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Sustainable Choices, Lasting Impact

<u>Uzbekistan State World Languages University (UzSWLU) has implemented a comprehensive policy on ethical</u> <u>sourcing of food and supplies</u>, focused on sustainable and socially responsible practices. The policy prioritizes environmentally friendly and fair-trade products, encouraging partnerships with local farmers, ethical suppliers, and companies adhering to sustainable standards.

- 1.Official Policy Document: UzSWLU has established an official policy that mandates ethical purchasing, promoting sustainable and fair-trade products. This policy emphasizes reducing environmental impact and supporting fair labor practices through responsible sourcing.
- 2.Local Partnerships and Ethical Suppliers: The university has partnered with local farmers and certified ethical suppliers. These partnerships are key in promoting regional products, supporting the local economy, and reducing carbon emissions associated with long-distance transportation.
- 3.Sustainability and <u>Green Initiatives</u>: In alignment with its ethical sourcing policy, UzSWLU has committed to initiatives such as seasonal and organic produce selection, limiting single-use plastics, and promoting eco-friendly materials across all university facilities.
- 4.Events and Campaigns: The university actively organizes events and educational campaigns that emphasize ethical sourcing and environmental responsibility. Products from fair-trade and eco-friendly suppliers are prominently used in university events to demonstrate commitment to sustainable practices.
- 5. Community Education and Advocacy: UzSWLU also focuses on educating its community about ethical sourcing through seminars and awareness sessions. This ensures that students, staff, and visitors are informed and aligned with the university's sustainable goals.

These efforts highlight UzSWLU's dedication to sustainable sourcing, contributing to environmental preservation, local economic support, and ethical labor standards.

Uzbekistan State World Languages University (UzSWLU) upholds a comprehensive waste disposal and management policy that covers both general waste and hazardous materials, ensuring safe and sustainable practices across campus.

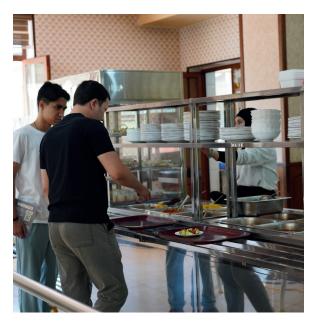
Waste Disposal Measurement and Monitoring: UZSWLU has implemented a systematic approach to measure and track the amount of waste produced, including detailed data on waste sent to landfills and the volume of recycled materials. This process enables the university to monitor its environmental footprint closely and set progressive goals to increase recycling rates while reducing landfill contributions. By analyzing this data, UZSWLU continuously improves its waste management strategies and promotes sustainable practices within the university community.

Hazardous Waste Management Policy: UzSWLU's waste disposal policy includes specific protocols for hazardous materials. This policy mandates the identification, classification, and safe handling of hazardous waste—such as laboratory chemicals, medical waste, and electronic materials—ensuring they are stored, treated, and disposed of following strict environmental and safety regulations. Specialized waste disposal vendors are engaged to handle hazardous materials responsibly and safely, reducing any risk to public health and the environment.

Environmental Awareness and Training Programs: The university actively educates faculty, staff, and students on safe waste disposal practices, including proper segregation and disposal of both general and hazardous waste. Through regular workshops, informational campaigns, and hands-on training sessions, UzSWLU ensures the campus community is well-informed on reducing waste and minimizing environmental impact.

Annual Reporting and Compliance: UzSWLU publishes an annual waste management report that provides insights into waste production and disposal practices, including hazardous waste handling and recycling efforts. This report aids in compliance with environmental regulations and reflects the university's dedication to responsible waste management.

This comprehensive policy exemplifies UzSWLU's commitment to environmental sustainability, promoting a safe and eco-friendly campus environment.









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REDUCE PLASTIC WASTE THROUGH PRACTICES LIKE RECYCLING CORRECTLY, AVOIDING SINGLE-USE PLASTICS, AND USING REUSABLE ITEMS.

Bring your own container

<u>It is allowed</u> for both teachers and students to take food in their own dish for leftovers. Reduces the requirement for single-use plastic containers. Therefore, kindly use your own containers for leftovers and takeout food.

Promoting Sustainability: NUU and Regional Recycling Regulations

The university has installed clearly marked recycling stations across its campus. These stations are designed to facilitate the separation of recyclables such as paper, plastics, metals, and glass. Signage and color-coded bins help guide users in sorting their waste correctly. NUU has partnered with local waste management authorities to ensure that the recyclables collected on campus are processed appropriately. This collaboration ensures that the university's efforts align with regional recycling practices and that materials are diverted from landfills effectively.

Use Reusable Bags

Students and teachers are given as a gift to challenge this To cut down on single-use plastic bags, bring reusable shopping bags. This is to reduce plastic waste significantly and promote challenge this.

Foster a sustainable supply chain

Furthermore, the University mandates that contracts with food and beverage suppliers adhere to stringent standards of food safety and environmental hygiene. These agreements must comply with national legislation, including the Food Quality and Safety Law, as well as the University's internal food hygiene management protocols. In cooperation, they are making a number of achievements in finding ways to process industrial waste, extending the service life of metal structures, i.e.synthesizing new organic substances that prevent biocorrosion and neutralize microorganisms in wastewater.







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