The University of Texas at Austin

Course Instructor Survey - Expanded Form + Foreign Language Supplement

The major objective of this survey is to aid in improving teaching effectiveness. Your responses provide valuable feedback to instructors, administrators, and other students. The results are used by administrators to make promotion and salary decisions, and responses to some of the items are also made available on the Web for students to use in selecting classes. Your responses to the questions are extremely important, so please respond honestly and fairly. Consider the semester as a whole and try not to focus on isolated incidents. Note: In the scales below, “Neutral” means “no strong opinion one way or another.” “Neutral” does not mean “Not applicable/cannot rate.”

Instructions:
Please complete this form using a #2 pencil.
Complete the course information in the box to the right.
Make sure your marks are complete, as in the example.
Make sure any erasures are complete.

Instructor’s Name:

Course Abbreviation and Number:

Course Unique Number:

Semester and Year:

Questions 1-18 use the same response scale.

1. The instructor clearly defined and explained the course objectives and expectations.
   
2. The instructor was prepared for each instructional activity.
   
3. The instructor communicated information effectively.
   
4. The instructor encouraged me to take an active role in my own learning.
   
5. The instructor was available to students either electronically or in person.
   
6. The course was well organized.
   
7. The instructor made me feel free to ask questions, disagree, and express my ideas.
   
8. The instructor encouraged class participation.
   
9. The instructor's presentations and contributions in class engaged me.
   
10. The instructor showed a thorough knowledge of the course material.
    
11. The instructor's explanations were clear.
    
12. The instructor seemed genuinely interested in teaching the course.
    
13. The course materials (e.g., text and supplemental materials) were helpful to me.
    
14. The instructor gave adequate instructions concerning assignments.
    
15. The tests/assignments were usually graded and returned promptly.
    
16. In my opinion, the assignments, presentations, projects or papers required in this course were worthwhile learning experiences.
    
17. My performance in this course has been evaluated fairly.
    
18. Overall, I learned a great deal in this course.

For questions 19-23, choose the appropriate response from those given for each question.

19. Overall, this instructor was
   - Very Unsatisfactory
   - Unsatisfactory
   - Satisfactory
   - Very Good
   - Excellent

20. Overall, this course was
   - Very Unsatisfactory
   - Unsatisfactory
   - Satisfactory
   - Very Good
   - Excellent

21. In my opinion, the workload in this course was
   - Excessive
   - Somewhat high
   - About right
   - Somewhat light
   - Insufficient

22. My overall GPA to date at UT is
   - Less than 2.00
   - 2.00 - 2.49
   - 2.50 - 2.99
   - 3.00 - 3.49
   - 3.50 - 4.00

23. My probable grade in this course is
   - A
   - B
   - C
   - D
   - F

Questions 24-31 use the same response scale.

My abilities in the following skills have improved (rate all that apply):

24. Reading
25. Writing
26. Speaking
27. Listening
28. I have enriched my perspective of a culture other than my own.
29. Through the course, I developed useful strategies for learning a new language.
30. I have been able to demonstrate my abilities and progress in the language through assignments, exams, and other assessments.
31. I feel well-prepared for the next course in this language.
Questions 32-33 use the same response scale.

The instructor used the language in class:

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32. I understood the instructor's use of foreign language in the classroom:

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33. I had the opportunity to use the foreign language in class:

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Question 34 uses this response scale.

The following question refers to your selection of this language/course:

34. What was the primary reason you enrolled in this level of the foreign language?

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<th>No prior experience (1st course in sequence) or cont. w/ next course in sequence</th>
<th>On the basis of a UT placement test</th>
<th>On the basis of a non-UT exam, for example: AP or IB</th>
<th>On the advice of an academic advisor</th>
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Optional questions provided by instructor

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