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Forward-Looking Statements



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Results by Segment (YoY)



Six months ended September 30

(Millions of Yen)

	FY2021	FY2022	Change	%
Education Business in Japan	105,194	104,100	(1,094)	(1.0)
Kids & Family	35,145	31,602	(3,542)	(10.1)
Nursing Care and Childcare	63,426	65,136	+1,710	+2.7
Berlitz	13,109	_	(13,109)	_
Others	530	1,090	+560	+105.5
Total Net Sales	217,405	201,929	(15,475)	(7.1)
Education Business in Japan	10,254	10,861	+607	+5.9
Kids & Family	2,996	901	(2,095)	(69.9)
Nursing Care and Childcare	4,048	1,392	(2,655)	(65.6)
Berlitz	(1,948)	_	+1,948	_
Others/Reconciliations	(2,378)	(2,527)	(149)	_
Total Operating Income	12,972	10,628	(2,344)	(18.1)
Ordinary Income	10,539	8,327	(2,211)	(21.0)
Net Income	5,580	5,448	(132)	(2.4)

Note: Berlitz Corporation was excluded from the scope of consolidation from the fourth quarter of the previous fiscal year as a result of the share transfer of the company.

Results: Analysis of Net Sales/Operating Income (YoY)



				(Billions of Yen)
		Shinkenzemi	Decrease in cumulative enrollment / positive impact of the price revision, etc.	(4.2)
		School & Teacher	Increase in orders for elementary and junior high school business.	+0.2
	Education Business	Support	Decrease in number of students taking Shinken Simulated Exams, etc.	+0.2
	in Japan	Prep Schools &	Decrese in number of students in Tokyo Individualized Educational Institute.	(0.0)
		Classrooms	Increase in number of students in Tetsuryokukai, etc.	(0.0)
Net		University & Working Adult, Other	Increase in orders in support for study abroad, Udemy business, and developmental education, etc.	+3.0
t Sales		Kodomo Challenge	Japan : decrease in cumulative enrollment / positive impact of the price revision and recovery of concert business, etc.	(0.2)
es	Kids & Family		Overseas : decrease in cumulative enrollment dut to COVID-19 lockdown in China, etc.	(4.7)
	Rius & Failing		Forex rate impact	+1.7
		Lifestyle	Tamahiyo business, etc.	(0.3)
	Nursing Care and Childcare		Increase in nursing home residents / consolidation of Heart Medical Care Co., Ltd., etc. ★	+1.7
	Berlitz		No sales contribution from Berlitz as a result of the share transfer	(13.1)
	Others		Naoshima business, etc.	+0.5

			Shinkenzemi : lower sales / elimination of impact of the product revision cost recorded in the previous year and decrease in marketing costs	(0.3)
	Education Busin	ess in Japan	Higher sales in University & Working Adult, etc.	+0.9
			Increase in cost in School & Teacher Support / lower sales in Prep Schools & Classrooms, etc.	+0.9
Ope		Kodomo	Japan : decrease in costs / lower sales	+0.2
rating	Kids & Family	& Family Challenge Over	Overseas : lower sales, etc.	(2.1)
gince		Lifestyle	Lower sales, etc.	(0.1)
ome	Nursing Care and Childcare		Increase in marketing costs to strengthen sales promotion and utilities expenses	(2.6)
			Higher sales in nursing-care facility business, etc.	(2.0)
	Berlitz		Elimination of operating loss as a result of the share transfer	+1.9
	Others/Reconciliations		DX Investment / higher sales in Naoshima, etc.	(0.1)

^{*} The company converted Heart Medical Care Co., Ltd. (the former Proto Medical Care Co., Ltd.) into consolidated subsidiaries as of June 1, 2021.

FY2022 Full-year Forecast



We revised its full-year forecast announced on May 12, 2022.

