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Survey Results Aggregate

## Math Department TA Evaluation Completed

📅 2020 Spring (1204) / Student Course Evaluation (End of Term) / Anonymous Survey

Course Assignments: 240 / Survey Participants: 5204

Schedule: 4/6/2020 to 4/17/2020

Results Available: 5/15/2020

📅 This survey completed on **Friday, April 17, 2020** at **11:59PM**.
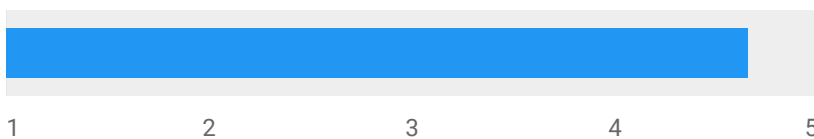
College:	Letters and Science
Department:	Mathematics
Course Section:	MATH 234 - 324 Calculus--Functions of Several Variables
Course Section Director:	👤 NA
Instructor:	👤 Michel Alexis

📊 Survey Overview / Course Section Results Aggregate

55% Response Rate 12 of 22

TOTAL SURVEYS	22
SURVEYS COMPLETED	12
PENDING SURVEYS	10
COURSE ASSIGNMENTS	1
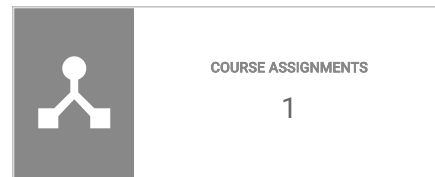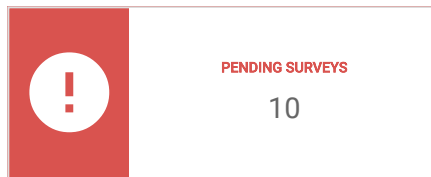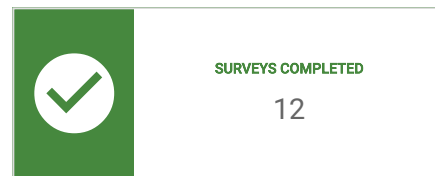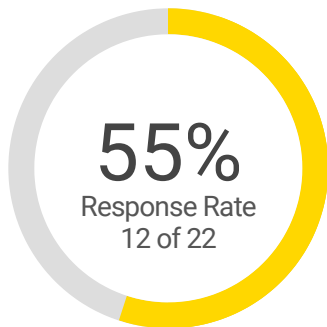
📊 Survey Metrics / Course Section Results Aggregate

Effectiveness 📊

1	2	3	4	5

Avg	Min	Max	#Resp	Target	Success
4.67	1	5	12	NA	NA

📊 Survey Data / Course Section Results Aggregate

Teaching Effectiveness

1 The instructor used class time effectively.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	1
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	7
5	Strongly Agree	4
6	No Answer	0
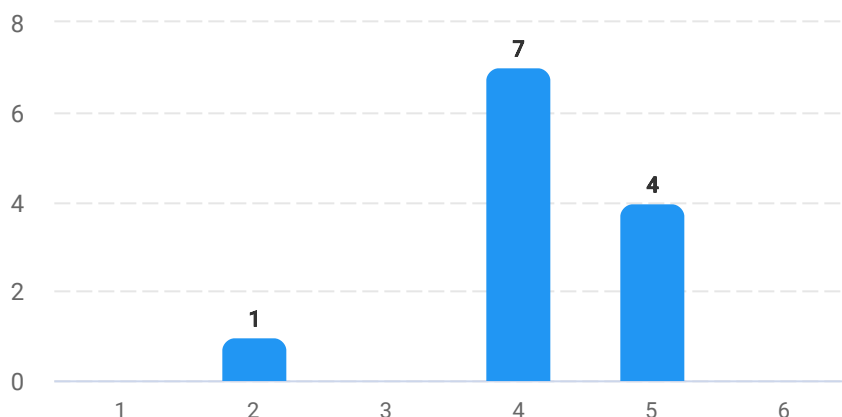
Average	4.17
Median	4.00
Mode	4
Std. Dev.	0.80
Variance	0.64

2 The instructor presented the material in a clear manner that facilitated understanding.
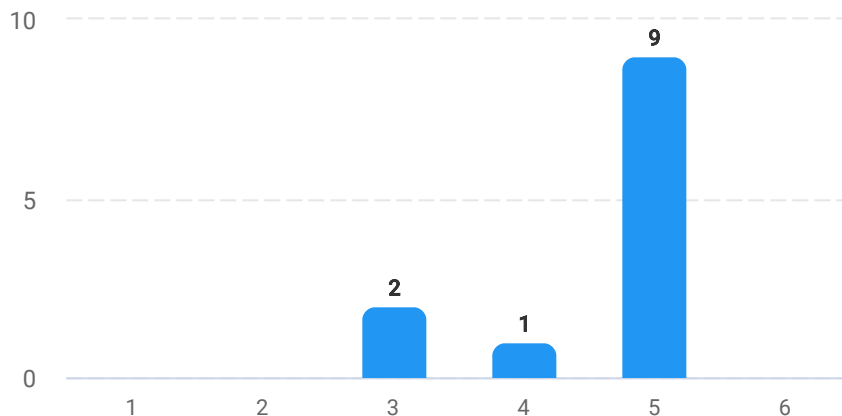
(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	2
4	Agree	1

Value	Option	Total
5	Strongly Agree	9
6	No Answer	0

Average	4.58
Median	5.00
Mode	5
Std. Dev.	0.76
Variance	0.58

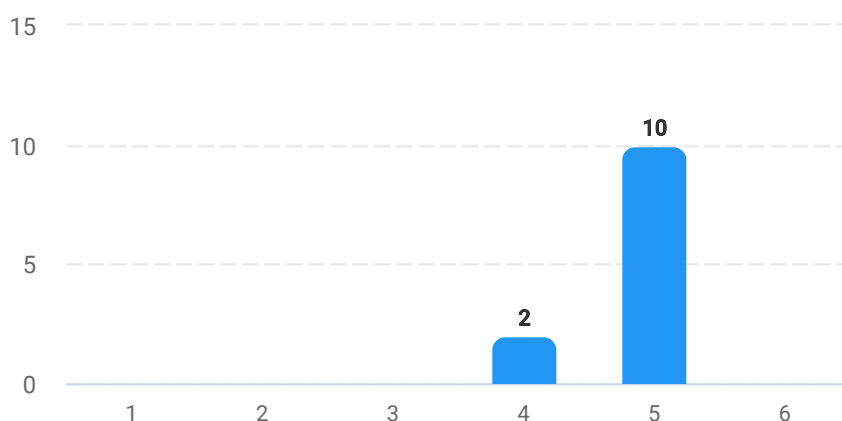**3** The instructor encouraged student participation in class.
(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	10
6	No Answer	0

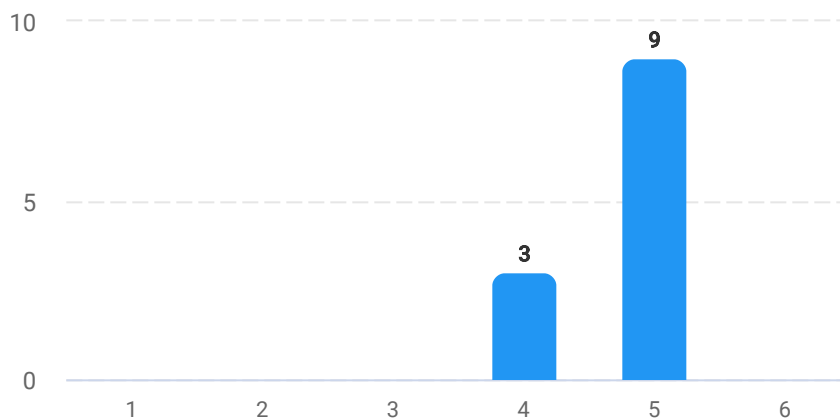|	
Average	4.83
Median	5.00
Mode	5
Std. Dev.	0.37
Variance	0.14

