The University of the West Indies, Mona

First Year Experience Reminders

2020/21

Taking FYE Online

Taking FYE online is not simply transferring the traditional physical delivery into the virtual space. There are many things to consider now that FYE is online.

Things to consider:

- Session lengths
- Available delivery tools
- Students tool preference
- Robustness of tool and internet service
- Engagement
- Assessment
- Burn out
- Consider break out groups
- Consider peer led sessions
- Consider webinars
- Consider asynchronous content
- Consider space and time including time zones and various home environments (noise etc)
- Consider students mental, physical, emotional and spiritual needs
- Capture feedback as often as possible though not formally most times