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Lightning Round Essays

The most difficult part of the class for me was the format/structure of the class. Since activities, quizzes, and applications are not graded it was hard to keep up because it was not damaging my grade. I messed up and skipped all those assignments for a while, so I only did the activities to keep up.

The easiest part of the class for me was showing up to class. Since it was online there really no excuse not to show up in the comfort of your own home and do the work that was assigned.

What interested me the most in this class was learning SAS through the activities. It was interesting to me because as a computer science student it was interesting learning a new coding language that isn't widely used by most engineers. I personally would not use it outside of this class, but it was nice to learn something new.

My one piece of advice that I would give a new student starting out in STA 216 is to stay on top of the activities. It is hard to get caught up when you must balance out time for your other classes. Getting behind at first isn't too bad but when it becomes weeks behind you're screwed.