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Consolidated Financial Results for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2025 (Under Japanese GAAP)

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Listing: Tokyo Stock Exchange

Securities code: 4718

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Scheduled date of annual general meeting of shareholders:

Scheduled date to commence dividend payments:

Scheduled date to file annual securities report:

June 26, 2025

June 27, 2025

June 25, 2025

Preparation of supplementary material on financial results: Yes

Holding of financial results briefing:

Yes (for analysts and institutional investors)

(Yen amounts are rounded down to millions, unless otherwise noted.)

1. Consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2025 (from April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025)

(1) Consolidated operating results

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)

	Net sales		Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent	
Fiscal year ended	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%
March 31, 2025	35,069	6.7	3,549	22.8	3,600	22.0	2,338	9.7
March 31, 2024	32,867	7.0	2,889	20.4	2,951	21.4	2,132	37.3

Note: Comprehensive income For the fiscal year ended March 31, 2025:

For the fiscal year ended March 31, 2024:

¥2,368 million [7.9%]

¥2,195 million [42.5%]

	Basic earnings per share	Diluted earnings per share	Return on equity	Ratio of ordinary profit to total assets	Ratio of operating profit to net sales
Fiscal year ended	Yen	Yen	%	%	%
March 31, 2025	127.05	-	15.9	15.1	10.1
March 31, 2024	112.75	-	15.9	13.4	8.8

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets Net assets		Equity-to-asset ratio	Net assets per share	
As of	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%	Yen	
March 31, 2025	24,485	15,184	62.0	821.67	
March 31, 2024	23,057	14,263	61.9	753.93	

Reference: Equity

As of March 31, 2025: \$\frac{15}{15},184\$ million
As of March 31, 2024: \$\frac{14}{263}\$ million

(3) Consolidated cash flows

	Cash flows from operating activities	Cash flows from investing activities	Cash flows from financing activities	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period
Fiscal year ended	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Millions of yen
March 31, 2025	3,886	(1,342)	(2,123)	7,166
March 31, 2024	3,637	(2,355)	(761)	6,746

2. Cash dividends

	Annual dividends per share						Payout ratio	Ratio of dividends
	First quarter- end	Second quarter- end	Third quarter- end	Fiscal year-end	Total	Total cash dividends (Total)	(Consolidated)	to net assets (Consolidated)
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Millions of yen	%	%
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2024	-	10.00	-	30.00	40.00	760	35.5	5.6
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2025	-	15.00	-	40.00	55.00	1,017	43.3	7.0
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2026 (Forecast)	-	20.00	1	30.00	50.00		35.7	

Note: Breakdown of year-end dividend for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2025: common dividend of ¥30.00: commemorative dividend of ¥10.00.

3. Forecast of consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2026 (from April 1, 2025 to March 31, 2026)

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)

	Net sales		Operating profit		Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent		Basic earnings per share
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Yen
Six months ending September 30, 2025	18,235	7.4	1,429	(4.7)	1,458	(2.6)	913	(0.1)	49.42
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2026	37,683	7.5	3,673	3.5	3,731	3.6	2,589	10.7	140.12

* Notes

- (1) Significant changes in the scope of consolidation during the period: None
- (2) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates, and restatement
 - (i) Changes in accounting policies due to revisions to accounting standards and other regulations: None
 - (ii) Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons: None
 - (iii) Changes in accounting estimates: None
 - (iv) Restatement: None
- (3) Number of issued shares (common shares)
 - (i) Total number of issued shares at the end of the period (including treasury shares)

As of March 31, 2025	19,012,452 shares
As of March 31, 2024	19,012,452 shares

(ii) Number of treasury shares at the end of the period

As of March 31, 2025	532,105 shares
As of March 31, 2024	93,149 shares

(iii) Average number of shares outstanding during the period

Fiscal year ended March 31, 2025	18,409,942 shares
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2024	18,909,172 shares

Note: The number of treasury shares at the end of the period includes the Company's shares held by the board incentive plan trust and the employee stock ownership plan trust (92,829 shares as of March 31, 2025 and 93,073 shares as of March 31, 2024).

- * Financial results reports are exempt from audit conducted by certified public accountants or an audit firm.
- * Proper use of earnings forecasts, and other special matters

The forward-looking statements, including forecasts of financial results, contained in these materials are based on information currently available to the Company and on certain assumptions deemed to be reasonable. However, the Company makes no guarantee that these forecasts will be achieved. Actual financial results, etc. may differ substantially due to various factors.

