Question # 25: Please comment on how the instructor's teaching helped your learning of the material in this course. Please give serious thought to your comments. Your comments will be studied by the professor after the grade and performance evaluation of your work have been submitted and may be used in changing future offerings of the course. In addition, these comments are placed in the instructor's file and maybe used for purposes of evaluating the instructor's teaching. The information collected will remain anonymous.

- The way in which notes were dictated to the class and written onto the black board was essential in my understanding of the class. Contrary to nearly all math classes I have taken at UCR, these notes were of actual use. The clarity of this was critical to my understanding.

- It was a lot of material to cover, but Mr. Walker did an all around good job. No complaints.

- I strongly feel that this instructor exhibited a great knowledge of the subject as well as how to teach it, truly another god amongst math scholars and professors, right next to Bahman Engheta.

- He was an excellent instructor.

- How Chris teaches this course indicates that he is a very professional. Unlike other math professors, I have gained good understanding even though I sometimes pay attention in this class. The course itself is not so easy; it is challenging and its work is demanding. Therefore, independent study is needed for this course. However, Chris has done a great job.

- Mr. Chris Walker was a great instructor and will definitely become a great professor for a university soon. His method of teaching of using examples and defining terms made it much easier than spending hours of reading the hard to understand textbook. He overall made simple a difficult course.

- He was a really good teacher. He was clear and always explained everything really well. Lecture notes were understandable and exams covered them.

- Overall the instructor presented the material really well. I was able to learn the materials in a very short amount of time that is allotted for the summer session. He has helpful and convenient office hours and good at responding to e-mails. A few suggestions about grading. First the homework; the instructor assigns a lot of homework problems that are sometimes far from what we are learning in class. The system of grading that this instructor uses is based on points which is systematically great, however, assigning more points for doing homework, which is twice the amount of points versus the quizzes which gives an instructor more of an understanding if his students are learning the required material, kind of defeats the purpose of this great grading system that was put in place. I honestly think that the instructor needed to allocate more points for the quizzes rather than give more points for just "busy work." One more thing, I really think that assigning points for attendance is an awesome idea but the instructor might need to be a little more considerate because there are a lot of things that are out of our hands making us miss some of the lectures. I suggest allowing no points deducted for missing two lectures might be a good idea?. Overall, a great instructor. I would definitely take another one of his classes. I hope this helps. Good luck and thank you very much!

- He explained problems great. He took everything step by step which is what I need to learn. He did a great job teaching and was very fair in everything.

- Instructor limited our learning by only assigning even problems therefore not allowing to check our own progress...i considered this unfair and poor way to teach. We are college students now if we look in the back of the book for answers we are only hurting ourselves. Assigning only even limited how i tested myself...

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