

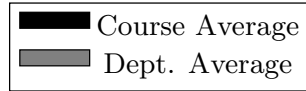
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Summary of Teaching Evaluations

On a scale from 1 to 6, with

1 = “Strongly Disagree” and 6 = “Strongly Agree”,

students were asked how much they agree with the following statements. The average of the scores that I received (“Course Average”) and the average scores that the math department received in the corresponding semester (“Dept. Average”) are given.



Statement	Abstract Algebra	College Algebra	Multivariable Calculus
The instructor is effective in teaching the course materials.	5.5 4.89	5.48 4.72	5.46 4.59
The work assigned by the instructor is worthwhile and helped me learn the course material.	5.5 5.05	5.56 4.89	5.18 4.18
The instructor supports student learning in this class.	5.67 5.15	5.68 5.02	5.82 4.9
This course is organized well.	5.67 4.87	5.24 4.77	5.32 4.63
Concepts are presented in a manner that helps me learn.	5.67 4.72	5.36 4.53	4.96 4.43
My work is evaluated in ways that are helpful to my learning.	5.67 4.79	5.44 4.66	4.91 4.56
The instructor seems interested in teaching this course.	5.67 5.24	5.76 5.17	6 5.03
This instructor is available during office hours.	5.67 5.46	5.76 5.35	5.73 5.19
This instructor communicates well.	5.5 4.93	5.68 4.77	5.55 4.55
It is clear what this instructor considers important.	5.5 5.09	5.64 4.94	5.55 4.77
Class presentations are organized.	5.5 4.89	5.56 4.84	5.5 4.62
Important points are clarified with good examples.	5.5 4.98	5.2 4.82	5.36 4.7
This instructor presents materials clearly.	5.67 4.82	5.52 4.66	5.23 4.48
This instructor is effective in teaching the subject matter of this course.	5.5 4.88	5.48 4.72	5.55 4.59
The instructor is conscientious about his/her class attendance.	5.5 5.04	5.52 4.98	5.64 4.88
This instructor is an excellent teacher.	5.5 4.81	5.48 4.62	5.59 4.48
Exams cover material on which I expect to be tested.	5.67 4.1	5.52 4.99	5.32 4.89
The textbook is helpful for my understanding of the course.	5.33 4.48	4.84 4.35	3.86 4.21
Assignments contribute to my learning.	5.67 5.04	5.36 4.91	5.09 4.89
I have acquired a basic understanding of the subject area of this course.	5.67 5.09	5.44 4.99	5.14 4.89
I have been encouraged to think for myself.	5.83 5.12	5.68 5.05	5.27 4.98

The following are a highlights of the comments I have received on student evaluations:

■ College Algebra (Instructor)

- Mr. Camacho is the best teacher that I have ever had. He is really sympathetic with his students and takes the time to get to know them and understand. I took this class again this semester because last semester, I couldn't understand what my teacher was teaching. Mr. Camacho puts all his notes online and his teaching is so good and entertaining to learn that time just flies. I really hope he will teach more classes instead of college algebra because he's such a great teacher.
- Mr. Camacho taught and explained the material really well. He also answered questions in a way that got students to think for themselves.
- Mr. Camacho made the learning environment fun to be in and started every class with a smile which is something not a lot of teachers do!
- He is a very positive and helpful teacher. I can tell he cares a lot about his students and want them to actually succeed and learn and not just get a good grade. He offers so many ways to improve and he always has a smile on his face and a joke to tell.
- He gave us homework to prepare us for the quizzes. He made sure he was available for us to come talk to him and was able to meet with us. He was very fair to everyone and wanted us to succeed.
- Mr. Camacho truly has a passion for math and for teaching and allowing his students to push themselves. Best math teacher I've ever had. Makes sure that we are all on the same page and understand material with his examples.

■ Abstract Algebra (Teaching Assistant)

- I'd just like to take the opportunity to applaud Mr. Camacho's enthusiasm for the subject at hand, the lengths he's willing to go to explain details and concepts to the class as a whole. His bright personality and overall understanding of the subject matter significantly built towards my appreciation of this class.
- Mr. Camacho was a very effective TA. He was always available during office hours and could explain things in ways that made the topics more clear.
- Great course with even an even greater professor and TA! One of my favorite math courses I've ever taken!

■ Multivariable Calculus (Teaching Assistant)

- You did well on answering everyone's questions and make the environment friendly. I really enjoyed the class :)
- You did a really good job of keeping the engaged people engaged. Throwing in random advanced math things that applied to what we were learning and spicing up class with stories from your life kept this discussion lively and interesting. I really, really like how passionate you are about math.
- He is a really good instructor overall. He does a good job explaining stuff that was confusing in class and homework assignment problems whose directions made no sense. He's brilliant, he's good at coming up with examples to help us understand the material. I liked that he made review packets for the exams.
- Mr. Camacho was very good at being enthusiastic about the math we practiced and learned. As someone who appreciates mathematics, I found his enthusiasm refreshing.
- I'm glad you were my TA this semester, you're a great teacher and your family is cute :)
- There were sometimes where you kind of went off on a tangent about math and it really showed how passionate you were about the subject and I have yet to meet someone like that.