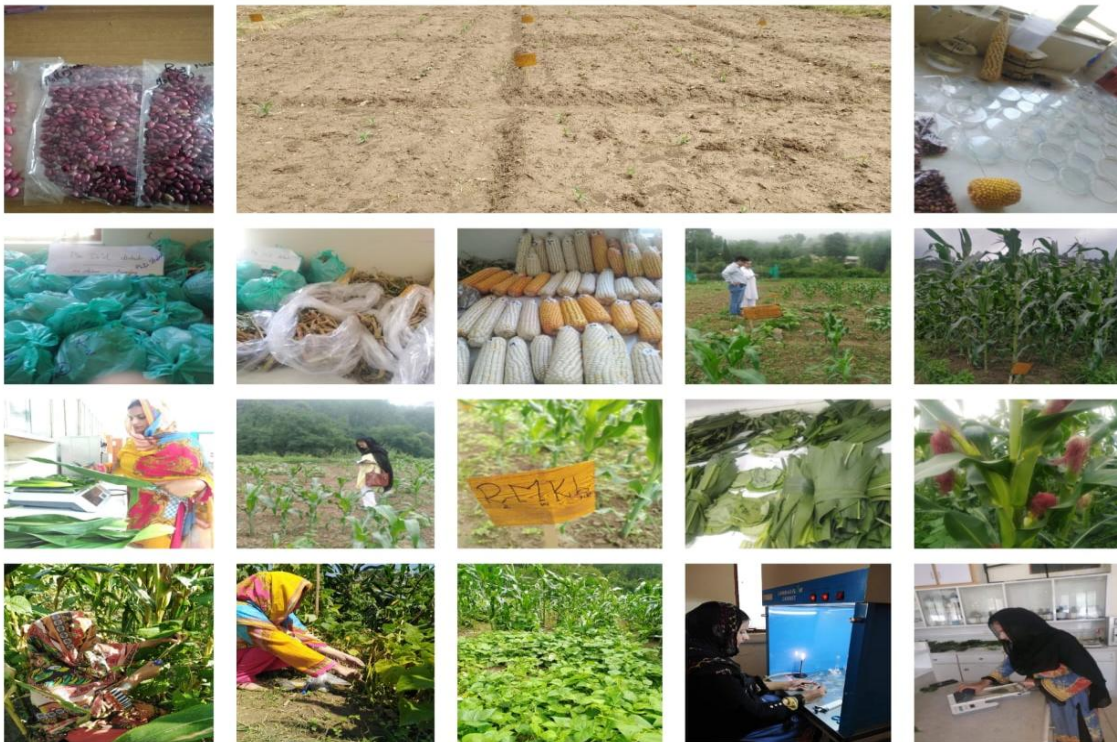


STUDENT AND STAFF HUNGER INTERVENTIONS

The University of Poonch Rawalakot ensures the access and availability of nutritious food to its students, staff and faculty by ensuring the supply of plant and animal sourced food year along. Our on-campus food supply and management program is running with the collaboration of local community groups/farmers to provide supplies of fresh fruits, vegetables and meat to ultimately offer balanced meal for low-wage workers and marginalized students at subsidized rates. The University is also continuously improving food and physical activity environment by using broader lifestyle approach including empowerment strategies (gender equality, food donations, women empowerment, training for preservation of food, free consultation about agriculture) to ensure zero hunger.

UPR has an intensive financial assistance program which covers over 30% students on campus, the program includes monthly stipend to afford uninterrupted food at campus and the hostels. The University has established a Food bank/pantry for the supply of fresh produce (summer & winter vegetables, fruits, grains, milk, meat etc grown on the University Farms. In this context, the food assistant program committees have been monitoring the sustainable supply of food commodities and its distribution among the needy students and staff either free or at reduced rates.

1. AVAILABILITY OF FRESH PRODUCE OF UNIVERSITY FARM FOR STUDENTS



Maize and Beans production and availability of fresh produce at Faculty of Agriculture, UPR



Availability of fresh produce for students and staff at faculty of Agriculture, UPR



UNIVERSITY OF POONCH RAWALAKOT

Faculty of Agriculture

Department of Agriculture Farm

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July 12, 2022

CIRCULAR:

Subject: **Provision of Vegetables, Beans, and Fruits at Subsidized Rates to Campus Facilities and Local Community**

University of Poonch Rawalakot is dedicated to provide healthy, sustainable and subsidized food within campus facilities and local community. It is hereby notified that university will provide vegetables, beans, and fruits from the university's farm on subsidized rates for utilization in our campus cafeteria, hostels, and distribution within the local community.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized 'Q' followed by a horizontal line.

Farm Manager

Distributions:

- 1) All notice boards of university
- 2) Divisional Agriculture office, District Complex Rawalakot

Notification of Agriculture faculty for Food bank/pantry for students, staff and community at subsidized rates