College of the Atlantic

Admitted Students' Reception – April 19-20, 2020

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE - A more detailed schedule will be provided at registration. *indicates for students only

SUNDAY, APRIL 19
10:00am            Campus tour (please arrive by 9:45 if going on the tour)
11:15 - 11:30am    Registration
11:30am            Welcome
12:00 - 12:45pm    Q&A session on academics (lunch provided)
12:45pm            Parents - Student Life Q&A session
12:45pm            Students - Activities (see descriptions below)*
4:00 - 5:30pm      President's reception
5:30pm             Dinner*
7:00pm             Student residence halls open house*
8:00pm             Evening program*
Overnight          Stay in the residence halls*

MONDAY, APRIL 20
7:30 - 9:30am      Breakfast is available
8:00am - 2:35pm    Attend classes; meet with faculty/staff
10am, 12pm, & 2pm  Campus tours offered
11:00am - 2:00pm   Lunch is available
Afternoon           Attend classes, depart

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES (be sure to bring a water bottle and wear clothing and footwear appropriate for outdoor activities)

Compass Harbor Walk
Join COA students on a trek along the Compass Harbor trail. This relatively flat walk has beautiful views of Bar Harbor’s breakwater as well as a secluded rocky cove. We may also wander along the Shore Path and through downtown Bar Harbor before heading back to campus. Approximately four miles of walking, round trip.

Beech Hill Farm
Spend a few hours helping our farmers ready COA’s organic vegetable farm for planting. Chores might include doing maintenance work on the perennial garden, making potting soil, or repairing the greenhouses.

Canoe Northeast Creek
Paddle the Northeast Creek estuary with current students and staff. COA will provide the canoes, paddles, and life jackets. Please bring shoes for walking in the cranberry bog. (You may get a bit wet!) We will teach you the basics of canoeing if you are a beginner.

Sand Beach/Great Head Hike
Play frisbee on the beach or take a hike along the Great Head trail to get a better view of the rocky shores and waters of Acadia National Park and the island.

RSVP BY APRIL 11th
Complete the RSVP form or call the Admission Office at 800-528-0025