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<u>District Soroban Competition 2021 – Successful</u>

The district soroban competitions for Vava'u primary schools was successfully concluded last week on Thursday, 17 June at Fakamelino Hall, Neiafu.

The annual district competitions being held each for the outer islands of Ha'apai, Vava'u, 'Eua, the three districts for Tongatapu since 2010, were also held for the Niuatoputapu islands last year, and the Niuafo'ou this year.

Top best schools from the 'Eua, Niuataputapu, Niuafo'ou and Vava'u islands competitions are listed below;

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Vava'u district soroban competition

1st place – Government Primary School of Makave

2nd place - GPS Longomau

3rd place – GPS Feletoa

Niua Fo'ou district soroban competition, held on Friday 11 June

1st place - GPS 'Alele'uta

2nd place – GPS Tongamama'o

Niua Toputapu district soroban competition, held on Friday 11 June

1st place – GPS Hihifo

2nd place – GPS Falehau

'Eua district soroban competiton, held on Tuesday, 8 June

1st place – GPS 'Ohonua

2nd place – GPS Angaha

3rd place – GPS Ta'anga
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With the district competition completed, schools are preparing for the National Competition later this year, in November.

The Soroban Competition is a joint collaboration of the Embassy of Japan and Tonga's Ministry of Education and Training, with the support of the Japan International Soroban Diffusion Foundation, Tonga Soroban Education Association and JICA Tonga Office.

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Attached: Result & Photos.



Makave students won the best school for the District Soroban Competition for Vava'u Islands, 17 June 2021.



The District Soroban Competition for Vava'u Islands, 17 June 2021 at Fakamelino Hall.



Young winners of the soroban competition for Niuatoputapu, on Friday 11 June.



Niuatoputapu primary students competed in the district soroban competition.



Class 3 winners of the written examination from 'Eua district soroban competition.



'Eua district soroban competition on Tuesday, June 8,