4 The instructor responds to questions effectively.
(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	3
5	Strongly Agree	9
6	No Answer	0

Average	4.75
Median	5.00
Mode	5
Std. Dev.	0.43
Variance	0.19

5 The instructor treated students with respect.
(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	10
6	No Answer	0
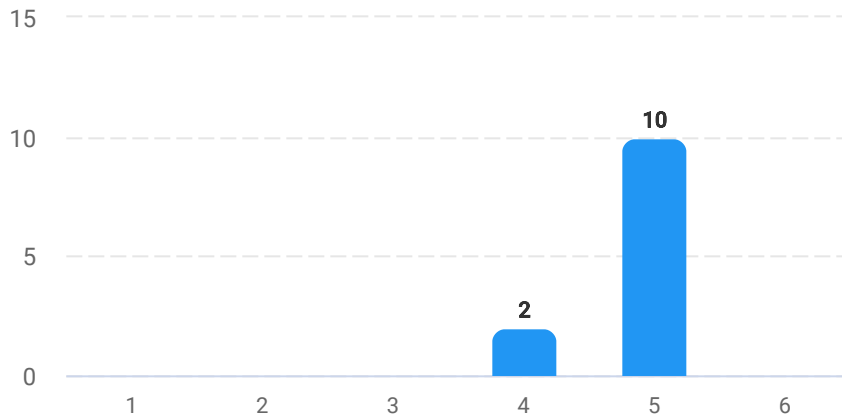
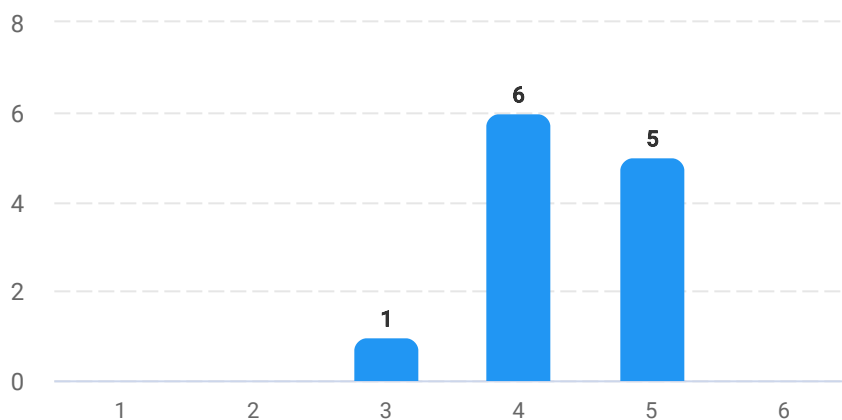|	Average
	4.83
	Median
	5.00
	Mode
	5
	Std. Dev.
	0.37
	Variance
	0.14

Basic Duties

6 The instructor returned assignments and exams in a timely manner.
(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	1
4	Agree	6
5	Strongly Agree	5
6	No Answer	0

	Average
	4.33
	Median
	4.00
	Mode
	4
	Std. Dev.
	0.62
	Variance
	0.39

The instructor was available during office hours.

7

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	1
5	Strongly Agree	10
6	No Answer	1
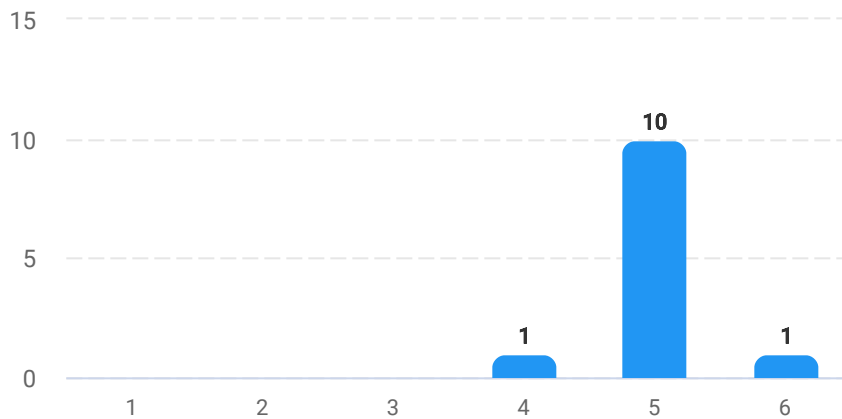
	Average
	4.91
	Median
	5.00
	Mode
	5
	Std. Dev.
	0.29
	Variance
	0.08

