Is there a grammar list? Where can I find it? |
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General

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| Where can I find the assessment criteria for each unit? How are they expressed? (e.g. mark bands, level descriptors, quantitative or qualitative marks) |
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| Where can I find examiners’ reports? When are they published? |
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| Where can I find specific guidance for speaking exams? |
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| How do I access past papers and mark schemes? Are these available to students? |
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