Welcome to the 2019 Exploratory Freshmen Advising Session!

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1.) The presentation that you saw provided you with an introduction to the Mason Core requirements, how to create a course schedule, & other basics as it pertains to scheduling.

2.) You will meet in small groups with your advisor to create course schedules.

   - Look at the courses on the Mason Core sheet & decide which ones you are most interested in taking this fall. Please note that in most cases, these courses can be taken in any order and not all of these requirements will be met in your first semester.
   - Keep in mind any AP/IB/or Dual enrollment credit you may be bringing in. Your advisor will have the equivalencies & scores needed for AP & IB credit.
   - Choose one course from 4 to 5 of the general education categories & write them in the worksheet under the heading, “Your 1st choice.” This will be your ideal schedule (4-5 courses) & will give you full time status (12-18 credits).
   - Choose a back-up course for each first choice course & write it under the heading, “Your 2nd choice.” It is important to have back-up courses in case your first choice is full or does not fit your schedule. See the example below & fill in your own sample schedule:

3.) Once you have created your 1st and 2nd choice schedule, your academic advisor will look it over & suggest changes if needed.

4.) After your schedule has been approved by your advisor, the following day you will go to Innovation Hall to register for your courses. There will be plenty of people in Innovation Hall to assist you with using Patriot Web to register.

Majors of most interest (optional):
1.)_______________________________________
2.)_______________________________________
3.)_______________________________________
4.)_______________________________________

Total Credits= ____________ Total Credits= ____________

(Total credits should not exceed 16)

Advisor Notes Area: