

Sweden Bahá'í Summer School
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Consultation Practice

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Learning Together



“Learning in action is becoming the outstanding feature of the emerging mode of operation.”

(Universal House of Justice, January 17, 2003)

“Endeavors are pursued in a **humble posture of learning....**”

(Universal House of Justice, December 27, 2005)

Include These Elements

1. Pray
2. Choose one of the 3 Topics
3. Identify Some Spiritual Principles/Virtues
4. Share Thoughts and Feelings
5. Build Understanding
6. Generate Possible Solutions
7. Make a Decision





Consultation Scenarios

- 1. Family Unity:** The family (parents and two children, ages 16 and 17) meets to consult about how to assist the father's parents, who live 30 minutes away by car in a small apartment. They are slowing down with age and cannot do their own grocery shopping, house cleaning, and financial management. They have asked for help with those tasks.
- 2. Time & Service Choices:** The mother of a family (parents, children ages 5 & 7, and a 12-year-old foster child) has been asked to coordinate children's classes in 4 cities in the area. She would be away from home for several hours each month. Consult on the positives and negatives of the situation, how her service might affect the family, whether to make the sacrifices that would come with her service, and how to manage the home situation if she accepts.
- 3. Bahá'í Home:** The family (a widowed father with two sons, ages 11 and 13) has moved to a neighborhood where a few Bahá'ís and their friends are beginning community-building and service activities. They meet to consult on which activities to host and which tasks would prepare the home.

What Went Well?

***What Did You
Learn?***



Saturday Afternoon Workshop:

Parenting Children to Live Meaningful
and Purposeful Lives; Family Meetings

Sunday Morning:

Envisioning a New Future for Marriage
and Family and Reflection/Goal Setting



Thank You Tack

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