# Activity 2: SDGs Practices: Global and Individual

INDIVIDUAL DOCUMENT: Each student must submit the completed form on KING-MS.

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1. The 17 SDGs were established by the United Nation in 2015. Summarize your answer on the question, “Should the world collectively attain the SDGs by 2030? Why? Why not?”
2. List things you can personally do toward the attainment of the SDGs. Choose three goals of your interest and describe an action or actions you can take for each of the three goals.
3. Identify one IT company that promotes the SDGs and describe which initiatives/activities that the company is engaged in are linked with which SDGs.
4. Set a time to meet with your group and share your answers.
5. Submit the completed form to the KING-LMS class page on the due date (see syllabus).

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| 1.Should the world collectively attain the SDGs by 2030?  Why? Why not? Please provide a reason. | ( . ) Yes ( ) No  Why:   1. The SDGs tackle the world’s biggest challenge related to poverty, inequality, climate change, peace and security. 2. The SDGs focus on improving human well being through better health care, education, sanitation and protecting marine and coastal ecosystem. 3. The SDGs create opportunities for innovation, new market and economic growth at both developed and developing countries. 4. It provides unified global vision and puts efforts for positive change. |
| 2．List things **you** can personally do toward the attainment of the SDGs.  Choose three goals of your interest and describe an action or actions you can take for each of the three goals. | Examples  Goal 2: No poverty  Action(s):   * Grow vegetables and donate them to food-banks. * Volunteer one day a month at a nearby soup kitchen.   Goals 12 & 14: “Responsible consumption and production” and “Life below water.”  Action(s):  ‐ Don’t use single-use plastic.   * Pick up garbage outside.  1. Goal 4: Quality education   Actions(s):  -Ensure inclusive, equitable quality education and promotes life long learning opportunities for all.  - Teach students in a creative way by showing educational shows and films.  - focus on free primary and secondary schooling.    2． Goal 6 : clear water and sanitation: \_\_:  Action(s):  - universal access to safe, affordable drinking water, adequate sanitation and hygiene.  -Aims to improve water quality, water use efficiency, resources management and protection of water-related ecosystem  3 Goal 17: partnerships for The Goals \_\_:  Action(s):  - promotes and collaborate with effective public, public-private and civil societies of different who share same goal.  -Emphasize the importance of partnerships, technology and technical resources. |
| 3. Identify one IT company that promotes the SDGs and describe which initiatives/activities that the company is engaged in are linked with which SDGs. Conduct Internet search.  One initiative/activity may be designed to contribute to multiple goals. Moreover, one company may be engaged in multiple initiatives/activities. Describe your findings about one company as accurately as possible. | Company Name: META  SDG Initiative/Activity that the company is engaged in  Goal 10:  Gender equality 5:  Meta supports women's economic empowerment by helping women-owned small businesses grow through dedicated tools and training. It partners with organizations to build entrepreneurial and digital skills among women globally. Meta's platforms enable communities of gender equality advocates to organize and amplify their voices.  The company also collaborates with researchers, providing data insights to advance the study of gender equality issues and solutions.  Goal 13 :  Climate Action :  To combat climate change, Meta has set ambitious goals to reach net zero greenhouse gas emissions and transition all its operations to 100% renewable energy sources over the coming years. The company also leverages AI modeling to study climate impacts and inform-solutions.  Goal 17 :  Partnerships for the Goals :  Meta actively engages in mulch-stakeholder partnerships aligned with the SDGs, collaborating with entities like governments, UN agencies, NGOs, academia and the private sector. It provides open data, AI resources and technological expertise to support sustainable development research and initiatives through these partnerships.  SOURCE: (http://about.fb.com/sdg/) |
| 4．Do you think the company’s efforts will be successful?  Why or Why not? | ( . ) Yes ( ) No  Yes company’s efforts will be successful because:   1. META have massive global reach and platform scale to raise awareness and drive advocacy efforts for the SDGs. 2. META’s leverage of large platforms and user base to amplify advocacy and raise awareness at a global scale. 3. MEtA has supported the public heath, through partnerships with government, non-profits and researchers. |
| 5．Other comments | Meeting the Sustainable Development Goals by 2030 is a very difficult task, but it can be done. It requires teamwork and commitment from everyone - governments, businesses, organizations, and all people across the world. We must all make sustainable development really important. We have to work together to overcome the tough challenges ahead. If we join forces, focus on finding new solutions, and never give up, we can achieve these huge goals and make the world better for everyone and the environment |