



Instructor Course Feedback for PSY 4130-001 Cognition in the Wild Fall 2023 (Amy McDonnell)

Project Title: **Student Course Feedback**

Courses Audience: **22**

Responses Received: **8**

Response Ratio: **36.4%**

Report Comments

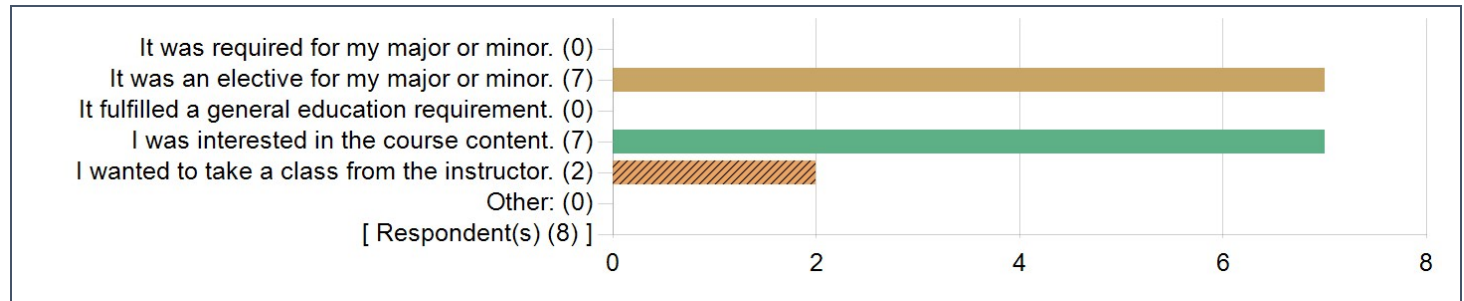
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Creation Date: **Tuesday, January 30, 2024**

Student Demographics

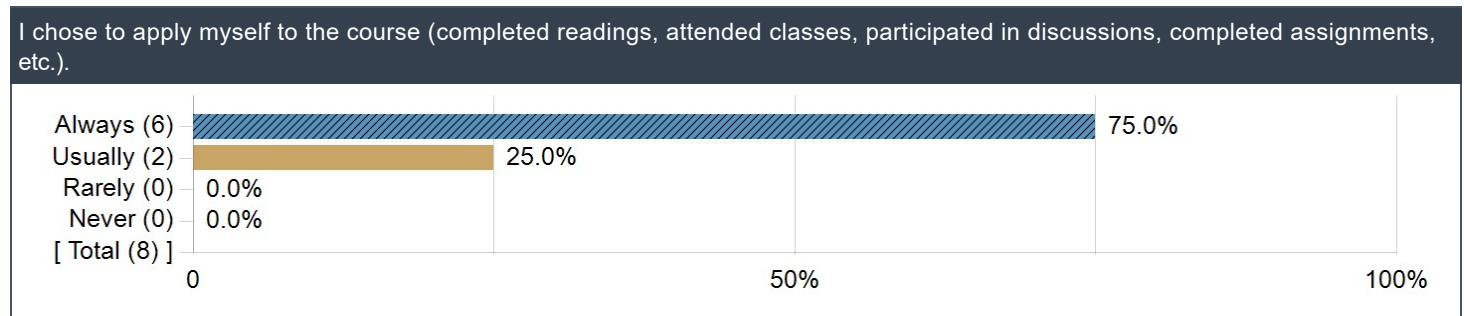
Why did you enroll in this course?



Please explain:

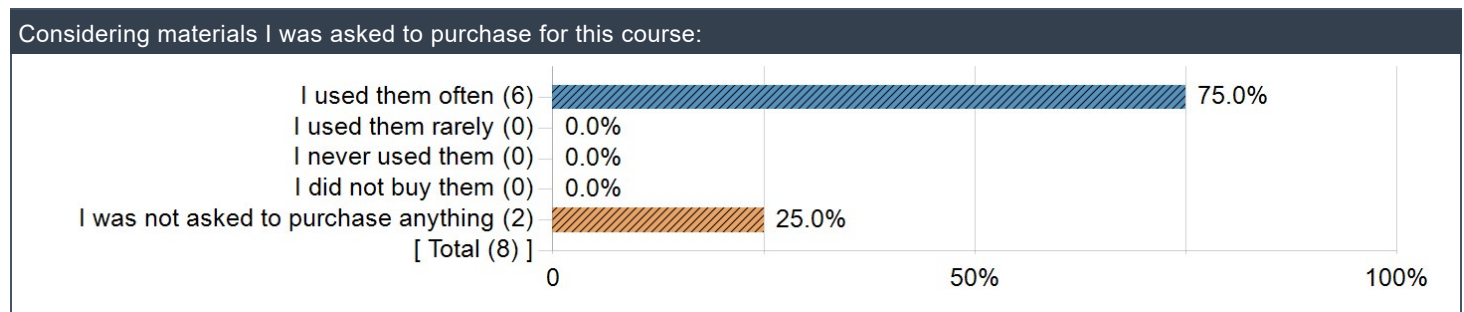
Comments
In my cognitive psychology class Amy McDonald gave a lecture about this research and this class. It was so interesting to me I really wanted to take this class. I'm so glad I did and that I was able to.
This course was one of the big reasons I returned to college.

I chose to apply myself to the course (completed readings, attended classes, participated in discussions, completed assignments, etc.).



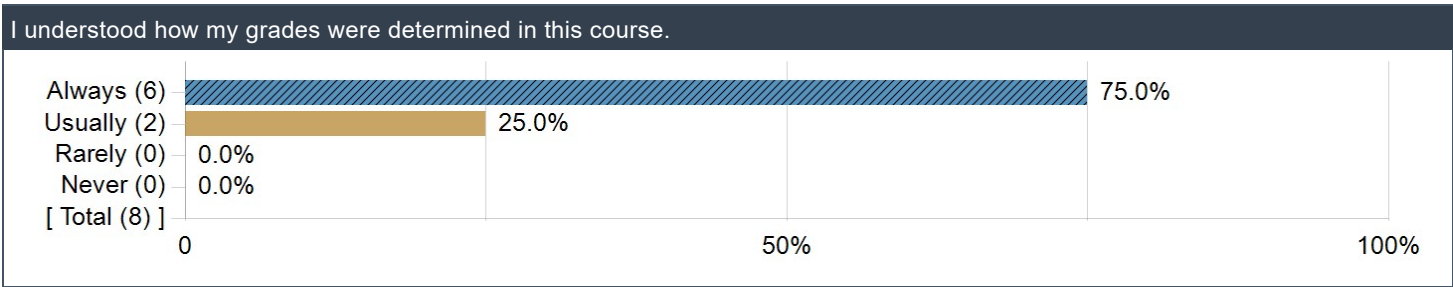
Course Materials

Considering materials I was asked to purchase for this course:



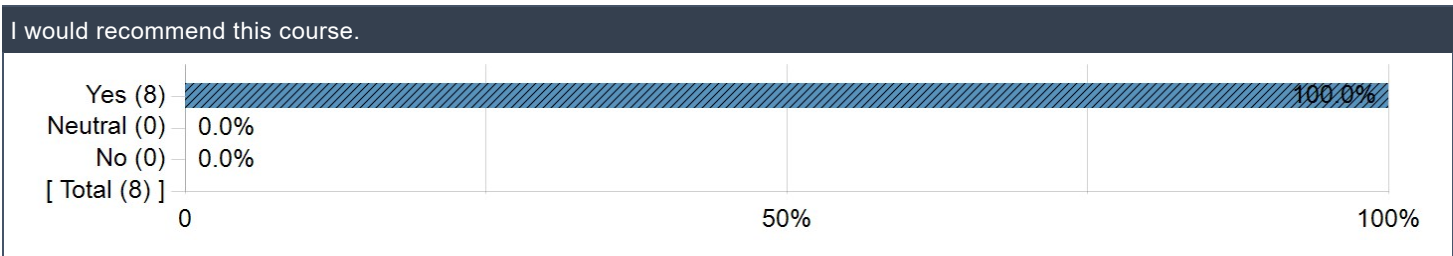
Grades

I understood how my grades were determined in this course.



