

ENG110: Freshman Composition

Student Remarks from the Faculty Evaluation Survey

Narrative comments:

"I felt as though the curriculum choice was very poor. I was dealing with my opinions on subjects for the larger portion of the semester. I already knew my opinions. What I need is writing disciplines to accurately tell others my opinion in written form. Focus more on mechanics rather than feelings and opinion. I felt as though I were a lab rat being tested on this new curriculum."

"I felt like I was part of an experiment. He did not seem sure of what he was supposed to do."

"Knew about the material. Made it interesting to me. He needs to be more blunt in his opinions on papers. Other than that great teacher."

"I think Mr. Mueller did a great job in leading our class. He was prompt getting to class and giving our assignments back. He always offered extra help if we needed it one on one. I feel like I learned a great deal this semester and plan to take his 225 class."

"I would like to see the elimination of all those 'prescribed lengths.' Cut the journal entries to 2 pages a week. Besides that it was a good class and a good job teaching."

"Derek seemed to be able to relate to all of us because he is still in school. He made class a lot of fun, but yet we learned what we were supposed to as well. I would recommend him to teach any Eng. Class."

"I learned a lot in this class. Not only was I taught, but I was able to help myself with the information given to me. I always had constructive criticism. The structure of the class was very effective."

"I found the structure of the class to be very beneficial as a freshman student. I am satisfied with the development of my writing skills."

"His laid back approach allowed us to communicate well. He also gave us assignments that you really had to look at closely. He really made you think. He did a great job."

"Mueller did a very good job with this class. He was an understanding and fair teacher. Was also very helpful in making us understand stuff."

"I think overall Derek did a good job. Kept the class fun but we also learned a lot."

"I think he did a good job. That's all I have to say about that."

"I think your teaching methods were good and helped us to understand the subject matter, you always seemed to be prepared for class, showed a lot of concerns for the students as individuals."

"The only weakness about this class was the lack of participation between students at times. I think it would be more helpful in the future if the teacher would call on people, occasionally, to get them to participate more."

"I like the fact that he allowed us to make our own choices and treated us with respect. He did not act as if this were a required class."

5. Did you enjoy this course?
(a) No (2) (b) Half and half (2) (c) Yes (16)
8. To what extent does the instructor exhibit command of the subject matter?
(a) Inadequate (0) (b) Barely adequate (0) (c) Fair (3)
(d) **Good (10)** (e) Excellent (6)
9. To what extent did the instructor's teaching methods help you understand the subject matter?
(a) Inadequate (0) (b) Barely adequate (1) (c) Fair (3)
(d) **Good (11)** (e) Excellent (5)
10. How beneficial were the instructor's responses to students' questions?
(a) Inadequate (0) (b) Barely adequate (1) (c) Fair (0)
(d) **Good (12)** (e) Excellent (7)
11. Based on the instructor's presentation, he/she was prepared for class?
(a) Not applicable (0) (b) Rarely (0) (c) Sometimes (1)
(d) **Usually (10)** (e) Almost Always (9)
12. To what extent did the instructor's enthusiasm and interest help you learn the subject matter?
(a) Inadequate (0) (b) Barely adequate (1) (c) Fair (2)
(d) **Good (10)** (e) Excellent (7)
13. If you needed assistance from the instructor outside of class, to what extent was the instructor available to you?
(a) Did not request assistance (0) (b) Unavailable (0)
(c) Sometimes available (2) (d) Usually available (8)
(e) **Readily available (10)**
17. Considering all aspects of your learning experiences with this instructor, how would you rate his/ her overall performance in this course?
(a) Inadequate (0) (b) Barely adequate (1) (c) Fair (0)
(d) Good (7) (e) **Excellent (12)**