

KINNAIRD COLLEGE FOR WOMEN REPORT ON

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL 2



Zero Hunger



GOAL 2: ZERO HUNGER

SDG 2 is essentially about ending all forms of hunger. This means ending famine and ending extreme hunger, which is when people have no access to proper and nutritious food. Goal 2 is about creating a world free of hunger by 2030. The global issue of hunger and food insecurity has shown an alarming increase since 2015, a trend exacerbated by a combination of factors including the pandemic, conflict, climate change, and deepening inequalities.

By 2022, approximately 735 million people – or 9.2% of the world's population – found themselves in a state of chronic hunger – a staggering rise compared to 2019. This data underscores the severity of the situation, revealing a growing crisis.

In addition, an estimated 2.4 billion people faced moderate to severe food insecurity in 2022. This classification signifies their lack of access to sufficient nourishment. This number escalated by an alarming 391 million people compared to 2019.

The persistent surge in hunger and food insecurity, fueled by a complex interplay of factors, demands immediate attention and coordinated global efforts to alleviate this critical humanitarian challenge.

Extreme hunger and malnutrition remains a barrier to sustainable development and creates a trap from which people cannot easily escape. Hunger and malnutrition mean less productive individuals, who are more prone to disease and thus often unable to earn more and improve their livelihoods.

2 billion people in the world do not have regular access to safe, nutritious and sufficient food. In 2022, 148 million children had stunted growth and 45 million children under the age of 5 were affected by wasting.

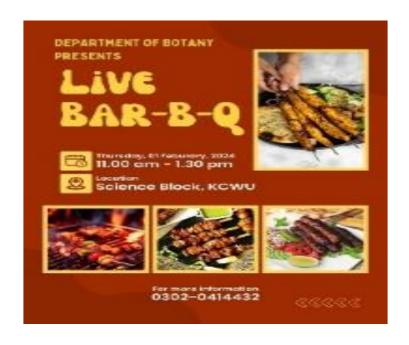


Kinnaird's activities on GOAL 2: Zero Hunger

Drive on dumping waste food in proper coloured bins



Active participation of botany department at KC Charity week by displaying food stalls.





To encourage junior staff to cultivate kitchen gardening by providing free seedlings and Seeds from department of botany.



Zero Hunger Charity Week Feb, 2024

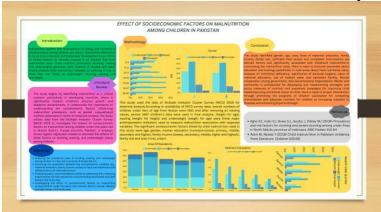
Business department's active participation in Charity Week at Kinnaird in Feb, 2024. Made donations and set up food stalls for fund raising.





Poster Presentation

A poster presentation entitled "Effect of Socioeconomic factors on Malnutrition among children in Pakistan" Supervised by Tooba Khan and Shaista Shumaila at Kinnaird festival of statistics and data science in May, 2024.



A Poster Presentation

A poster presentation entitled Journey through Pakistan's Wheat Fields Supervised by Dr. Naila Alam and Ms. Tooba Khan at Kinnaird festival of statistics and data science in May, 2024.