Recommend Course & Instructor

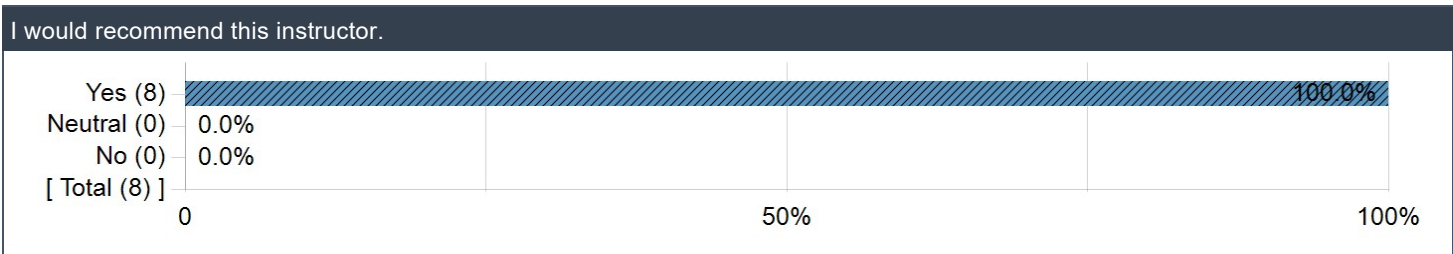
I would recommend this course.



Please explain:

Comments
It is an extremely fun class, you get to know a lot of cool people on the camping trip as well.
This course was a beautiful experience and I am forever grateful that I stepped out of my comfort zone and took it. The camping trip taught me so much and changed my outlook on many things. Overall this class did so much more for me than I knew it would.
This was the funnest class i took this year I wish I could do it again it was so fun. I learned a lot and loved everyone in the class
It has been one of my favorite courses I've ever taken.
Ten out of ten, would take again.
best class i've ever taken

I would recommend this instructor.

