

## Education Minister meets with regional Microsoft Director General



The project "A Digital Solution for Each Student and Each Teacher" was the focal point of the meeting that Minister of Education Hatem Ben Salem had, on Wednesday, , Nov. 10, 2010, with Mr. Sayed Hachich, Microsoft Director General for North Africa, East Mediterranean and Pakistan.

The meeting, attended by Mrs. Saloua Smaoui, Director General of Microsoft Tunisia, look at ways to ensure success to this important educational project which Tunisian plans to launch. It is aimed to ease students' and teachers' access to modern ICTs to help improve performance of the national education system and impart more efficiency and quality to it.

The two sides discussed the details of Microsoft's participation in this project on the basis of the partnership and co-operation relations existing with Tunisia and reflected in the implementation of several other projects and programmes in the area of technologies and digital economy.

Mr. Hachich said the Tunisian education system is one of the best in the Middle East and African region. He paid tribute to the Head of

State's commitment to further develop this system and strengthen it through the best education means and programmes in the world.

He added that this ambitious educational project will help improve communication between teachers and students and strengthen scientific interaction between all stakeholders in the education sector.