

My Classes: Compared to the Department

Part I: Teacher Evaluation

Question	Count	Mean (higher=better)		
		Teacher	Dept.	Difference
1. Assigns work which helps you learn and understand the subject.	149	3.8	2.9	+ 1.0 ★★
2. Shows how the course content can be useful, practical, and relevant to you.	150	4.7	2.7	+ 2.0 ★★
3. Encourages class discussions that are challenging and demand sound thinking.	150	1.8	3.6	- 1.8 ★★
4. Maintains adequate class control while keeping the classroom a pleasant place in which to work.	149	3.9	3.6	+ 0.3
5. Stimulates your interest and involvement in the course.	149	3.1	3.0	+ 0.1
6. Has a fair grading policy and applies it consistently.	149	4.8	2.9	+ 1.9 ★★
7. Encourages creativity and originality in you.	146	3.7	3.2	+ 0.5 ★
8. Is respected by you.	149	3.6	2.6	+ 0.9 ★★
9. Provides constructive use of class time.	150	3.5	3.4	+ 0.1
10. Is prepared for class.	148	3.4	3.7	- 0.2
11. Gives clear explanation and instructions.	149	3.5	3.4	+ 0.2
12. Encourages students to express varied opinions.	149	4.9	3.3	+ 1.6 ★★
13. Gives tests which cover only material assigned or discussed.	150	3.6	3.2	+ 0.4 ★
14. Is knowledgeable about the subject matter.	150	4.4	3.4	+ 1.0 ★★
15. Is available to meet with students outside of classroom time.	150	3.3	2.8	+ 0.5 ★
16. Makes you feel that your contributions are important and meaningful	148	3.9	3.6	+ 0.3
17. Effectively uses methods and materials other than textbooks to present the course (i.e., visual aids, field trips, outside readings, etc.).	150	3.4	3.1	+ 0.3
18. Stresses important ideas and concepts.	150	2.3	3.6	- 1.3 ★★
19. Returns corrected homework and tests reasonably soon.	147	4.6	3.4	+ 1.2 ★★
20. Gives a balanced presentation of differing points of view.	149	4.5	3.6	+ 0.9 ★★
21. Encourages communication between the teacher and students during class.	150	3.9	3.6	+ 0.2