



UC RIVERSIDE - Student Comments of Instructor,
Discussion Courses - Fall 2023

Course: MATH 007B Section: 012 - CALCULUS FOR LIFE
SCIENCES

Instructor: Chris Grossack

Question # 18: YOUR CONSTRUCTIVE COMMENTS ON YOUR GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR'S TEACHING SKILLS ARE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT. PLEASE WRITE YOUR COMMENTS IN THE TEXTBOX BELOW. PLEASE LIMIT YOUR COMMENTS TO 2000 CHARACTERS.

- Chris is an incredibly kind, approachable, and friendly TA! They make sure to put the needs of the students first, and always asks what types of problems that students are stuck on so that they can prioritize and manage the class time that we have together. They also always check in with the class while they are reteaching the lecture material so that they can immediately explain any unclear points. Chris is very receptive to questions, and encourages us to go to their office hours if they have any further confusion. Overall, it is clear that Chris just wants the best for us students, and they will do as much as they can to make sure we succeed!
- This class was quite literally the only class I look forward to going. Chris has made their classroom environment very welcoming and fun. The only thing I'd say is the GradeScope process can be inconvenient sometimes since it never works properly, but that is out of their control.
- Was always super understanding of students situations and needs. Always thoroughly explained problems and would still further ask the class if there was anything else they still needed explained or talked through. Helped to explain a lot of things that weren't initially clear from the material or lecture. Super approachable as well and overall fun. Live laugh love Chris. ☐
- Chris is the Homie!
- Chris is super helpful. I have no complaints at all!
- Chris is an amazing math TA to actually have for Math7B. I found him to explaining a whole lot of the new material that I have never learned before to being really helpful. There were times where he forgot how to do certain things because there just are too many formulas, but I completely understand as math is difficult. Overall, Chris was really helpful to me and he broke the problems down step by step, so he can make sure that all of us are able to understand what's going on.
- Chris is very helpful and thorough. I understand material I once did not from the lectures after discussion session.
- Amazing TA!! Explained everything in such an amazing and easy way. I am very grateful for having Chris as my Calc TA.
- Math discussions helped with the understanding of the assignments. The assignments were difficult until the instructor explained it further which made the assignments a lot easier.