



Local Start-up Financial Assistance

The Women University of Azad Jammu and Kashmir (WUAJ&K) Bagh actively contributes to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by providing substantial financial support to the local community. Some key initiatives include:

Financial Assistance to the Local Community to Start Financially and Socially Sustainable Businesses

The WUAJ&K is dedicated to providing financial assistance to the local community, focusing on supporting the start-up of financially and socially sustainable businesses. As an example of this commitment, after a devastating short circuit destroyed a local community member's business, WUAJ&K stepped forward to provide significant financial support. This assistance aims to help the individual rebuild through sustainable business practices. Dr. Gohar Ur Rehman, Chairperson of the Department of Computer Science and IT, handed over the financial aid, reaffirming the university's ongoing dedication to the local community. **(Shown in ANNEX. I)**

Free Seeds Distribution to the Community

The university extends financial assistance to the local community to support the start-up of financially and socially sustainable businesses. This region is ideal for gardening, so the university offers free seeds to all participants, including local community members and students, after its kitchen gardening workshops. This initiative helps reduce the financial burden on families by enabling them to grow their food and encourages the local community to start sustainable gardening businesses. By offering seeds at no cost, the university promotes self-sufficiency and contributes to the community's economic well-being. **(Shown in ANNEX. III)**



Financial Support for Establishing Sericulture Units

The university actively supports establishing sericulture units by raising awareness and providing financial assistance, empowering the local community to engage in sustainable economic activities. As part of this initiative, an awareness workshop was organized to educate the community about the potential of sericulture. Additionally, financial support is offered to community members willing to establish sericulture units on a local scale, further enabling them to pursue this economically viable venture.

(Shown in ANNEX. IV)

(ANNEX. I)

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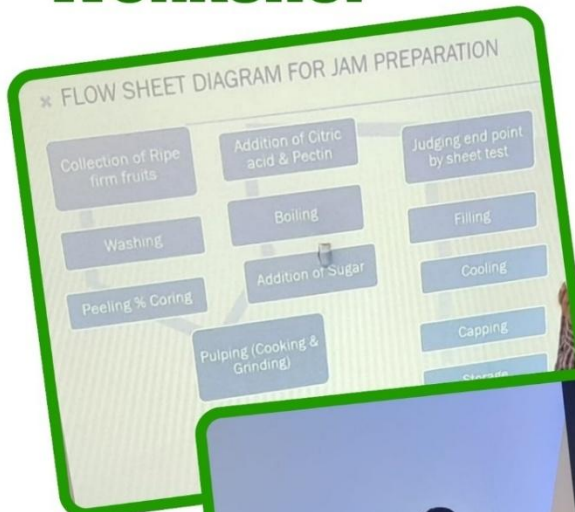


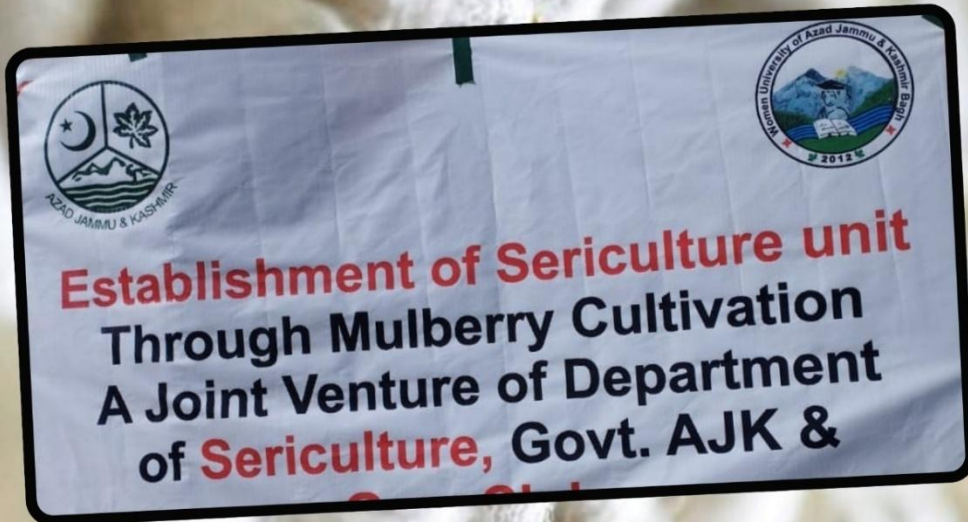
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KITCHEN GARDENING WORKSHOP





SERICULTURE WORKSHOP & ESTABLISHMENT OF SERICULTURE UNIT

