

**Programs offered by the Department of Agriculture are as follows:**

1. Bachelor of Science in Tropical Agriculture
2. Diploma of Tropical Agriculture
3. Certificate in Tropical Agriculture

**Programs offered by the Department of Fisheries are as follows:**

1. Bachelor of Fisheries Studies
2. Diploma of Fisheries Studies
3. Certificate in Fisheries Studies

**Programs offered by the Department of Forestry are as follows:**

1. Diploma of Tropical Forestry
2. Certificate in Tropical Forestry

**Programs offered by the Department of**

**Environmental Science are as follows:**

1. Diploma of Environmental Studies
2. Certificate in Environmental Studies

**TO APPLY FOLLOW THESE STEPS:**

- 1) Go to our website [www.sinu.edu.sb](http://www.sinu.edu.sb) to download application forms and program offerings/entry requirements.
- 2) OR Collect a hard copy of the application and course offerings from the Student Academic Services (SAS) office. Do fill out relevant sections, and submit with all required documents.
- 3) Completed forms must be submitted with all required documents and dropped off at SAS Office, Front Desk. Please note that there is an application fee of \$50.00 that is payable to the SINU BSP Account #: **9088870419** and this must be receipted at the SINU Finance Division before submitting applications.

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**2024 COURSE INFORMATION**

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## Bachelors

**Bachelor programme's are a duration of 4 years of study.**

### Bachelor of Science in Tropical Agriculture (NBTA)

Successful Completion of Form 7 Arts/Science with minimum GPA of 3.0 and above OR Completed Diploma of Tropical Agriculture with minimum GPA of 2.5 and above OR graduated with Certificate in Agriculture with minimum of 3 Years work experience in the Field of Tropical Agriculture.

### Bachelor of Fisheries Studies (NBFS)

Completed Form 7 Science or Foundation Science with minimum GPA of 3.00 and above OR Successful completion of Diploma of Fisheries Studies with GPA of 2.5 & above OR completed Form 6 with 5 Years' work Experience in relevant industry or organization.

### Bachelor of Environmental Studies (NEW)

Successful Completion of Form 7 with pass in Math, Science, English & Social Sciences OR Minimum GPA of 3.00 and above OR Form 6, Form 6 mature aged candidates with 5 or more years of work experiences in relevant fields OR Completed Diploma of Environmental OR Completed Certificate in Environment with minimum GPA of 3.00 and above

### Bachelor of Forestry Science (NEW)

Successful Completion of Form 7 with pass in Math, Science, English & Social Sciences OR Minimum GPA of 3.00 and above OR Form 6, Form 6 mature aged candidates with 5 or more years of work experiences in relevant fields OR Completed Diploma of Tropical Forestry OR Completed Certificate in Tropical Forestry with minimum GPA of 3.00 and above

## Diploma

**Diploma programme's are a duration of 2 years of study.**

### Diploma of Environmental Studies (NDE)

Completed Form 7 or UPCIV with minimum GPA of 2.5 OR Completed Form 6 Arts/Science with minimum aggregate of 15 and less OR Graduated with Certificate in Environment, agriculture and Forestry with minimum GPA of 2.0 and above OR Has minimum work experience of 3 years for in related work sectors.

### Diploma in Fisheries Studies

Successful completion of F7 Science with minimum GPA of 2.5 and above OR Completed Form 6 Science with minimum aggregate of 8 and less OR Has minimum work experience of 3 Years in the Fisheries industry

## Overview



The wealth of the natural resources of Solomon Islands demands comprehensive research and innovation to manage it wisely and sustainably. The Faculty of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (FAFF) are committed to training future professionals to develop the needed capacity to fulfill such needs, through the fields of agriculture, forestry, fisheries, and environmental studies.

At the Faculty of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, we are committed to developing and educating students who will make a difference in the important sectors of the national economy and contribute to the improvement of people's livelihood. Research directed at increasing crop yield, pest and disease control, production of livestock and fisheries, etc. at a sustainable level is the priority. Simultaneously, biodiversity conservation, rehabilitation of degraded areas, and reforestation remain the focus of students' training.

The Faculty enrolls over 650 students every year in its various higher education programmes, and works closely with stakeholders to ensure that programme content is relevant to the needs of Solomon Islands and the Pacific. We also work closely with the industry, non-government organizations and international universities and organisations in the region.

Currently, Certificate, Diploma and Bachelor programs are offered in the field of Agriculture and Fisheries; and Certificate and Diploma programs in the field of Environment and Forestry studies. Plans to develop bachelor level courses in Environment and Forestry are underway. FAFF is committed to taking a leading role in higher education among countries within the South Pacific region in the near future.

## Departments

**The Faculty consists of four departments.**

1. Department of Agriculture
2. Department of Fisheries
3. Department of Forestry
4. Department of Environmental Studies

## Diploma of Tropical Forestry (NCTF)

Completed Form 7 or UPCIV with minimum GPA of 2.5 OR Completed Form 6 Arts/Science with minimum aggregate of 15 and less OR Graduated with Certificate in Tropical Forestry with minimum GPA of 2.0 and above OR Has minimum work experience of 3 years for in related work sectors.

## Diploma of Tropical Agriculture (NDA)

Completed Form 7 or UPCIV with minimum GPA of 2.5 OR Completed Form 6 Arts/Science with minimum aggregate of 15 and less OR Graduated with Certificate in Tropical agriculture, Forestry and environment with minimum GPA of 2.0 and above OR Has minimum work experience of 3 years for in related work sectors.



## Certificate

**Certificate programmes are a duration of 1 year of study**

### Certificate in Tropical Forestry (NCTF)

Completed Form 6 Arts/Science with minimum aggregate of 18 and less OR mature entry with minimum of 3 years' work experience in related field.

### Certificate in Environmental Studies (NCE)

Completed Form 6 Arts/Science with minimum aggregate of 18 and less OR Successful completion of short courses on environmental studies OR Mature entry with minimum of 2 years' work experience.

### Certificate in Fisheries Studies (NCFS)

Successful Completion of F7 Science with minimum GPA of 2.0 OR Complete F6 Science with minimum aggregate of 10 and less OR Has minimum work experience of 3 years in related work industry.

