Welcome and Overview of the Day
We are glad that you are here with us! Members of the Mercer community will welcome you and outline today’s schedule.

Bear Talk
Members of our Orientation Leadership Team and Head Staff will be showing you some fun insider tips on how to Be The Bear!

Student Health and Safety Conversation
Join representatives from the Division of Student Affairs, Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS), Student Health Center (SHC), Title IX, Residence Life, and Mercer Police to discuss the support systems in place that prioritize student health and safety.

Student Question & Answer Panel
Join members of our Peer Advisor Team as we talk through their Mercer University experience, their biggest tips and tricks, as well as taking some time to answer your questions!

Family Question & Answer Panel
Tony Kemp, Senior Director of Academic Programs and Mercer University Parent will talk through some of his experiences with this pivotal time in a child’s life as well as taking some time to answering your questions!

Meeting with Deans
Students and families meet with a representative from their college or school to discuss academic requirements and learn more about the career of a Mercer student.

Workshops
- **Academic Resource Center (ARC) Presentation**
  The ARC helps Mercer University students attain academic success and degree completion by promoting independent, active, and lifelong learning, scholarly achievement, and personal development. Learn more about their services that are available to you.
- **Pre-Health Program Presentation**
  If you are interested in pursuing any of Mercer’s pre-health programs, learn more about your track’s requirements in your first year.
- **Auxiliary Services Presentation**
  Bear Cards, Dining Services, Mail and Document Services, and so much more! Learn about how Auxiliary Services is here to support you.
- **Virtual Resource Fair**
  This session is an opportunity for you to get connected with resources from across campus. Community members are eager to welcome you to Mercer.

Academic Advising Appointments Begin
The morning of your Orientation Date you will receive an advising appointment to meet with an academic advisor during this time. As your advising time nears, you will enter their Zoom waiting room. You’ll have the opportunity to review your Fall 2020 course schedule and adjust accordingly. Note: Schedules can be adjusted in July once