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Uzbekistan State World Languages University (UzSWLU) actively supports student-led sustainability engagement as an integral part of campus and community life. During the **2025–2026 academic year**, student organizations, in cooperation with the **Youth Union (Yoshlar Ittifoqi)**, the **Ma'naviyat va Ma'rifat Department**, the **International Rankings Department**, and faculty-based student councils, organized **320 sustainability-related activities**.

The activities covered four main areas: **environmental action; health and well-being; cultural and educational engagement; and community and international collaboration**. Activities were implemented throughout the academic year across faculties, student residences, university campuses, and partner communities.

Confirmed Data

Indicator	Confirmed Value
Number of sustainability-related activities organized by student organizations per year	320

Distribution of Sustainability-Related Student Activities, 2025–2026

Category	Number of Activities	Share of Total	Representative Activities
Eco-environmental actions	102	31.9%	Waste-Free Day, World Cleanup Day, Tree Planting for Peace
Health and well-being	77	24.1%	EcoRun, Valeology and Stress Management Week, Bike-to-Campus
Cultural and educational engagement	90	28.1%	Barqaror Til, Barqaror Dunyo seminars, EcoTalks, SDG Debate Clubs
Community and international collaboration	51	15.9%	Youth Shoulder Project, school outreach and community activities
Total	320	100%	

1. Eco-Environmental Actions

Student organizations regularly participate in environmental awareness, campus greening, waste reduction, and community clean-up activities.



Key activities include:

- **Waste-Free Day**, held in connection with the March 30 environmental initiative and organized in cooperation with the Tashkent Department of Ecology, Environmental Protection and Climate Change. The activity promoted waste reduction, responsible disposal, and environmental awareness.
- **World Cleanup Day**, including a collaborative plogging and clean-up activity implemented with the “Ekolog” public association and the Tashkent City Ecology Department.
- **Save the Planet**, a student-led activity organized by the Faculty of Translation Studies combining environmental communication, multilingual slogans, creative presentations, and cultural performances.
- **Tree Planting for Peace**, involving student participation in campus and community greening activities.

These activities combine practical environmental action with student awareness and community engagement.

2. Health and Well-Being

Student organizations also integrate sustainability with physical health, mental well-being, and active mobility.

Activities include:

- **EcoRun – Healthy Lifestyle Marathon** and student sports activities promoting physical well-being and active lifestyles;
- **Valeology and Stress Management Week**, consisting of student workshops and awareness activities related to healthy lifestyles, mental well-being, and sustainable daily habits;
- **Bike-to-Campus activities**, encouraging active and low-carbon mobility;
- student sports and community activities organized within youth festivals and university events.

These activities contribute particularly to **SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being)** while strengthening social participation and active campus life.

3. Cultural and Educational Engagement

Educational and cultural activities enable students to discuss sustainability from linguistic, social, and intercultural perspectives.

Major formats include:

- **Barqaror Til, Barqaror Dunyo** seminar sessions addressing the Sustainable Development Goals and responsible communication;
- **EcoTalks and SDG Debate Clubs**, providing student-led discussion platforms on environmental communication, cultural inclusion, and sustainability;
- **Sustainability Film Week**, combining documentary screenings with moderated discussions;
- **EcoPoster Exhibitions and Green Poetry activities**, encouraging creative reflection on environmental and social sustainability.



As a language-focused university, UzSWLU uses multilingual communication and intercultural engagement to integrate sustainability themes into student activities.

4. Community and International Collaboration

Student sustainability engagement extends beyond the university campuses through community outreach and international participation.

Key activities include:

- participation in the **Youth Shoulder Project in Germany**, involving international training and youth engagement related to ecology, human rights, and volunteering;
- joint outreach activities with local schools, where university students promote recycling, environmental awareness, and responsible behaviour;
- collaborative environmental activities with the Tashkent Ecology authorities, the “Ekolog” public association, and youth organizations;
- participation in international and cross-cultural youth activities addressing community development and sustainable leadership.

These partnerships strengthen the connection between student-led sustainability initiatives and wider community engagement.

Annual Activity Trend

Category	2023–2024	2024–2025	2025–2026	Change from 2024–2025
Environmental initiatives	70	85	102	+17
Health and well-being	55	65	77	+12
Cultural and educational activities	60	75	90	+15
Community and outreach	30	40	51	+11
Total activities	215	265	320	+55 (+20.8%)

The number of sustainability-related activities organized through student organizations increased from **215 in 2023–2024 to 320 in 2025–2026**, representing an overall increase of approximately **48.8%** over the three-year reporting period.

Management and Monitoring

Sustainability-related student activities are planned through annual activity programmes coordinated by the Youth Union, faculty-based student councils, and relevant university departments. The International Rankings Department and other responsible units support the identification and documentation of activities aligned with sustainability themes and the Sustainable Development Goals.

Implementation is monitored through annual activity reports, faculty records, event documentation, and official university media. This process enables the University to consolidate annual activity data and review the development of student sustainability engagement across different categories.

Impact

The expansion of student-led sustainability activities has strengthened environmental awareness, active mobility, health and well-being initiatives, sustainability education, volunteering, and community engagement across the University.

Key institutional outcomes include:

- broader participation of students from different faculties in sustainability-related activities;
- expansion of the Eco-Volunteers Network across faculties and student residences;
- regular implementation of campus and community environmental campaigns;
- stronger cooperation with public authorities, NGOs, schools, and youth organizations;
- increased integration of sustainability topics into student debates, seminars, cultural activities, and multilingual communication;
- regular coverage of student sustainability initiatives through official university communication channels.

The annual increase from **215 to 320 activities** demonstrates the systematic expansion of student sustainability engagement and the integration of environmental, social, educational, and community-oriented activities into annual student organization planning.

Conclusion

Student organizations at UzSWLU contribute to sustainability through a structured programme of environmental action, health and well-being activities, educational engagement, volunteering, and community collaboration. Annual planning and institutional monitoring support the continuous implementation of these activities across the University's faculties and campuses.

With **320 sustainability-related student activities recorded in the 2025–2026 academic year**, the University demonstrates sustained and broad student engagement in sustainability-related initiatives.



In connection with the designation of March 30 as Waste-Free Day by the Tashkent Department of Ecology, Environmental Protection, and Climate Change, a clean-up campaign was organized to remove litter collected along the roadsides. This initiative aimed to improve the environment and raise ecological awareness among the public.

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On September 16, in honor of World Cleanup Day, we would like to share an inspiring story with you. In collaboration with the "Ekolog" public association, the Tashkent City Department of Ecology, and the Faculty of Media and Communications of the Uzbek State University of World Languages, a plogging event was organized on Qatortol Street. From students to nature lovers and socially responsible eco-volunteers, participants became true eco-heroes today, setting an example for everyone on the street. The participants collected a significant amount of waste, contributing to the cleanliness of one of the busiest streets in our city, Qatortol Street.

<https://t.me/ekologuz/16972>

<https://uzswlu.uz/news/bugun-butunjahon-tozalik-kuni-1694869249>



As part of the "Youth Shoulder" project organized in Germany, on July 23, 2024, Dilshoda Alisherova, a fourth-year student from the Faculty of English Language and Literature at the Uzbek State University of World Languages, participated in an 8-day training session in the city of Weimar, Germany.

Out of participants from all over Uzbekistan, 25 were selected for the training, during which they received lessons from international trainers in Russian and English on the topics of "Ecology," "Human Rights," and "Volunteering."

The project consists of three stages. In the first stage, 50 participants were selected in Tashkent and involved in training sessions held across the country. In the second stage, 25 of those 50 participants were chosen to attend the training in Germany.

Participation in the program was free of charge, and all expenses related to the training in Germany were fully covered by the organizers.

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On May 21, an event under the name "Save the Planet" was held at the Faculty of Translation of UzSWLU.

The event was organized in cooperation with professors and students of the Department of English Translation Theory of the Faculty of Translation within the framework of the target indicators of creating sustainable infrastructure, supporting comprehensive and sustainable industrialization and innovation, ensuring the openness, safety and ecological stability of cities and settlements. .

Different interesting terms and songs gave the participants of the program an upbeat mood. At the end, the winners were awarded with certificates and souvenirs.

<https://uzswlu.uz/en/news/the-event-was-held-under-the-name-save-the-planet-1716453332>

<https://t.me/UzSWLU/20100>



As part of the "World Youth Festival", a number of spiritual and educational events were organized on June 30 at the Uzbekistan State University of World Languages.

In particular, a football competition was held under the auspices of the Sports Department and the University Youth Union.

<https://uzswlu.uz/en/news/a-spiritual-and-educational-event-was-organized-1720419214>