8

The instructor was well prepared for class.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	1
5	Strongly Agree	11
6	No Answer	0
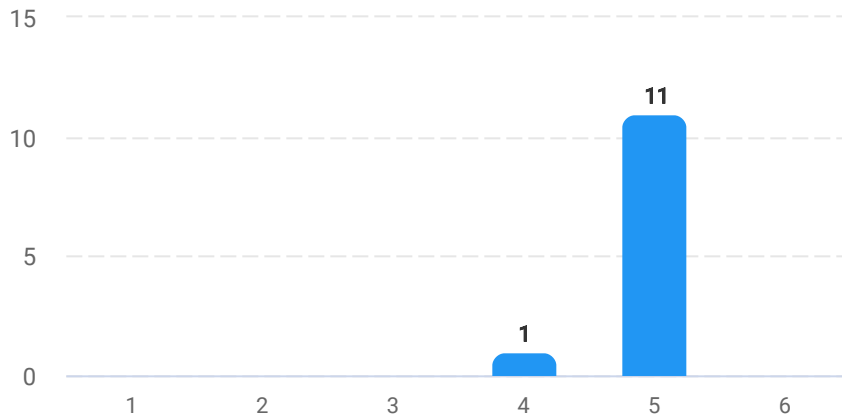
	Average
	4.92
	Median
	5.00
	Mode
	5
	Std. Dev.
	0.28
	Variance
	0.08

9 The instructor arrived on time.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	1
5	Strongly Agree	11
6	No Answer	0
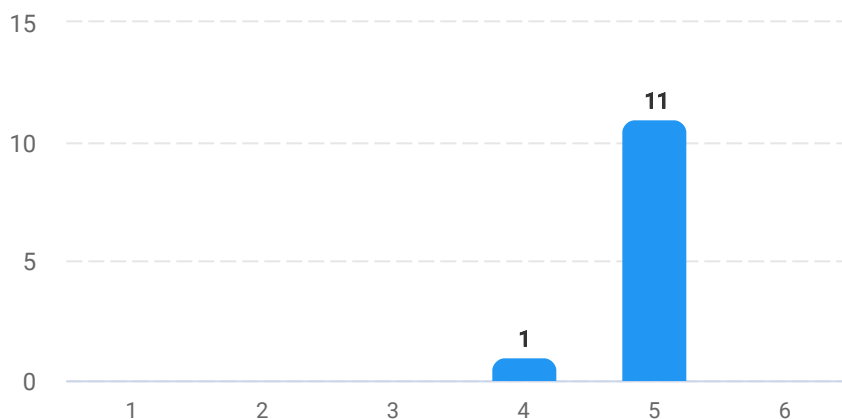
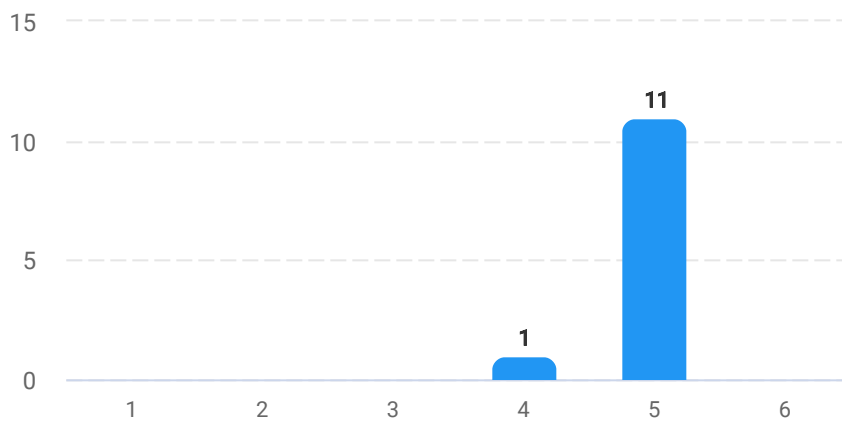|	Average
	4.92
	Median
	5.00
	Mode
	5
	Std. Dev.
	0.28
	Variance
	0.08

Presentation

10 The instructor spoke clearly and loudly enough.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	1
5	Strongly Agree	11
6	No Answer	0

Average
4.92

Median
5.00

Mode
5

Std. Dev.
0.28

Variance
0.08

11 The instructor wrote on the blackboard clearly.

(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	10
6	No Answer	0
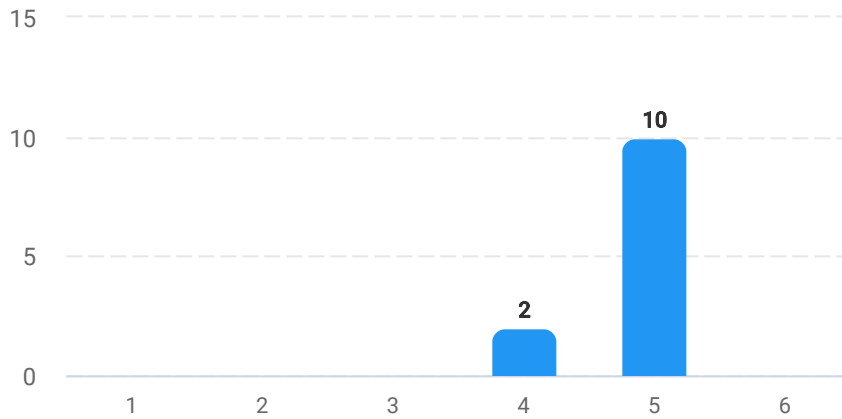
	Average
	4.83
	Median
	5.00
	Mode
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	Std. Dev.
	0.37
	Variance
	0.14

Recommendation/Overall Quality

12 I would recommend this instructor to others.
(Instructor Multi-Choice)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	2
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	8
6	No Answer	0
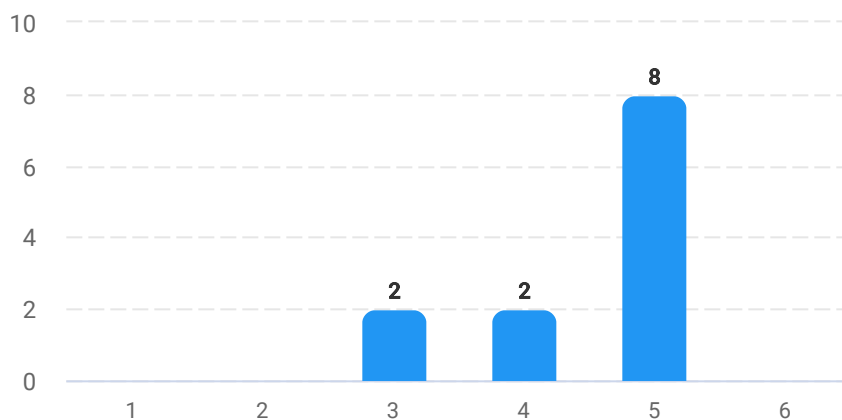
	Average
	4.50
	Median
	5.00
	Mode
	5
	Std. Dev.
	0.76
	Variance
	0.58

The instructor was an effective teacher.

13 (Instructor Multi-Choice)

📊 Effectiveness

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

Value	Option	Total
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	4
5	Strongly Agree	8
6	No Answer	0
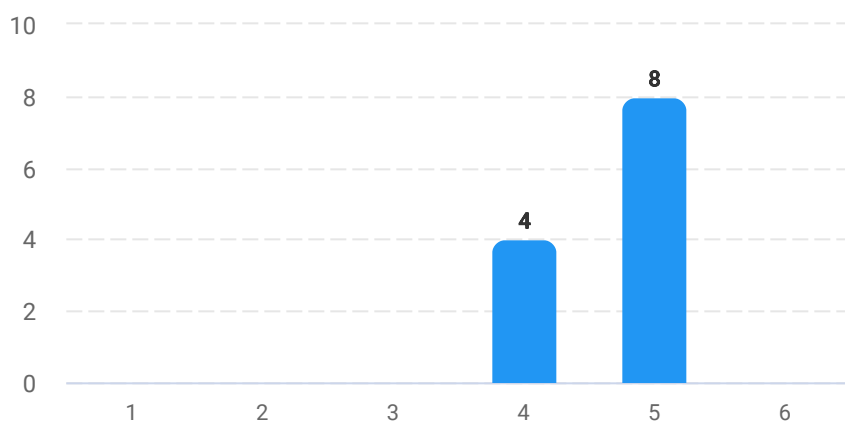
Average
4.67

Median
5.00

Mode
5

Std. Dev.
0.47

Variance
0.22

14 What do you like most about the instructor's teaching?
(Instructor Text/Memo)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

- N/a
- He was very helpful for questions and concerns. If anyone had a question, he always explained thoroughly and made sure everyone else understood and had no other questions before moving on. It was also very nice of him to change his office hours to accommodate all of us.
- I liked that he encouraged us to work together to complete homework assignments and worksheets.
- He's very energetic and eager to answer questions
- He conduct group games (like ice breaking session) before we delve deeper into our material
- He started the discussion by going over a problem related to the most recent lecture in which he clearly explained how to solve a problem and the steps required. He also cleared any and all questions while doing so. By the end, I had a good understanding of what he was explaining.
- Very enthusiastic
- He's very clear in his explanations and knows exactly what the students are asking for even when they phrase their question in a confusing way.
- Michel was very helpful when conceptual and technical questions about Calc III without giving away answers.
- He was thorough.
- I liked the most that when if I was confused, Michel would explain the process in a different manner than the teacher to try to develop a new way of understanding the material, and I found this extremely helpful. I also liked that Michel made us stand up and do the problems together, I think this facilitated good discussion and collaboration.
- I liked how we did an activity to get active and get our brains working during the beginning of class. I also like how we got to work in small groups instead of being alone on worksheets/homework

discussion together before work made explained question

questions had

problem good understanding michel

helpful

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15 How could the instructor improve his/her teaching?
(Instructor Text/Memo)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

- N/a
- He is pretty good. I don't have any suggestions for him to improve his teaching.
- I think that Michel could do a brief warm up problem beginning each class instead of some classes so that we get a review of the previous lecture.
- Instead of breaking the class into small groups of people and let them discuss their materials by themselves, I believe a more effective way would be to answer the questions together with everyone by writing the solutions on the blackboard and explain how to derive the answers since there are weak students in class that doesn't understand the material but are shy to ask.
- Show more written examples
- I do not think Michel can. He is the best math TA I have had.
- Spend less time on trying to get everyone energized and less time on making sure they get every single step in the problem. Focus more on what they are not understanding.
- None. I am not the biggest fan of zip zap zop, but you gotta do em, haha.

time
problem   less
michel   everyone

class
more

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16 | Any further comments:
(Instructor Text/Memo)

👤 Michel Alexis instructor

- N/a
- He is really helpful and a nice guy. Michel wants the best out of everyone, so he does his best to make sure we get the help we need!
- N/A
- He's a good instructor. Always gave us motivation to keep us happy when the going gets tough although he can be a bit strict at times (which I think is necessary too).
- I really appreciate that he recognises the diversity in his class and does his best to teach complex concepts really well.
- Makes Math easier to understand
- Would it be possible to grade homework a bit faster? I understand there is quite a lot to grade, but if they could be graded in two weeks, it might be helpful.
- No
- None.