

KAMPHAENG PHET RAJABHAT UNIVERSITY

S U S T A I N A B I L I T Y

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A close-up photograph of a person's hands holding a green tablet. The person is wearing a blue and gold striped sleeve. The tablet is held over a gift box wrapped in gold paper with a blue ribbon. The background is blurred, showing a white flower and a green light fixture.

KPRU

Education, Sustainability, and Community for the Future

ABOUT KAMPHAENG PHET RAJABHAT UNIVERSITY

According to the Royal Gazette BE 2565, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) is categorized into Category 3:

“Higher Education Institutes for Local Development”

It is dedicated to making higher education available to local and rural people of all age groups, producing graduates, research and innovations that serve the need for local development, providing academic services with the integration of academic excellences and meaningful community engagement, and applying cutting edge technologies on promoting the development of the catchment areas while preserving its cultures, traditions, and wisdoms.

Under its two campuses: the main campus in Kamphaeng Phet and the sister campus in Mae Sot, Tak, the university provides a wide range of degree programs, professional trainings, and lifelong learning opportunities and has produced more than 100,000 quality graduates since it was founded in 1973.

Guided by the commitment on equality, inclusivity, and sustainability, the university continuously strives to meet both the immediate needs of the local communities and the broader challenges caused by the rapid global changes environmentally, socially, and economically.



50^{years} Engagement Aligns with Communities

1973 Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University was designated as a **"Teacher College"** by decree of the Thai Government on **September 29, 1973.**

1975 **Kamphaeng Phet Teacher College (KPTC)** was founded by virtue of the 1975's Teacher College Act operating under Ministry of Education."



1976 KPTC recruited its **first batch of students to study a teaching diploma.** The total of 392 students who were selected by the local administration organizations in Kamphaeng Phet and Tak made their first enrollment.

1984 KPTC expanded its teaching fields to provide the students with more choices of and to keep up with the need of the human resource. This was done according to the 1984's Teacher's College Act which gives the authority to the institution to do so.

1992 H.M. King Bhumibol signed his name to officially authorize the 36 teacher's colleges, **"Rajabhat Institute"** on 14 February, 1992.



1995 H.M. King Bhumibol graciously signed his name, on 19th January 1995, on Rajabhat Institute Act B.E. 2538. The Act has **transformed all the 36 Teacher Colleges** located in provinces throughout the country **into Rajabhat Institutes.** According to the Act, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat Institute was authorized to provide wider fields of study and issue degrees other than teaching degrees.

2000 KPRU opened for its first group of part-time students at Mae Sot, Tak. Students studied at Sapphawitthayakhom school.



2001 KPRU opened its sister campus **"Mae Sot Campus"** at Mae Pa Sub-district, Mae Sot, Tak. It took in its first full-time students at the same year. The campus gives opportunity for higher education to people in the remote areas of Tak.

2004 H.M. King Bhumibol signed His name in the Rajabhat University Act BE 2547 on 10th June 2004. The Act transforms the Rajabhat Institute into **"Rajabhat University"** under the Commission of Higher Education, Ministry of Education. The Act has given the 41 Rajabhat Institutes the authority to have a more freedom in administration and the variety in opening the fields of study.



KPRU is committed to providing affordable education, offering over 20 scholarships for financially challenged students to ensure they complete their studies. To maintain international quality, KPRU has established partnerships through 23 MOUs with universities and organizations in 11 countries, facilitating exchange programs, international conferences, and academic events. This approach enhances learning opportunities for both staff and students while keeping standards at a global level.

PHILOSOPHY

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) strives to make higher education available to all, serve the society as a hub of cutting edge bodies of knowledge, innovations, and technologies for sustainable development, and be a change agent that helps individuals to reach their full potential so that they can apply the knowledge on serving the local community, the region, and the nation for sustainable development.

The main Buddha image at KPRU is "**Phra Phuttha Vitharn Punya Bordee**"

which has been a place of worship and spiritual center to all people at KPRU and the surrounding areas. This is one of the open spaces that facilitates outdoor activities of families and individuals.

The name "Phra Phuttha Vitharn Punya Bordee" means "**The Center of Knowledge**".



"The Center of Knowledge"

VISION

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University is committed to the creation of local wisdom and intellectual that leads to sustainable development of the local and global community, and to being a change agent by employing its academic excellence, research, innovation and technologies in making meaningful impact on the society.

MOTTO

"Wisdom and Creativity for Sustainable Local Prosperity"

CORE VALUE

K | **P** | **R** | **U**
| | | |
Knowledge Public Responsibility Unity
Service and
Productivity

MISSION

1 Strengthening and empowering the communities through variety of projects based on knowledge and research

2 Training pre-service and maintaining in-service teachers with high quality programmes

3 Producing graduates with practical knowledge, essential skills, and creative, problem-solving minds underpinned by integrity, quality, and excellence at national and international standards

4 Applying cutting-edge technology and innovation to enhance university administration with transparency, good governance, and a commitment to continuous and sustainable development

GOALS

1 Increase the potential, create a competitiveness, and reduce social inequality based on careful consideration of the local and global contexts and participation from related parties

2 Produce quality teaching graduates, maintain the quality of in-service teachers and education to meet with the required professional standards

3 Producing quality graduates who contribute to sustainable social development through education that fosters social and competency-based skills, using communities as the foundation

4 Striving for high institutional performance through innovation, modern management systems, and advanced technologies guided by integrity and transparency

"Golden Teak Tree, the university's tree"

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat offers undergraduate and postgraduate degree programs across **6 faculties and 1 graduate commission unit** as follows:

1. Faculty of Education – A leading and model organization that integrates King Rama IX’s Sufficiency Economy Philosophy into its operations to produce teacher graduates who meet global standards.

2. Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences – Aspires to become a world-class higher education institution that leads the community toward sustainable development through knowledge and innovation.

3. Faculty of Science and Technology – Strives to be a digital and innovation-driven organization that provides the local community with academic excellence and produces graduates with strong digital literacy by the year 2027.

4. Faculty of Industrial Technology – Dedicated to empowering the community through up-to-date knowledge, research, and innovation for sustainable development.

5. Faculty of Management Science – Aims to serve as a dynamic and adaptive unit providing integrated management sciences, professional skills, and innovation to drive community sustainability.

6. Faculty of Nursing – Guided by the principle of “share the thought, share the work, and share the responsibility,” the Faculty is committed to becoming an organization that fosters healthy families and well-being within the community.

7. Graduate Commission Unit – Committed to advancing academic excellence and promoting quality lifelong learning recognized at both national and ASEAN levels.

Bachelor’s Programs

Education & Humanities

1. B.Ed. (Education)
2. B.Ed. (Early Childhood Education)
3. B.Ed. (Elementary Education)
4. B.Ed. (English)
5. B.Ed. (Thai)
6. B.Ed. (Chinese)
7. B.Ed. (Social Studies)
8. B.Ed. (Mathematics)
9. B.Ed. (General Science)
10. B.Ed. (Computer)
11. B.Ed. (Industrial Arts)
12. B.Ed. (Physical Education)
13. B.Ed. (Library and Information)
14. B.Ed. (Art Education)
15. B.Ed. (Music Education)
16. B.A. (English)
17. B.A. (Thai)
18. B.A. (Chinese)
19. B.A. (Business English for International Communication)

Business & Management

1. B.B.A. (Business Administration) – Finance and Banking, Marketing, Business Management, Digital Business Technology, Entrepreneurship, and International Business Management
2. B.B.A. (Logistics Management)
3. B.Acc. (Accountancy)
4. B.A. (Tourism Industry)

Arts, Culture & Social Sciences

1. B.F.A. (Product and Graphic Design)
2. B.Com.Arts. (Communication Arts)
3. B.A. (Social Development)
4. B.P.A. (Public Administration)
5. LL.B. (Law)

Health Sciences

1. B.N.S. (Nursing Science)
2. B.Sc. (Public Health)

Science & Technology

1. B.Sc. (Environmental Science and Technology)
2. B.Sc. (Applied Mathematics)
3. B.Sc. (Biology)
4. B.Sc. (Computer Science)
5. B.Sc. (Information Technology)
6. B.Sc. (Computer Technology)
7. B.Tech. (Civil Engineering Technology)
8. B.Tech. (Electrical Engineering Technology)
9. B.Tech. (Industrial Technology) – Electrical and Communication Technology, Manufacturing and Automation Technology
10. B.Eng. (Technology Engineering) – Energy and Control Engineering, Smart Grid and Electric Vehicle Engineering, Materials and Industrial Engineering
11. B.Sc. (Geographical Technology)
12. B.Sc. (Food Innovation and Business)

Master’s and Ph.D. Programs

1. M.Ed. (Educational Administration)
2. M.Ed. (Curriculum and Instruction)
3. M.A. (Administration and Development Strategy)
4. M.P.A. (Public Administration)
5. M.B.A. (Modern Management)
6. Ph.D. (Educational Administration)

Professional Programs

1. Grad. Dip. (Teaching Profession)
2. Cert.PN. (Practical Nurse)

Programs of Study

KPRU 2025 AT GLANCE

5,276

students

enrolled in undergraduate & graduate programs across 2 campuses

4,526

Graduates

during 2022–2024 and contributing to regional development

759

Staff members

Supporting academic excellence, research, and community engagement

2 Campuses

Serving learners & communities in Kamphaeng Phet & Tak provinces

6 Faculties

Delivering diverse programs aligned with sustainable development

328 Sustainability-related Subjects

Integrating sustainability concepts across academic disciplines

51.7% SDG-related Research Budget

Supporting projects aligned with Sustainable Development Goals

15,000+ Participants

Reached through academic services & community engagement activities

THE Impact Rankings 2025

1001 - 1500
Overall Ranking

37 out of 83
Thailand

9 out of 83
Rajabhat Universities

KPRU promotes Sustainability Development Goals through education, research, and community engagement. Its strong performance in THE Impact Rankings 2025 highlights its impact on sustainable development across various SDGs.

Ranking Highlights



UIGreen Metric World University Ranking 2025

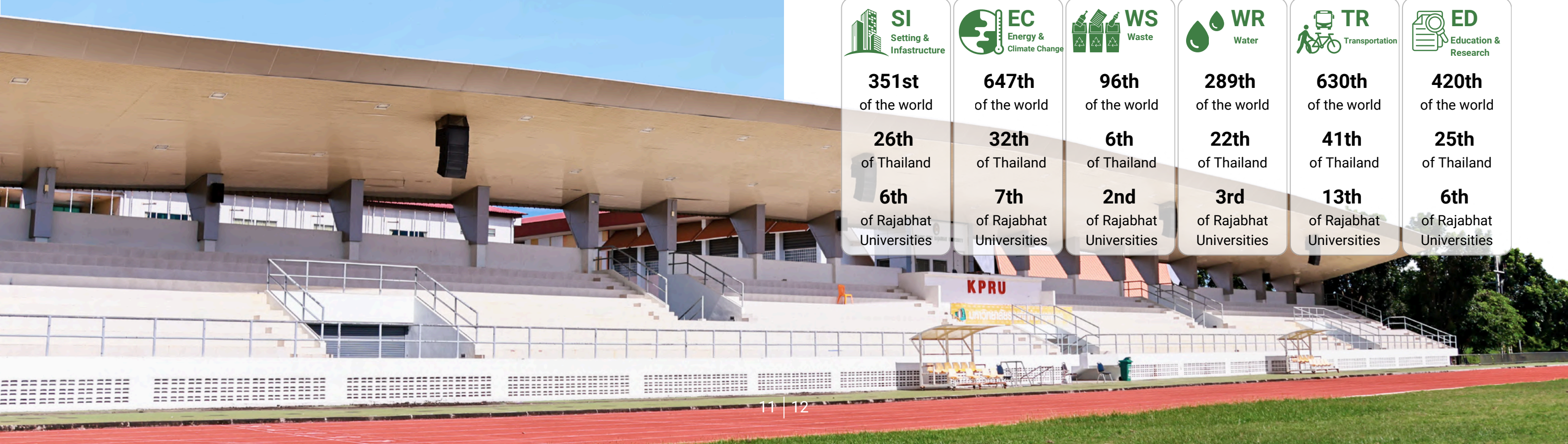
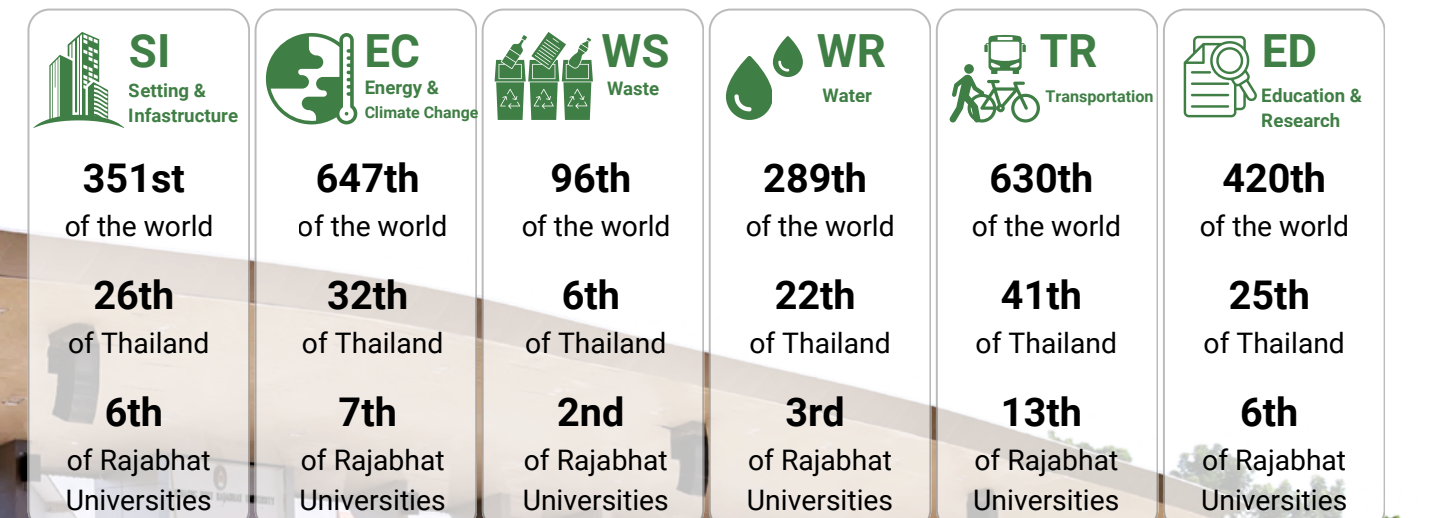
KPRU continues to advance its Green University agenda through sustainable campus operations, environmental conservation, and resource-efficient management.

315
World Ranking

25 out of 61
Thailand

3 out of 26
Rajabhat Universities

Ranking Highlights



Campus Performance

Our university is committed to improving environmental performance through sustainable campus operations. We continuously monitor key indicators including energy, water, waste, and green areas to support long-term sustainability goals.



Total Carbon Footprint

4,601.21 metric tons

Carbon Absorption Area

1.58 million m²

Renewable Energy Share

31.56%
of total electricity consumption

Waste Diversion Rate

>84% Inorganic waste
69.34% organic waste composting rate

Total Campus Area

1,881,832 m²

Greenery & Open Spaces

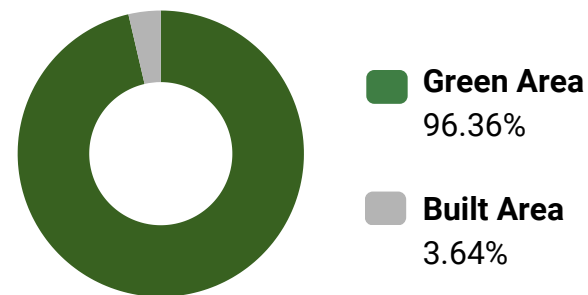
96.36% of total 1,813,347 m²

Main Campus (KPRU)

833,432 m²

Mae Sot Campus

998,400 m²



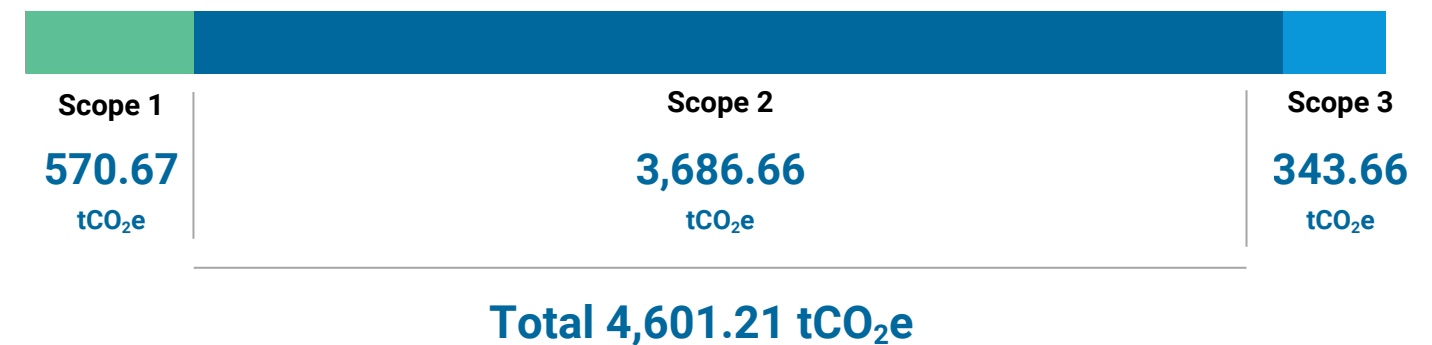
Total Electricity Consumption

4,389,137.47 kWh
Decreased from 2024, 4.49 million kWh

Solar Energy Production

1,369,145.04 kWh

Carbon Footprint by Scope



Waste Generated

Inorganic Waste
361.24 tons

Organic Waste
6.72 tons

Waste Management

Waste Bank System for sorting and selling recyclable waste

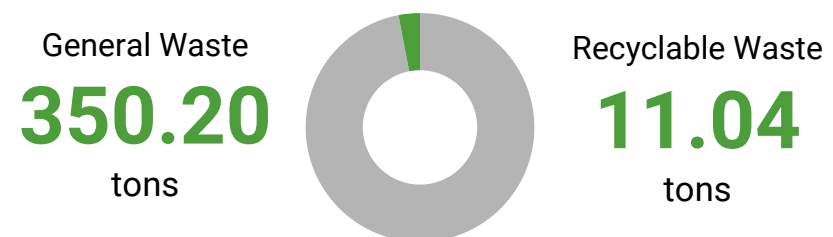
Composting system for organic waste

Plastic & Paper Waste

Plastic Waste
1.65 tons

Paper Waste
8.03 tons

Waste Composition



Total Water Consumption

82,460 m³ (From tap water)

Water Recycling & Reuse

Wastewater treated by Solar Aerator system and reused for landscape irrigation

Water Conservation Measures

Implementation of water-saving devices and awareness campaigns to promote efficient water use across campus

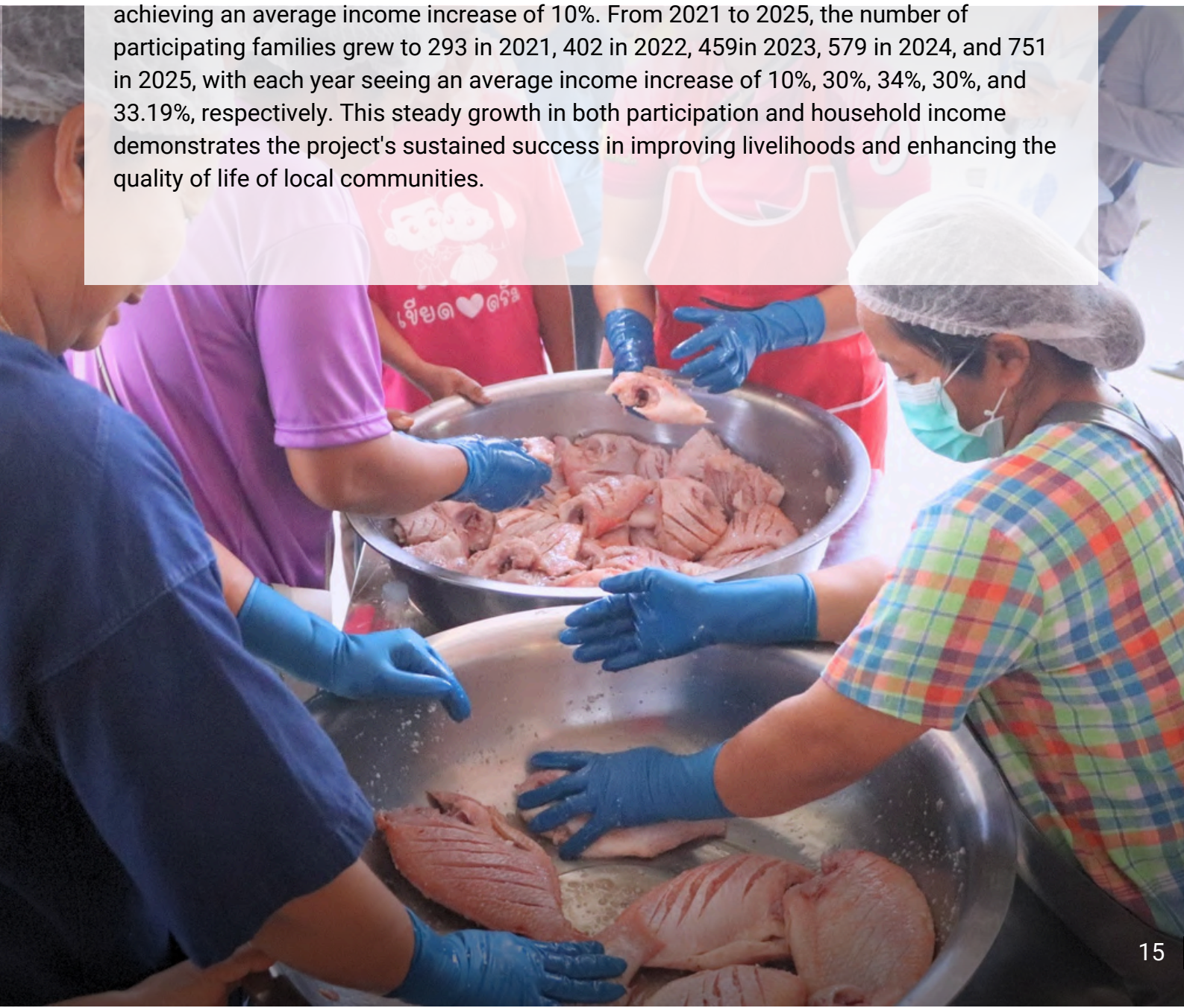
Grass Root Development Project

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University operates across two provinces: Kamphaeng Phet and Tak. The majority of the population are classified into the low-income and low educated group with a very low percentage of the population earning higher income than the poverty category and having finished first degree.

There are communities that are in a fragile condition as they are unsecure in terms of employment and finance. They are located in remote areas with limited access to public services. To assist them, the university has continuously initiated anti-poverty and income boosting projects. The projects have been focusing on providing essential knowledge and skills for a better quality of life. It also supports access to capital sources and educational opportunities to help these communities achieve long-term self-reliable.

The project activities include developing a Natural and Cultural tourist route to attract more tourists into the area, training on food and agricultural product processing, designing local product packaging, and establishing marketing channels, along with other vocational promotion activities.

In 2020, around 100 families from both provinces participated in the project, achieving an average income increase of 10%. From 2021 to 2025, the number of participating families grew to 293 in 2021, 402 in 2022, 459 in 2023, 579 in 2024, and 751 in 2025, with each year seeing an average income increase of 10%, 30%, 34%, 30%, and 33.19%, respectively. This steady growth in both participation and household income demonstrates the project's sustained success in improving livelihoods and enhancing the quality of life of local communities.



“End Poverty in all its forms everywhere”

Enhancing Food Processing Skills to Increase Community Income

KPRU is committed to improving community livelihoods by strengthening local entrepreneurs and boosting the value of community products. On February 17, 2025, the Office of Academic Services and Revenue organized a hands-on workshop on the production of safe, high-quality fermented fish (Pla Ra) and fermented sour fish (Pla Som), together with microbial control techniques in the fermentation process. The training was conducted for members of the Ban Map Khla Agricultural Housewives Community Enterprise in Khlong Khlung District, Kamphaeng Phet Province.

The workshop provided practical training on standardized production processes, quality control, taste evaluation, food safety, contaminant testing, and microbial management to ensure that fermented products comply with national food safety standards. The sessions were led by Assistant Professor Bunyakrit Rattanaphan and Mr. Pongsakorn Saenghong, who shared technical expertise and best practices in food processing.

By improving product quality and safety, the initiative enhances the market competitiveness of community products, creates opportunities for higher household income, and strengthens the capacity of local entrepreneurs to develop sustainable community-based businesses. The project supports long-term economic resilience by transforming local knowledge into value-added products with greater commercial potential.

Student Scholarships

The university provided several forms of scholarships to the students from low-income families and with financial difficulties. The scholarship and other helps enabled the students to continue their study without having to dropout or to do overloaded part-time jobs that could affect their study. In 2025, **388 students received scholarship** worth over 6,000,000 million baht (180,000 USD) from 25 organizations such as The SET Foundation, PTT Exploration and Production Public Company Limited, S1 project, and Scholarship under Royal Patronage. The university also facilitated our students to get Student Loan with low interest rate.



ARIT Trains Valueable Groups on IoT & Smart Farming to Enhance Food Security and Digital Literacy

As a higher education institution dedicated to local development, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University recognizes its pivotal role in transferring knowledge and technology to establish a foundation of self-reliance within society. The university is particularly committed to ending hunger and ensuring food security for vulnerable groups who lack social opportunities. Guided by an operational framework that prioritizes evidence-based outcomes in alignment with international evaluation standards, the Computer Center under the Academic Resources and Information Technology Institute initiated and implemented the "Digital Community Project for the 21st Century."

This initiative featured a hands-on workshop titled "Implementing the Internet of Things (IoT) for Smart Farming," conducted from July 7 to 8, 2025, at Kamphaeng Phet Central Prison, aiming to foster future-ready occupational skills and prepare inmates for a sustainable reintegration into society as quality citizens. The implementation of this project focused on seamlessly integrating modern digital technology into household and community-level food production.

Target 2.1: By 2030, end hunger and ensure access by all people, in particular the poor and people in vulnerable situations, including infants, to safe, nutritious and sufficient food all year round.

The learning process was structured around practical, real-world simulated training divided into three systematically interconnected core learning stations. The program initiated with the IoT Operation Station, which enabled participants to understand the application of technology in developing and controlling automated water and humidity management systems using smart sensors, thereby optimizing agricultural efficiency and mitigating climate-related variations.

This was systematically followed by the Hydroponics Farming Station, which demonstrated techniques for producing safe, high-nutrient vegetables within space-constrained environments. Lastly, the Mushroom Cultivation Station in closed-system greenhouse ensured reliable, self-sufficient source of alternative protein accessible for daily consumption.

2 ZERO HUNGER



FOSIC Public Service

KPRU's Food Safety and Inspection Service Center (FOSIC) was established to provide high-quality food inspection and food safety services. FOSIC aims to empower the public with knowledge of food safety standards while addressing societal needs related to the certification of food product standards.

During 2025, the KPRU FOSIC received 173 sample testing requested from both government and private sectors for microbiological, chemical, and physical analyses. All conducted were examined under nationally recognized and accredited laboratory standards. Additionally, it has created jobs and business opportunities for the community to enable them to develop products that meet the standards and implementing quality control in production.

Study Program

In 2024, the department of Food Science, Faculty of Science and Technology opened its latest study program: B.Sc. (Food Innovation and Business) which was then B.Sc. (Food Science and Technology). The subject provides the students with knowledge, and skills necessary in food industry and food technologies. The curriculum requires the students to study food-related chemistry, food analysis, food safety, food processing and preservation technology, and the application of biotechnology to the food industry and health diet.

Apart from classroom learning, the program arranges extra activities to consolidate knowledge and experience such as academic services for local food entrepreneurs and enterprises, food product development, and workshops with food entrepreneurs. In its first year of recruitment, 11 students applied; and 20 students applied in the second year.

KPRU Food and Drink Center

KPRU Food Center offers a variety of healthy, fresh, and affordable food options for everyone. The 22 food and drink booths open early in the morning and closes in the afternoon, ensuring that students, staff, and visitors can enjoy a good breakfast and lunch. Most of the ingredients come from reliable local suppliers, mainly farms within the province. Vendors at the KPRU Food Center strictly follow food safety guidelines in cooking, storing, and serving to guarantee that customers receive high-quality meals.

Strengthening Mental Health Support Capacity for Educational Staff and Student Leaders

KPRU recognizes that mental and physical well-being fundamental to student success and well-being. In collaboration with the Mental Health Center Region 3, KPRU organized the Capacity Building Program for Educational Personnel and Student Leaders of Rajabhat Universities (Batch 1) on January 16, 2025, to strengthen the university's mental health support system.

The training equipped educational personnel and student leaders with knowledge and practical skills in mental health promotion, early identification of mental health risks, psychological first aid, and basic counseling. Participants received hands-on training in using the Mental Health Check-In assessment system to identify individuals requiring timely support and referral.

The program aimed to establish a collaborative support network within the university, enabling educational personnel and student leaders to provide appropriate guidance, strengthen mental health awareness, and improve access to early intervention services. By fostering a supportive campus environment, the initiative contributes to student well-being, promotes inclusive education, and enhances the overall quality of university life.



“Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages”

SDG
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Study Program

There are three study programmes provided under two faculties, Faculty of Nursing and of Science and Technology. Under the Faculty of Nursing, two programmes are provided: Bachelor of Nursing and Certificate in Caregiver.

Bachelor of Nursing program is designed to address the critical shortage of professional nurses in the Thai healthcare system. Kamphaeng Phet, Tak, Sukhothai, and Phichit provinces lack local institutions for nurse training, leading to a significant deficit in professional nurses and continuity in community health development. Graduates of the nursing program will be qualified to work in both healthcare facilities and within the community, contributing to improved health outcomes.

Certificate in Caregiver course covers comprehensive knowledge on elderly care and health promotion, along with hands-on practice at affiliated institutions. Participants who successfully completed the course received a certificate from the university and were registered as certified caregivers, eligible to work in elderly care services and facilities for those with dependency needs.

Under the Faculty of Science and Technology, Bachelor of Science degree in Public Health is operated. The courses is designed to produce quality graduates who embody strong moral values and professional ethics, while effectively meeting community needs. Graduates will gain comprehensive knowledge and skills in health promotion, disease prevention and control, initial assessment and treatment for patient rehabilitation, occupational health, environmental health programs, and addressing public health issues.

Strengthening Mathematics Learning and Leadership through the KPRU Mathematics Camp

The university is committed to developing competent graduates who possess both academic knowledge and practical skills while inspiring young learners to pursue science and mathematics. As part of this commitment, the Mathematics Programs of the Faculty of Education and the Faculty of Science and Technology organized the Mathematics Camp under the Graduate Competency Development Project on February 22–23, 2025.

The camp was organized by second- and third-year mathematics students for first-year university students and upper secondary students from Thung Pho Talay Pittaya School and Kamphaeng Din Pittayakhom School. Through interactive mathematical activities, problem-solving challenges, and collaborative learning, participants enhanced their mathematical understanding, critical thinking, and teamwork skills in an engaging learning environment.

The project also provided valuable experiential learning opportunities for university students to develop leadership, academic camp management, and communication skills while applying their knowledge in real educational settings. By strengthening mathematics learning and fostering collaboration between higher education and local schools, the initiative contributes to improving educational quality and encouraging students to pursue STEM-related fields.

Enhancing English Proficiency through the PTTEP English Camp 2025

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) is committed to enhancing educational opportunities and developing the competencies of young people through strong collaboration with the private sector. In partnership with PTTEP Public Company Limited, the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences and the KPRU SDG Office organized the PTTEP English Camp 2025 under the PTTEP S1 Operation Area English Development Program to strengthen English language skills among upper secondary school students.

The two-day camp brought together students from five secondary schools in Kamphaeng Phet Province, providing interactive learning experiences that focused on English communication, teamwork, critical thinking, and confidence in using English in real-life situations. Through engaging activities and collaborative learning, participants were encouraged to develop practical language skills that support their future academic and career pathways.

The initiative reflects KPRU's commitment to improving educational quality while fostering partnerships that expand learning opportunities for local youth. By equipping students with essential communication skills and promoting lifelong learning, the program contributes to preparing future generations with the competencies needed to succeed in an increasingly globalized society.

“Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all”









4 QUALITY EDUCATION



Target 4.1: By 2030, ensure that all girls and boys complete free, equitable and quality primary and secondary education leading to relevant and effective learning outcomes.

The university strongly emphasizes gender equality and non-discrimination across all ages and genders. We are committed to fostering a safe and inclusive environment where diversity is respected, and all individuals are free to express their gender identity. For instance, students are entitled to choose to wear the university uniform in accordance with their gender of choice.

All genders, particularly women, play significant roles in academic, social, and administrative spheres at KPRU. In the Student Administration Organization, male, female, and LGBTQ members work closely and harmoniously to organize extracurricular activities. This inclusiveness is equally reflected among faculty and staff. Currently, KPRU's president is female, and several key positions within the university are also held by women.

-  **83%** are female students in all years
-  **64%** are female freshmen from all freshmen
-  **83%** are female graduates
-  **13%** are female STEM graduates
-  **59%** are female academics and staff
-  **50%** are female in senior academics

“Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls”

KPRU Women Futsal Team

The women's futsal team at Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) not only represents athletic talent but also serves as a symbol of gender equality in the university. Regardless of gender, all athletes can fully demonstrate their potential, fostering an understanding of the value of equality and respect for diversity.

The team continues to stand as a leader in empowering female athletes in all dimensions—physical, mental, and leadership skills—playing a crucial role in advancing gender equality in sports and Thai society through competitions in various matches, both at the regional and national levels.

Maternity & Paternity Leave

The university places a strong emphasis on supporting women during childbirth, recognizing the importance of both maternal and paternal roles in family life. To promote a family-friendly environment, the university has established comprehensive regulations for maternity leave and paternity leave as follows:

Maternity Leave: Female employees can take a total of 90 days of maternity leave, with 45 days paid by the university and an additional 45 days covered by the Social Security Office. This structure ensures that mothers have adequate time to recover and bond with their newborns.

Paternity Leave: Male employees are entitled to 15 days of paternity leave with full pay, allowing them to support their partners during childbirth and care for their families during this critical time.

These guideline, part of the university's announcement on May 17, 2012, are designed not only to provide necessary support for parents but also to promote gender equality by encouraging both men and women to participate in family responsibilities.

This mandate encompasses three major operational areas:

- **Academic Activities & Campuses:** Students are permitted to dress according to their gender identity when attending classes, sitting for institutional examinations, and contacting university administrative offices.
- **Professional Training & Practicums:** Students have the right to wear attire aligned with their gender identity during professional training, teaching practicums, or clinical practices, subject to regulations established by host workplaces or professional councils.
- **Commencement Ceremonies:** Graduates are fully authorized to dress and submit official registration photographs in academic gowns that correspond to their chosen gender identity for the graduation ceremony.

And to explicitly safeguard human dignity and promote structural inclusion, the university enforces rigorous anti-discrimination clauses:

- **Personnel Mandate:** Faculty members and university personnel are strictly required to treat all transgender and gender-diverse students with absolute respect for human dignity, fundamental rights, liberties, and gender equality.
- **Prohibition of Unfair Regulations:** All faculties, institutes, offices, and internal departments are strictly prohibited from issuing secondary rules, notices, or internal guidelines regarding dress codes that constitute unfair discrimination against gender-diverse students.

Target 5.1: End all forms of discrimination against all women and girls everywhere.

Guidelines on Student Dress Code for Students Whose Gender Identity Differs from Their Assigned Sex

The university officially grants students whose gender identity or sexual orientation differs from their assigned sex at birth (LGBTQ+) the right to dress in accordance with their gender identity across all university activities, provided that the attire remains polite and orderly.

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Water Supply and Free Drinking Water

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University is committed to ensuring the well-being of students, staff, and visitors by providing access to clean and free drinking water across the campus. Water purifier machines are installed in buildings, offices, student dormitories, and public areas. This initiative helps reduce personal expenses while encouraging the reduction of single-use plastic bottles. Through regular maintenance and water quality inspections, the university ensures that drinking water meets health and safety standards.

Water Quality Monitoring and Safety

The university places strong emphasis on maintaining high standards of water quality and safety. Regular monitoring and testing are conducted for drinking water, treated wastewater, and campus water resources to ensure compliance with relevant health and environmental standards. Water quality assessments support the safe reuse of treated water and help prevent contamination of natural ecosystems.

The university's water management system combines monitoring, treatment, conservation, and reuse measures to ensure sustainable water resource utilization while protecting public health and the surrounding environment. These efforts contribute to long-term water security, environmental stewardship, and climate resilience across the campus.

Wastewater Treatment and Water Reuse

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University has implemented an integrated wastewater management system to reduce environmental impact and maximize water resource circularity. The university has upgraded its wastewater treatment facilities as part of broader improvements to its water production and management systems, enabling treated water to be safely reused while preserving natural water resources for potable water production.

To prevent water pollution, the university employs two complementary water management strategies: a water barrier system surrounding the campus and a three-tier wastewater treatment system designed for different categories of facilities, including office and buildings, science laboratories, and university restaurants. More than 50% of the wastewater generated on campus is treated, recycled, and reused for landscape irrigation and green area maintenance. Regular maintenance and water quality inspections are conducted to ensure the efficiency and safety of the treatment process.

Water Conservation and Efficiency Measures

The university has established comprehensive water conservation measures to improve water-use efficiency and reduce unnecessary consumption. Water usage is closely monitored through 38 water meters installed across the campus, enabling effective tracking and management of water consumption. Water-saving fixtures are incorporated into new buildings and renovation projects to minimize water demand. In addition, awareness of water conservation is promoted through the Green Office Project, educational campaigns, public information boards, and university communication channels, encouraging students and staff to adopt responsible water-use behaviors.



“Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all”

Electric Vehicle Station

7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY



“Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all”

Promoting Renewable Energy through Solar Water Pump Training

On March 20, 2025, faculty members and the Smart Energy and Technology for Community Learning Center (SET4C) of Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) organized a hands-on workshop on solar-powered water pumping systems at the Sufficiency Economy Learning Center, Khlong Lan Wittaya School, Kamphaeng Phet Province.

Participants learned the principles of solar energy and gained practical experience in installing a solar-powered water pump system for agricultural use. The training enhanced technical skills, promoted the adoption of renewable energy technologies, and demonstrated sustainable solutions for water management in local communities.

The workshop also encouraged participants to apply clean energy technologies to reduce dependence on fossil fuels, lower energy costs for agricultural activities, and improve water accessibility in rural areas. By integrating practical learning with community-based applications, the initiative strengthened local capacity to adopt renewable energy innovations and supported sustainable agricultural development aligned with the Sufficiency Economy Philosophy.

Study program

The Bachelor of Engineering Program in Technology Engineering prepares graduates to become future leaders in energy innovation. With two specialized majors—Energy and Control Systems Engineering and Smart Grid and Electric Vehicle Engineering—programs prepare students with strong knowledge and practical skills in renewable energy, power systems, automation, and advanced electric mobility technologies.

The programs emphasize hands-on learning, sustainability, and innovative knowledge to ensure that graduates can apply engineering solutions to real-world challenges. With versatile skills, graduates are prepared for careers such as energy engineers, smart grid specialists, EV engineers, process control engineers, energy analysts, researchers, and entrepreneurs in renewable energy sectors.

Energy Conservation Policy

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University has established an energy conservation policy to guide its operations with the following key points:

1. Energy conservation is integrated into the operations of all university departments, making it the responsibility of all staff members.
2. The university will implement energy conservation measures suitable to the nature and energy consumption of each department.
3. All personnel must strictly comply with relevant energy conservation and management laws.
4. The university and its energy management team will regularly improve the organization's energy efficiency.
5. The university will allocate necessary resources, including personnel, budget, work time, training, and participation, to support effective energy management. (part of an announcement on June, 29, 2023)



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“Promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all”

Job Security Promotions and Welfares for KPRU Staff

Not only that the university employs its staff member with fair wages, it also provides them with other forms of welfare in order to ensure job security.

- The university’s staff welfare program includes salary increases, health insurance, tuition fee compensation for employees’ children, medical expense allowances, affordable housing, fitness and recreation facilities, legal assistance, as well as primary health and mental health services.
- It also promotes its staff to higher or more secure positions. Staff with high performance in their key responsibilities are considered for promotion to higher positions, fostering career advancement and growth opportunities. For those who are under short-term contracts and with good performance, the university provides them with the long-term contract. For those who are already under a long-term contract, the university gives them financial support as they are applying for higher academic positions such as assistant professorship, associate professorship.

Target 8.9: By 2030, devise and implement policies to promote sustainable tourism that creates jobs and promotes local culture and products.

KPRU Academic and Staff Club: Connecting University Personnel

The Academic and Staff Club of KPRU serves as a platform that unites lecturers, government officials, university staff, contractual employees, and other personnel to foster a strong sense of community and well-being across the university.

The club’s activities focus on strengthen social connections, promoting staff welfare, and providing opportunities for professional and personal development. Activities include team-building program, sports and recreational events, academic seminars, cultural celebrations, and health and wellness campaigns.

By cultivating a collaborative and inclusive environment, the Academic and Staff Club enhances morale, supports work-life balance, and contributes to a positive campus culture, reinforcing KPRU’s commitment to a cohesive and engaged university community.

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



KPRU and Kamphaeng Phet Province Celebrate Tribal Textile Festival to Promote Cultural Heritage and Sustainable Tourism

On 20 December 2025, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU), in collaboration with Kamphaeng Phet Province and six ethnic communities, organized the “Tribal Textile Festival: From Royal Compassion to the Preservation of Khlong Lan Highland Embroidery Craftsmanship” at the Khlong Lan Night Cultural Market.

The festival was held to honor the legacy of Her Majesty Queen Sirikit The Queen Mother, whose royal initiatives have supported highland embroidery and traditional textile craftsmanship in Khlong Lan since 1994, creating sustainable livelihoods for local ethnic communities.

A highlight of the festival was the “Living Museum” Fashion Show, featuring traditional costumes and handwoven textiles from six ethnic groups. The showcase celebrated cultural heritage while promoting local identity and cultural tourism through the use of cultural capital (Soft Power).

The festival also included textile exhibitions, a cultural markets, traditional cuisine, handicraft displays, auctions of valuable woven textiles and silverware, and cultural performances reflecting the unique identities of local communities.

The project was organized under the research project “The Charm of Khlong Lan,” the event aimed to preserve cultural heritage, strengthen community pride, generate economic opportunities, and position Khlong Lan as a sustainable cultural tourism destination in Kamphaeng Phet Province.



“Build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation”

KPRU Business Incubation Unit

The university has established an incubation unit. This unit is dedicated to fostering the growth of startup and spin-off companies, encouraging entrepreneurs to develop research-based businesses. By collaborating with experts from the industry side, the incubation unit provides essential guidance and helps, facilitates the transformation of research into commercial ventures. Additionally, it plays a crucial role in managing intellectual property, ensuring that innovative ideas are effectively translated into practical business applications.

On 19 July 2025, The Business Incubation Unit under the Research and Development Institute of Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) led student teams to participate in the PSRUBI STARTUP PITCHING 2025 competition under the theme “Creating Health Products through Innovation and Technology for Sustainable Business”, held at Pibulsongkram Rajabhat University, Phitsanulok Province. Two KPRU student teams represented the university and both successfully received Honorable Mention Awards.

The team called “SKYBOUND” consisted of students from the Information Technology Program, Faculty of Science and Technology, was recognized for presenting an innovative business concept that applied technology and innovation to develop health-related products that address societal needs while promoting sustainable business growth.

VENTURE X, team from the Materials and Industrial Engineering Program, Faculty of Industrial Technology also received an Honorable Mention Award for presenting a business concept that demonstrated strong potential for commercializing innovation and generating positive social and environmental impacts.



Driving Sustainable Development through Research and Global Collaboration

The university is committed to driving society towards SDGs by creating knowledge and innovations that can be applied to make better changes. Research is therefore a crucial aspect of the university's missions. To ensure that the university's research contributes to the global goals, research proposals that will be funded must meet SDG based requirements.

Additionally, the research must show potential impact to a specific SDGs. Requirements include collaboration with external organizations, local communities, private sectors, and government agencies. This approach aims to ensure that research outcomes can be practically utilized in society and create a broad positive impacts. The university also supports the establishment of collaborations with researchers from low income or lower-middle income countries to promote sustainable development at the international level and enhance opportunities for knowledge and innovation exchange.

Study Program

In 2024, the department of Business Administration designed a new curriculum “**Entrepreneurial Management**”. The new discipline is perfect for anyone with ambition and motivation to own a business and become a successful entrepreneur. The program focuses on subjects such as prototype business, good entrepreneur and entrepreneurship, new product development, digital marketing, tax planning, financial feasibility analysis that shape up the students to become a potential entrepreneur. The students can express their creativity with their business ideas. Learning from experts, experienced businesspeople, along with advisors who can advise from starting a business until it is successful, the program ensures the competitiveness of the graduates.

