

There were: 35 possible respondents.

	Question Text	N	RR	Avg	SD	101 Avg	No	Yes				
1	Is this a required course for you?	17	49%				18%	82%				
							Str Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Str Disagree	
2	I had a strong desire to take this course.	17	49%	2.8	1.2	2.8	6%	24%	29%	24%	18%	
							Always	Frequent	Half	Rarely	Never	
3	What percent of the time were you prepared for class i.e. having completed all reading and assignments?	17	49%	4.5	0.7	4.3	59%	29%	12%	0%	0%	
							Str Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Str Disagree	
4	The instructor gives assignments that contribute to my understanding of the subject.	17	49%	4	1	3.9	29%	53%	12%	0%	6%	
							Str Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Str Disagree	N/A
5	The instructor effectively responded to the students, questions and ideas.	17	49%	3.9	1.1	3.9	35%	35%	24%	0%	6%	0%
							Vlarge Degree	Large Degree	Some Degree	Did Little	Did Not Help	
6	This class helped me think more critically	17	49%	3.8	1.1	3.7	29%	29%	35%	0%	6%	
							Str Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Str Disagree	
7	I felt that this course challenged me intellectually.	17	49%	4	0.9	3.9	29%	47%	18%	6%	0%	

Text Responses

What aspects of the course contributed most to your learning? Please be as specific as possible.

None

Class discussions.

This was a very interesting class.

N/A

very thorough explanations and versatile regarding topics

The lectures, but once this class went online it was hard to understand anything. This is a class that requires face to face.

A lot of fresh thoughts.

The quizzes

In class discussions

Readings

The in-class lectures and the activities completed in class really helped with my understanding of the readings.

I think the weekly reading quizzes and prompts helped me learn the most.

In class discussions, and weekly readings.

A lot of examples are offered to make philosophical concepts easier to understand, Kenny has also been great with the transition to an online work environment

Lectures

Nothing Instructor made it very difficult to understand everything and was very hard to talk with. Would not recommend him as an instructor to anyone.

Really enjoyed your lectures!

What suggestions do you have to improve this class?

None. Professor Shields' class is a very nice environment for open discussions. I've learned a lot more than expected by taking this class. Thank you :)

None

asking questions was very scary, I would have interacted more if Dr. Shields was friendlier and did not make me feel stupid when I asked the question.

It was always only a couple of people talking. Not many people got the chance to ask questions or give input on lectures. I suggest smaller class sizes, it was just too much for the amount of effort that is required to understand the material in this class. For many of us this is our first time taking a philosophy course, and I feel there just was not enough class time to effectively get through lectures. I enjoyed everything in this class other than not being able to put in my input.

Kind of smug and condescending.

N/A

N/A

Not to let one person talk the whole time

There were times in class where most of the class sat back and watched an argument play out that didn't have much to do with the lecture and the information. I didn't mind the arguments, but some went kind of long and we didn't get to some of the lecture that I felt like could have helped us on the exam. Possibly try to keep arguments shorter that come up in the middle of a lecture in order to get through the whole lesson so the rest of the class is getting what they need out of the lecture.

Some of the class discussion needs to be limited. It gets really distracting when people start debating for half of the class. It makes it hard to even know what you're learning about.

None

Requiring more people to participate during in class discussions

A bit heavy on the debate with one student half the class and then penalize the rest of the class for not getting involved in the class discussion, when they're not given a full opportunity to chime in. Also, it's college it's completely understandable to want students to pay attention but penalizing their attendance with a phone policy feel like high school.

None

To get a new professor because this instructor was very hard to talk with and did not understand students problems and did not help students succeed.

Enjoy your summer break!

Considering the cultural differences.