

What is Shōnen?

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Shonen, or Shounen is a Japanese word literally means few years with a general meaning that refers to an ordinary kid or a boy going to elementary education to high school years. Commonly used as a day to day conversation referring to the length of youth, but not limited to boy or young male but can also be use to a girl or young female but generally Shōjo is more likely the term preferred for a girl or a young female than Shonen.