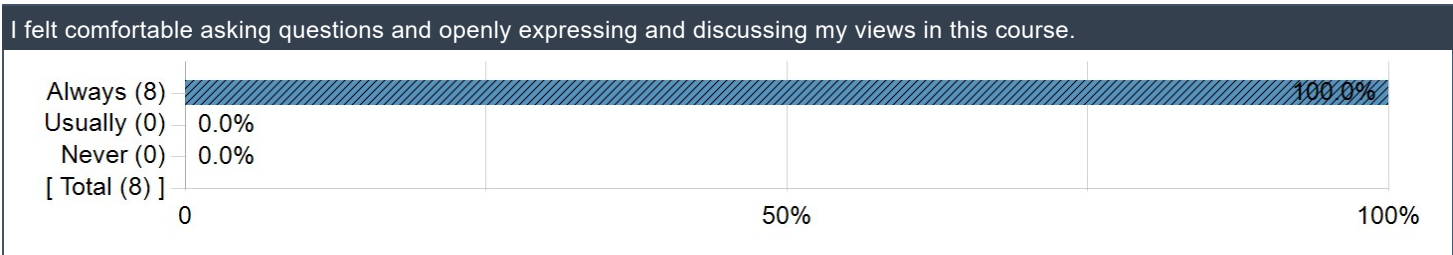


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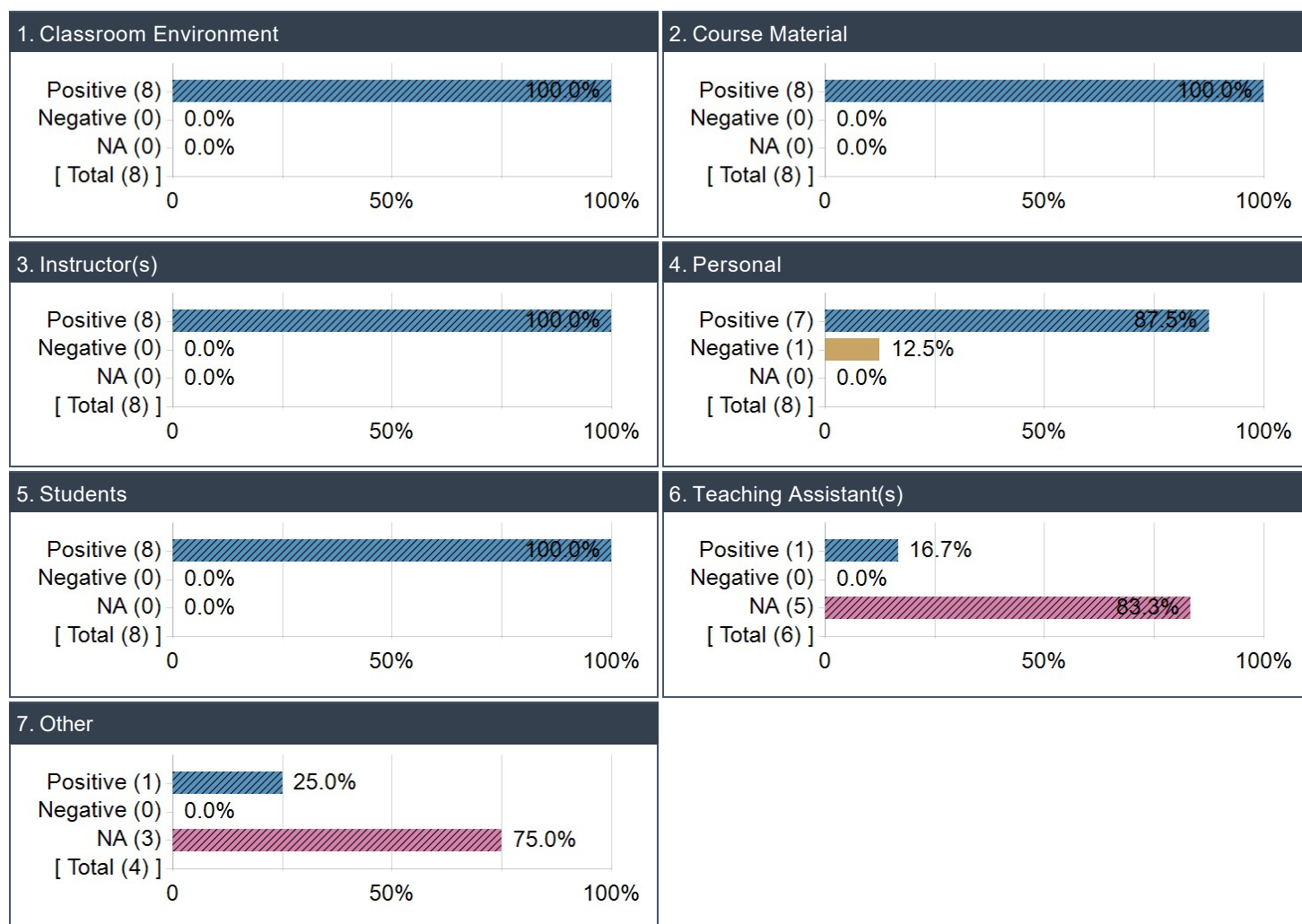
Comments
She's great!
I can't imagine a better person to teach this course
Amy was a great teacher and really made the class I loved it
Amy is great at teaching and making this class very fun. I loved the material and want to learn more about this topic.
One of the best instructors I've had! I appreciated so much that she expected a lot from us in terms of quality of work, but didn't drown us in a huge quantity of work.
so knowledgeable, best professor ever

Asking Questions and Discussing Views

I felt comfortable asking questions and openly expressing and discussing my views in this course.



Which of these contributed to your answer?

