

# 19 Education



## Talk about it

1. What subject is the man teaching?
2. What is the boy next to the person wearing glasses doing?
3. Where is the girl with the long hair looking? What is under her hand?
4. Do you think there is a student absent? Why? Why not?
5. Name all the objects you can see on the students' desks.
6. Which student do you think studies hard?
7. Did/Do you wear a uniform like this at high school?
8. Where is the clock?
9. What is the boy hiding behind his book?
10. Did/Do you do any of the above things at school?
11. When does the school year start in Japan?
12. Did/Do you belong to any school clubs?
13. What did/do you like and dislike about your high school? Why?
14. Was/Is your high school mixed? Do you think a mixed school is a good idea?
15. What was/is your favorite and worst subject? Why?
16. Have you ever stayed at home from school just because you didn't want to go?
17. What was/is your major at college/university?
18. What kind of changes would you like to see in Japanese high schools?
19. Did/Does your high school punish you if you were/are bad? If yes, what kind of punishment did/do you receive?
20. If you could be really good at one subject, which would you choose? Why? How could you benefit from this in the future?

## Match it

geography	examination	absent	major	elementary
cram	studied	eraser	graduate	professor

1. He was \_\_\_\_\_ from school.
2. Oh dear! I've made a mistake. Could you pass me the \_\_\_\_\_?
3. They have an \_\_\_\_\_ next week.
4. He passed the test because he \_\_\_\_\_ very hard.
5. In Japan children start \_\_\_\_\_ school at six years old.
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ school is for extra study.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ was my favorite subject in school.
8. Our university \_\_\_\_\_ gave us a lecture on history.
9. He will \_\_\_\_\_ from university next year.
10. My \_\_\_\_\_ in university is economics.

## Ask it

1. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
I went to Harvard University.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
My worst subject was English.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
I belong to a drama club.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Yes, I had to wear a school uniform.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
No, I didn't pass the test.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
There were forty students in my class.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Because I want to speak to people from other countries.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
I have a school reunion every year.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
After school I meet my friends.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
I have to hand in my report tomorrow.

## Finish it

1. How \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
There are three \_\_\_\_\_ in a school year.
2. What \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
The opposite of passed is \_\_\_\_\_.
3. How \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Most Japanese study English for \_\_\_\_\_ years.
4. What \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
He got a "B" \_\_\_\_\_ in mathematics.
5. How \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
A university class is \_\_\_\_\_ minutes long.
6. What \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
A fourth year university student is a \_\_\_\_\_.
7. When \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Children enter \_\_\_\_\_ at three years old.
8. What \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
The head of the school is the \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Which \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
In Japan, \_\_\_\_\_ is a prestigious university.
10. What \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
PE stands for \_\_\_\_\_.