

**Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects**  
**Handing Over Ceremony of**  
**‘The Project for Construction of Classroom Building for St. Dominic’ s Vocational Rural**  
**Training Centre’**

On 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2021, a Handing Over Ceremony for ‘The Project for Construction of Classroom Building for St. Dominic’ s Vocational Rural Training Centre’ was held in Kolombangara island of Western Province. The ceremony was attended by Ambassador MORIMOTO Yasuhiro, the Director of Solomon Islands Association of Vocational Rural Training Centre and other stakeholders.

The Government of Japan supported St. Dominic’ s Vocational Rural Training Centre through the grant assistance amounting to US\$77,681 (SBD\$621,448) to build a double-story classroom building (3 classrooms, 2 work rooms and 2 storage rooms) for replacing the existing old building. The students at the training centre also got involved in construction and applied many skills they learned through the practice of various works along with theories that they had studied in class.

Ambassador MORIMOTO said in his remarks, ‘I hope that this project will be able to support youth development, and ultimately create job opportunities and contribute to the prosperity of Solomon Islands. The Principal appreciated the generous support by the Japanese Government and promised to take good care of the facility for many years to come.

New classroom building



Ambassador giving speech



Handing over keys



Representatives

