



CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST:
for the Postgraduate Diploma in Education (PGDE) and
Post Vocational Teacher Education (PVTE) programs for
the 2023/24 'Malolo Program'



RATIONALE/PROGRAM STRUCTURE

The University of Goroka (UOG) through its business arm, Unigor Ltd commenced offering PGDE & PVTE programs during the Christmas holiday period. These programs will continue this year until the demand for 'qualified professional teachers' in schools is met. Appointment of 'untrained/unqualified' teachers in schools is forced on by increased student numbers and more new schools. UOG responded to design and offer these programs specifically for 'untrained' / 'unqualified' teachers. The programs are offered in two Sessions of 6 ½ weeks each.

▪ **SESSION 1 PGDE/PVTE PROGRAMS – NEW CANDIDATES FOR 2023/2024 (COHORT 7):**

Course Duration/Venue: Session 1 Courses begin **27th November 2023** and end **10th January 2024**. Candidates travel to Goroka Campus (UOG) by **24th November 2023**.

▪ **SESSION 2 PGDE/PVTE PROGRAMS - CONTINUING CANDIDATES FOR 2023/2024 (COHORT 6):**

Course Duration/Venue: For those who have completed Session 1 courses will continue with **Session 2 Courses** at the **GOROKA CAMPUS** from **27th November 2023** to **10th January 2024**. Candidates travel in by **24th November 2023**.

Registration: Registration commences on the **25th – 26th** of November, 2023.

Teaching Practice for **COHORT 7**, will be assessed in School Term 3, 2024 at the schools that Student Teachers are currently teaching. These Student Teachers **MUST** contact Unigor Office ASAP to inform us of your present school for TP Supervision. Send details of your location to the Malolo Program email address stated below.

Important Note:

- **Cohort 6 students who are graduating must pay all outstanding fees by 08th of April, 2024. None payment, No Certificate.**
- **Cohort 7 students who also have outstanding fees must pay before the end of September, 2024.**

PGDE/PVTE CANDIDATES ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

Before a candidate completes an Application Form for these two programs, he/she must have the following:

- A first degree in any discipline from a recognized University for the PGDE program or
- A diploma in any discipline from a recognized college or university for the PVTE program and/or
- A tradesman certificate in a technical field of specialization for the PVTE program,
- A minimum of 1 year teaching experience in schools or any related training institution,
- Support letters from the Provincial Education Advisor and School Principal to advise of current teaching position/status,
- Certified copies of transcripts and certificates enclosed,
- Certified copy of Police clearance
- Certified copy of Medical clearance
- A recent passport size photograph duly signed is attached to the Application Form.

FEE PAYMENT BANKING DETAILS: Candidates pay the fees directly into the BSP Bank Account of Unigor Consultancy

Bank Account #: 1000 94 60 20	Account Name: Unigor Consultancy	Bank Branch: BSP Goroka
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Note: (a) Company accepts only Bank Cheque and Cash deposits. No personal or other cheque deposits.

(b) It is your responsibility to pay the correct amount into the right account before you register.

(c) Anyone trying to enter the program by fraudulent means or scams will be prosecuted under the Criminal Law of PNG.

APPLICATION FORMS AND CLOSURE: Application forms are available at Unigor Office on call, or can be requested through email (see contacts below). **Application Closing Date: 31st August 2023.** **Application Fee: K50.00; Late Application Fee: K100.00**

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE ADDRESSED TO: PGDE/PVTE Programs, Unigor Ltd, P O Box 1615, Goroka, EHP, PNG. Email: unigormaloprogram@gmail.com or unigorprojects@gmail.com See University Website: www.unigoroka.ac.pg for application forms & program details; Telephone or Phone/Fax: +675 532 3782; Mobile Ph 675 799 22 538

For expediency & prompt response applications are emailed to the above email addresses.

NOTE: (1) SPACES WILL BE LIMITED THEREFORE THOSE THAT PAY UP FRONT AND MEET ALL REQUIREMENTS WILL BE SERVED ON FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS.

(2) UNIGOR LTD HAS THE RIGHT TO CHANGE OR CANCEL ANY OF THE TRAINING VENUES AND PROGRAMS AND SUCH ALTERATIONS WILL BE INFORMED ACCORDINGLY.

(3) DETAILS CONCERNING COURSES WILL BE EMAILED TO INTERESTED APPLICANTS

Endorsed by:

- Dr Teng Waninga, Vice Chancellor - University of Goroka
- Mr. Joseph Poimb Kata, Managing Director - Unigor Ltd & its subsidiaries