



Tertiary Scholarships and Loans Service

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ONLINE APPLICATIONS OPEN FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND STUDY LOANS - ACADEMIC TERM 2 of 2022

Applications are now invited for the following schemes administered by Tertiary Scholarships and Loans Service (TSLs):

1. National Toppers Local Scholarship Scheme

Application Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must satisfy all of the following criteria to be eligible to apply for NTS local scholarship Scheme:

- Must be a Fijian Citizen.
- Must be an ordinarily resident in Fiji for at least three (3) years before the award commencement date unless determined by the Board or delegated authority on case-by-case basis.
- Must be in Year 13 in the preceding year of the award or such equivalent studies as determined by TSLs at the time of application. An applicant who has completed Foundation Studies and repeats Year 13 is not eligible to apply for the Scheme.
- Must apply for a priority area as advertised by TSLs for an academic term or academic year.
- Must secure a place at an eligible institution by means of a final offer letter.
- Must be being fully vaccinated or exempted by Ministry of Health and Medical Services if above the age of 18.

Available Quota Balance by Discipline and Programme

Category of Award	Programmes	No. of Awards	Qualifying Minimum Entry Requirements (MER)
Engineering	Bachelor of Engineering: Civil Engineering, Electrical/Electronic Engineering, Energy Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Hydrology, Hydraulic Engineering, Civil Architectural, Road Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Structural Engineering, Building Service Engineering and Plant Engineering.	1	Aggregate Score of 320/400 in Year 13 with a pass in English, Mathematics, Physics and one more subject meeting the HEI's requirements.
Medicine, Health and Science	Bachelor's Degree in: Dietetics, Nursing, Public Health, Medical Lab Sciences, Physiotherapy, Pharmacy, Medical Imaging Science, Dermatology, Occupational Therapy, Genetic	12	Aggregate score of 330/400 in Year 13 with a pass in English and the area specialization subjects.

Category of Award	Programmes	No. of Awards	Qualifying Minimum Entry Requirements (MER)
	Science and Molecular Biology, Bio Medical Engineering, Speech Therapists, Clinical Psychology, Sports Medicine, Medicine Science and Sports Science. BOH/BDS.	1	
Agriculture, Fisheries & Forests	Bachelor's Degree in: Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering, Agribusiness, Veterinary Sciences, Forestry, Fisheries, Aquaculture, Fish Technology, Food Technology, Agriculture Economics, Plant Pathologist, Biosecurity, Quarantine Precision Agriculture, Seafood Science and Technology, Animal Science, Breeding, Biotechnology, Antamology, Value Addition and Product Development, Virologist- Livestock, Microbiologist, Animal Pathologist, Feed Technology, Biometrician, Agriculture Policy Specialists and Natural Resources Management.	19	Aggregate Score of 300/400 in Year 13 with a pass in English and Agriculture.
Social Sciences	Bachelor's Degree in: Social Work, Social Policy and Policy Administration, and Psychology.	1	Aggregate score of 300/400 in Year 13 with a pass in English.
Environment/ Marine Science	Bachelor's Degree in: Environmental Science, Environmental Management, Climate Change, Marine Management, Meteorology, Applied Climatology, Sustainable Energy and Climate Change.	7	Aggregate Score of 300/400 in Year 13 with a pass in English.
Land/Town Planning	Bachelor's Degree in: Land Surveying, Urban and Regional Planning, Real Estate and Property Management, Geo-Spatial Engineering, GIS/Land Acquisition and Real Estate and Property Valuation, and Landscape Architecture.	11	Aggregate Score of 320/400 in Year 13 with a pass in English.
Education	Bachelor of Education Secondary (Pre-Service) i. Office Technology (10) Bachelor of Education Primary (4)	14	Aggregate score of 300/400 In Year 13 with a pass in English and the subject area specialization.
Special Areas - Diploma Certificates and Degrees	Marine Studies (Nautical Sciences & Engineering), Culinary Arts, Mining, Land Surveying, Early Childhood Education, Forensic Science, Fashion and Design, Social and Community Work, Project Management, Geospatial Science, Organic Farming, Aquaculture, Horticulture, Animal Health and Husbandry and Small Business Management, Procurement, Contract Management, Quantity Surveying, Risk Management, Construction Contract Management, Architectural Design, Organisational Behaviour, HR Analytics, Embryo Transfer, Artificial Insemination, Embryologists, Bio-Medical Engineering, Substance Use Disorder, Adult Social Care, and Graphic Design.	13	Aggregate score of 300/400 in Year 13 with a pass in English