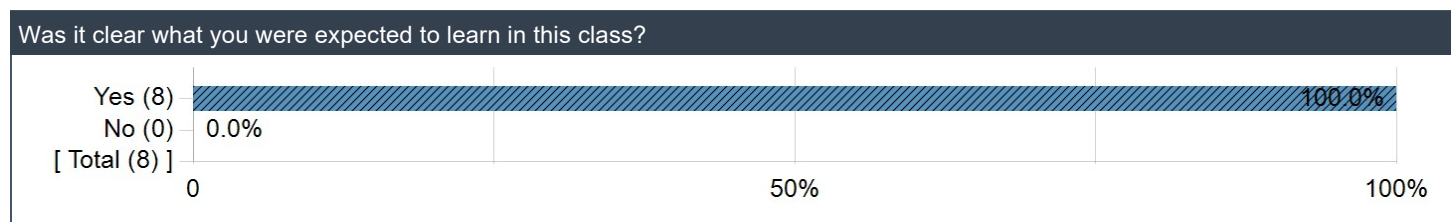


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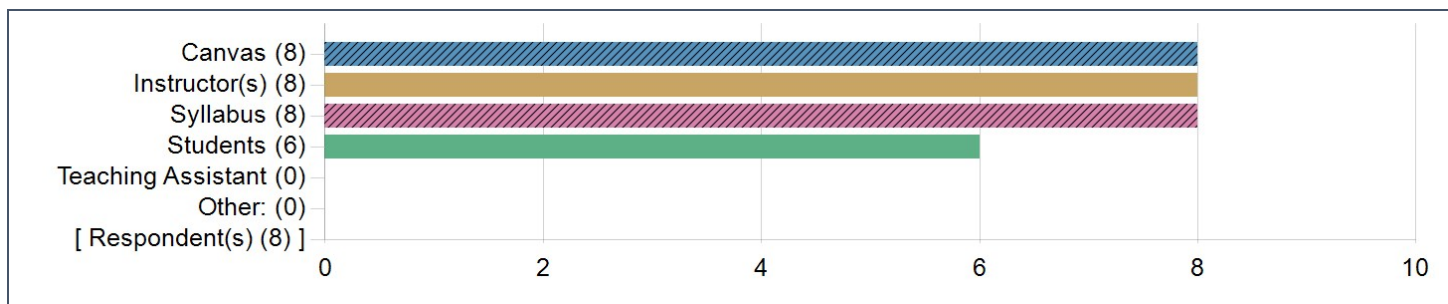
Comments
Very accepting and comfortable environment
The best, most critical, and in-depth class discussions I've ever been exposed to!

Learning Objectives

Was it clear what you were expected to learn in this class?

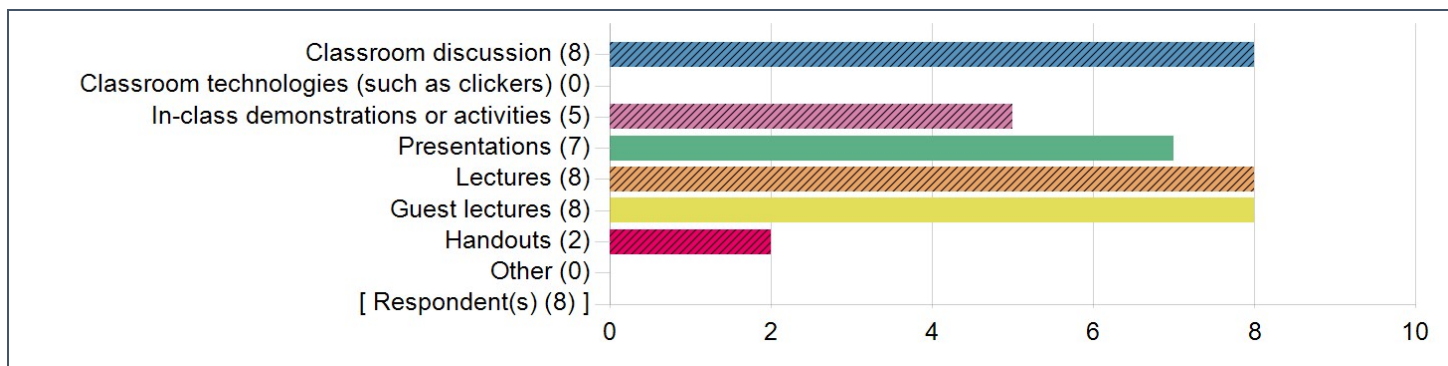


If yes, how did you know this?

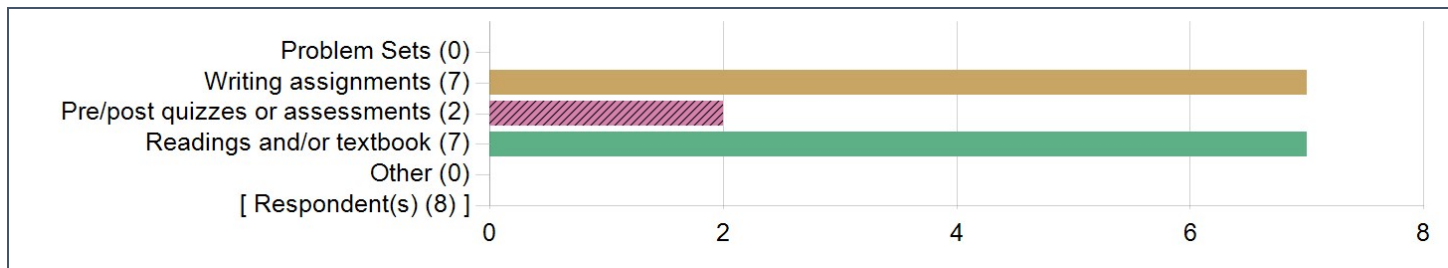


Which of these were used in the course and helped you learn?