(Mill	ions	of	Yen
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	FY2021	FY2022 (Revised forecast)	Change	%	FY2022 (Forecast as of May)
Net Sales	431,943	417,000	(14,943)	(3.5)	426,000
Operating Income	20,167	21,500	+1,333	+6.6	25,000
Operating Income ratio(%)	4.7	5.2	+0.5	_	5.9
Ordinary Income	15,404	16,500	+1,096	+7.1	19,500
Net Income	1,064	11,500	+10,436	+980.6	13,500
Exchange Rate(USD/JPY)	109.84	128.00	+18.16	_	118.00

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FY2022 (Forecast as of May)	Change	%
426,000	(9,000)	(2.1)
25,000	(3,500)	(14.0)
5.9	(0.7)	
19,500	(3,000)	(15.4)
13,500	(2,000)	(14.8)
118.00	+10.0	_

FY2022 Forecast by Segment



						(Milli	ons of Yen)
	FY2021	FY2022 (Revised forecast)	Change	%	FY2022 (Forecast as of May)	Change	%
Education Business in Japan	212,128	209,900	(2,228)	(1.1)	216,600	(6,700)	(3.1)
Kids & Family	71,238	70,700	(538)	(8.0)	73,200	(2,500)	(3.4)
Nursing Care and Childcare	127,397	134,300	+6,903	+5.4	134,100	+200	+0.1
Berlitz	20,074	-	(20,074)	-	-	-	-
Others	1,105	2,100	+995	+90.0	2,100	-	-
Total Net Sales	431,943	417,000	(14,943)	(3.5)	426,000	(9,000)	(2.1)
Education Business in Japan	19,085	20,400	+1,315	+6.9	22,500	(2,100)	(9.3)
Kids & Family	1,718	1,400	(318)	(18.5)	3,500	(2,100)	(60.0)
Nursing Care and Childcare	8,013	6,700	(1,313)	(16.4)	7,400	(700)	(9.5)
Berlitz	▲2,799	-	+2,799	-	-	-	-
Others/Reconciliations	▲ 5,851	▲7,000	(1,149)	-	▲8,400	+1,400	-
Total Operating Income	20,167	21,500	+1,333	+6.6	25,000	(3,500)	(14.0)

Forecast: Analysis of Net Sales/Operating Income (YoY)



(Billions of Yen)

		Shinkenzemi	Decrease in cumulative enrollment / positive impact of the price revision, etc.	(8.2)				
	Education	School & Teacher	Decrease in number of students taking Shinken Simulated Exams	(0.4)				
	Business	Support	Increase in orders for elementary and junior high school business, etc.	(01-1)				
	in Japan	Prep Schools & Classrooms	Increase in number of students in Tetsuryokukai, etc.	+0.6				
		University & Working Adult, Other	Increase in orders in support for study abroad, Udemy business, and developmental education, etc.	+5.8				
N _e			Japan : positive impact of the price revision and recovery of concert business / decrease in cumulative enrollment, etc.	+0.0				
t Sales	Kids 9 Family	Kodomo Challenge	Overseas : decrease in cumulative enrollment dut to COVID-19 lockdown in China, etc.	(4.9)				
es	Kius & Faililly	Is & Family Forex rate impact		+3.6				
		Lifestyle	Tamahiyo business, etc.	+0.8				
	Nursing Core or	d Children	Increase in nursing home residents, positive impact of the price revision in response to inflation,	+6.9				
	Nursing Care an	id Childcare	and consolidation of Heart Medical Care Co., Ltd., etc.					
	Berlitz		No sales contribution from Berlitz as a result of the share transfer	(20.0)				
	Others		Naoshima business, etc.	+0.9				

			Shinkenzemi : lower sales and negative impact of forex rate		
	Education Busin	ace in Janan	Elimination of impact of the product revision cost recorded in the privious year / decrease in marketing costs, etc.	(0.7)	
	Education Busin	iess III Japan	Higher sales in University & Working Adult and Prep Schools & Classrooms	+2.0	
Ope			Lower sales in School & Teacher Support, etc.	+2.0	
ratin	Kids & Family	Kodomo	Japan : decrease in costs and lower sales, etc.	+1.4	
g Inc		Challenge Lifestyle	Overseas : Lower sales and expenses to deal with COVID-19 lockdown in China, etc.	(2.2)	
ome			Higher sales, etc.	+0.5	
	Nursing Care and Childcare		Higher sales / Increase in labor cost, utilities expenses ,and marketing costs to strengthen sales promotion, etc.	(1.3)	
	Berlitz		Elimination of operating loss as a result of the share transfer	+2.7	
	Others/Reconcil	iations	Strategic investment, etc.	(1.1)	

Breakdown of Net Sales



Six months ended September 30 (Millions of Yen)