Category of Award	Programmes	No. of Awards	Qualifying Minimum Entry Requirements (MER)
	TOTAL	79	

2. Scholarship Scheme for Students with Special Needs (16 Sponsorship Available)

Application Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must satisfy all of the following criteria to be eligible to apply for SSSN scholarship:

- a. Must be a Fijian Citizen.
- b. Must be an ordinarily resident in Fiji for at least three (3) years before the award commencement date unless determined by the Board or delegated authority on case-by-case basis.
- c. Must have completed and passed at least Year 12 Examination or the Equivalence as determined by the Board or delegated authority.
- d. Must provide full medical certificate confirming the permanent status of the impairment of the applicant must be attached with the application.
- e. Must not be an existing student or applying to upgrade an existing technical, vocational or tertiary education.
- f. Must secure a place at an eligible institution by means of a final offer letter.
- g. Must be being fully vaccinated or exempted by Ministry of Health and Medical Services if above the age of 18.

3. In-Service Scholarships

Application Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must satisfy all of the following criteria to be eligible to apply for In-Service scholarship:

- a. Must be a Fijian Citizen.
- b. Must be an ordinarily resident in Fiji for at least three (3) years before the award commencement date unless determined by the Board or delegated authority on case-by-case basis.
- c. Must be employed and remain in employment during the course of the sponsorship.
- d. Must have applied in the Inservice Scholarship priority.
- e. Must be nominated by the respective Permanent Secretary or Head of the organisation for sponsorship, following a merit-based process.
- f. Must secure a place at an eligible institution by means of a final offer letter.
- g. Must be being fully vaccinated or exempted by Ministry of Health and Medical Services.

Available Quota Balance by Discipline and Programme

Discipline	Programme	Level of Study	No. of Scholarships Available
Education	Special and Inclusive Education	Degree	43
	Early Childhood Education	Degree	16
	Psychology	Diploma and Degree	6
	Counselling		
		Total	65

4. TELS for New Students

Application Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must satisfy all of the following criteria to be eligible to apply for TELS for New Students.

- a. Must be a Fijian Citizen.
- b. Must be an ordinarily resident in Fiji for at least three (3) years before the award commencement date unless determined by the Board or delegated authority on case-by-case basis.
- c. Must have completed Year 13 in 2011 or thereafter locally and scored a minimum of 250/400 in the Fiji Year 13 Examination except for Commerce Discipline where minimum cut off mark is 280/400 excluding Accounting, Economics, Management and Public Administration where minimum cut of mark is 300/400 or it's equivalence as determined by the Board or delegated authority on case-by-case basis.
- d. Must have completed full Foundation Studies (bridging or completion of few foundation studies courses only does not meet the definition of full foundation studies) with a GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0 or above except for Commerce Discipline where minimum GPA is 3.15/4.5 or 3.50/5.0 excluding Accounting, Economics, Management and Public Administration where GPA is 3.36/4.5 or 3.75/5.0.
- e. Must not have a combined family income of more than \$100,000 unless allowed by means testing; and
- f. Secure a place at an eligible institution by means of a final offer letter.
- g. Must be being fully vaccinated or exempted by Ministry of Health and Medical Services if above the age of 18.

