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FNDP Target 3.1.5 – Education

Fiji realized universal primary education (Millennium Development Goal 2) by 2013 and therefore Fiji has a high literacy rate.

Universal access to education will be maintained helping to increase the supply of well-trained professionals that are equipped for the global job market.

There will be investments in existing and new educational facilities and teacher-student ratios will be improved.

Initiatives such as the bus-fare and boat-fare subsidies and free textbooks ensure that no one is deprived an education on the basis of cost.

There is a particular focus on improving Early **Childhood Education (ECE).**

Tertiary education will also be improved with a focus on the demands of the labour market.

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Educational policies are particularly important with 62% of the population below the age of 34, providing a unique opportunity to build a highly skilled workforce.

In recent years, more money has been channelled toward education and other social services to raise the living standards of all Fijians.

The focus on education will send positive ripples throughout the economy.













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FNDP Target 3.1.8 – Youth and Sports Development

Youth Development

62% of Fiji's population is below the age of 35 which provides great opportunities to stimulate growth and development.

In the next 5 years there will be more initiatives, in part through financial support for voluntary organizations, promoting: Entrepreneurship Leadership Climate change Sexual health awareness

Youths will be encouraged to participate in policy development through the International Youth Exchange Programme, National Youth Conference and Youth Parliament.

Sports Development

Sport has helped to build social cohesion and improve Fiji's global image

It has also generated employment opportunities and increased remittance flows from Fijian sports people overseas.

There will be a focus on developing elite sports people and modernising sports facilities.

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Sport support services will be improved with increased sports education and the development of sports coaches. And, Sports psychology, sports science and sports medicine will become part of the tertiary curriculum.



8 DECENT WORK AND 9

10 REDUCED

"Empower youth to be agents of change

and promote sports for development"





7 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS