University of Utah
Text Responses for SEAN MEEGAN Teaching General Psychology 1010 Undergraduate LEC
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Text Responses

Question: Comments, suggestions on instructor performance

very entertaining and interesting to listen to also very knowledgeable on subject matter!

He is so energetic it makes getting up at 7:30 kind of worth it. I learned more in this class than I have in any college course yet. I loved having it all online, it made it very easy. Tests were straightforward and the class was great!

The instructor was enthusiastic about the subject material and the tests reflected what was covered in lecture. His slides were helpful in preparing for the exams.

I loved his enthusiasm, however, at times, I felt slightly overwhelmed by HOW he was saying things, rather than being interested by WHAT he was saying. Overall, he was very respectful and created a nice class environment. He also made us aware of resources available to us for help in the class.

This was a 7:30 class but he was always full of energy making it hard to ignore his lectures. His slides and lecture covered everything he put on the tests.

very personable made everything clear and understandable

Sean has a really upbeat, and energetic teaching style that helps stimulate attention early in the morning. I think insulting other subjects like math and chemistry by using terms incorrectly or joking about them is counter-productive from a developmental psychologist perspective. If you don't know anything about it, don't says it's hard or stupid it makes those subjects sound unappealing. Instead comment on the complexity and stimulate curiosity.

Engage the class more

Dr. Meegan was the most enthusiastic professor I had this semester. This was very refreshing considering the class started at 7:30.

Made 7:30 am class not such a bad thing by being extremely outgoing. Effective at explaining the material

He knew a lot about the subject and he encouraged questions.

He was very enthusiastic about the subject and it was helpful to have study guides online.

less emphasis on personal anecdotes and more attention on communicating the material.

Enthusiastic and engaging!

1. Very enthusiastic presentations & lessons. 2. You could put lectures online for days we missed.

really enthusiastic about teaching the class which was nice because a 7:30 class is extremely hard to go to, also always made references to situations to make the material more understandable

The instructor was great and I really enjoyed how he taught. I had an early class but never fell asleep because he had such an entertaining teaching style that kept me interested for the full 80 minutes.

Meagan was such an enthusiastic teacher for a 730 class and his energy was definitely helpful for maintaining attention.

The instructor always loved his topic and would use real life examples of his to help it make sense to us.

He was very enthusiastic about the subject and the class, which was a good thing for a 7:30 am class, he also presented material in a way that was helpful to learning (through power points and videos) and he used real world applications and he was knowledgeable about the subject

The instructor was very animated and interesting. The only thing I didn't like was how the TA's graded the Making Connections. I felt like I answered all the questions very well but never got the grade I thought I deserved. I tried to email and get help for improving but she didn't give any feedback.

Sean Meegan was a very enthusiastic professor. I took this class because I was told that he resembled a teacher that I had in high school. He was a very open teacher, and he did a very good job at capturing my attention during lectures.

I liked the way professor Meegan presented information, in an inviting and interesting way rather than just lecturing wihtout any responses or video images to hekp support the information given. I also enjoyed the way the course was setup through aseries of assignments and quizzes that gave you all of the information that was given in class.

enthusiastic, fun

his enthusiasm early in the morning and how helpful his study guides were.

He is very enthusiastic and high energy for the morning.

I liked how enthusiastic you were and always was encouraging.

He was really into the class, especially at 7:30 AM. Got everyone going and paying attn. Fun teacher.

He was really enthusiastic for a 7:30 am class, this maintained the energy. He's definitely very knowledgeable on the topic of psychology, so it was easy to listen to him.

He is very excited, passionate, and enthusiastic about psychology which I could feel as a student. His use of examples and sharing experiences allowed me to make connections and understand the material better.