

After taking this course with you, I can confidently say that I have gained a significant amount of knowledge about object-oriented programming. Throughout the course, I've tried to make it a priority to make it to every single class. But I did miss some classes and assignments due to personal reasons. I lost my grandmother at the start of the course and lost my grandpa at the end of the course, and this did impact my ability to stay focused early on, but I did try my best to show up. But I won't lie, I did attend some classes around 11:35 am. For the participation part of the course during class meetings, I did hold my answers due to my peers answering before me, but I did agree with most of their answers, and the other times I did not know the answer myself until someone answered it. But when I did have questions, I tried to use all of my resources before coming to you and asking for help, but my main questions that you answered were more about the course rather than the work itself. While being present in the meetings, I was able to focus on the lectures and discussions, it may have seemed like I was wondering off but If I had a question while you were lecturing I would it up on my other monitor, or I would write down what I did understand and try to watch of YouTube video, because I am more of a visual learner. I did miss a couple of assignments, which I spoke to you about when we met in July, but other than that, I did submit all my other assignments on time. I did review the solutions that were posted, but I do feel like, as someone who has not fully mastered this course, my work was not 100% perfect, or I felt like sometimes close. I do realize that I need to improve my problem solving skills, as well as being a clearer coder. Not just in the class but in life, I do feel like I make things harder for myself, and I do believe that that reflects in some of my work, like using certain variables that would make me write more code, rather than a simpler variable that will require less. I would also like to own up to being lazy in some of my work, for example, sometimes I would just try to make the code work, and not actually sit there and try to make it

perfect. I am able to say that I did try my best to make the code follow the assignment details, I do believe it shows logic and some improvements. A challenge could be sitting there trying the code, over and over again until its somewhat perfect. This could be difficult for most people who have low patience. But I would say that my main challenge was getting through this course mentally with everything going on in my life right now, and this course is needed to move on with my IT degree. I can say that I've learned many things, but I specific thing that I learned from you is patience and organization, which will play a huge role in my academic career as well as my personal life. I understand that things happen in life, and life does not stop moving. I am not trying to use any of the things that I've told you as an excuse. I was just letting you know where I was at mentally throughout the whole course, and I take full accountability for my performance. I did enjoy having you as a professor, you inspired me to do more and better things in life based off your personal stories and as well as advice. Thank you.