# Strategies that Promote Persistence and Success Among Transfers

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#### **About Coker**

Located in Hartsville, South Carolina

Community Population: 7,500 People

Coker Population: 1,300 Students

Traditional Undergrad: 800 Students

Residential Population: 600 Students



## **Transfer Friendly Admissions**

- Determine basic parameters for what courses transfer to Coker.
- Train the admissions staff.

Give the student a plan.



### **Student Success Coach**

- Academic planning that is efficient and transparent.
- Connecting students to the right resources.
- Clear communication about important dates and terminology.



### **Orientation**

- Connect transfer students with other transfer students.
- Needs differ from those of the first-year student.
- Identify where the student can engage on campus.

#### **Student Success Center**

- Instilling a growth mindset.
- Evaluate strengths, interests, values, and goals.
- Develop successful networks, internships, and mentorships.

