

## ENGA PROVINCIAL BRIDISTBOTISD



## EPG PRIORITY PROJECTS

## The Enga Teachers College

The Enga Teachers College is a multi-million kina impact project that is an initiative of the EPG in its endeavour to expand the range of quality education services by establishing tertiary education institutions in the province.

Whilst providing tertiary education for our Grade 12 Leavers in the province, it is envisaged that the college will provide quality teacher training for Primary and Elementary Schools provided at the college will contribute to the overall objective of <u>quality</u> education to our students at the elementary and primary school level.

The EPG commenced work at the college in 2010 after approval was granted by the NEB. Whilst infrastructure development progressed, first enrolment of trainee teachers commenced in 2011 as a level nine college with eleven lecturers, utilising classroom facilities at the Kipuli Memorial Primary School.



In 2012, the college had its second batch of student enrolled with 12 lecturers and it had its inaugural graduation of its first teacher graduates which was held on the 7<sup>th</sup> of December 2012 and witnessed by the Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. Peter O'Neil.

In 2013, the college was raised to Level 10 with 20 Lecturers and a total student population of about 360 students. In same year, the GoPNG has made available K 1 million whilst the EPG has set aside K 5.0 million to complete ongoing works whilst some components of the project are being funded through PJV Tax Credit Scheme and Ausaid.

Construction works at the College is continuing with half the works at the college already completed and the total cost is estimated to be about **K 90 million** once all works are completed by the end of 2018.