	As of March 31, 2024	As of March 31, 2025
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	7,666,242	8,091,237
Trade accounts receivable	1,984,867	2,123,469
Securities	-	30,586
Merchandise and finished goods	141,520	137,368
Raw materials and supplies	69,772	77,177
Prepaid expenses	507,183	718,631
Other	31,578	78,085
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(3,775)	(4,583)
Total current assets	10,397,390	11,251,972
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures	9,026,554	9,459,117
Accumulated depreciation	(5,152,769)	(5,465,608)
Buildings and structures, net	3,873,785	3,993,509
Land	1,098,446	1,098,446
Leased assets	1,167,078	1,125,204
Accumulated depreciation	(653,628)	(651,016
Leased assets, net	513,449	474,188
Construction in progress	-	719
Other	1,359,179	1,396,496
Accumulated depreciation	(889,770)	(1,059,808
Other, net	469,408	336,688
Total property, plant and equipment	5,955,090	5,903,552
Intangible assets		
Software	688,545	846,254
Software in progress	100,610	136,773
Goodwill	932,725	751,049
Other	38,592	37,189
Total intangible assets	1,760,473	1,771,267
Investments and other assets		
Investment securities	640,127	669,317
Deferred tax assets	962,906	1,037,273
Guarantee deposits	3,211,754	3,393,17
Long-term prepaid expenses	-	448,288
Other	139,638	21,993
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(9,500)	(11,777
Total investments and other assets	4,944,927	5,558,272
Total non-current assets	12,660,491	13,233,092
Total assets	23,057,882	24,485,065

	As of March 31, 2024	As of March 31, 2025
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable - trade	359,276	365,79
Accounts payable - other	1,111,421	868,17
Accrued expenses	1,095,474	1,155,39
Lease liabilities	203,358	181,02
Income taxes payable	625,736	962,72
Accrued consumption taxes	334,357	428,48
Advances received	820,985	889,87
Provision for bonuses	609,224	714,30
Provision for bonuses for directors (and other officers)	18,403	22,80
Provision for shareholder benefit program	104,714	127,45
Asset retirement obligations	43,251	2,54
Other	46,120	59,43
Total current liabilities	5,372,325	5,778,01
Non-current liabilities		
Lease liabilities	317,498	301,65
Retirement benefit liability	1,142,413	1,129,97
Asset retirement obligations	1,925,414	2,004,31
Provision for share awards for directors (and other officers)	14,722	44,16
Provision for share awards for employees	8,701	20,75
Other	12,913	21,48
Total non-current liabilities	3,421,663	3,522,35
Total liabilities	8,793,989	9,300,37
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	2,014,172	2,014,17
Capital surplus	2,019,962	2,095,75
Retained earnings	10,201,239	11,694,82
Treasury shares	(113,426)	(791,246
Total shareholders' equity	14,121,947	15,013,50
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	124,330	142,88
Foreign currency translation adjustment	51,075	45,42
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	(33,460)	(17,119
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	141,945	171,18
Non-controlling interests	-	
Total net assets	14,263,893	15,184,68
Total liabilities and net assets	23,057,882	24,485,06

	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2024	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2025
Net sales	32,867,816	35,069,991
Cost of sales	22,939,589	24,153,478
Gross profit	9,928,226	10,916,513
Selling, general and administrative expenses	7,039,052	7,367,168
Operating profit	2,889,173	3,549,344
Non-operating income		
Interest income	3,475	8,857
Dividend income	21,535	26,281
Insurance claim income	3,777	1,127
Rental income from real estate	20,930	13,131
Compensation income	20,750	-
Settlement income	-	30,000
Other	14,471	22,135
Total non-operating income	84,940	101,532
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	7,967	8,808
Commission for purchase of treasury shares	-	10,529
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	11,405	23,958
Other	3,308	6,918
Total non-operating expenses	22,681	50,214
Ordinary profit	2,951,433	3,600,662
Profit before income taxes	2,951,433	3,600,662
Income taxes - current	836,131	1,350,158
Income taxes - deferred	(16,708)	(88,409)
Total income taxes	819,423	1,261,748
Profit	2,132,009	2,338,913
Profit attributable to		
Profit attributable to owners of parent	2,132,009	2,338,913
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	-	-
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	45,586	18,550
Foreign currency translation adjustment	31,813	(5,652)
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	(13,656)	16,340
Total other comprehensive income	63,744	29,238
Comprehensive income	2,195,754	2,368,152
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	2,195,754	2,368,152
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	2,220,701	2,330,132

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

Fiscal year ended March 31, 2024

(Thousands of yen)

	Shareholders' equity						
	Share capital	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity		
Balance at beginning of period	2,014,172	2,019,962	8,563,552	(143,720)	12,453,966		
Changes during period							
Dividends of surplus			(494,322)		(494,322)		
Profit attributable to owners of parent			2,132,009		2,132,009		
Purchase of treasury shares				(84,128)	(84,128)		
Disposal of treasury shares				114,422	114,422		
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity							
Total changes during period	-	-	1,637,687	30,294	1,667,981		
Balance at end of period	2,014,172	2,019,962	10,201,239	(113,426)	14,121,947		

