Grade chart in School year 1977(Showa 52)

School year 1977(From April 1, 1977 to March 31, 1978)

Grade	Age	Date of birth
1st year of kindergarten	3-4	April 2, 1973-April 1, 1974
2nd year of kindergarten	4-5	April 2, 1972-April 1, 1973
3rd year of kindergarten	5-6	April 2, 1971-April 1, 1972
1st grade in elementary school	6-7	April 2, 1970-April 1, 1971
2nd grade in elementary school	7-8	April 2, 1969–April 1, 1970
3rd grade in elementary school	8-9	April 2, 1968-April 1, 1969
4th grade in elementary school	9–10	April 2, 1967-April 1, 1968
5th grade in elementary school	10-11	April 2, 1966-April 1, 1967
6th grade in elementary school	11-12	April 2, 1965-April 1, 1966
1st grade in junior high school	12-13	April 2, 1964-April 1, 1965
2nd grade in junior high school	13-14	April 2, 1963-April 1, 1964
3rd grade in junior high school	14-15	April 2, 1962-April 1, 1963
1st grade in high school	15-16	April 2, 1961–April 1, 1962
2nd grade in high school	16-17	April 2, 1960-April 1, 1961
3rd grade in high school	17-18	April 2, 1959-April 1, 1960
1st year university student	18-19	April 2, 1958-April 1, 1959
2nd year university student	19-20	April 2, 1957-April 1, 1958
3rd year university student	20-21	April 2, 1956-April 1, 1957
4th year university student	21-22	April 2, 1955-April 1, 1956
1st year master's student	22-23	April 2, 1954-April 1, 1955
2nd year master's student	23-24	April 2, 1953-April 1, 1954
1st year Ph.D. student	24-25	April 2, 1952-April 1, 1953
2nd year Ph.D. student	25-26	April 2, 1951-April 1, 1952
3rd year Ph.D. student	26–27	April 2, 1950-April 1, 1951