The South American Youth and Students Project Seminar

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The South American Youth and Students Project Seminar was held for a week, from July 1 to 7, at the Nueva Esperanza Farm in Jardim, with the participation of young students from South America and the Hyojeong Academy.

The first two days were dedicated to education on the attitude of faith and spiritual growth that a "pure water" should have in the Cheon II Guk era, as well as learning about the seven-year training course centered on South America.

The third day was devoted to specific training for youth activities. First, an introduction to the six main projects carried out by the South American Youth and Students Association was presented, including Korean culture, environment, mural activities, Cheon II Guk study and media, and the Hyojeong café. The Peace Designer Project was also conducted, exploring solutions to social problems alongside future generations. Subsequently, the youth had the opportunity to choose areas of interest and plan activities in differentiated groups.

On the fourth day, a special conference was held by Cheon II Guk leaders. Koji Matsuda, International President of the International Association of Youth and Students, offered an explanation of the vision for youth based on the words of the True Parents. Additionally, he presented the life and teachings of Hyo-jin Nim, emphasizing the importance of second and third-generation youth living a life of hyojeong filial piety, similar to that of Hyo-jin Nim.

Then, Director Song Yong Cheon gave a lecture titled "A Dream Achieved Together." In his intervention, he shared True Mother's ardent desire as she visits South America after her European tour, with the Cheon Won Gung Cheon II Sanctum Entry ceremony approaching in 2025. Director Song urged the youth to fully unite with Mother, dedicate themselves sincerely, and carry out practical actions, so that next year's ceremony can be led towards a tangible victory.

On the last day of the project, the youth happily concluded the program with the Special Meeting with True Mother, thus closing the entire event agenda.