Advancing Educational Equity: KPRU Supports Border Patrol Police School Development

As part of commitment to promoting equitable access to quality education in remote communities, the staff members from the Office of Academic Resources and Information Technology participated in the Educational Quality Enhancement Project for Border Patrol Police Schools organized by the Faculty of Education.

From December 9–11, 2025, KPRU staff joined the Volunteer Development Camp 2026 at Ban Mae La Khee Border Patrol Police School, Tha Song Yang District, Tak Province. The initiative aimed to improve learning facilities and environments for students in remote areas while supporting the school's preparation for an upcoming royal visit by Her Royal Highness Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn during her official mission in Tak Province.

During the three-day activity, they helped improve the school library system, organize classrooms to better support teaching and learning, and enhance the overall school environment. Development activities also included the renovation of the Brain-Based Learning (BBL) activity area and other educational spaces to create a more engaging and student-friendly learning atmosphere.

On this occasion, the university officially handed over the renovated library, a green house supported by the Office of Academic Resources and Information Technology, as well as sports equipment and classroom supplies to Ban Mae La Khee Border Patrol Police School. These contributions are expected to strengthen educational opportunities, promote lifelong learning, and improve the quality of life of students and the local community.



“Reduce inequality within and among countries”

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University has made a strong and continuous commitment to tackling all forms of inequality – physical, gender, educational, and resource-related – while ensuring equal opportunities and inclusive participation for all in the university's decision-making and activities. KPRU ensures that no restrictions are placed on access to its facilities, participation in activities, or the rights to vote or be voted for leadership positions, regardless of gender or background. This commitment extends to creating a welcoming environment for all individuals, fostering a culture of respect and equality across the campus.

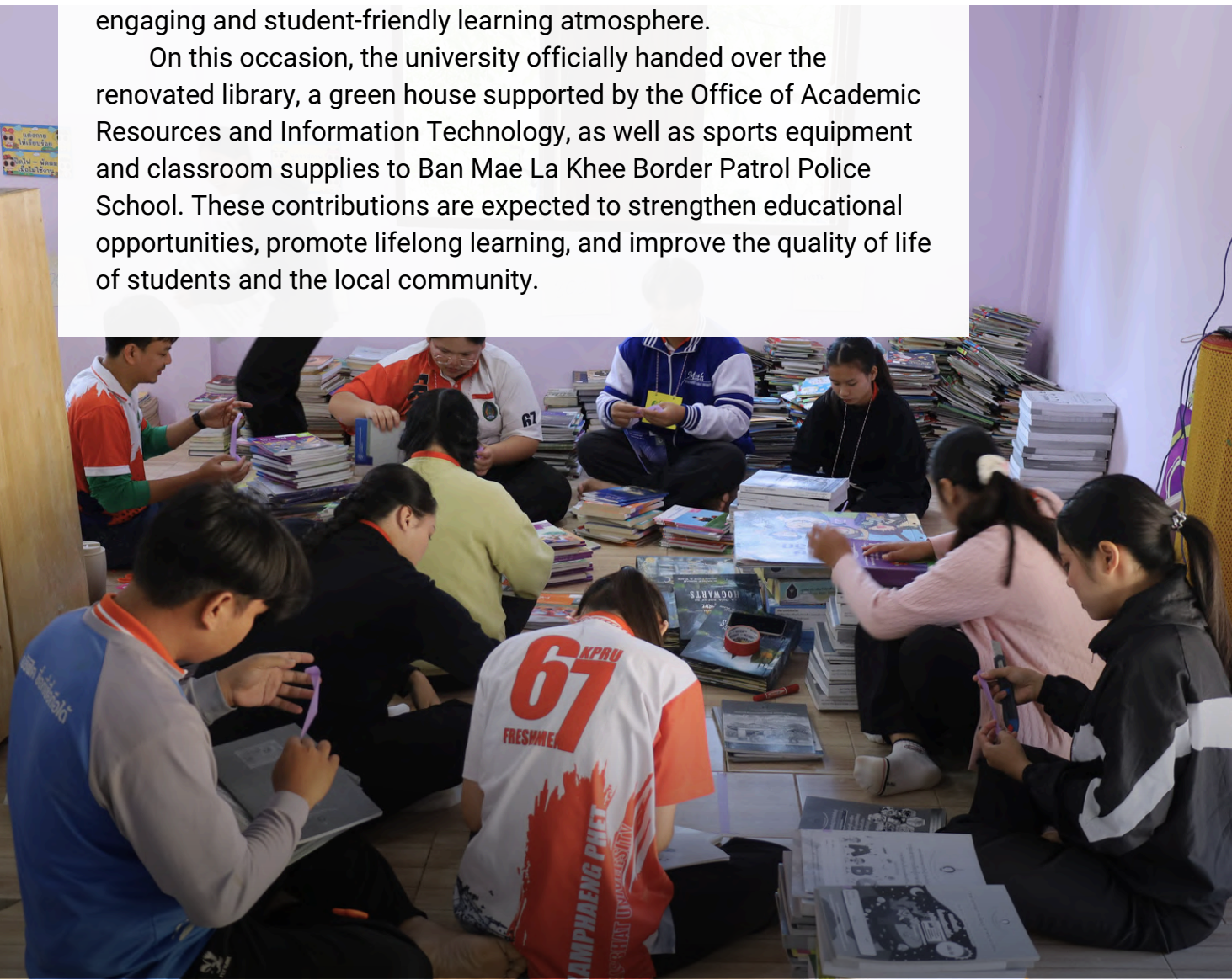
KPRU's efforts are not limited to the academic sphere but extend to community engagement, ensuring that vulnerable groups have access to resources and opportunities. The university is dedicated to fostering a more equitable society, where individuals can overcome barriers, achieve their full potential, and contribute to sustainable development.

Disable Staff and Students

KPRU has set an excellence example by employing individuals with physical disabilities, demonstrating the university's commitment to inclusivity in the workplace. Additionally, KPRU also actively recruits students with disabilities, offering them the opportunity to study in both regular and specially equipped classrooms, ensuring they receive the necessary support to succeed academically. Moreover, KPRU also provides scholarships for disabled students in every year.

Disable Facilities Support

KPRU is committed to enhancing accessibility for individuals with disabilities by providing specialized facilities on campus. This includes restrooms in nearly every building, well-designed pathways, and accessible entrances. The university has also created connecting domes between buildings to facilitate safe navigation. When planning new construction, KPRU prioritizes the inclusion of disability-friendly facilities, ensuring that all individuals can access and enjoy university life.



KPRU Community Garden

KPRU has successfully transformed an area near the Central Building (Building 14) into the KPRU Community Garden. This initiative serves as a dynamic learning center focused on the principles of a sufficiency economy while providing a space for university staff and personnel to cultivate their own organic vegetables. The community garden also aims to promote sustainable gardening practices, including organic gardening, composting, and water conservation techniques.

By encouraging its personnel to reduce chemical use and adopt organic gardening methods, KPRU fosters an environmentally friendly approach to food production. Through this community garden, the university actively promotes sustainable practices, nurtures a sense of community, and empowers individuals to take charge of their food sources.

Cultural Heritage Preservation through Local Soft Power

Preserving cultural heritage is an important foundation for sustainable community development. The Office of Arts and Culture, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU), recognizes the value of local traditions, wisdom, and cultural identity that should be preserved and passed on to future generations. To promote local Soft Power and strengthen cultural tourism, KPRU organized the event “Community Heritage Along the Riverbanks Following King Rama V’s Royal Journey in Kamphaeng Phet Province.” The event showcased the unique lifestyles, traditions, and wisdom of three local communities—Trairung, Nakhon Chum, and Nai Mueang. Community members presented their cultural heritage through exhibitions, traditional practices, local products, and culinary experiences that reflected the identity of each community.

A key highlight was the development and presentation of seven local dishes inspired by King Rama V’s royal journey and local food heritage. Several menu items incorporated research-based products developed through collaboration between KPRU and local communities, demonstrating how research and innovation can add value to traditional knowledge and local resources. In addition, community-based products such as clothing, bags, and keychains were developed to promote local identity and create economic opportunities. These activities helped transform cultural assets into value-added products that support community livelihoods and sustainable tourism.

The event provided opportunities for cultural learning, community engagement, and economic development. By promoting awareness and appreciation of local heritage, KPRU contributes to preserving cultural diversity, strengthening community pride, and creating sustainable benefits for local communities through culture-based development.

Off Campus Commuting

To serve our nursing students need for working outside the campus, the university offers convenient and economical transportation for them. Instead of traveling by their own vehicle, the university bus picks them up and drops them off on weekdays from 7:30 AM to 5:00 PM. This shuttle service is scheduled to accommodate the varying shifts of nursing internships, allowing students to arrive punctually and return safely after their shifts. With multiple stops across campus and nearby residential areas, the service minimizes travel time and maximizes accessibility, making it easier for students to commute and reduce energy consumption resulting from using private ride.

“Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable”

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11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



Target 11.4: Strengthen efforts to protect and safeguard the world’s cultural and natural heritage.



“Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns”

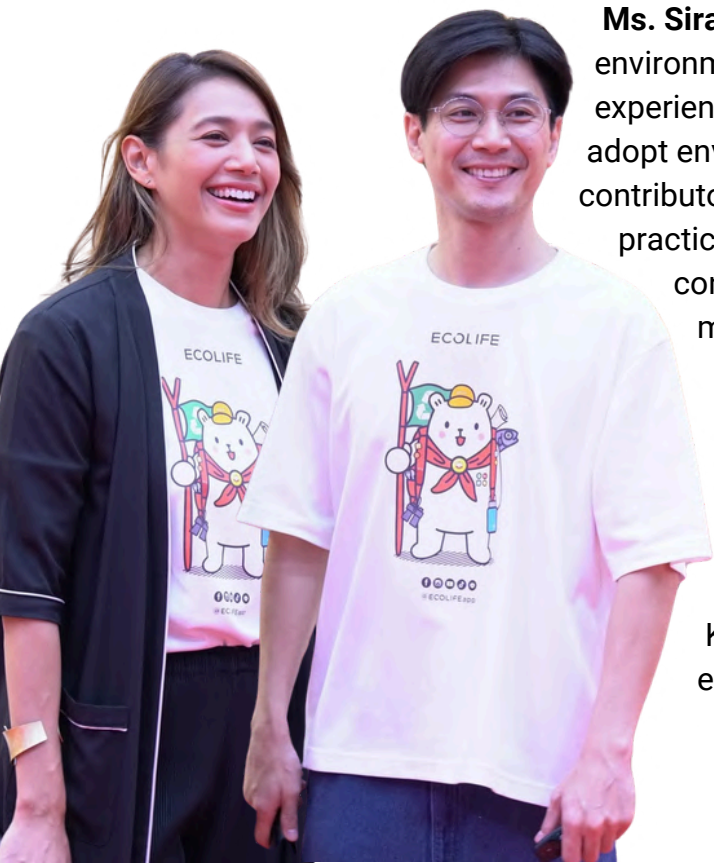


Promoting Environmental Awareness and Sustainable Behavior through the KPRU Green Initiative

Creating a sustainable campus requires the active participation from all. On June 25, 2025, KPRU organized the “KPRU Green: Waste Management and Energy Conservation Awareness. This is to promote environmental responsibility and support the university’s sustainability goals. The event brought together university executives, faculty members, staff, and students to learn about waste management, energy conservation, resource efficiency, and climate action.