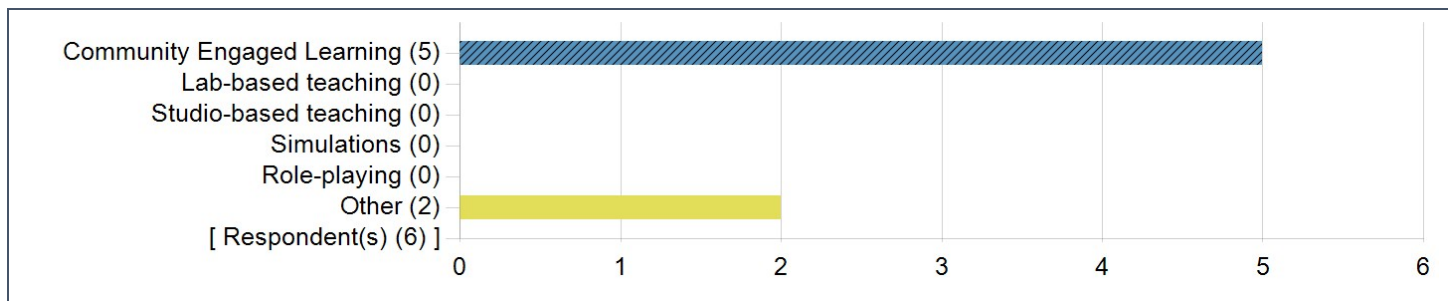
In-class Tools



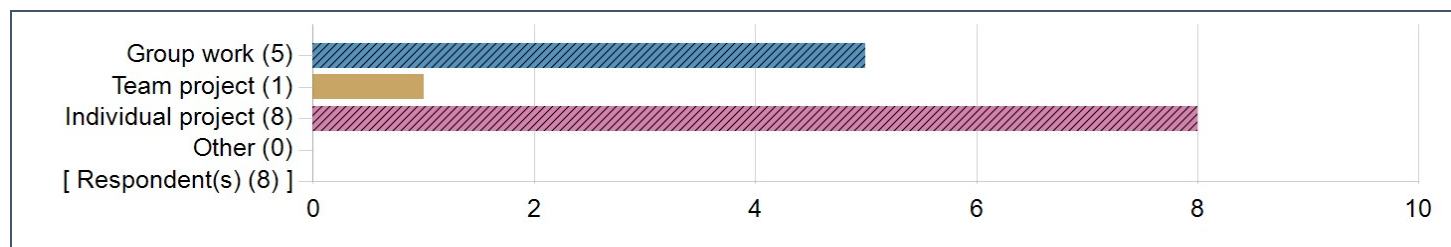
Readings and Assignments



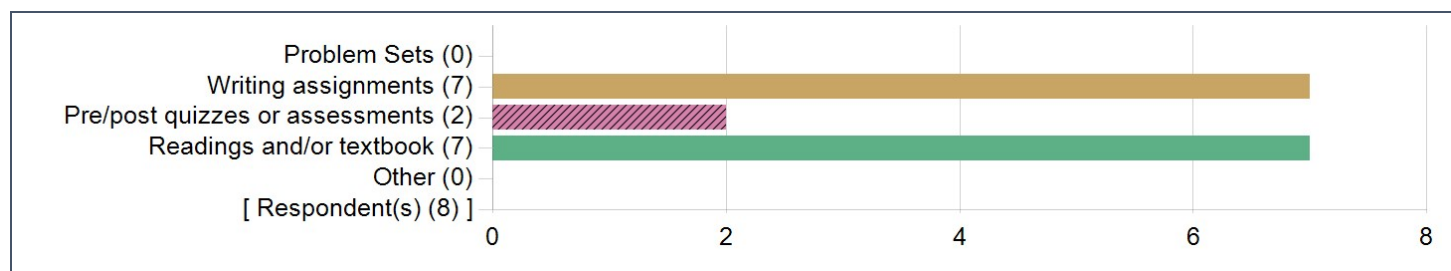
Experiential Learning



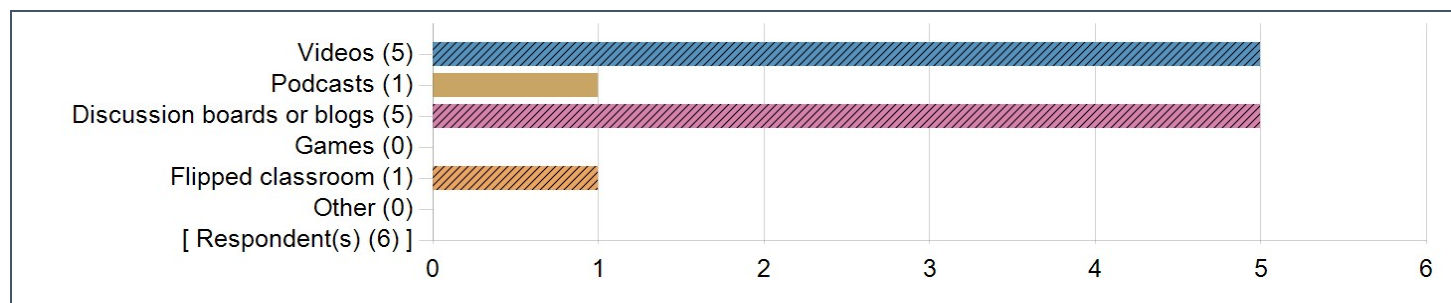
Student-based Projects



Readings and Assignments



