



# BE THE BEAR AT SUMMER ORIENTATION

- 7:00 AM** **Check-In** ..... **Godsey Science Center Lobby**  
to  
**7:45 AM** Welcome to Summer Orientation! Check in at the Godsey Science Center lobby: Enjoy a cup of coffee and prepare for your day before the welcome begins. Should you have any questions throughout the day, please stop by Langdale Hall.
  
- 8:00 AM** **Welcome and Overview of the Day** ..... **Toney Auditorium**  
to  
**8:30 AM** We are so glad to have you are here with us! Members of the Mercer community will welcome you and outline today's schedule.

## Family & Guest Schedule

- 8:45 AM** **Family Matters: Academic Support for Your Student** ..... **Toney Auditorium**  
to  
**9:50 AM** There is a lot to consider before Fall classes begin in August, and we are excited to share an overview of what you can expect. Academic rigor, first-year academic support, and Bear Beginnings are just a few topics we will discuss.
  
- 10:00 AM** **Student Health and Safety Panel** ..... **Toney Auditorium**  
to  
**10:45 AM** Join representatives from the Division of Student Affairs, Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS), Campus Health Center, Equity and Compliance, Housing and Residence Life, and Mercer Police to discuss the support systems in place that prioritize student health and safety.

## Student Schedule

- 8:45 AM** **Math & World Language Placement Exams** ..... **Campus Labs**  
to  
**10:45 AM** Mercer's Math and World Language departments have designed placement tests that assist in placing you into courses that will not only challenge you, but also ones for which you are prepared. If you have been advised to take either one or both exams, please plan to do so this morning.
  
- Making Mercer Connections** ..... **Willet Auditorium**  
Join Peer Advisors, classmates, and members of the Mercer community for an interactive session designed to help you establish connections on campus. Test your knowledge of Mercer and discover new information with your orientation group!

**As students finish their placement exams, they will join the rest of their orientation group in Willet Auditorium!**



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## Students & Families (Toby)

**Academic Meetings** ..... **Locations Listed Below**

Students and families will meet with a representative from their college or school to discuss academic requirements and learn more about what it takes to be a successful Mercer student.

**STETSON-HATCHER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS: Stetson Hall, Room 251**

**SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING: Science & Engineering, Room 110**

**TIFT COLLEGE OF EDUCATION: Stetson Hall, Room 158**

**TOWNSEND SCHOOL OF MUSIC: McCorkle Music Building**

**COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS: Willet Science Building, 104 or 110 (TBD)**

**11:00 AM**

to

**11:45 AM**

**Lunch: CLAS, NURS** ..... **Presidents Dining Room**

Students in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences and the College of Nursing, please join us for lunch in the UC Presidents Dining Room (PDR).

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**COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES: Toney Auditorium**

**COLLEGE OF NURSING: Willet Auditorium**

**12:00 PM**

to

**12:45 PM**

**Lunch: BUS, EGR, EDU, MUS, CHP** ..... **Presidents Dining Room**

Students in the Stetson-Hatcher School of Business, School of Engineering, Tift College of Education, Townsend School of Music, and College of Health Professions, please join us for lunch in the UC Presidents Dining Room (PDR).

## Options for the Afternoon

**Academic Advising Appointments** ..... **Your Advisor's Office**

You will receive an advising time to meet with an academic advisor. As your advising time nears, a PA will help you find your advisor's office. You'll have the opportunity to review and adjust your Fall 2026 course schedule. Note: Schedules may need to be adjusted again in July once AP scores and/or dual enrollment transcripts are received by the Registrar's Office.

**1:00 PM**

to

**4:15 PM**

**Campus Resource Fair** ..... **Heritage Hall**

A variety of offices will host tables to share information about their programs and activities.

**Campus Business** ..... **Throughout Campus**

Campus offices are available throughout the afternoon to answer questions and provide further information to assist in your transition to Mercer.

## Workshops

**1:00 PM**

to

**1:45 PM**

**Campus Life at Mercer** ..... **Presidents Dining Room**

Interested in Fraternity and Sorority Programs at Mercer? Join representatives from each council to hear more information about Mercer's Greek Life community.

**2:00 PM**

to

**2:45 PM**

**Residence Life and Move-In Information** ..... **Presidents Dining Room**

Join the Office of Residence Life for a brief presentation about the residence life experience and the Opening Day move-in process.

**3:00 PM**

to

**3:45 PM**

**Pre-Health and Graduate School Information** ..... **Presidents Dining Room**

Come meet the pre-health professions advisor, Dr. Bokros, and learn how to plan ahead for success on one of the health preprofessional tracks.