University of Utah

Spring 2014, MATH 4010 Math Elem Sch Tchrs I Section 1 Instructor: MacArthur, Kelly (Primary)



There were: 23 possible respondents.

	Question Text	N	RR	Avg	MATH Avg	MATH SP14	Div Avg	Div SP14	Sch Avg	Sch SP14						
Grp	Instructor Questions (MacArthur)			5.69	5.30		5.10	5.33	5.41	5.18						
Grp	Course Questions			5.5	5.18		4.97		5.30	5.18						
											Str Disagr	Disagr	Mild Disagr	Mild Agree	Agree	Str Agree
1	Objectives clearly stated	16	70%	5.69	5.12		5.10		5.23	5.18					31% (5)	69% (11)
2	Objectives met	16	70%	5.69	5.06		5.05		5.20	5.10				6% (1)	19% (3)	75% (12)
3	Content well-organized	15	65%	5.67	4.99		4.97		5.11	5.03				7% (1)	20% (3)	73% (11)
4	Course materials helpful	16	70%	5.5	4.90		4.91		5.09	5.05				13% (2)	25% (4)	63% (10)
5	Assignments & exams covered the course	16	70%	5.12	5.05		4.94		5.16	5.09			6% (1)	25% (4)	19% (3)	50% (8)
6	Learned great deal	16	70%	5.44	4.89		4.91		5.09	5.00			6% (1)	6% (1)	25% (4)	63% (10)
7	Overall effective course	16	70%	5.38	4.88		4.88		5.09	5.02	6% (1)				31% (5)	63% (10)
13	Instructor was organized (MacArthur)	16	70%	5.81	5.07		5.06	5.14	5.21	5.23					19% (3)	81% (13)
14	Instructor presented effectively (MacArthur)	16	70%	5.56	4.86		4.89	5.19	5.12	5.03			6% (1)	6% (1)	13% (2)	75% (12)
15	Instructor created respectful environment (MacArthur)	16	70%	5.5	5.17		5.18	5.57	5.34	5.56			6% (1)	6% (1)	19% (3)	69% (11)
16	Demonstrated thorough knowledge (MacArthur)	16	70%	5.81	5.31		5.29	5.67	5.43	5.61					19% (3)	81% (13)
17	Instructor encouraged questions/ opinions (MacArthur)	16	70%	5.69	5.15		5.15	5.33	5.34	5.42				6% (1)	19% (3)	75% (12)
18	Instructor available for student consultation (MacArthur)	16	70%	5.75	5.20		5.14	5.29	5.30	5.40					25% (4)	75% (12)
19	Overall effective instructor (MacArthur)	16	70%	5.69	4.99		5.00	5.14	5.23	5.22				6% (1)	19% (3)	75% (12)

Instructor	Text Responses
	Question: Comments on course effectiveness
	I really liked how the homework was set up and how we had weekly quizzes to review what we had learned for the week. They also made for great study material at the end.
	Intuitive layout. The textbook really reflected what was taught in class.
	THERE WAS WAY TOO MUCH HOMEWORK, IF YOU WORK AT ALL AND ARE TAKING OTHER CLASSES YOU ARE DOOMED.
	Well organized Sometimes more focused on the math aspect than the elementary education aspect
	There was so much to learn in this course and it was presented in a very thorough and engaging classroom.
	I thought that the weekly homework was a huge overload of busy work. I also thought that it was difficult to take quizzes when we hadn't gotten the feedback of our homework back. It was difficult for me to learn by just asking questions in class from homework.
	Less homework, but more influence on each problem to learn. I thought the weekly quizzes were helpful to make sure we knew the information.
	class layout and the materials required to learn are good
	Everything was lined out well. Was a lot of work for one class though.
	Note outlines were always provided. The organization of notes, homework, quizzes was very effective.
	This was a very tough class and there was a lot of homework but that was very clearly outlined on Day 1 which I was thankful for.
	Question: Comments, suggestions on instructor performance
MacArthur	I liked that it wasn't always easy and my grade wasn't handed to me, I really had to work and Kelly was awesome about office hours and helping me whenever I needed it.

MacArthur	Lots of class participation, invited people to provide alternative methods for solving, and encouraged thinking outside of the box.
MacArthur	THERE WAS TOO MUCH WORK
MacArthur	Well organized Really knowledgeable about math
MacArthur	There aren't enough good things I can say about Kelly as an instructor. She was open to questions and exploration of topics, always followed up on problems she said she would follow up on and provided a very engaging environment. It was the best math class I've taken at the U.
MacArthur	Was open to listening to students opinions. Have more students come up to the smart board.
MacArthur	her teaching style, and her availability and flexability to help her students
MacArthur	I would have benefitted and understood some of the subjects more and would have done better on quizzes and midterms if she would have taken more time to lecture and teach rather than having us struggle on our homework then come to class with a lot of questions. I also would have liked some feedback on homework problems because I didn't really know what I was doing wrong then I didn't do well on the quizzes.
MacArthur	Kelly was awesome!
MacArthur	She was obviously well versed on the subject. Was wiling to teach concepts in more than one way. Asked discussion questions that evoked true learning.
MacArthur	Kelly is a tough teacher but a great one! She has high expectations for her students which was beneficial for those who strived to meet them. I would definitely take another class from her!