



SDG 4 – Quality Education

University: Menoufia National University

Country: Egypt

Academic Year: 2023–2024

1. Practices / Initiatives

- **Public Educational Resources:** The Egyptian Knowledge Bank (EKB) is freely accessible via the university website, supporting lifelong learning and continuous development for students, faculty, and the wider community.
- **School Visits & Community Outreach:** Hosting school students to raise awareness of higher education opportunities and inspire interest in pursuing university studies.
- **Vocational Training Events:** Faculty of Veterinary Medicine hosted the Egyptian Falconer Association to deliver seminars on bird-of-prey care, open to students and the public.
- **Cultural & Artistic Activities:** Student art exhibitions across multiple faculties to promote creativity, interdisciplinary learning, and student engagement.
- **Educational Lectures & Convoys:** Public lectures and educational convoys highlighting Ancient Egyptian educational thought and achievements in medicine and engineering, as part of cultural awareness and national identity initiatives.

2. Data / Evidence

| Initiative | Date | Participants | Objective |
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| School visits – El-Shaheed Mohamed Saeed Abdelkawy Primary School | 6 March 2023 | 21 students + 3 supervisors | Raise awareness about higher education & national development |
| Falconry seminar – Faculty of Veterinary Medicine | 28 April 2024 | Students + public | Vocational knowledge & practical skills on wildlife |
| Student Art Exhibitions – Multiple faculties | 20 July & 16 Dec 2024 | Students & visitors | Promote creativity, lifelong learning, and student engagement |
| Cultural & Artistic Exhibition – Faculty of Medicine | 1 Jan 2025 | Students & staff | Holistic development & interdisciplinary learning |
| Educational convoy – Ancient Egypt Civilization & Medicine | 30 April 2024 | 30 students + faculty + 100+ community members | Enhance historical awareness & educational knowledge |



- **Total courses related to sustainability:** 380
- **Research outputs:** No graduates or research publications in 2023–2024 (university still new, launched 2022–2023).
- **Initiatives:** Encouragement of faculty research and publication awards to increase scientific output.

3. Impact / Outcomes

- Enhanced **public access to education**, promoting early interest in higher education among school students.
- Supported **vocational skill development** and lifelong learning for students and community members.
- Provided platforms for **creativity, cultural engagement, and interdisciplinary learning**.
- Encouraged student participation in **community service and educational outreach programs**.

4. Partnerships / Collaborations

- **Local schools** in Menoufia Governorate
- **Egyptian Falconer Association** (vocational collaboration)
- **Faculty-led community and cultural initiatives**
- **Ministry of Higher Education** – oversight and support for educational programs
- **Supreme Council of Universities** – coordination and policy alignment for higher education standards
- **Educational supervisors and teachers** – support school visits, student engagement, and outreach programs

5. Monitoring & Future Plans

- Expand school visit programs to reach more students annually.
- Increase the number of vocational and cultural events open to public participation.
- Track student and community engagement metrics to assess educational impact.
- Encourage faculty research and publications to support SDG 4 metrics in future THE submissions.