

Attachment to Resolution #23-05/06-SA

HSU Instructor Evaluation – Core Questions

This evaluation provides you with the opportunity to express your views anonymously about the effectiveness of the instructor in this course. The University will use these evaluations in making personnel decisions for reappointment, tenure, and promotion. Your evaluation is also useful to your instructor who will have access to it only after s/he has submitted final grades for this course.

Background information:

1. My class standing is:
 1. Freshman/Sophomore
 2. Junior
 3. Senior
 4. Graduate student
 5. Other

2. This course
 1. applies to my major
 2. is a G.E. requirement (Select #1 if the course fulfills both GE and major requirements)
 3. is an elective on a topic related to my major
 4. is a free elective not related to my major
 5. Other

**Please rate your instructor using the following scale:
5=excellent, 4= good, 3=average, 2=below average, and 1=poor**

3. The instructor's contribution to my understanding of concepts/ideas was ...

4. The instructor's accessibility/availability for consultation outside of class (office hours, by appointment, e-mail, phone) was ...

5. The instructor's explanation of the grading system was ...

6. The instructor's ability to present information clearly was ...

7. The instructor's ability to challenge me was ...

8. The instructor's ability to create an atmosphere where students were comfortable asking questions and/or engaging in discussion was...

9. The instructor's ability to create a classroom environment that was respectful of diversity (for example, ethnicity, socio-economic background, sexual-orientation, nationality, age, ability, religion, gender) was...

10. The instructor's ability to demonstrate knowledge of the subject matter was ...

11. The quality of the instructor's overall preparation for class was ...

12. The instructor's overall teaching effectiveness in this course was ...

13. Describe the quality of your learning experience in this course. Include relevant comments regarding the effectiveness of the instructor, the design of the course, the course content, and the methods of evaluation.

14. State the specific ways, if any, in which this course contributed to your (1) educational and (2) professional objectives.

REVISED INSTRUCTIONS

Student course evaluations are central to the continual improvement of curriculum and the quality of instruction at Humboldt State University. Completion of this questionnaire is voluntary. You are free to leave some or all items unanswered. All of your answers to this survey are confidential.

Your thoughtful answers to these questions will provide helpful information to your instructor. Please note that civil language and constructive comments are expected.

NEW ITEMS MARKED WITH AN ASTERISK (*)

RE-WORDED ITEMS MARKED WITH A POUND SIGN (#)

Background Information

1. My class standing is...(unchanged)

2. This course applies to...(unchanged)

* 3. The amount of time per week I spent preparing for this course was...

1	2	3	4	5
< or = 3 hours	4-6 hours	7-9 hours	10-12 hours	13+ hours

*** STUDENT ENGAGEMENT**

* 1=never, 2=rarely, 3=sometimes, 4=very often, 5=always

* 4. I attended course meetings (face to face or hybrid) and/or accessed it online (online course)

* 5. I was actively engaged in my learning.

* 6. I completed the assigned activities (e.g., readings, videos) prior to class...

REVISED SECTION TITLE:

INSTRUCTOR AND COURSE EVALUATION

* 1=strongly disagree, 2=disagree, 3=neutral, 4=agree, 5=strongly agree

* 7. I understood what I was expected to learn through this course experience.

8. I understood the grading procedures for this course. (replaces item 5)

* 9. I experienced instructional methods (e.g., assignments, activities, discussions, group work, lectures) that aided my learning of course topics.

* 10. The instructional materials (e.g., textbook, online course resources) enhanced my understanding of course concepts.

* 11. Course sessions were organized in a way that aided my learning.

12. The instructor demonstrated a command of the course content. (replaces item 10)

13. The instructor was able to clarify difficult material. (replaces item 6)

14. The instructor successfully brought a variety of voices and perspectives into the course. (replaces item 8)

15. The instructor demonstrated respect for students from diverse backgrounds (e.g., ethnicity, socio-economic status, sexual orientation, nationality, age culture, ability, religion, language, gender). (replaces item #9)

*16. The instructor encouraged me to reflect on my own learning (through oral or written feedback or in-class activities).

OPEN-ENDED QUESTIONS Please complete the following two statements by typing in the space below.

*17. Overall, the moments in this course when I was the most engaged, excited, and involved as a learner were when ...

*18. Overall, the moments in this course when I was most distanced, disengaged, and uninvolved as a learner were when ...