

# TISHK INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY / Erbil

## Sustainable Development Goals Reports: 2023-2024

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### Faculty of Dentistry Distribute Clothing on Orphanage Children in Celebration of Eid-al-Fitr

On April 17, 2023, the Faculty of Dentistry at Tishk International University celebrated Eid-al-Fitr by distributing clothing to 70 orphaned children, aligning with SDG 1: No Poverty. Organized by the Dean of Students Office and fifth-grade students, the initiative began with donation collections on April 1.

A planning meeting on April 15 ensured the clothing met each child's needs.

During the visit to the orphanage, faculty and students engaged with the children, creating a joyful atmosphere of community support.

This initiative not only provided essential clothing but also uplifted the children's spirits, highlighting that everyone deserves joy during festive occasions. By involving students, the project promoted social responsibility and showcased the importance of community efforts in addressing poverty and enhancing well-being.

Link:

<https://dentistry.tiu.edu.iq/distribution-of-eid-clothing-on-orphanage-children-as-part-of-celebration-of-eid-al-fitr/>



## Putting a Smile on Children's Faces

Aligned with SDG 1: No Poverty, Tishk International University's Faculty of Dentistry, in collaboration with Dilnawa Organization, organized an Eid-al-Fitr shopping event to support children from low-income families. Led by the Dean of Students and second-year dental students, the project provided 68 children with vouchers to select Eid clothing at Royal Mall, ensuring their immediate needs for suitable attire were met. Through donations, detailed planning, and collaboration with local shops, the children were empowered to choose their own clothing, fostering both joy and dignity. This initiative underscored the importance of community and university partnerships in alleviating poverty-related challenges, promoting inclusivity, and bringing happiness to families in need during a significant celebration.

Link:

<https://dentistry.tiu.edu.iq/putting-a-smile-on-childrens-faces-of-families-in-need-by-providing-eid-clothing/>





## Distribution of Winter Clothing on Sarkrda Primary School Children

In alignment with SDG 1: No Poverty, the Faculty of Dentistry at Tishk International University organized a winter clothing drive for children at Sarkrda Primary School, a school for Syrian refugee children with limited financial resources. The initiative, led by the Dean of Students Office, addressed urgent needs identified by the school, including the need for winter clothing. Donations were gathered, and clothing was carefully selected based on the students' ages and needs.

On January 26, 2023, the team visited the school to distribute the winter clothes, ensuring each child was adequately equipped for the season. This initiative not only provided essential support but also promoted warmth, dignity, and care for vulnerable children, embodying SDG 1's goal of reducing poverty-related challenges.

Link:

<https://dentistry.tiu.edu.iq/distribution-of-winter-clothing-on-sarkrda-primary-school-children/>



## Community Service Project: Orphanage Center Visit

On May 20th, 2024, Tishk International University's Faculty of Pharmacy aligned with SDG 1: No Poverty by organizing a visit to a local orphanage. Through campus fundraising, students, faculty, and research assistants collected essential items and food, bringing joy to the children. By collaborating with the orphanage, they addressed specific needs, tackling issues of poverty and inequality. The project underscored the university's commitment to poverty alleviation.

Link:

<https://pharmacy.tiu.edu.iq/community-service-project-orphanage-center-visit/>





## Food Fundraising Event

On November 29, 2023, the Deanery of Students at Tishk International University organized a fundraising event focused on supporting community service projects, emphasizing SDG 1: No Poverty. Led by the Faculty of Pharmacy, the event aimed to raise funds for initiatives including Autism Care and Awareness, Orphanage Support, and Drug Misuse Prevention. Students actively participated by contributing a variety of homemade foods and crafts, showcasing their commitment to social responsibility.

The event successfully raised approximately 1,500,000 IQD, fostering awareness of societal issues among students. This initiative highlighted the importance of community engagement and compassion in addressing poverty and supporting vulnerable groups.

Link:

<https://pharmacy.tiu.edu.iq/food-fundraising-event/>



## Fundraising Event For Community Service Projects

On February 22, 2023, the Faculty of Pharmacy at Tishk International University hosted a successful fundraising event aimed at supporting community service projects, aligning with SDG 1: No Poverty. The funds raised will support visits to an Autism Center, Orphanage, and Nursing Home, allowing the faculty to identify and meet the needs of these vulnerable groups. The event featured food, medical tests, games, and handicrafts, showcasing student creativity while promoting health awareness.

With over 4,000,000 IQD raised, this initiative exemplified teamwork and social responsibility, fostering a culture of compassion and commitment to alleviating poverty and supporting those in need.



Link: <https://pharmacy.tiu.edu.iq/5851-2/>





## Social Community Project and Food Fundraising Event

The Department of Nursing at Tishk International University participated in the Dean of Students' Social Community Project and Food Fundraising Event, advancing SDG 1: No Poverty. Led by Dr. Yunus Yildiz and research assistants, the event highlighted community projects focused on poverty reduction and social well-being, such as Breast Cancer Awareness, Occupational Health, Water Sanitation, and School Health. By raising awareness of these issues and encouraging community involvement, the initiative aimed to enhance project quality and support vulnerable groups, ultimately fostering improved health, equality, and sustainable community impact in alignment with poverty alleviation goals.

Link:

<https://nursing.tiu.edu.iq/nursing/social-community-project-and-food-fundraising-event/>





## Food Fundraising

The food fundraising event organized by Tishk International University (TIU) on November 29th, 2023, aligns with SDG 1: No Poverty, by promoting community support and social responsibility. This initiative, led by the Dean of Students, Dr. Mohammed Abdullghani, highlighted the importance of collective efforts in addressing local needs. Through collaboration among students, faculty, and staff, the event aimed to raise funds for community service projects. Volunteer students from the Mathematics Education Department engaged actively, enhancing their understanding of social responsibilities. By showcasing their projects, they emphasized the direct impact of education and community involvement in alleviating poverty and supporting those in need.

Link:

<https://education.tiu.edu.iq/math/mathematics-education-department-took-part-in-food-fundraising/>





On January 26th, 2024, staff from the Mathematics Education Department at Tishk International University (TIU) visited the homes of five students in Ranya, Raladze, and Zharawa to strengthen connections beyond the classroom. This meaningful initiative allowed faculty to understand diverse socio-economic backgrounds and engage in personal conversations, fostering community and support. Sharing lunch with families symbolized communal spirit, highlighting TIU's commitment to creating a nurturing educational environment. Such social initiatives play a crucial role in addressing students' individual needs, contributing to poverty alleviation and overall well-being, in line with SDG 1.

Link:

<https://education.tiu.edu.iq/math/mathematics-departments-social-visit-to-students-families/>



## The Nanakali Charity Project

The Computer Engineering Department at Tishk International University initiated a community project in 2017 to support cancer-stricken children at Nanakaly Hospital, addressing the hospital's staff and resource shortages. Through generous donations from the university's staff and students, the project provides a monthly salary for two nurses, ensuring continuous care for patients. This ongoing partnership also includes various charity events, such as care package distributions, workshops, and fundraising activities. This initiative contributes to SDG 1, which seeks to eliminate poverty by improving healthcare access and providing essential support for vulnerable groups, especially children facing cancer.

Link: <https://engineering.tiu.edu.iq/computer/the-nanakali-project/>





## Help the needy

On March 25th, the Mechatronics Engineering Department at Tishk International University exemplified its commitment to SDG 1 by distributing essential supplies to those in need. Supported by generous contributions from students and faculty, the initiative targeted the most vulnerable members of the community. This act of solidarity not only provided immediate relief but also reinforced the department's dedication to alleviating poverty and making a lasting positive impact on society, fostering a culture of compassion and social responsibility.

Link:

<https://engineering.tiu.edu.iq/mechatronics/help-the-needy/>



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## TIUS' Food Fundraiser Event

On February 13th, Tishk International University Sulaimani (TIUS) organized a food fundraising event, a heartwarming initiative organized by the Charity Club, Dean of Students. University staff and students came together to contribute food items, and a stream of people arrived to purchase these delectable treats. The event's purpose was to raise funds to make a difference in the lives of the less fortunate. The income generated from the sale of these delectable food items was dedicated to supporting impoverished individuals and families. TIUS continues to demonstrate that it is more than an institution of learning; it is truly hope and support for those in need. The university is dedicated to giving back and making a positive impact on society.



<https://sul.tiu.edu.iq/2024/02/tiu-sulaimanis-food-fundraiser-event/>





## Charity Club Distribute 60 Litres of Petrol to Families in Need in Partnership with Horizon Organization

Following a successful food fundraising event held on February 13th, where fund was collected for charity purposes, the Dean of Students and the Charity Club extended their support by distributing 60 litres of petrol to each of the 45 families in need on February 17th. The initiative aimed to alleviate financial burdens and ensure access to essential resources for those in need. Conducted in partnership with Horizon Organization, this effort underscores the commitment of the university community to supporting local families. Through collaborative action, the university and its partners demonstrate compassion and solidarity, making a meaningful impact on the community.

<https://sul.tiu.edu.iq/2024/02/dean-of-students-charity-club-distribute-60-liters-of-petrol-to-needy-families-in-partnership-with-horizon-organization/>

