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Japan Hands Over a New Classroom Building to Tagaqe District School

The Government of Japan provided FJD \$187,000 to Tagaqe District School for the construction of a new classrooms, chairs, and desk, funded through Japan's Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects (GGP) Programme.

This project completed with the support and additional funding of the Ministry of Education, the Tagaqe District School & Koroilevu-I-Wai Yaubula Committee. His Excellency the Ambassador Mr. Rokuichiro MICHII and the Honourable Mr. Aseri RADRODRO, the Minister for Education will hand over the project to the Tagaqe District School **on 14th of January 2025** at the school. You are most welcome to attend the ceremony. For further queries please contact Ms. Mele Raturaga on email address: mele.raturaga@fj.mofa.go.jp and eojeconomics@fj.mofa.go.jp and telephone number: 3304633

Details for The Project for Upgrading Tagaqe District School

Date: 14th January 2025

Time: 12.00 pm

Venue: Tagaqe District School

I. Basis for Implementing the Project

Over the past years, the school roll had increased drastically without the necessary school infrastructure expansion and improvement. In addition, the deteriorating conditions of old classrooms has created an unsafe learning environment for the students.

For that reason, the Government of Japan funded the construction of a new 1x3 classroom block, desks and chairs. This facility will aim improve education and provide a better learning environment for the students.

II. Basic Information

(a) Donor: Government of Japan

(b) Recipient: Tagaqe District School

(c) Total funding from Government of Japan: FJ\$ 187,000.00

(d) Additional funding:

Ministry of Education (FJ\$ 6,000.00)

Tagaqe District School & Koroilevu-I-Wai Yaubula Committee
(FJ\$ 13,000.00)

The GGP Programme is part of the overall Japanese ODA implemented by the Embassy of Japan to empower the people at the grassroots level. The GGP Programme in Fiji has been widely implemented in areas such as education, water supply, health, and transportation since 1990. To date, 423 projects have been funded for under the GGP Programme that amount to an approximate value of USD \$32 million.

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