	Accumulated other comprehensive income			me		1
	Valuation difference on available-for- sale securities	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Non- controlling interests	Total net assets
Balance at beginning of period	78,743	19,261	(19,804)	78,201	-	12,532,167
Changes during period						
Changes during period						
Dividends of surplus						(494,322)
Profit attributable to owners of parent						2,132,009
Purchase of treasury shares						(84,128)
Disposal of treasury shares						114,422
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity	45,586	31,813	(13,656)	63,744	-	63,744
Total changes during period	45,586	31,813	(13,656)	63,744	-	1,731,725
Balance at end of period	124,330	51,075	(33,460)	141,945	-	14,263,893

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

Fiscal year ended March 31, 2025

(Thousands of yen)

	Shareholders' equity						
	Share capital	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity		
Balance at beginning of period	2,014,172	2,019,962	10,201,239	(113,426)	14,121,947		
Changes during period							
Dividends of surplus			(845,326)		(845,326)		
Profit attributable to owners of parent			2,338,913		2,338,913		
Purchase of treasury shares				(1,052,908)	(1,052,908)		
Disposal of treasury shares		75,790		375,087	450,877		
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity							
Total changes during period	-	75,790	1,493,586	(677,820)	891,556		
Balance at end of period	2,014,172	2,095,752	11,694,826	(791,246)	15,013,504		

	Accumulated other comprehensive income					
	Valuation difference on available-for- sale securities	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Non- controlling interests	Total net assets
Balance at beginning of period	124,330	51,075	(33,460)	141,945	-	14,263,893
Changes during period						
Dividends of surplus						(845,326)
Profit attributable to owners of parent						2,338,913
Purchase of treasury shares						(1,052,908)
Disposal of treasury shares						450,877
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity	18,550	(5,652)	16,340	29,238	-	29,238
Total changes during period	18,550	(5,652)	16,340	29,238	-	920,795
Balance at end of period	142,880	45,423	(17,119)	171,184	-	15,184,688

	Fiscal year ended	(Thousands of y
	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2025
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before income taxes	2,951,433	3,600,662
Depreciation	1,040,234	1,152,30
Amortization of goodwill	187,710	189,27
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	(2,369)	3,08
Increase (decrease) in provision for bonuses	22,145	105,07
Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit liability	41,321	9,34
Increase (decrease) in provision for share awards for directors (and other officers)	(69,700)	29,44
Increase (decrease) in provision for share awards for employees	(21,291)	12,05
Increase (decrease) in provision for shareholder benefit program	29,132	22,73
Increase (decrease) in provision for bonuses for directors (and other officers)	(8,612)	4,39
Interest and dividend income	(25,011)	(35,13
Interest expenses	7,967	8,80
Loss (gain) on disposal of non-current assets	14,769	23,95
Settlement income	-	(30,00
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	(141,764)	(138,68
Decrease (increase) in inventories	16,123	(3,26
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	13,468	6,5
Increase (decrease) in advances received	57,391	69,15
Increase (decrease) in accrued consumption taxes	(21,102)	94,10
Amortization of unrecognized items for retirement benefits	2,685	1,77
Decrease (increase) in other assets	38,670	(123,88
Increase (decrease) in other liabilities	422,793	(120,59
Subtotal	4,555,994	4,881,19
Interest and dividends received	24,934	34,65
Interest paid	(7,858)	(8,75
Settlement received	-	7,00
Income taxes paid	(935,353)	(1,027,80
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	3,637,718	3,886,29

	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2024	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2025	
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of securities	-	(30,586)	
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(934,259)	(635,803)	
Payments for asset retirement obligations	(21,198)	(31,494)	
Purchase of intangible assets	(486,287)	(449,256)	
Payments of guarantee deposits	(182,456)	(200,443)	
Proceeds from refund of guarantee deposits	81,410	18,948	
Decrease (increase) in time deposits	(807,808)	(6,182)	
Other, net	(4,863)	(7,753)	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(2,355,463)	(1,342,571)	
Cash flows from financing activities			
Repayments of lease liabilities	(242,772)	(226,485)	
Purchase of treasury shares	(84,128)	(1,052,908)	
Proceeds from disposal of treasury shares	60,556	241	
Dividends paid	(494,792)	(844,415)	
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(761,137)	(2,123,567)	
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	17,774	(172)	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	538,892	419,984	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	6,208,084	6,746,976	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	6,746,976	7,166,960	

(Notes on segment information, etc.)

Segment Information

Since the Group is a single segment of the "Education-related Business," the description is omitted.