



The University of Fiji

School of Law

Orientation
Package

Welcome Message from Dean



On behalf of the Justice Devendra Pathik School of Law (JDP SoL) I am delighted to welcome all students to the School of Law programmes in 2022.

The JDP SoL has the reputation for providing a rounded legal education to law students- an education that is based on sound legal principles, ethical conduct, and an attitude that is both responsible and public-spirited. In 2022 the University of Fiji will launch its Strategic Plan 2022-2026 which outlines the specific and unique educational perspective to be adopted by both staff and students from 2022.

I urge all JDP SoL students to obtain a copy of the Strategic Plan and carefully read it as it will allow you to prepare for your journey towards the best formal legal qualifications on offer in Fiji as well as the broadest, community-based education for the public good.

The JDP SoL's academic and administrative staff are ready to welcome you warmly to the School and provide you with support to ensure that you receive a robust legal education to prepare you for employment. Our academic staff have decades of legal experience and are at the top of their legal areas of specialisation. In addition, they are able to provide law students with advocacy skills which are essential for a successful legal career. The Bema Speaking Platform at both Samabula and Saweni Campuses trains law students to express themselves well as advocates. The School also has clubs and societies for extra-curricular interests, for example the Mooting Club, Thespian Society and the Chess Club. We hope you will take advantage of all that the University and the JDP SoL have to offer you as you progress through legal study.

The University prides itself on providing its students with individual attention throughout their university life. Academic Advisors have been appointed for each student. Your Advisor will mentor you throughout your journey in the JDP SoL and ensure that you have all the support you need. You will be given the name of your Advisor in the first week of classes and you are expected to maintain contact with him or her as you progress through the School. Other support mechanisms include the Law Librarians, Student Counsellor and the Medical Services. The University of Fiji Student Association (UFSA) will also contact you and provide you with advice and a 'buddy' for those of you in first year.

As Dean of the JDP SoL I am always available for consultation by appointment or through emails.

Once again, I am delighted to welcome you warmly and wish you all the best in your studies in the JDP SoL.

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School of Law Programmes

The Certificate in the Fundamentals of Law provides a pathway into the LLB programme. It is designed at the Year 13 level and will prepare students for future legal studies by focusing on law-specific subjects. It provides a solid foundation in subjects such as introduction to law, legal research, English for legal purposes and law and technologies by using alternative teaching and learning methodologies to make learning easier, practical and more appropriate for students' competencies.

Bachelor of Laws

LLB

Year 1

First year law students learn about the development of the Fijian legal systems within a historical framework. Topics such as Sources of Law and the different types of law help students understand how law can be categorised and efficiently implemented. Student's understanding of the roles and powers vested within the 3 arms of the government namely; Judiciary, Executive and the Legislature help enhance a general understanding of the “rule of law” and its application to the society.

Upon completion of all first year courses students ought to have a general understanding of the judicial system and the roles and powers of the law enforcement agencies. Students can also decode the intention behind legislation and critically understand how law really influences the society. If one cannot understand the societal behavioral pattern or reaction, it would be difficult to understand how people react in a certain manner and perform efficiently as lawyers. Basically, laws are meant for the betterment of the society and so a better and basic understanding is crucial from our first year law students .

Year 2

The Year 2 courses are aimed at building and consolidating on the foundation provided by year one courses contributing to assist in producing students who have a solid foundation in substantive and procedural aspects of the law. The students, at the end of Year 2 are expected to have knowledge and understanding of the legal principles or concepts which are developed further with the assistance of lecturers, to the extent that students are able to critically analyse legal principles and apply these in a variety of scenarios. Students are assisted to use case law and trace the growth and development of legal principles from their origins to date and to know and understand the exceptions and or limitations to the principles. They are taught to critically examine legal principles, including the questions of criminal and civil liability, and the the role of statutes or legislations in reforming the common law in these areas. The students are expected to understand the origins, nature and character of the relevant laws; have knowledge and understanding of the relationship between common law and statute; identify, and demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the causes of action, or charges and the defences in civil and criminal actions. The students are expected to know and understand the role of the Courts and the approaches and strategies adopted by judges, including the consideration of Policy matters, when making decisions.

Year 3

Year 3 at law school is dynamic in its own right! From enduring law school courses such as Family law, Company law and Succession law, Year 3 law grounds students into the foundation of practice or professional vocations in legal studies, depending on individual students' aspirations. The program also includes specialised areas such as mastering concepts of Consumer Competition law as well Alternative Dispute Resolution techniques to being enthralled in the theories driving the law in Jurisprudence. As is the case with all the different years, Year 3 includes rigorous legal training through very accommodating lecture formats with an effective balance between theory and practical elements.

With the option of two elective courses offered in years 3 and 4, students will be able to choose a course of their liking from course offerings for that respective term in anticipation of a broad area of work/practice to their liking. This includes stimulating courses such as Intellectual Property law, Medical law and Ethics, Law and Religion, Environmental law, Military law and others. For this year of law studies, students will be expected to pursue individual research and study on top of lecture content and participate actively throughout the various courses to reap the best rewards.

Year 4

In the final year of their LLB programme are target to examines rules and principles which govern the presentation and proof of facts and information in Civil and Criminal Court Proceedings. It considers in detail the forms and types of evidence, the onus and standard of proof, rules of proof, corroboration, admissibility, discretion, the effect of non-compliance with rules of evidence. Further, the courses will train individuals to deal with witnesses and hearsay evidence, and prepare oral and written submissions within the pre-trial and trial process. One is able to critically identify legal issues and evaluate assumptions, implications and practical consequences of alternative perspectives. They learn to be able to conduct trials according to the rules of evidence (per court rules and common law); and are able to utilize legal research skills effectively and synthesize rules of evidence coherently. It is envisaged one will benefit exponentially in effectively advocating in all matters in any legal proceeding; as effective Legal Researchers and Writers represent clients in disputes and legal proceedings to ensure natural justice.

Having successfully passed this course as Year IV students will qualify for GDLP studies

Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice

GDLP

The Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (GDLP) is an intensive programme that prepares students for admission to practice law in Fiji. The programme thus bridges the gap between the academic study of law and legal practice in the profession and is the foundation upon which you can launch a successful legal career. The course is designed to equip the students with knowledge and practical skills so that they can become a competent practitioner. The GDLP programme was approved by the Board of Legal Education. Students are expected to work in collaboration and co-operation with the GDLP module instructors and fellow students throughout the programme. Students are required to approach the GDLP course with the level of professionalism expected in the legal environment.

The programme includes 10 modules and satisfies the practical training requirement for admission under the Legal Practitioners Act 2009. It is offered twice a year in Samabula Campus subject to the number of enrolled students. This is an intensive full-time programme over an approximate period of 22–24 weeks.

"An important development and progression from a Bachelor of Laws, the LLM is offered under two modes: 1) by Coursework; and 2) by Coursework and Thesis. The Master of Laws allows students to specialise in particular areas of law. For example, students can decide to gain expertise in tax, commercial, employment, environmental and criminal law, amongst many other fields. For the LLM by Coursework mode, students must complete 2 compulsory courses and 6 electives. The LLM by Coursework and Thesis mode encourages high quality research and requires 4 compulsory units including a Major Thesis in Law (40,000 - 60,000 words, including notes and bibliography). As an integral part of students' education at the Law School, and in preparation for practice as legal professionals, the Law School faculty expects law students to communicate effectively with others orally and in writing, as well as act with diligence.

Law students are also expected to manage time and projects responsibly, being able to master the law and analyse legal issues competently. To do this, they must collect and comprehend relevant information, identify the issues that are raised by a matter, understand the applicable legal rules, and provide coherent analysis. Finally, lawyers are entrusted to serve as guardians of the law, to support improvements in the law, and to strengthen respect for the rule of law. At the same time, UniFiji is both research-led and practice-driven, aiming at bridging the gap between practice and academia. Law teachers are dedicated to their work, enthusiastic, knowledgeable and very approachable aiming to make studying at UniFiji a pleasant experience".

