



FOOD ASSISTANCE FOR STUDENTS IN NEED

SDG 2 Zero Hunger | Reporting year 2025

1. Overview

UzSWLU provides direct, practical food assistance to students and young people facing hardship. The assistance is part of the student food-support measures set out in Section 7 of the UzSWLU Sustainable Food Policy ([policy document](#)), under which students experiencing food insecurity are identified through student support units and receive food packages, free or discounted meals or meal vouchers. The University leadership takes part in this work directly: the Rector and Vice-Rectors regularly visit students in the student residences and socially vulnerable young people, talk with them about their needs and deliver food products.

2. Food assistance to students in student residences, 2025

In May 2025 the Rector, Ilxomjon Tuxtasinov, visited students in need living in the University's student residences. He talked with the students, reviewed their living conditions and needs, and the students were provided with food products. During the same visit, food products were also delivered to socially vulnerable families. The University describes these activities as a continuation of its ongoing support for socially vulnerable people and for the social stability of its students (published 17 May 2025: uzswlu.uz/en/news).



The Rector visits students in need in the University's student residences, May 2025

3. A regular practice

Food assistance by the University leadership is a recurring activity rather than a single event:

Date	Activity	Source
January	The Vice-Rector visited young people under the Rector's personal supervision in Sergeli district and delivered essential food products and financial assistance to each of them.	Source 1
May	The Rector visited young people and their families in four neighborhoods of Sergeli district and distributed essential food products to each household.	Source 2
May	The Rector visited students in need in the student residences; food products were provided to the students and to socially vulnerable families.	Source 3

Sources: [Source 1](#) | [Source 2](#) | [Source 3](#)

These visits complement the University's wider support for students on low incomes, including a daily low-cost set meal at every campus food outlet and dormitory places with a full fee exemption for orphans and students with disabilities who need housing.