





## Politics of Souk Ahras University - Algeria To support the 2023 sustainable development goals

- 1. During the academic year 2023/2024, Souk Ahras University seeks to achieve a number of goals that are in line with the sustainable development goals, which are:
- 2. Expanding relations with regional non-governmental organizations and governments on policy related to sustainable development goals, by participating and contributing with the Algerian government and regional non-governmental organizations in identifying problems and challenges, and developing policies and strategies.
- 3. Participate in cross-sectoral dialogue on sustainable development goals, such as conferences related to sustainable development goals.
- 4. Participate in international cooperation in collecting data on the sustainable development goal to collect or measure data.
- 5. Cooperation and research to achieve international cooperation, review comparative approaches, and develop international best practices in dealing with sustainable development goals.
- 6. Cooperating with non-governmental organizations to achieve sustainable development goals, such as cooperating with some bee protection associations, protecting the local breed of bees, measuring bees, improving and testing the quality of honey.
- 7. Commitment to education for the goals of sustainable development through purposeful education.
- 8. Focus on education for sustainable development goals, such as specific courses on sustainability.
- 9. Disseminating education for sustainable development in the broader community







by organizing awareness and educational activities in the broader community.

- 10. Encouraging the publication of research papers on eliminating poverty and marginalization.
- 11. Help start local businesses by helping out in the local community.
- 12. Contributing to policy making to implement programs and policies aimed at eliminating poverty.
- 13. Building a program to ensure food insecurity among students.
- 14. Ensuring the provision of healthy food at a reasonable price.
- 15. Facilitating access to knowledge sources related to food security for farmers and local food producers to access knowledge sources and technological skills related to sustainable food and agricultural security by involving them in scientific forums organized by the College of Science and Nature and its research laboratories.
- 16. Hold events for local farmers and food producers.
- 17. Ensuring the university's access to local farmers and food producers, by signing cooperation agreements with them, guaranteeing them the use of the university's scientific and pedagogical facilities, and providing students with a field training space in order to conduct their research.
- 18. Increase the number of graduates in health professions.
- 19. Establishing relationships with health institutions in order to improve health and well-being outcomes for students and staff.
- 20. Providing awareness programs and projects in the local community for all components of the university, to improve health and well-being and raise awareness about nutrition and sports.
- 21. Providing sexual and reproductive health care services for male and female students, as well as providing information on health aspects.
- 22. Mental health support, through a psychologist, free of charge.
- 23. Tightening the ban on smoking inside closed spaces at the university, in







implementation of Algerian laws that prohibit smoking in public places.

- 24. Training graduates in health professions.
- 25. Providing free access to educational resources for non-university students by providing a digital repository containing articles, professors' and students' research, and their graduation projects.
- 26. Spreading the culture of lifelong education by providing the opportunity to the ordinary public.
- 27. Educational awareness outside the university campus, by participating in local radio sessions in many areas, such as preserving the environment, mental health, and combating drug abuse.
- 28. Access to lifelong learning, regardless of race, religion, disability, migration or gender.
- 29. Publish its policy based on providing a free service of an educational and developmental nature.
- 30. Support women's access.
- 31. Encourage women to help and encourage women to submit applications on underrepresented topics.
- 32. Supporting the policy of non-discrimination against women by opening the door to candidacy for all positions.
- 33. Supporting the participation of mother women in university life.
- 34. Facilitating procedures for reporting any violations to students and employees, and providing them with protection from discrimination and deprivation of job and educational opportunities.
- 35. Always monitor water consumption, and be careful about economy and rationalization of consumption.
- 36. Work to prevent pollution of the university's water by protecting the paths of the drinking water canals, and informing contractors of the plans of the water canals before any digging operations at the university in order to avoid contamination of the drinking water.









- 37. Providing drinking water for employees and visitors by placing water taps for drinking and washing in several places of the university for free.
- 38. Ensure rationalization of electricity consumption.
- 39. Ensure that all staff and faculty are paid at least a local living wage.
- 40. Recognizing workers' rights and ensuring freedom of association and collective bargaining.
- 41. Implement an employment policy on non-discrimination in the workplace on the basis of religion, gender or age. Commitment to combating forced labour, modern slavery, human trafficking and child labour.
- 42. Ensuring equal rights for workers when outsourcing activities, by preparing books of conditions that respect the guaranteed minimum wage.
- 43. Ensuring the application of equality regarding wages,
- 44. Follow up on employees' wages.
- 45. Ensuring the rights of groups suffering from disabilities.
- 46. Implementing a policy of non-discrimination and combating discrimination and harassment.
- 47. Work to reduce change in aquatic ecosystems.
- 48. Work to identify local stakeholders and participate with them in achieving sustainable development in the local community.
- 49. Disseminate the university's principles and commitments regarding corruption and bribery.
- 50. Granting academic freedom to senior and junior academics and the freedom to teach them.
- 51. Providing advice to the local government through the participation of its members in state committees.

