

Early Semester Survey: Writing Courses

Course name:

Instructor's name:

Note: Participation in this survey is optional. Your responses to these questions are anonymous, and the data collected in this survey contains no personal information. The data collected will be used to provide feedback to the instructor of this course only.

1. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

| | Strongly agree | Agree | Disagree | Strongly disagree | Not applicable |
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| The instructor inspires interest in the subject matter of this course. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The instructor's explanations of course content clear up points of confusion for me. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The instructor develops an atmosphere of respect and trust in the class. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The instructor responds to my questions about coursework in a timely manner. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The instructor is available to provide assistance on an individual basis outside of class through email, office hours, virtual meetings, and/or phone calls. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I understand the purpose of the writing assignments in this course. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The writing assignments for this course are clear, and I understand what I am expected to do. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I feel challenged by the writing assignments in this course. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I have many opportunities to practice writing in this course. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| I am required to revise drafts of writing assignments before they are graded. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The instructor tells me in advance the criteria by which my writing will be evaluated. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The instructor returns graded writing assignments quickly enough to benefit me. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| The instructor provides frequent, regular feedback on my writing. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Based on my instructor's feedback, I know what I should do to improve my writing. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| This course is challenging me to think. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

2. The average number of hours per week that I spend on this course (outside of class) is about:

- 1 hour
- 2 hours
- 3 hours
- 4 hours
- 5 or more hours

3. My classification is

- Freshman
- Sophomore
- Junior
- Senior
- Graduate student

4. What is going well (i.e., what is helping you learn) in this class?

5. What is the most important thing you are learning in this class?

6. What specific suggestions do you have for the instructor?