Technology-Based Learning



Please explain:

Comments
The field trip was a crucial part of the learning experience of this class, and also a great time.

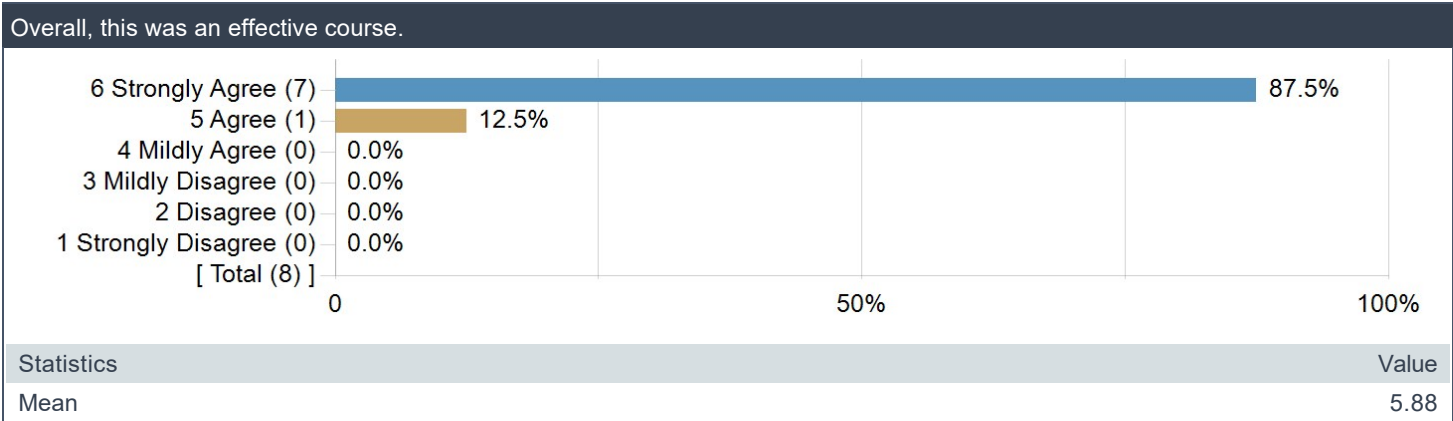
Additional Comments

Is there anything else you would like this instructor to know?