The program featured distinguished keynote speakers, including **Mr. Pipat Apirakthanakorn (Top Pipat)**, a well-known environmental advocate and sustainable lifestyle influencer, and

Ms. Sirapan Wattanajinda (Noon Sirapan), an actress and environmental campaign supporter. Through inspiring talks and experience sharing, the speakers encouraged participants to adopt environmentally responsible behaviors and become active contributors to sustainability efforts. The program highlighted practical approaches to waste reduction, responsible consumption, energy conservation, and circular resource management. Participants gained a deeper understanding of how individual actions can contribute to reducing greenhouse gas emissions and advancing the university’s goal of becoming a sustainable and environmentally friendly campus. As a member of the ECOLIFE network and a university recognized for the achievements in sustainable campus management, KPRU continues to implement initiatives that foster environmental awareness and behavioral change.



Waste Disposal

Since 2017, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University has been actively implementing a comprehensive waste management. To handle waste more effectively, the university introduced the ‘waste sorting project’ attempting to improve the university’s waste treatment system. Garbage bins with clear labels and distinct colors were brought in making it easier to separate waste properly. Paper, plastics, cartridges, glass, aluminum, food waste, and hazardous waste go in different bins and are treated properly. The university also tracks the amount of waste collected in kilograms to gain proper data for planning waste treatment system that will later reduce negative impact.

In 2025, KPRU advanced its waste management efforts by collecting and recycling 9 tons of waste. The university also transformed 6 tons of organic waste into fertilizer for campus use and ensured the safe disposal of hazardous and infectious waste by outsourcing a waste care company.

Promoting Sustainable Waste Management through Community Engagement

On February 26, 2025, KPRU organized a waste segregation and food waste composting workshop for local communities in Nakhon Chum Subdistrict, Kamphaeng Phet Province. The activity brought together

community members, local authorities, businesses, and university personnel to learn practical waste management methods, including waste segregation and compost production from food waste. Organic waste bins were also distributed to support proper waste management practices.

The initiative enhanced environmental awareness, promoted circular economy principles, and strengthened community capacity to reduce waste and greenhouse gas emissions. It also supports KPRU’s commitment to becoming a green and carbon-neutral university while serving as a model for sustainable community resource management.



Target 12.8: Ensure that people everywhere have the relevant information and awareness for sustainable development and lifestyles in harmony with nature.

Climate Literacy and Youth Power for a Net-Zero Future

Addressing climate change requires not only technological solutions but also public awareness and active participation from future generations. Recognizing the importance of climate literacy, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU), in collaboration with the Kamphaeng Phet Provincial Office of Natural Resources and Environment, organized the “Global Warming, Cool Minds Camp Season 2” on July 2, 2025.

The program engaged undergraduate students from the Faculty of Education and the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in a series of interactive learning activities designed to enhance their understanding of climate change, environmental sustainability, and pathways toward achieving net-zero greenhouse gas emissions.

Participants gained practical experience through lectures on climate change and global warming, carbon footprint assessment, and climate adaptation in everyday life. A field-based walk rally activity also enabled students to measure and explore carbon sequestration from trees on campus, helping them connect environmental concepts with real-world applications. The initiative strengthened students’ knowledge and awareness of climate challenges while equipping them with practical skills to assess environmental impacts and contribute to climate action within their communities. By fostering climate-conscious behaviors among young people, the program supports long-term efforts to build resilient communities and advance Thailand’s transition toward a low-carbon and sustainable future.



13 CLIMATE ACTION



Target 13.3: Improve education, awareness-raising and human and institutional capacity on climate change mitigation, adaptation, impact reduction and early warning.

Environment Management Policy

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University is committed to becoming a sustainable and environmentally friendly institution. To advance its environmental management goals, the university issued the “Notification of Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University on Environmental Management Policy B.E. 2566,” effective immediately. The policy emphasizes:

Community Engagement: Encouraging participation from all university sectors in environmental initiatives.

Green Practices: Adopting green guidelines for building and environmental management.

Conservation Efforts: Supporting the preservation and restoration of natural habitats to enhance biodiversity.

Energy Efficiency: Promoting reduced energy consumption and the use of alternative energy sources.

Carbon Neutrality: Implementing strategies to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and achieve carbon neutrality.

Waste Management: Establishing a waste management system based on the principles of reduce, reuse, and recycle.

Plastic Reduction: Raising awareness about minimizing single-use plastics and ensuring proper disposal methods.

Sustainable Procurement: Creating an environmentally friendly procurement system.

Water Management: Ensuring effective wastewater management and the appropriate use of treated water.

Transport Improvements: Promoting zero carbon emission vehicles and improving public transport while limiting private vehicle usage on campus.

Education and Outreach: Supporting the development of sustainability-focused curricula and community outreach programs.

Continuous Improvement: Regularly monitoring, assessing, and revising policies to ensure ongoing progress towards sustainability and to serve as a model for local communities.

“Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts”

Underground Water Banking : Natural Disaster Resilience

Environmental sustainability and climate resilience require effective collaboration between universities and local communities. Recognizing the growing challenges of flooding, water scarcity, and environmental degradation, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) has extended its environmental management initiatives beyond the campus to surrounding communities.

As part of its commitment to carbon neutrality and sustainable community development, KPRU collaborated with Wang Yang Community in Nakhon Chum Subdistrict, Kamphaeng Phet Province, to establish a community learning center on waste management and sustainable water resource management. On June 5, 2025, the university organized a knowledge-sharing program aimed at raising awareness of global environmental challenges and strengthening local capacity to manage natural resources effectively.

A key focus of the program was the introduction of the Underground Water Bank concept, an innovative approach designed to mitigate recurring flooding and drought problems by storing excess water underground. Through expert guidance and practical learning activities, community members gained knowledge on water management mechanisms that can help reduce flood impacts during the rainy season while increasing water availability during dry periods.



14 LIFE
BELOW WATER



Target 14.2: By 2020, sustainably manage and protect marine and coastal ecosystems to avoid significant adverse impacts, including by strengthening their resilience, and take action for their restoration in order to achieve healthy and productive oceans.

“Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development”

Rainwater Harvesting and Water Storage Systems

To strengthen water security and promote sustainable water resource management, the university has developed water storage and natural water management systems that support the collection and utilization of available water resources. Water retention areas and natural water sources are utilized to support campus operations and landscape irrigation. The university also promotes the use of tropical plant species that are well adapted to local climatic conditions, reducing irrigation requirements while maintaining an attractive and environmentally friendly campus landscape.

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Study Program

The Bachelor of Science Program in Environmental Science and Technology aims to develop environmental professionals equipped with analytical expertise and advanced technological skills to address and mitigate environmental challenges for the sustainability of communities and society. Students will gain hands-on experience in analyzing environmental case studies, particularly those concerning local environmental issues.

Throughout the program, students will learn to utilize Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and information technology tools for environmental assessment, visualization, and planning. They will also acquire knowledge in evaluating environmental quality based on scientific principles and national standards, including remediation measures for environmental pollution in accordance with environmental laws and regulatory standards.

Conservation of Local Agricultural Heritage

On December 16, 2025, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) organized a Kamphaeng Phet Banana Planting Activity as part of the Reinventing University Project 2026. The activity engaged 50 university executives, staff, and students in cultivating the province's signature banana variety at the university's conservation plot.

Supported by local agricultural experts and university faculty, the initiative promotes the conservation of local plant genetic resources, sustainable agriculture, and hands-on learning opportunities for students. The project also strengthens collaboration between the university and local farming communities to preserve agricultural heritage and biodiversity for future generations.

“Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss”

Center of Plant Genetic Conservation

The Plant Genetic Conservation Project Centre (PGPC), established under the royal initiative of Her Royal Highness Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn, plays a vital role in conserving and developing local plants and animal genetic resources. Aligned with His Majesty the King's vision, the centre focuses on studying nature and the environment while collecting local, medicinal, and rare plants in Kamphaeng Phet and surrounding areas.

By transforming the botanical garden into a key educational resource, the university not only promotes the propagation of local plant genetics but also offers valuable academic services to the public. The walking path was built through the botanical garden facilitates the exploration of biodiversity and ecosystem dynamics within its ground.

On August 26, 2025, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU), through the Plant Genetic Conservation Project under the Royal Initiative (RSPG), collaborated with Pang Makha Municipality and local schools to organize a community-based resource survey workshop in Wang Pla Aow Village, Kamphaeng Phet Province.

The activity engaged 70 participants, including university students, school students, municipal staff, and community members, in exploring and documenting local biological and cultural resources. The survey identified 50 plant species, 20 animal species, and 10 other biological resources, along with valuable local wisdom such as buffalo farming, integrated agriculture, and bamboo shoot preservation. The initiative enhanced environmental awareness, strengthened youth participation in biodiversity conservation, and promoted the preservation of local knowledge for sustainable resource management and community development.



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HUSO Law Clinic

The "Law Clinic" at Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University is a collaborative initiative between professors and law students who are driven by the desire to assist individuals and communities facing legal challenges. With the support of lawyers and legal experts as advisors, the clinic aims to provide legal advice and education to both students and the broader community. In addition to offering in-house consultations, the clinic extends its services by disseminating legal knowledge and providing on-site legal assistance in Kamphaeng Phet Province and surrounding districts.

Furthermore, the clinic has launched a program called "Legal Clinic Talk" designed to give law students the opportunity to engage in academic discussions on various legal topics. This program is intended to help students develop key skills such as public speaking, communication, and issue identification. Above all, it immerses them in an academic environment where they can hone their abilities in a practical, real-world context.

Procedure for the Appointment of University Council Members

At Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU), the recruitment process for the University Council is designed to ensure a democratic selection of qualified individuals. The Council operates with input from a broad spectrum of the university community, including executives, faculty, staff, and external experts. This inclusive approach guarantees that the candidates selected for key positions are chosen based on merit and suitability. According to the regulations, eligible candidates for the University Council must demonstrate academic or professional expertise relevant to the university's objectives, possess strong moral character, and show a commitment to advancing higher education. They should also be willing to invest the necessary time and effort in supporting the university's growth and local educational development. The selection process is managed by a University Committee, chaired by the university president, which includes representatives from various university sectors. This collaborative effort ensures that the most qualified individuals are appointed to the University Council, upholding the democratic values and integrity of KPRU's governance. The university remains dedicated to maintaining the rights of its students, faculty, and staff in the election and recruitment process, reinforcing its commitment to a fair and transparent system.

Study Program

The Bachelor of Laws, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, is committed to produce graduates with strong legal knowledge and professional competencies. Law students will develop critical thinking skills, the ability to analyze facts, accurately interpret and apply the law based on academic principles. The curriculum emphasizes moral integrity, adherence to professional ethics, and a strong sense of social responsibility toward the local community and the nation.

In the fourth academic year, students are required to engage in field experience through cooperative education (Co-op) with government agencies or private organizations related to the legal profession, allowing them to gain practical insight before entering the workforce.



“Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels”



Student Union

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) empowers its students to participate in self-governance through a democratic system, with the King as Head of State. The university organizes elections for the Student Union President, a key leadership position elected by the entire student body on campus. The Student Union President oversees the management of the Student Union and student activities. The Student Union operates with a high degree of independence, allowing students to lead and make decisions autonomously within the framework of university regulations. The elected President will appoint a team for each department to help establish the Student Union and its various functions.

This team will then propose a list of candidates for the establishment of the Student Union, ensuring that the organization remains dynamic, responsive, and fully representative of student interests.

“Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development”



Building Local Capacity to Advance the Sustainable Development Goals



To achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) requires collaboration and capacity building across all sectors. On April 2–3, 2025, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) organized the workshop “SDGs: Driving Local Sustainability” to strengthen understanding and implementation of the SDGs among public sector organizations and local stakeholders. The workshop brought together 180 participants, including government officials, strategic planning officers, university personnel, and students. The program aimed to enhance knowledge of the 17 SDGs and their indicators, develop the capacity of public sector personnel to integrate sustainability principles into organizational planning and

management, and promote effective monitoring and evaluation practices. Experts from Walailak University shared experiences and practical approaches for applying SDGs in local development, encouraging participants to align policies and strategies with sustainable development priorities.

Empowering Students through Volunteer Field Activities

Community engagement and volunteerism play an important role in fostering social responsibility and improving educational opportunities. From February 21–23, 2025, Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) organized the 10th Rajabhat Volunteer Camp, “Fulfilling Dreams, Adding Colors, Doing Good with Heart,” at Ban Nong Hin School in Pang Sila Thong District, Kamphaeng Phet Province.

The initiative brought together university students to improve the school’s learning environment through activities such as classroom painting, landscape enhancement, and educational activities for local students. These efforts aimed to create a more supportive and inspiring environment for learning while strengthening relationships between the university and the local community. Through hands-on community service, participating students developed leadership skills, teamwork, and a strong sense of civic responsibility. The project also contributed to improving educational facilities and promoting equal access to quality learning environments for children in rural areas.



GE Courses for Life Sustainability

All of the university courses are designed to equip students with the knowledge and abilities they need to lead sustainable lives. For undergraduate programs, students will learn at least 120 credits, or around 40 subjects to graduate (with one subject equaling 3 credits). The general education credits make up of 30 of the 120 total credits. This includes topics including His Majesty the King’s Sufficiency Economy, Human behavior and self development, Digital literacy, and Fundamental English. The student’s competitiveness will be enhanced as a result of another 90 credits.

The Bureau of Academic Resources & Information Technology: ARIT

ARIT provides staff, students, and visitors with quality academic resources. The bureau makes sure that the university central library has sufficient resources including books that cover all the disciplines offered by its 6 faculties and the graduate school, journals of different areas, and learning relevant equipment such as self and group study rooms, mini theater, computer room, and printing service. It also ensures that the university's internet network and computer system work best to support the student learning and the teaching. Users can access to books, databases, electronics material, etc. on-site and online via <https://arit.kpru.ac.th>.

Central Library Resources:

Number of books (total) items	Number of Journals titles	Number of Database platforms
182,094	776	24

Learning Supports & Academic Resources

HUSO Law Library

HUSO law library operates under the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences. It provides the staff, students, and visitors with different kinds of materials specially in laws, applied laws and law related subjects. The resources available here includes material in hard copy form and electronic form. The library gives the user peaceful and academic environment perfect for them to pursue their specialize.

Language Library & Center

At the Language Center Library, users can access to a wide variety of language materials in different form both hard and electronic copies, including dictionaries, grammar guides, language textbooks, literature, and audio-visual resources. Students and the public can access to the library on the 3rd floor of Language and Computer Center Building.

Computer Center

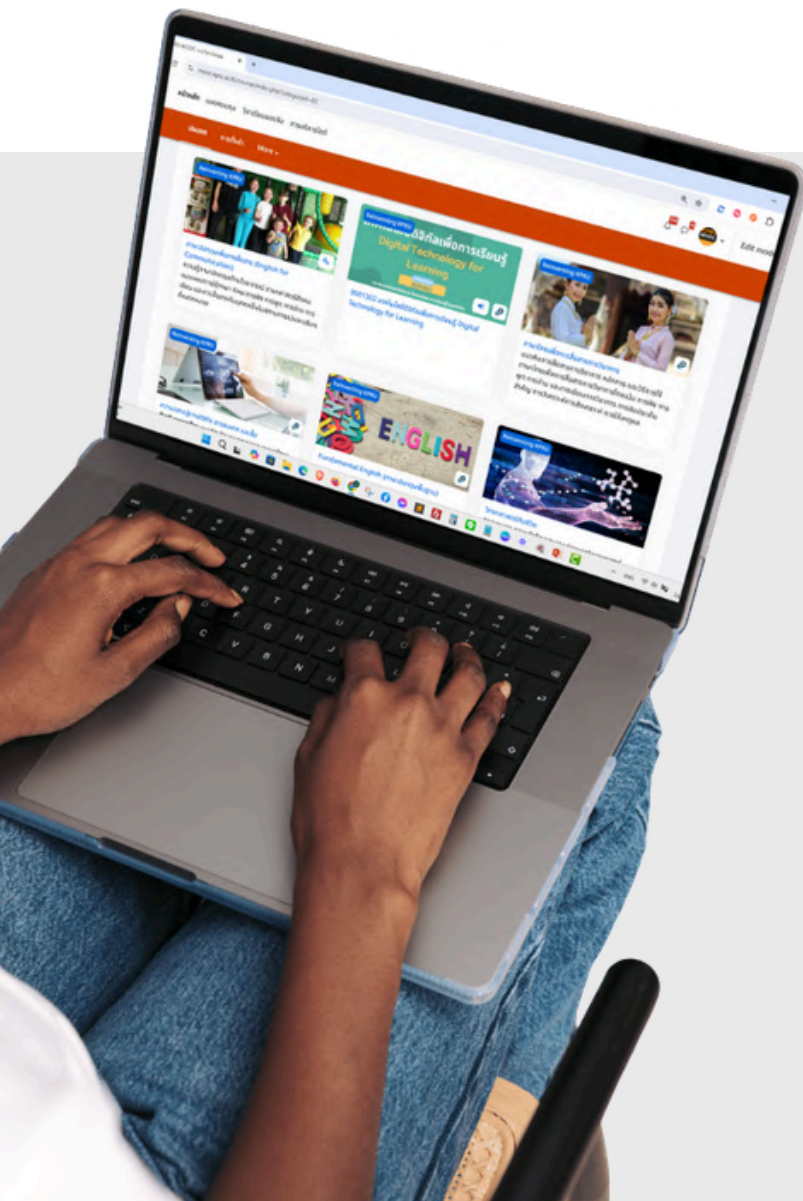
The Computer Center supports the university's technological infrastructure by providing essential computing services, technical support, and digital resources to students, faculty, and staff. We manage computer labs, network systems, e-learning platforms, and offers IT assistance and training. The center is committed to enhancing digital literacy and continuously adapts to the evolving technological needs of the university.



Local Data Center

The website for community data compiles and provides important information of Kamphaeng Phet and Tak provinces. The website serves as a key resource for research and studies, offering comprehensive data covering economic, social, cultural, natural resources, and environmental aspects. The website also supports the application of local wisdom in various fields to promote its role in sustainable development.

The website is accessible through the internet at <https://arit.kpru.ac.th/ap2/local/>



e-University

The university has developed an efficient e-service system using modern technologies to enhance work performance across six key areas, accessible through <https://www.kpru.ac.th/th/information-service-online/> :

1. Academic: 42 systems regarding academic affairs are available for students, lecturers, and staff.
2. Administrative: 27 systems regarding administrative affairs are available for the university staff.
3. Research: 15 systems for research management are available to support local community use of research.
4. Academic Services: 9 systems are available to support the university's mission on academic service and data collection.
5. Arts and Cultural Preservation: Four systems are available for arts and culture promotion.
6. Other Utility E-Services: 15 additional systems for various services.

KPRU MOOC

KPRU MOOC is developed by Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University as an online learning platform providing accessible, self-directed learning opportunities for students and the public. It supports the development of reskilling, upskilling, and new skills through a complete online learning system that integrates innovation and local knowledge to reduce inequality and strengthen communities.

With the KPRU Credit Bank, learners can save time and transfer academic credits earned from KPRU MOOC courses into formal degree programs. This offers flexibility for learners to be able to manage their choices of time and location to study while maintaining university academic standards. This system is accessible through the internet at <https://mooc.kpru.ac.th>.

KPRU Mind Application

The new application "KPRU Mind" is the latest learning support system that puts every service and system that is frequently used together in one platform. All necessary services and important information is only one click away making it easier for the students to be updated. Whether the students want to view their GPA, check their enrolment status, add or withdraw courses, request certificates, request for postponement of paying tuition fee, and evaluate instructors' teaching performance, they can do these via the application. Additionally, it supports students in registering for university-standard exams. For advisors, the app enables them to monitor their advisees' exam results, check academic performance, access teaching schedules, and utilize other services commonly used by university personnel. The application is available for download on the App Store and Play Store.





Health & Mental Care Centers

The Health Care Center provides physical and mental care services and is available to students, staff, faculty, and others. The services include basic first aid and health check-ups, medication dispensing, blood sugar and cholesterol level monitoring. The center also provides medical kits for study trips, fieldworks, and events both on and off-site. Staff at the Faculty of Nursing also provide mental health education and support for mental well-being. The center is on the 1st floor of Student Help Center (Student Activity Building).

Financial Support Office

The Scholarship Office manages various types of scholarships and student financial aid. This includes the Student Loan Fund (SLF), continuing and non-continuing scholarships. The office also assists students in need of financial support by helping them apply for scholarships and provides career guidance and work-study opportunities. The Scholarship Office is on the 2nd floor of the Student Help Center, SAC building.

Dormitory Service

KPRU provides on campus dormitory for students and flats for the university staff. The residence is well managed so ensure it provides good and supportive environment for education, personal development, and community engagement. The accommodations are offered at affordable rates, with registration available at the dormitory department upon students' arrival. The fee for staying in the dormitory is approximately 2,000 Baht per semester. Each dormitory is equipped with essential bedding accessories, a wardrobe, cleaning tools, an electric fan, a TV, and a cold-water dispenser.

Additionally, a designated lecturer is assigned to each dormitory to provide guidance and support to students. For university staff, dormitory allocation is primarily based on the proximity of their residence to the workplace. In cases where demand exceeds room availability, the allocation is determined by the number of years the staff member has worked at the university. This approach ensures that both students and staff have access to convenient and supportive living arrangements, contributing to a well-rounded and efficient academic and work environment.



Student Life & Personal Development



Lifelong Learning & Professional Standards Development Center

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) has built the Lifelong Learning and Professional Standards Development Center (KPRU-LPC). The center provides academic programs and training courses on several areas including technology, agriculture, future-oriented industries and supplementary occupation. The focus is on reskilling, upskilling, and new skilling people so that they become competitive in the industrial and labour market.

In collaboration with the Department of Skill Development and Kamphaeng Phet Provincial Skill Development Office, the centre currently offers six certified training programs based on national occupational standards, such as Level 1 Building Electrician Skill Standard Development Training, Supervisor-Level Occupational Safety Training, and Level 1 PLC Control Technician.