Available Quota Balance by Discipline and Programme

Category of Funding	Programmes	Category Quota	MINIMUM CUT OFF MARK BASED ON YEAR 13/400 and Foundation GPA
Engineering	Bachelor of Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical/Electronic Engineering, Energy Engineering and Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering & Physics, Electrical/Electronic Engineering & Physics, Electrical/Electronic Engineering & Computer Science, Instrumentation & Control System, Electronic/Instrumentation & Control, Telecommunication & Networking, Electronics/Telecommunication & Networking.	283	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
Medicine and Health	Bachelor of Dietetics & Nutrition	3	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
	Bachelor of Health Environment	1	
	Bachelor of Nursing	87	
	Bachelor of Health Promotion	13	
	Bachelor of Health Services Management	13	
	Bachelor of Medical Imaging Science	10	
	Bachelor of Medical Lab Sciences	11	
	Bachelor of Pharmacy	20	
	Certificate in Aged Care	20	
	Bachelor's Degree in: Public Health & Primary Health Care	36	
	Bachelor of Physiotherapy	5	
Agriculture, Fisheries & Forests	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in: Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering, Agribusiness, Veterinary Sciences, Forestry, Fisheries, Aquaculture, Fish Technology and Food Technology, Sustainable Fisheries, Animal Science, Animal Husbandry.	35	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
Technology	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in: Telecommunications Networking, Cyber Security, Networks and Security, Software Development/Engineering, Programming, Library Sciences, Media and Journalism, Information System, Computing Science, Information Technology and Applied Computing, Computing, Computer Studies Media & Communication.	9	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
Social Sciences	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in: Social Work, Social Policy and Policy Administration, Social & Community Work, Sociology, Applied Social Science.	2	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
Commerce	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in: Accounting, Economics, Finance, Official Statistics, Project Planning & Management, Property Management and Valuation, Occupational Health and Safety, Information Systems, Professional Accounting, HRM and Industrial Relations, Public Administration and Management, Business Studies, Management, Marketing, Business Informatics, Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness, HRM & ER, International Business & Marketing, Banking and Library.	505	280 Marks or GPA of 3.15/4.5 or 3.5/5.0 except for Accounting, Economics, Management and Public Administration where the cut off mark is 300 marks or GPA of 3.36/4.5 or 3.75/5.0
Education	Certificate/Diploma/Degree in: Counselling	4	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in Special and Inclusive Education	4	

	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education	3	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in Primary Education	2	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor of Education Secondary: Mathematics & Physics, CS	13	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor of Education Secondary: Industrial Arts	1	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor of Education Secondary: Accounting, Economics, History, Geography, Computer Science, Information System/Technology	4	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor of Education Secondary: History, Geography	2	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor of Education Secondary: Biology, Chemistry, Home Economics, Food & Nutrition	7	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor of Education Secondary: Physical Education & Music, Physical Education/Art & Craft	1	
	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor of Education Secondary: Agriculture,	3	
Arts	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in: Language, Literature & Culture, Hindi Language & Indian Culture, iTaukei Language, Hindi Language, Justice, Policing, Population Studies & Demography, Multilingual Studies, Pacific Journalism, Police Management, Prosecution, Leadership, Governance & Human Rights, Psychology & Education, History, Journalism, Linguistic, Pacific Language Studies, Pacific Policing, Pacific Studies, Heritage and Arts, Pacific Vernacular Language, Technical & Vocational Education, Politics, Geography, Educational Assessment, Non-Formal Education, Educational Evaluation and Assessment, Educational Leadership	14	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
	Law & PDLP/GDLP	1	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
Science	Certificate/Diploma/Bachelor's Degree in: Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Food Technology,	269	250 Marks or GPA of 2.81/4.5 or 3.12/5.0.
	TOTAL	1381	

5. TELS for TVET - FNU (3477 Study Loans Available)

Application Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must satisfy all of the following criteria to be eligible to apply for TELS for TVET - FNU.

- a. be a Fijian citizen.
- b. be ordinarily resident in Fiji for at least three (3) years before the award commencement date unless determined by the Board or delegated authority on case-by-case basis.
- c. Pass in Year 12 or secure a final offer letter for any Certificate Level III, IV or Diploma level 5 programs offered by the Fiji National University.

- d. not have a combined family income of more than \$100,000 unless allowed by means testing.
- e. apply for TELS funding advertised by TSLs using the TSLs online application via www.tsls.com.fj.
- f. be being fully vaccinated or exempted by Ministry of Health and Medical Services if above the age of 18.

Applications will close on the **31st of July 2022**.

For any issues with the online application, applicants can email on it@tsls.com.fj. Applicants can also use our live chat facility from 8.00am to 5.00pm Mondays to Thursdays and from 8.00am to 4.00pm on Fridays or email us on mytsls@tsls.com.fj.

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