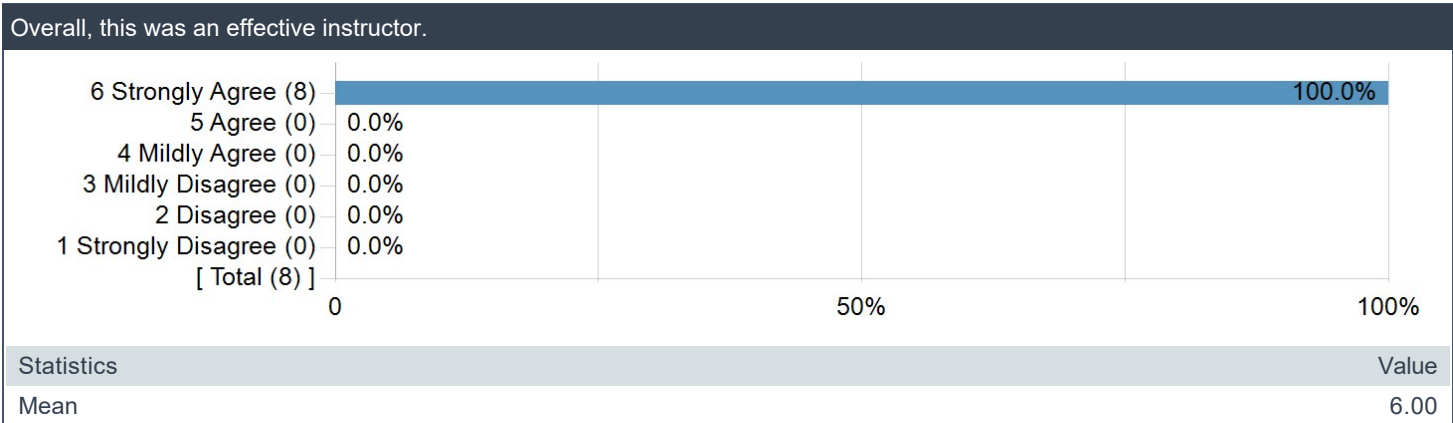
Comments
No, thanks for a fun class!
The camping trip was awesome! I think that doing the trip near the beginning of the semester really gets everyone to open up. I think it leads to a lot better discussions in the second half of the semester as well because everyone is a lot more comfortable with each other.
Thank you for such a wonderful experience. This course not only taught me so much about the benefits of nature on cognition and mental well-being, but it also taught me so much about myself and I am grateful I stepped out of my comfort zone to take this class. The camping trip is an experience I will never forget and I thank you for making it such an incredible and eye-opening experience.
Amy was a great teacher and this was one of the best classes I have ever taken. I learned so much and so much was applicable to our lives now. I recommend this class to as many people as I can
Thank you for a great semester!
You have inspired and shaped me, thank you for an amazing class!

Additional Items

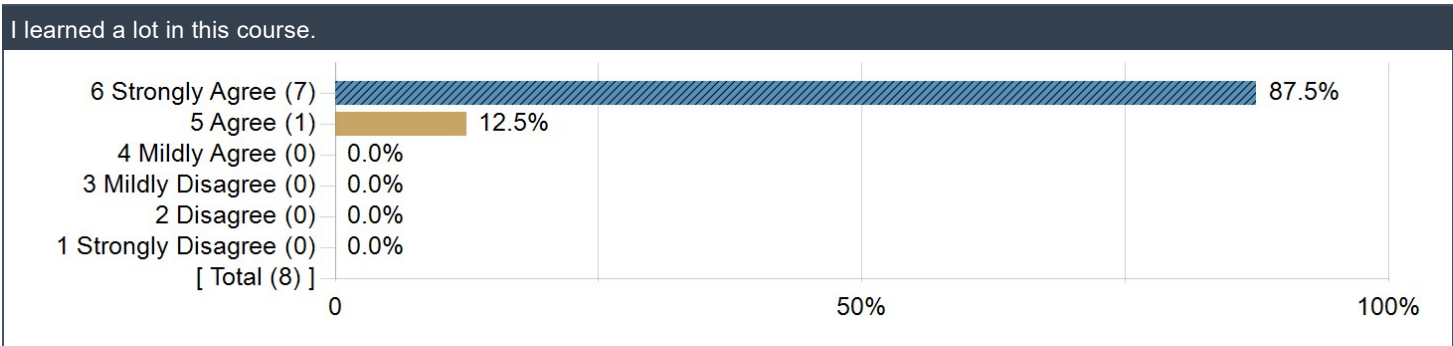
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Overall, this was an effective instructor.



I learned a lot in this course.



The atmosphere in this class was accepting and inclusive.

