



CHRISTIAN SAMPSON Teaching MATH 1050 Undergraduate Coll Alg LEC

sec: 1 2013 Summer

There were: 57 possible respondents.

Order		Question Text	Prev	N	RR	My Avg	MATH Avg	MATH su13	Div Avg	Div su13	Sch Avg	Sch su13						
Grp	SAMPSON	Instructor Questions			n/a	5.81	5.14	5.31	5.12	5.31	5.28							
Grp		Course Questions			n/a	5.77	5.03	5.14	4.99	5.17	5.15							
													Wanted Another	Planned	No Time	Hard	Others Closed	Bad Time
		Reason why registered for class	21630	1	2%								100% (1)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)
													Str Disagr	Disagr	Mild Disagr	Mild Agree	Agree	Str Agree
1		Objectives clearly stated		28	49%	5.86	5.14	5.17	5.11	5.21	5.23	5.26	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	14% (4)	86% (24)
2		Objectives met		27	47%	5.85	5.10	5.15	5.06	5.19	5.21	5.26	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	15% (4)	85% (23)
3		Content well-organized		27	47%	5.7	5.02	5.15	4.98	5.16	5.12	5.20	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	4% (1)	22% (6)	74% (20)
4		Course materials helpful		28	49%	5.75	4.94	5.07	4.92	5.12	5.11	5.19	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	4% (1)	18% (5)	79% (22)
5		Assignments & exams covered the course		28	49%	5.89	5.08	5.20	4.96	5.19	5.18	5.26	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	11% (3)	89% (25)
6		Learned great deal		28	49%	5.68	4.94	5.14	4.93	5.18	5.11	5.20	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	7% (2)	18% (5)	75% (21)
7		Overall effective course		28	49%	5.68	4.93	5.12	4.90	5.16	5.10	5.20	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	32% (9)	68% (19)
9	SAMPSON	Instructor was organized		28	49%	5.61	5.10	5.26	5.07	5.24	5.22	5.30	0% (0)	0% (0)	7% (2)	0% (0)	18% (5)	75% (21)
10	SAMPSON	Instructor presented effectively		28	49%	5.82	4.91	5.19	4.91	5.20	5.13	5.25	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	18% (5)	82% (23)
11	SAMPSON	Instructor created respectful environment		28	49%	5.89	5.21	5.35	5.19	5.35	5.34	5.40	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	11% (3)	89% (25)
12	SAMPSON	Demonstrated thorough knowledge		28	49%	5.79	5.32	5.41	5.30	5.42	5.43	5.44	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	4% (1)	14% (4)	82% (23)
13	SAMPSON	Instructor encouraged questions/ opinions		28	49%	5.82	5.17	5.33	5.15	5.34	5.34	5.39	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	4% (1)	11% (3)	86% (24)
14	SAMPSON	Instructor available for student consultation		28	49%	5.86	5.22	5.36	5.15	5.33	5.30	5.36	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	14% (4)	86% (24)
15	SAMPSON	Overall effective instructor		28	49%	5.89	5.03	5.28	5.02	5.28	5.23	5.33	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	11% (3)	89% (25)
		Follow up --											Yes	No				
		Was it helpful	52958	1	2%	0	0.58		0.62		0.67		0% (0)	100% (1)				

Text Responses

Comments on course effectiveness

covering HW problems in class covering Practice exam questions in class It is very useful to have a full explanation of challenging examples to understand concepts.

The teacher was organized and ready for class every day. He had a clear and direct way of giving the information.

The amount of information we learned in one week was just enough where it wasn't overwhelming. The design of this class was well put.

I appreciated the resources we were given to succeed in this course. I loved that I could go down to the tutoring lab and get my questions answered. Christian was also very happy to assist in any questions I had. It was well organized and the practice tests were INCREDIBLY helpful. The materials helped ease my anxieties about math.

A book would of been nice.

practice exams reflected real exams well. Doing more homework problems in class could possibly be more beneficial.

For notes they could be more simple. A lot of the sections I had to watch the videos to really understand the material becuase in class it was too confusing.

the test preparation, and the counseling sessions, for homework.

The supplementary materials and links provided were a great help to the course.
Having so many secondary resources on the course website was incredibly helpful. Additionally, webwork seemed to work fairly well, even if it was difficult sometimes.
He made it very easy to understand it was a great learning environment.
Instructor Comments
Christian was great!! Keep up the good work.
christian was very good at answering questions and making "sense" of many of the mathematical theories. He helped me make connections math-wise that i had yet to make before this class... the only complain of mine is that it took a long time to get back graded assignments; understandable though since this was a condensed class with 40-50 students.. overall a very good professor.
This instructor was very helpful throughout the semester. I felt that he really wanted us to succeed and he helped in any way he could to make the concepts more accessible and easier to understand. His tests and practice tests were very reasonable and helped us learn the concepts without making the material too hard to understand. I think this is how a math class should be taught. My only suggestion would be to take more time in class to assess where the students are. Sometimes the students were getting behind and I think if he slowed down a bit and asked more questions, everyone could get caught up faster. Overall though, great instructor. Well done, Christian.
Christian is AWESOME! I would love to take more classes from him. I learned a great deal and he really cared about helping students succeed.
Office hours and discussion sessions were negotiable to fit student schedules. During "break" the instructor was available for questions regarding recent material covered both were very helpful
He provided various ways to do things and was able to throughly demonstrate examples.
The teacher really understood the subject and clearly has a passion for teaching math.
Christian was very effective for me because he actually took the time to show how things worked. Rather than just plunging numbers in and magically getting results. Also his willingness to help his students and give time to after class consultation was more than helpful, it made the difference between understanding and just getting by.
Christian was very good and meeting with you if you needed help, the only thing I suggest is getting the grades in more quick. Since it is a fast summer course it is nice to know where you stand as you go.
Christian Sampson was a great instructor. Who really wanted everyone to do well. He's a great math teacher I learned a a lot given it was only half semester course.
Really nice! Easy to talk to and made a math class about as bearable as possible. Great teacher!
It helped me a lot with the homework discussions after class every week, and he really cares about your grade and wants you to do good.
Christian was very thorough with his explanations; sometimes almost too much so. I sometimes felt like some of the explanations were a little slow, but some people got lost along the way anyway, so it seems to have been necessary.
Further comments about finances
I was very upset with how I was treated. I applied for summer financial aid in February and they did not do anything until the week before tuition was due.