

## **Overview SDG 6**

### **Clean Water and Sanitation**

Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti Language University is committed to advancing the objectives of Sustainable Development Goal 6 by promoting hygiene awareness, community engagement, and sustainable sanitation practices. Through outreach programmes, student-led initiatives, and social responsibility activities, the University actively contributes to improving public health and ensuring access to clean and safe living conditions in surrounding communities.

The University extends its efforts beyond the campus through the “Campus to Community” initiative, wherein volunteers of the National Service Scheme actively engage with adopted villages. This initiative encourages students to work closely with local communities, fostering teamwork, unity, and a spirit of service. Under the guidance of faculty members students are motivated to develop leadership skills, social sensitivity, and a strong sense of responsibility towards society. The programme focuses on spreading awareness about essential issues such as health, hygiene, education, and child welfare, thereby contributing to improved quality of life in rural areas.

A key initiative under SDG 6 is the Cleanliness Awareness Camp organized by NSS volunteers in Diguria village, adopted by the University. The programme aimed at educating the community about the importance of maintaining cleanliness and adopting hygienic practices in daily life. Volunteers highlighted how proper sanitation, access to clean surroundings, and responsible behaviour can prevent the spread of diseases and promote overall well-being. These efforts directly support the goals of ensuring clean water, sanitation, and healthy living conditions.

As part of the outreach activities, NSS volunteers conducted extensive door-to-door awareness campaigns to educate villagers on proper waste disposal methods and the importance of maintaining a clean environment. Special emphasis was placed on preventing mosquito- and fly-borne diseases by avoiding stagnant water and ensuring regular cleanliness of surroundings. Awareness sessions were also conducted for children and local residents to instil long-term behavioural change regarding sanitation and hygiene practices. These initiatives play a crucial role in reducing health risks and promoting sustainable community practices.

In addition to awareness campaigns, students actively participated in community support activities such as preparing and distributing food among residents, reflecting empathy, inclusivity, and social responsibility. Such initiatives strengthen the bond between the University and the community while reinforcing the importance of collective efforts in achieving sustainable development goals. Through these comprehensive initiatives, the University demonstrates a strong commitment to promoting clean water, sanitation, and public health. By empowering students to become agents of change and encouraging community participation, the institution significantly contributes to the realization of SDG 6, fostering healthier and more sustainable communities.



Poster Making Competition



Plants distribution on Earth Day



Participants taking pledge on earth day "Our Power, Our Planet"



**Promoting Awareness regarding Sanitation, Proper Waste Disposal, and Prevention of Mosquito and Fly-Borne Diseases.**