Postgraduate Certificate in Peacekeeping

PGCPK

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Post-Graduate Diploma In Public Law

The course is designed to assist future leaders (without prior legal qualifications) develop managerial and policy skills needed for today's public sector. It is intended to assist accountants, auditors, architects, town planners, engineers, IT professionals, and public servants. It involves the study of general principles of Judicial Review and other aspects of Administrative Law, (LawP 401), Human Rights Law, Constitution and Legal Research (LawP 400) Employment Law (LawP 402) and Alternative Dispute Resolution (LawP 403)

The program involves 4 compulsory courses and will guide professionals in addressing complex practical problems in the area of Public Administrative Law and associated matters with judgment and responsibility. Graduates will be able to offer technical advice with responsibility and accountability apart from being able to analyze and generate innovative solutions to complex 21st century challenges in the area of Public Administrative Law and related areas.

Post Graduate Diploma is offered for 12 months (2 semesters) for those wishing to study full time. Alternatively, the program can be completed on a part time basis of four years of eight semesters.

International Relations & Diplomacy

The Postgraduate International Relations & Diplomacy Programme educates students using an inter-disciplinary perspective. Students develop a critical and cutting edge understanding of international diplomacy, bilateral and multilateral relations, and regional developments in economic and political alliances, humanitarian cases, peacekeeping, human rights and more. The programme enables students to place their prior academic and/or work experiences within a diplomats, public servants, political analysts, military professionals, journalists, NGO workers, and others with analytical skills to examine complex international and regional issues.

There are multiple qualifications that lead up to the Master of International Relations & Diplomacy. Students can decide how far they would like to progress through the programme so long as the requirements are met. Additionally, the law school is pleased to offer the Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in International Relations and Diplomacy as well.

You can find below links to relevant online forms for application and other disciplines:

1. Application for Postgraduate programmes -

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/Application-for-Admission-Postgraduate-18-11-13.pdf>

2. Application for Undergraduate programmes -

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/Application-for-Admission-Undergraduate-10-11-21-1.pdf>

3. Request to Withdraw or Add Course

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/REQUEST-TO-WITHDRAW-ADD-COURSE-SAS7-1.pdf>

4. Request for Resumption of Studies Form

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/REQUEST-FOR-RESUMPTION-OF-STUDIES-SAS12-1.pdf>

5. Request For Change of Programme Form

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/REQUEST-FOR-CHANGE-OF-PROGRAMME-SAS8-1.pdf>

6. Application for Cross Credit Form

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/APPLICATION-FOR-CROSS-CREDIT-SAS11-1.pdf>

7. Unifiji Students Request Action Form

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/STUDENT-REQUEST-FORM-SAS-10.pdf>

8. Completion of Programme

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/APPLICATION-FOR-COMPLETION-OF-PROGRAMME-FORM.pdf>

	Fijian Citizens and other Pacific Island Countries (Except Australia & New Zealand	Citizens of other countries
Pre-Degree Courses (Foundation)		
LAW	378 FJD	756 FJD
Undergraduate Courses (per unit)		
LAW		
100 Level	378 FJD	756 FJD
200 Level	612 FJD	1,224 FJD
300 Level	675 FJD	1,350 FJD
200 Level	612 FJD	1,224 FJD
Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice	6,300 FJD	12,600 FJD
Post-Graduate Units	6,300 FJD	12,600 FJD

Registration Fee	3 or more courses	2 or less courses
General Service Fee	50 FJD	30FJD
Student Association Fee	20 FJD	10 FJD
Total	70 FJD	30 FJD

Payment Method:

Option 1: Bank Transfer/Direct Deposit

Bank Account Name: The University of Fiji

Bank Account Number: 9800966104

Bank Address: 1Thompson Street, Suva

Bank Name: Westpac Banking Corporation

BSB or IBAN/SWIFT/Routing No WPACFJFX

Option 2: M-Paisa

Make M-Paisa payment to Business

Name: The University of Fiji

Business Number: 21672

for more information contact: ARFinance@unifiji.ac.fj

Penalty Dates	Details
Friday 1 April 2022	last date of enrolment without a late enrolment fee last date for withdrawal without any penalty
Friday 8 April 2022	Withdrawal with 25% penalty
Friday 15 April 2022	Withdrawal with 50% penalty
Friday 22 April 2022	Withdrawal with 75% penalty
Friday 29 April 2022	Withdrawal with full fees charged

For more important dates, please refer to our handbook/ calendar

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/2022-handbook-and-calendar/>

Online Learning Guide

What is a learning platform?

