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These guidelines are for the current virtual centered activities SGI-USA is currently conducting. Any change in that direction mid-year will result in new guidelines that optimize physical meeting options.

FUTURE DIVISION AND PARENTS GROUP GUIDELINES 2021

Encourage Future Division Participation in Discussion Meetings

Create a family-like atmosphere in the district where Future Division members feel comfortable to attend, invite their friends and participate in the presentations and discussions.

Hold Monthly Soka Family Days Nationwide

Weekend activity that Future Division members and their parents attend together. Agenda can include separate activities by age group as well as time together as a family. In addition to faith-based, fun activities, Soka Family Days are where the new Future Division curriculum materials, carried in the monthly World Tribune Future Journal insert, can be studied and discussed. The JHHS portion of this activity can also be planned and led by core JHHS members along with YD Future Division leaders.

Encourage all SGI-USA families to have a family discussion on or around SGI Successors Day, May 5, about the joy and benefit of chanting, our SGI kosen-rufu movement and how important successors are for the happiness of all humanity.

Promote Soka University of America

Encourage Future Division members to challenge to do their best in their school work and inspire them to attend Soka University of America (SUA).

(cont'd from bottom left) Promote high school students to apply to SUA and continue onto higher education. We will hold quarterly SUA webinars (March, July, October & November). Let's encourage all high school students to attend these quarterly SUA webinars where prospective students can learn more about why SUA is such an amazing place to study.

Leadership Appointments

Appoint full 4-divisional Future Division leadership teams at region, zone and territory levels to plan Soka Family Days, visit Future Division members to build friendships while promoting SUA and strong study and school work skills.

We will conduct quarterly nationwide FD/PG leaders training and encouragement calls: January, April, July & September.

Future Division Month – June 2021

Celebrate the 10th annual Future Division Month by including Future Division members in the planning of the June Discussion meeting and make extra effort to invite Future Division to attend. Also celebrate those who are graduating from Elementary school, Middle/Jr. High school and High school at Soka Spirit Toso Meetings, discussion meetings and Future Division activities.

FUTURE DIVISION CONFERENCES – SUMMER NATIONWIDE VIRTUAL CONFERENCES

High School Division virtual nationwide conference	June 2021 (Date TBD)
Junior High/Middle School Division virtual nationwide conference	June 2021 (Date TBD)
Elementary School Division with Parents/Guardians nationwide conference	July 2021 (Date TBD)