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SDG 2
Zero Hunger

SDG 2 – Indicator 2.3.2 – Students hunger interventions

Free food and milk for students living in dormitories



Sriwijaya University is one of 17 universities in Indonesia that have student dormitories. Dormitories can be an option for students who live outside the Indralaya campus. This dormitory is mainly used by students from the Bidik Misi program (government scholarship for students from low-income families) and students from simple families because the dormitory provides good facilities at an affordable price and is managed by Sriwijaya University, so the security is good.

In addition to providing good dormitory facilities, many programs are provided either from the campus or through the student community to help intervene in the constraints of students living in this dormitory in terms of food to overcome hunger. The principle is not to let the students who live in the dormitories experience hunger and lack of food, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic when many lecture activities were conducted online.

One of the programs is Free Food and Milk for Students in Dormitories to alleviate financial burden and promote well-being. This program aligns with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 2 (SDG 2): Zero Hunger, by ensuring that all students have access to nutritious food, regardless of their economic situation.

The Free Food and Milk Program provides free basic food items, including staples such as milk, fresh fruits, vegetables, grains, and protein, to students living in residence halls. By providing access to nutritious food in their own homes, this program supports students who might otherwise skip meals or rely on low-cost, low-nutrition foods. In addition, the campus also provides hunger prevention for the community surrounding their dormitory and apartment at Sriwijaya University.

Link 1:

<https://bpu.unsri.ac.id/index.php/asrama>

