Syracuse University
2024 Spring | Course Feedback

Course:	31646.1242: MAT.285.M003.SPRING24.Life Sciences Calculus I
Instructor:	Jianqing Jia *
Response Rate:	22/25 (88.00 %)

Question		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
My key reasons for taking this course were: (Select all that apply.)	n	10	18	6	2	7	1	2	0
	%	45.45%	81.82%	27.27%	9.09%	31.82%	4.55%	9.09%	0.00%

Scale: 1 = Interested in the subject, 2 = Required for major, minor, or program, 3 = Fulfilled Liberal Arts requirement/distribution (undergraduate only), 4 = Reputation of instructor, 5 = Fit into my schedule, 6 = Advisor recommended course, 7 = Friend(s) recommended course, 8 = Other

If you selected 'other' as a key reason, please comment.
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Question		1	2	3	4	5	6	Mean	Std	Median
For this course, on average, I spent the following time, outside of synchronous or in-person class sessions, on course work:	n	0	12	7	3	0	0	2.59	0.73	2.00
	%	0.00%	54.55%	31.82%	13.64%	0.00%	0.00%			

Scale: 1 = 0 hours per week, 2 = 1-3 hours per week, 3 = 4-6 hours per week, 4 = 7-10 hours per week, 5 = 11-15 hours per week, 6 = More than 15 hours per week

Question		1	2	3	4	5	6	Mean	Std	Median
I feel that I performed to my potential in this course.	n	0	0	3	3	9	7	4.91	1.02	5.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	13.64%	40.91%	31.82%			
The syllabus was an accurate guide to course requirements.	n	0	0	0	2	3	17	5.68	0.65	6.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	13.64%	77.27%			
Student participation and the contribution of ideas, comments, and questions were encouraged.	n	0	0	0	1	10	11	5.45	0.60	5.50
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	4.55%	45.45%	50.00%			
I felt a sense of belonging and community in the class.	n	0	1	0	5	8	8	5.00	1.02	5.00
	%	0.00%	4.55%	0.00%	22.73%	36.36%	36.36%			
Course assessments (e.g., exams/quizzes, papers, presentations, projects, performances, etc.) allowed me to demonstrate what I learned.	n	0	0	0	3	7	12	5.41	0.73	6.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	31.82%	54.55%			
I received helpful feedback from the instructor to guide my progress in this course.: Jianqing Jia	n	0	0	0	1	5	16	5.68	0.57	6.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	4.55%	22.73%	72.73%			
The instructor was available for support outside the course meeting time.: Jianqing Jia	n	0	0	0	1	6	15	5.64	0.58	6.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	4.55%	27.27%	68.18%			
Course content was presented clearly.	n	0	0	0	2	3	17	5.68	0.65	6.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	13.64%	77.27%			
Summary and emphasis of important points in class was effective.	n	0	0	0	1	5	16	5.68	0.57	6.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	4.55%	22.73%	72.73%			
Class time was effectively utilized.	n	0	0	0	1	6	15	5.64	0.58	6.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	4.55%	27.27%	68.18%			
Lectures kept me engaged in course topics.	n	0	0	0	4	8	10	5.27	0.77	5.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	18.18%	36.36%	45.45%			

Scale: 1 = Strongly Disagree, 2 = Disagree, 3 = Somewhat Disagree, 4 = Somewhat Agree, 5 = Agree, 6 = Strongly Agree

Question		1	2	3	4	5	Mean	Std	Median
Overall, how would you rate the effectiveness of this instructor's teaching?: Jianqing Jia	n	0	0	1	5	16	4.68	0.57	5.00
	%	0.00%	0.00%	4.55%	22.73%	72.73%			

Scale: 1 = Poor, 2 = Adequate, 3 = Good, 4 = Very Good, 5 = Excellent

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Please leave any additional comments.

• This professor was a very good teacher and loved to help students

• Very helpful professor who responded to emails very quickly as well as presented the materials for everyone to understand

• While this being my 4th time taking calc at SU, this semester I have preformed the best thanks to professor Jia. He has helped understand all of the materials and is very helpful. He wants to see you passing and he enjoys what he teaches unlike other professors.

• Class was not too difficult and teacher was very flexible.

• I liked that the lecture notes were very detailed.

• I really enjoyed the class, as the instructor was very flexible and helpful in learning the material to the best of our ability. The instructor made sure that we knew what to focus on and how to best study, which was helpful and the homework was incredibly helpful as it was a good and concise review of the material learned in class.

• Jia was a great teacher and easy to follow his lectures and makes it very attainanable to get an A.

• The class and the professor were great. He made sure I understood everything

• Was able to cooperate with students very well and communicated effectively and kept students engaged.

• This semester, Professor Jia provides an excellent math class.

• Definitely a really good professor who cares about his students' wellbeing and presents the material well

• Nope