

## **Media information 2013**Facts and figures

Cambridge International Examinations is the world's largest provider of international education programmes and qualifications for 5 to 19 year olds. We are part of the University of Cambridge, trusted for excellence in education. Our qualifications are recognised by the world's universities and employers.

- Over **9000** schools in over **160** countries around the world offer Cambridge qualifications.
- We are a division of Cambridge Assessment, a not-for-profit organisation and part of the world renowned University of Cambridge.
- Cambridge Primary is taught in over 650 schools worldwide.
- Every year we receive more than 54000 entries for Cambridge Checkpoint, our tests for 11 to 14 year olds.
- 2013 marks the 25th anniversary of the first Cambridge IGCSE® exam.
- Cambridge IGCSE is the world's most popular international qualification for 14 to 16 year olds.
   It is taken in 140 countries and in more than 3700 schools around the world.
- There are almost **500 000** subject entries for Cambridge IGCSE exams each year.
- We are the world's biggest provider of O Level.
  Cambridge O Level is taken in 80 countries.
- Cambridge International AS and A Levels are taken in 125 countries with 350000 subject entries each year.
- We developed Cambridge Pre-U as an alternative to A Level for UK schools. It prepares students for university and was first examined in June 2010.



- Cambridge Pre-U is taught in over 150 UK state and independent schools.
- Cambridge examinations are marked by around 9000 highly skilled examiners.
- We produce around 5.7 million question papers each year.
- We hold more than 16000 training days a year providing 6500 teachers from across the globe with the skills and knowledge they need to help their students succeed.
- In 2008, we celebrated the 150th anniversary of the formation of our parent organisation Cambridge Assessment, and in 2009 we celebrated the 800th anniversary of the University of Cambridge.

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