Future Problem Solving
GIPS Qualifying Problem

Contest Conditions Protocols
The GIPS Qualifying Problem must be completed under contest conditions. These include the following:

- Time limit of 2 hours for the students to complete the booklet. Time begins when they open the packet and read the scenario.
- Students must be proctored and supervised by an adult who is not the coach for that 2 hours.
- Students are allowed only the following aids with them in the room: pens, pencils, pencil sharpener, highlighters, unopened sticky notes, hard copy dictionary/thesaurus, a mon-programmable calculator, and water. You may supply scrap paper.
- Depending on the submission method chosen, they may also have the booklet in electronic form. This will be downloaded to a desktop set up for them on a computer(s) with NO ACCESS TO THE INTERNET. Or, if they have chosen to hand write the booklet, they will have the booklet in paper form.

Further Proctor Responsibilities:
  - No one should go into the room or disrupt the team while they are working. A student can leave the room for a restroom break, but the time continues.
  - Tell the teams when there are ten more minutes of work time and two minutes left and when time is up.

Submission Protocols

Handwritten Booklets:
Handwritten booklets must be scanned, and then transcribed to the official electronic form word for word by the coach or other adult. Immediately upon finishing the transcription, the scanned booklet and the transcription must be shared in a single email with indianaacademiccompetitions@gmail.com by attaching the pdf scan of the booklet, and giving a link to the shared Google Doc.
Electronic Booklets:

Booklets completed electronically by the students must not be ‘shared’ with the students. They should remain shared only with the coach and that copy opened for the students to use during the contest time. That document will then be submitted as above to the IASP office.

All booklets must be completed between January 27 and February 8, 2020.