Main services include:

- Short-term training programs to support reskilling, upskilling, and new skilling across all age groups
- Facilities and spaces for vocational training and skill development
- Module-based credit-transferable courses that link with the national credit bank system
- A coworking space to encourage creative learning and collaboration outside the classroom





KPRU Co-Working Spaces

KPRU provides co-working spaces and learning centers across various faculties to ensure that the students, staff, and the public have space they need for working, learning and socializing. The spaces are easily accessed as they are located where the people who need them usually get together for activities of interest. Having such space, these people do not have to schedule their meetings according to the weather, the availability of light and time. All the spaces are fully equipped, solar-powered, air-conditioned; and most importantly they are free of charge. Currently the university co-working spaces are under the following departments:

- Faculty of Science and Technology
- Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
- Faculty of Management Science
- Faculty of Education
- Office of Academic Resources and Information Technology (Main Library)
- Lifelong Learning and Professional Development Center
- The Office of Academic Resources and Information Technology

Details of the facilities:

- Available to all KPRU personnel, students, library members, and the public
- Open 24 hours a day.
- No room reservation required



Thai House Museum

The university provided free access to its culturally related building which is the Ruanthai Museum in order to preserve and promote cultural heritages. Inside Ruanthai Museum which consists 4 Thai-style houses, the exhibits are divided into four themes (each house presents one theme):

1. The first one is the city of Kamphaeng Phet. Here the profiles of the city from the past to the present is displayed in the forms of photographs, models, and video clips.
2. Kamphaeng Phet Ethnology displays information on ethnic minorities who settle in Kamphaeng Phet Province, including the Hmong, Yao, Karen, and Lisu ethnic groups, as well as the local people in the province, traditions, and lifestyles.
3. The Heritage of Kamphaeng Phet City showcases the outstanding features of the province in terms of mineral resources with display media that include pictures and models.
4. The lecture room is a room for holding lectures and meetings.

Duriyanat Art & Culture Gallery

The Bureau of Arts and Culture's missions include preserving the local art works, cultural heritage, and local wisdom while promoting the application of the heritage on creating value in hospitality business and everyday life. The main office of the bureau is located next to the Ping River. This offers a perfect opportunity for visitors to learn about Kamphaeng Phet while enjoying the view of the beautiful river. Here at Duriyanat Art Gallery, art works and some cultural related items are displayed to the public with free of admission fee.



Cultural Activities

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University (KPRU) strives to create a learning environment that harmoniously integrates local wisdom and cultural heritage. Cultural activities are embedded throughout the academic year, providing students with opportunities to experience, preserve, and promote the beauty of Kamphaeng Phet's traditions and Thailand's rich cultural legacy. In addition, the university regularly organizes major Thai festivals such as Loy Krathong and Wai Kru Ceremony along with creative performances and activities led by student council. These initiatives cultivate local pride, foster collaboration, and ensure the sustainable preservation of Thai culture for future generations.



Sport Facilities

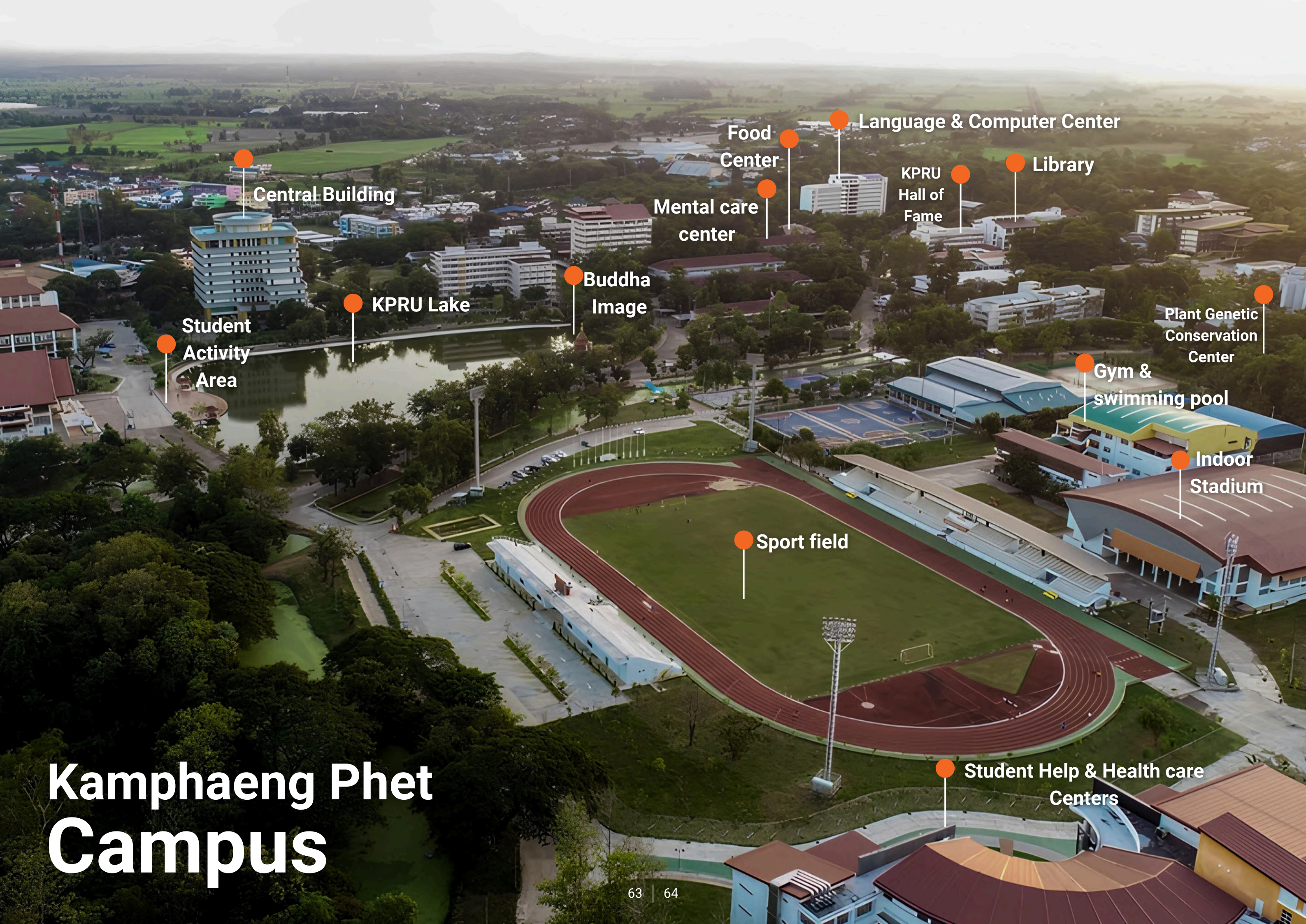
KPRU provides sports facilities and services. The university staff, students, and people from outside can gain access to a gym, sport courts, a swimming pool, indoor and outdoor stadiums, as well as running tracks. Additionally, health professionals and specialists are available to guide and assist anyone who desires to improve their well-being or attend personal training. Our facilities are provided with no charge or with reasonable price. We provide a variety of gym and fitness facilities designed to support the health and fitness goals of both the university community and the general public.



University's Sport Events

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University promotes student engagement, teamwork, and physical well-being through its Sports events held annually by the Student Council. This event provides students from all faculties the opportunity to participate in a variety of sports, including football, volleyball, basketball, and track and field events.

Beyond physical development, the competition fosters a sense of community, encourages fair play, and offers students the chance to showcase their talents while building lasting friendships across different faculties.



Central Building

Student Activity Area

KPRU Lake

Buddha Image

Mental care center

Food Center

Language & Computer Center

KPRU Hall of Fame

Library

Plant Genetic Conservation Center

Gym & swimming pool

Indoor Stadium

Sport field

Student Help & Health care Centers

Kamphaeng Phet Campus



Student Dormitory

**Nursing room
Myanmar Study Center
Digital Community Center**

**Food
Center**

**Library
E-Learning room
Language center**

Chalermprakiat Building

Sirindhorn Building

**Mea Sot, Tak
Campus**

Kamphaeng Phet Rajabhat University 2025 SDGs annual report

This report summarizes policies, projects, and activities that the university has undertaken to meet the United Nation's Sustainability Development Goals (SDGs) in 2025

During this year, KPRU emphasized on working with the students, faculties, and staff in order to publish and move towards the goals together as well as reach Top 100 THE Impact Rankings goals within the year of 2030.

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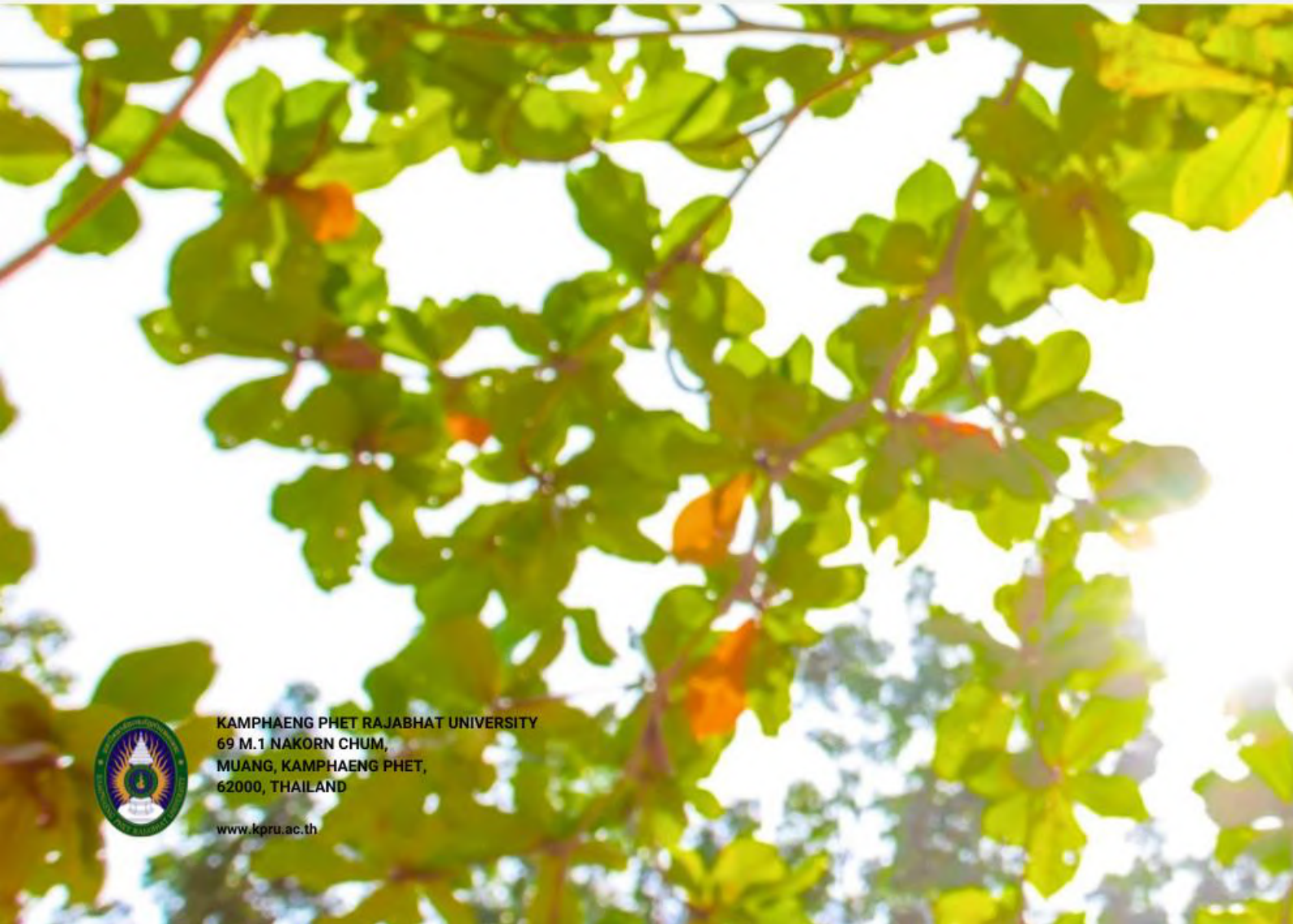
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