"A learning platform is a set of integrated, interactive services that provide educators and students with access to information, tools and online resources to support course delivery and management. Learning platforms typically include four components:

- Curriculum planning tools that allow instructors to organize course content, including presentations, quizzes, assignments and learning resources, whether by week or topic, in one centralized location.
- Content creation and management tools or the ability to draft course content directly within a given platform and/or upload existing content. The learning platform serves as a repository for all materials that can be accessed by students and edited by faculty electronically.
- Communication and engagement tools that allow instructors to connect and interact with students through in-app notifications and direct messages, as well as polls and discussions that can be used in physical and virtual classroom environments.
- Progress and performance tracking, including gradebooks and reporting that capture data from attendance, assessments and polls housed within the platform to provide insights into student achievement and participation."

TopHat.com

TopHat

At the University of Fiji, we are future ready - with the start of the Covid-19 pandemic, the University engaged with online teaching services such as TopHat to deliver to the students when face to face learning was restricted. Keeping this in mind, the University continues to provide online teaching services. Here are some links which you will find useful to adapt to this new mode;

- **Student: Top Hat Overview & Getting Started Guide:** <https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Tophat-Student-Guide.pdf>
- **Student TopHat Join Course Instructions:** <https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Instructions-to-Join-Your-Course-on-Top-Hat-1.pdf>

Moodle

Together with TopHat, the University also provides Moodle services. The links below will assist you in understanding this:

- **Login :** <https://elearning.unifiji.ac.fj/moodle/login/index.php>
- **How to upload Assignments:** <https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/How-to-upload-assignment-on-Moodle-1.pdf>
- **Moodle App:** <https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Moodle-Mobile-Desktop-App-Installation-Instructions-1.pdf>

Facilities



Library

The Library actively supports academic and research programs by selecting, acquiring, organising and ensuring access to relevant information and resources. the Staff assist and advice members of the University community in identifying, locating, evaluating and effectively utilizing materials and services in a timely manner.

The Libraries are furnished with new technologies to serve its users with the latest information resources on Medical Science, Information Technology, Law, Business, Accounting, Economics, Language and Literature and other areas.

The University of Fiji Libraries are fully automated and use Liberty Version 5 from Soft Link Australia. Soft link's Liberty is an advanced Library and Information management solution built to Librarian design, powered with leading technology. Facilitating proven Library processes and compliant with both IT and library industry standards. Liberty is trusted by Librarian worldwide to enhance the value of the Library and to help them to deliver and exceptional level of services to the clients. Our Library specifically caters to the needs of the Staff, Students and the University Community. Liberty's advanced functionality ensures that our library continues to meet the needs of our customers now and in the future. We serve a diverse group, so we use an easy-to-use system with an improved OPAC that is flexible and has a powerful searching capacities.

The University provides the latest edition of the Textbooks according to the University's curriculum to the students. These books are specifically kept in the Closed Reserve Section in order to provide equal opportunity to all the students to use these books according to the subjects taken.

Visit our online library: <https://libguides.unifiji.ac.fj/library/home>
For more information contact: library@unifiji.ac.fj

The Library has 6 full time staff on both campuses, 3 each respectively, who provide services to the University Community. Staff are always available from both the campuses to serve the University Community through online services as and when requested until we go back to our normal hours of operation. With the minimum number of Library Staff, we provided very effective and efficient services to the University Community

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IT Labs

The University of Fiji Information Technology department provides services to student such as resetting of UniFiji PC, Moodle and student email passwords. Guiding the students on how to use Turnitin, how to access the online registration portal and also on Top Hat, also online library access as well. Other IT related services. We have uploaded user manuals on the website for students to follow as the links are attached below:

Online Registration Portal User Manual

https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Student-User-Manual_Online-Registration.pdf

Student Top Hat Guide

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/IT-Services-Information-Booklet-2.pdf>

Information-and-Communications-Technology-Policy

<https://www.unifiji.ac.fj/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Information-and-Communications-Technology-Policy-1-1.pdf>

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Bemacino



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The Bema is a speaking platform for the School of Law students was unveiled by the (former) Chairperson of the Independent Legal Service Commission, Justice Thomas Hickie on 03rd February 2017.

