

## COMPARATIVE YEAR LEVELS AND GRADES

\*Ages at beginning of school year unless indicated otherwise

HOPE	PS1	PS2	K*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	*Years
AGE	3	4	5*	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
LEVEL	Preschool		Primary School						Middle School			IGCSE	IB/A Levels			

\* Must be indicated age upon entry in August of that year.

USA		K*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	*Grades	
AGE	3 or 4		5**	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16		17
LEVEL	Preschool		Elementary School						Middle School			High School				
Other	Preschool		Elementary School						JR High			High School				

\*Kindergarten. \*\*Varies by state; many require 5<sup>th</sup> birthday by September.

UK		R*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	*Years
AGE		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
LEVEL			Primary School						High School			IGCSE	IB/A Levels			

\*Reception (starts September following student's 4<sup>th</sup> birthday).

KOREA	K	K	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	1	2	*Grade
AGE	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	13	14	15	16	17	
LEVEL	Kindergarten			Primary							Middle School			High School	

AUSTR			KPRT*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	*Grades & Years both used
AGE	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
NSW, TAS, VIC, ACT	Preschool		Primary						Secondary							
QLD, SA, WA, NT	Preschool		Primary						Secondary							

\*K (Kindergarten) = NSW, ACT. P (Preparatory) = QLD, TAS, VIC. P (Pre-Primary) = WA. R (Reception) = SA. T (Transition) = NT

NZ			Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	Y7	Y8	Y9	Y10	Y11	Y12	Y13	*Required attendance until age 16 **Req. for univsty entrance
AGE	3	4	5***	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16*	17	
LEVEL	Preschool		Primary						Intermediate		Secondary		NZCEA Level 1	Level 2	Level 3**	

\*\*\* Students start on day of 5<sup>th</sup> birthday. January-December school calendar.

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SCOT	N	P1*	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	*Years
AGE		4-5	5-6	6-7	7-8	8-9	9-10	10-11	11-12	12-13	13-14	14-15	15-16	16-17	**Equivalent to first year of university.
LEVEL		Primary School							Senior School				Scottish Higher	Adv.Scot Higher**	Must be 16 to leave school

\*5<sup>th</sup> birthday must be before March 1<sup>st</sup> of P1. In following years, latter birthday must be before March 1<sup>st</sup>