	FY2021	FY2022	Change	%	Ratio(%)
Senior High School	6,270	5,314	(955)	(15.2)	5.1
Junior High School	15,287	13,397	(1,890)	(12.4)	12.9
Elementary School	32,522	31,126	(1,395)	(4.3)	29.9
School & Teacher Support	22,112	22,313	+200	+0.9	21.4
Prep Schools & Classrooms	21,288	21,205	(82)	(0.4)	20.4
University & Working Adult	6,968	9,865	+2,896	+41.6	9.5
Other	744	877	+133	+18.0	0.8
Total	105,194	104,100	(1,094)	(1.0)	100.0

Note: We revised the method of aggregation for School & Teacher Support and Other, which are included in Education Business in Japan and mentioned figures for Prep Schools & Classrooms and University & Working Adult separately from the first quarter of the current fiscal year. Along with these changes, figures for corresponding period of the previous fiscal year are based on new criteria.

Kids & Family Breakdown of Net Sales



Six months ended September 30	(Millions of Yen)
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	FY2021	FY2022	Change	%	Ratio(%)
Kodomo Challenge in Japan (Preschool)	10,122	9,790	(332)	(3.3)	31.0
Overseas Kodomo Challenge (Preschool)	14,292	11,822	(2,469)	(17.3)	37.4
Other *	10,730	9,989	(741)	(6.9)	31.6
Total	35,145	31,602	(3,542)	(10.1)	100.0

^{* &}quot;Other" includes Kodomo Challenge peripheral businesses such as concert business and Lifestyle-related businesses such as Tamahiyo business, etc.

Cumulative Enrollment for Shinkenzemi and Kodomo Challenge



Kids & Family

[Cumulative Enrollment for Shinkenzemi]

Six months ended September 30	_			(Thousands)	
	FY2021	FY2022	Change	%	
Senior High School	678	564	(114)	(16.9)	
Junior High School	2,230	1,905	(324)	(14.6)	
Elementary School	7,744	7,260	(483)	(6.2)	
Total	10,653	9,729	(923)	(8.7)	
[Cumulative Enrollment for Kodomo Challenge (Preschool)] (Thousands)					
	FY2021	FY2022	Change	%	
Kodomo Challenge in Japan (Preschool)	4,575	4,140	(435)	(9.5)	
Overseas Kodomo Challenge (Preschool)	7,192	6,141	(1,050)	(14.6)	
Total	11,767	10,281	(1,485)	(12.6)	

[•]Note1: Cumulative enrollment represents the cumulative total number of people who receive materials monthly (from April to September).

Cumulative enrollment for China represents the cumulative total number of people who receive materials monthly (from January to June), due to the differences of those closing dates ended December 31st.

[•]Note²: Overseas Kodomo Challenge represents total number of cumulative enrollment in China and Taiwan .

(Thousands)

As of October

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	2021	2022	Change	%
Senior High School	90	80	(10)	(15.1)
Junior High School	330	280	(50)	(12.9)
Elementary School	1,230	1,140	(90)	(7.2)
Kodomo Challenge (Preschool)	780	690	(90)	(10.6)
Total (Japan)	2,430	2,200	(230)	(9.4)



(Thousands) **As of October**

	2021	2022	Change	%
China	1,030	820	(210)	(20.3)
Taiwan	100	100	(0)	(2.6)
Total (Overseas)	1,130	920	(210)	(18.7)

Number of Nursing Homes and Elderly Houses 74



	Sep. 2021	Mar. 2022	Sep. 2022
Aria	27	27	27
Clara	39	39	38
Granny & Granda	153	154	159
Madoka	57	57	57
Bon Sejour	49	49	50
Cocochi	15	15	15
Li-Re	2	2	2
Total	342	343	348
Occupancy Rate of Existing Facilities	90%	90%	90%

CAPEX/Depreciation and Amortization



Six months ended September 30

(Millions of Yen)

		FY2021	FY2022	Change
CAPEX		13,291	12,164	(1,127)
(Breakdown)	Lease Assets	3,636	6,475	+2,838
	Goodwill	2,458	120	(2,337)
	Others	7,197	5,568	(1,628)
Depreciation and	Amortization	9,192	9,237	+45

[•] Note1: "CAPEX" shows the "increase in tangible fixed assets and intangible fixed assets".

[·] Note²: "Depreciation and amortization" shows the total amount of "depreciation and amortization" and "amortization of goodwill".

Shareholder Return



[Dividend per Share/Dividend Payout Ratio]

	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022 (Forecast)
Dividend per share (yen)	50	50	50	60
Dividend payout ration (%)	76.6	154.3	452.9	50.3