

Table 2
Grade Levels and Public Examinations in
Secondary Education Systems in Countries in the SEAMEO Region

Country	Year and Grade of Secondary Education							
	Year 1 Grade	Year 2 Grade	Year 3 Grade	Year 4 Grade	Year 5 Grade	Year 6 Grade	Year 7 Grade	Year 8 Grade
1. Brunei Darussalam	7	8	9** *g	10	11** *c ** *d	12** *d	13** *e	14** *e
2. Cambodia	7	8	9**	10	11	12**		
3. Indonesia	7	8	9**	10	11	12**		
4. Lao PDR	6	7	8	9	10	11		
5. Malaysia	7	8	9**	10	11**	12**	13**	
6. Myanmar	5	6	7	8**	9	10**		
7. Philippines	1	2	3	4**				
8. Singapore	*a 7/9	8/10	9/11	10/12** *c	11/13** *d	12/14**	13/15** *e	
	*b 7	8	9	10** *d	11**	12** *e		
9. Thailand	7	8	9	10**	11	12		
10. Vietnam	6	7	8	9**	10	11	12**	12**

** Public Examination at National/State/Provincial Levels

*a Normal Course

*b Special/Express Course

*c Public exam "N" level

*d Public exam "O" level

*e Public exam "A" level

*g "N" level stream

*h "O" level stream