**MS1 Year**

* First week in August- Introduction to the Profession (orientation)
* Second and Third week in August- Clinical Training Immersion
  + Strengthen clinical training among Duke medical students
  + Better prepare students for their second year clinical rotations
  + Place the clinical care of the patient at the center of our education
* End of August – January - Foundations of Patient Care Part 1
  + Foundational biomedical sciences taught in the context of clinical care
  + Includes microanatomy, gross anatomy, physiology and brain science
* February – June – Foundations of Patient Care Part 2
  + Continuation of foundational biomedical sciences taught in the context of clinical care
  + Includes pathology, pharmacology, microbiology, immunology and behavioral health
* Longitudinal Courses – occur throughout entire year
  + Clinical Skills Foundation 1 – introduction to interviewing and physical exam with emphasis on developing doctor/patient relationship
  + Cultural Determinants of Health and Health Disparities 1 – investigate contributors to health disparities among vulnerable populations
  + LEAD – integrated events that delve into components of leadership in healthcare