In recognition of the need for the shelter from the Suva rain, as students and invited speakers used the Bema all the time, its location was moved into the covered area of the Samabula Campus building which was previously the canteen, leaving a space for further Bema activities.

The Bemacino provides services at the Samabula and Saweni Campus.

Academic Advisor Programme

The role of the Academic Advisor is crucial one in any educational institution. Academic Advisors form part of the designated engine room which keeps performance of students carefully monitored in the system. Academic Advisors provide orientation and guidance to students to achieve their educational goals.

Role of Academic Advisors:

To assist the students by identifying suitable courses, ascertaining their strengths and working towards careers that fit individual student abilities
to monitor student progress through healthy communication with a view to assist, if student performance through grades and attendance is not satisfactory

The Academic Advisors demonstrate a concerned, caring and responsible attitude towards students. They possess knowledge of the University of Fiji's regulation and policies . The Academic Advisors are readily available to students as and when the need arises during office hours or by appointment.

Within the JDP SoL Academic Advisors are required to (inter alia):

- monitor student performance by checking their results and progress through the semester;
- Organize special sessions for students in their first Academic Year to keep them interested and engaged.
- Keep case files for attendance and academic progress
- Follow up on report of any unsatisfactory work, failing grades and reports or recommendations from the Board of Studies and absenteeism;
- Ensure that students are able to navigate the University Policies and Procedures, fill in assessment forms for their courses on time and feel enthusiastic about studying;
- Refer students to the University Counsellor or other services when required;
- Provide short written reports to the Dean, School of Law or any student who has been assisted; and
- Keep proper records on all students on the Academic Advisor's list.

Role of Students;

- Clarify personal values, abilities, interest and goals in life;
- Become knowledgeable about and ensure adherence to institutional policies, procedures and other academic requirements;
- Contact and schedule regular appointments with the Academic Advisors
- Ensure that all responsibilities and duties of a student are met; and
- Accept advice and decisions made by the Academic Advisors



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SoL Activites

Thespian Society



The Thespian society was the result of an innovative new project undertaken by the JDP School of Law to unify legal technical competence and experience with legal values to students.

Legal plays by the Thespian Society are produced annually by the School with the aim of encouraging students to use language to best effect or learn how to memorize. The origin of the idea to produce a legal play a year came from the fact that legal students needed practice in speaking skills because litigation requires confidence and a keen appreciation of performance and theatre.

The first play “Antigone” in the year 2017 and the second play “Julius Caesar” in the year 2018 saw numerous personalities from varied works of life attending the play including people from the legal fraternity, JDP SoL staff, students and many more.

The Thespian Society deliberately chooses plays which allows students to explore certain legal values, concepts and themes. It also aims to encourage students to learn, whether through performance via producing plays or as the audience, that understanding the law is more than just acquisition of technical competence.



Julius Caesar play in the year 2018



Moot

The JDP SoL Moot Court Competition gives students the opportunity to compete in simulated court proceedings, usually involving drafting legal documents and making oral presentations against an opposing counsel before a judge. It is perhaps the closest experience that a student can have whilst at University to appearing in court.

Mooting encourages participants to focus on practicing speech and the ability to argue the question of law. It also helps participants to build confidence in public speaking, general research and presentation skills, which are useful skills which a participant can transfer to most careers.

In the year 2018, The JDP SoL Moot team had the opportunity to travel abroad and compete at the Pacific Law and Culture Moot Competition hosted by the University of Canterbury, Christchurch. In the year 2021, JDP School of Law launched the Inter-tertiary moot competition in which our Mooters competed against the University of the South Pacific and the Fiji National University. The competition was one of the major highlights of the year 2021 and was attended and supported by many government and non-government organizations, judges, private practitioners, academics, staff and students. It was an on-going event which was run at two different divisions (junior and senior) of which our mooters won the junior division. The JDP SoL hopes to make Moot Court Competition an annual event for the School.



Moot Competitions over the years

University of Fiji
Students' Association
UFSA

The University of Fiji Student Association ('UFSA') is established under Section 37(1) of the University of Fiji Act 2011. UFSA operates under standing orders and policies approved by Council on the recommendation of the Senate. Its membership comprises of all bona-fide students of the University of Fiji, attending both our 2 campuses in Saweni and Samabula respectively.

The University of Fiji Students' Association exists:

- to provide a support network for students
- to be the voice of students at all levels
- to provide services to improve the quality of student life
- or to the otherwise act in the best interest of all students in the University

Students Support Services:

University of Fiji Students' Association in Partnership with School of Law Students' Association:

On the 13th – 15th January, 2021, the student leaders of UFSA assembled at Colo I Suva Raintree Lodge to conduct its National Congress. During, the Congress, it mapped out the Students Strategic Plan for the next 3 years – i.e. 2021 – 2024.

A pillar that we jointly resolved during such Congress was to implement empowerment based initiative projects within our members that is tailor made to national governance and nation building. Thus, under those proposed pillars – the birth of marketing strategies, promotion of platforms where critics and conscience of the society is presented were conceived.

Each of various University faculties is to propose projects that market the name of our University and contribute to nation building. Our JDP School of Law Students Associations, under such pillar – submitted its concept plan to conduct an Inter Tertiary Moot Competitions that is focused on gender based issues, with peculiar focus on women and its advocacy. It is a concept we in turn hope to develop and foster partnership with other sister universities, non-governmental organizations and the government respectively.

The final phase was disrupted on the final phase of the competition with the involvement of Covid19 pandemics. Ultimately, post prolonged 4-month delay; we managed to bring the project to a completion last week – 27th August, 2021 virtually. It lasted for 3 hours 37 minutes and 28 seconds with a live audience of 382 connecting online. The final phase was conducted with the support and close corroboration of the University IT department, and the unwavering support of our corporate partners and sponsors.

This year UFSA will include activates that will contribute to your getting to know the University, Campus, friend and gaining different experiences in your first year. We strongly recommend you to join this rich and pleasurable program.



Figure 1 from Left: UFSA Interim Secretary (Leone Zion Vurakania)/Student Affairs Coordinator (Mr. Ratu Sailosi Dawai)/UFSA Acting President (Ms. Maca Ratabua / UFSA Treasurer (Mr. Jona Toga)

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Health and Wellness Services



Health & wellness Clinic

The health and wellness clinic is open from 8am to 4.30 pm .The role of the Staff Nurse at the University of Fiji is:

- To ensure that the sick students and staff coming to clinic are seen, treated with utmost care and urgency and referrals are given to emergency cases to Lautoka Hospital and around campus.
- To effectively provide hands on care to staff and students by administration of medications observing and monitoring patient's condition, maintaining records and communicating with doctors.
- Also arrangement of transport to take the patient to hospital and back to university.
- Provide professional guidance to the staffs and student on non communicable disease and personal hygiene.
- Informing the head of the department about the patient's condition who are resting in the clinic.
- Follow up sessions with the sick student and the staffs who have sought assistance in the clinic.
- To provide quality health care to all staffs and students to students and staffs of university community.

If you require any clinical assistance, contact me on P: +679 6640600 ext 136 E: kamlap@unifiji.ac.fj

University Nurse
Kamla Prasad
Cert. General and Obstetric
Nursing, Cert. Nursing
Management, FSN

UniFiji Counselling Services

Counsellor



Counselling Description:

Counselling is a form of support for students who are facing difficulties during their time in the semester. This service helps provide free, confidential psychosocial support for emotional and mental health issues for foundation, undergraduate and postgraduate students.

It is a great way to allow you to have forms of therapy to help you resolve issues that are affecting your productivity. It allows us to explore the issues and their causes and to help you develop the necessary skills and knowledge to find effective and realistic solutions to these issues.

If you're ever in need of someone to talk to, please contact us on 6640600 ext 279 or email jonee@unifiji.ac.fj.

With kind regards
Jone Veisamasama
Student Counselor

All the Best!

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