

Fall 2021 - Evaluation Results

EGS 210 - Women and Society (Item #12346)

Instructor: Paulina Abustan

1. Our instructor is respectful, approachable, and personable (for example, answers our questions, responds to our emails, welcomes our contributions to class, encourages us to ask questions, listens to our ideas)
15 - Always
1 - Frequently
0 - Sometimes
0 - Rarely
0 - Never
2. Comments:
[Student 1](#): I love this professor. She's part of the reason I didn't just give up and quite. Thank you so much you are appreciated!
[Student 5](#): Such a great teacher!
[Student 9](#): I always felt very comfortable and able to freely talk and speak my mind, Dr. Paulina made me feel very welcomed.
[Student 16](#): none ! they are great
3. Our instructor encourages and cares for students (for example, knows our names, provides constructive feedback, explains how to do things better, encourages us to ask for help, helps those who need it, makes changes to the class as needed, meets us outside office hours)
15 - Always
1 - Frequently
0 - Sometimes
0 - Rarely
0 - Never
4. Comments:
[Student 1](#): Amazing how she interacts with us she even post replies to the discussion board.
[Student 5](#): Takes the time to respond to everyone's post as well.
5. Our instructor is knowledgeable about the subject matter (for example, gives clear answers to questions, explains things in different ways; doesn't lecture straight from the book or read slides, uses relevant examples)
14 - Always
2 - Frequently
0 - Sometimes
0 - Rarely
0 - Never
6. Comments:
[Student 7](#): I enjoyed the recordings. I consider myself a visual learner and loved the videos. Much easier on my brain.
[Student 9](#): I like that this class really went into depth with what feminism is and talked about so many things I never knew, I am glad I took this class and am not ignorant or uneducated about a variety of things.
[Student 16](#): they are very passionate

7. Our instructor has clear expectations and grading is fair (for example, we know when assignments are due, we know how we are doing in the class, test questions are relevant, grading criteria are clear)
 - 15 - Always
 - 1 - Frequently
 - 0 - Sometimes
 - 0 - Rarely
 - 0 - Never
8. Comments:
No responses
9. The online course site was well organized so I could find the materials I needed.
 - 12 - Strongly agree
 - 4 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
10. The online instructions and materials made it clear what I was going to learn.
 - 12 - Strongly agree
 - 4 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
11. The online instructions and materials had effective advice on how to do well in the class.
 - 14 - Strongly agree
 - 2 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
12. The instructor regularly interacted with me online.
 - 11 - Strongly agree
 - 4 - Agree
 - 1 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
13. The technology used to present and interact in this course supported the class goals and learning.
 - 12 - Strongly agree
 - 4 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
14. Grading procedures were clearly explained in the course syllabus.
 - 14 - Strongly agree
 - 1 - Agree
 - 1 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
15. Assignments were returned in a timely manner.
 - 15 - Strongly agree
 - 1 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral

- 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
16. There was ample opportunity to ask questions in class.
- 12 - Strongly agree
 - 2 - Agree
 - 1 - Neutral
 - 1 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
17. The instructor was respectful and considerate in dealing with me.
- 14 - Strongly agree
 - 2 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
18. The instructor followed a well developed plan for the course.
- 13 - Strongly agree
 - 3 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
19. The examinations challenged me to think.
- 13 - Strongly agree
 - 3 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
20. I found the written assignments helpful in learning the material.
- 11 - Strongly agree
 - 5 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
21. If I had it to do over, I would take this course from this instructor.
- 13 - Strongly agree
 - 3 - Agree
 - 0 - Neutral
 - 0 - Disagree
 - 0 - Strongly disagree
22. When I needed help outside of class time, my instructor has been responsive by email, phone, or in person.
- 14 - Almost always
 - 1 - Often
 - 1 - Sometimes
 - 0 - Rarely
 - 0 - Almost never
23. What did your instructor do that helped you the most in the class?
- [Student 1](#): She was patient, understanding. Kept letting me know she is here for us here to help us. I really love ms Abustsn
- [Student 2](#): Very organized. I appreciated the canvas layout as well as the structure of our assignments/layouts
- [Student 3](#): Making a clear list of what was due each week of the quarter.

[Student 4](#): Positive feedback

[Student 5](#): I liked how she provided feedback on each discussion post, it seems like she really cares about her students!

[Student 6](#): She was very clear on her expectations and the materials provided were very relevant to the assignments.

[Student 7](#): The videos

[Student 9](#): helping me understand assignments and getting back to me asap

[Student 10](#): ,y instructor gave me great feedback and was cognizant of my circumstances outside of class. She showed great support and encouragement that helped me get through the class.

[Student 11](#): Frequent reminders

[Student 12](#): She explained very clear instructions and gave us all the tool needed to pass the class and understand the material well

[Student 13](#): I think being understanding when I had some personal thigs going on and grading the work I had turned in late

[Student 14](#): Kind and understanding about the barriers I was experiencing fall quarter

[Student 16](#): they always made sure to leave feedback

24. What suggestions do you have to improve the way your instructor had taught this course?

[Student 1](#): None needed

[Student 4](#): none

[Student 5](#): I don't have any suggestions, she did a great job :)

[Student 6](#): I don't have any suggestions because I really enjoyed taking this class.

[Student 7](#): Some of the texts were not user-friendly. I do appreciate that the texts were free but the language was extremely hard to follow and quite frankly I disengaged with alot of it and had to force myself to read it. Knowing that Highline is a very diverse campus, makes me wonder how my EL peers dealt with the texts? English is my first language and I struggled with it.

[Student 9](#): nothing really, maybe a walk through of where stuff in canvas and reminders of what to do for the week ex: watch this weeks lecture

[Student 12](#): no suggestions

[Student 13](#): I don't think I have any

[Student 14](#): No

[Student 16](#): none

25. What did you like best about this course?

[Student 1](#): Everything honestly

[Student 2](#): All the different perspectives and how the knowledge we learned was branched out into things not normally spoken about

[Student 4](#): The syllabus was very well structured

[Student 5](#): I like how communicative my instructor was.

[Student 6](#): I liked that all the topics that were covered were very interesting and easy to engage in.

[Student 7](#): The subject focus and the videos.

[Student 9](#): I was able to learn about intersectionality and many factors that play into who we are nowadays

[Student 10](#): I really enjoyed the beginning of the class that gave recognition to the occupied land that Highline is on, and recognition to the Indigenous population.

[Student 11](#): Help with essays

[Student 12](#): I liked how respectful she was and knowledgeable about the topic she taught. I also appreciate the material she taught and how well organized it was which made it easy to understand

[Student 13](#): I really enjoyed learning and discussing Ideas I had never had the chance before.

[Student 14](#): Different types of media

[Student 16](#): the fun slides in the lectures that always looked neat and filled with art

26. What did you like least about this course?

[Student 1](#): Nothing

[Student 2](#): Unknown. I enjoyed the class a lot

[Student 4](#): None

[Student 6](#): I really enjoyed taking this course.

[Student 7](#): Some of the texts. They were way too dry and in my opinion not user-friendly. As annoying as it is, it is easier to use paperbooks/texts we can take notes easier and keep track of what we need for the final. Also this is not an English composition class, I don't think we should have been forced to use MLA format. For all my other courses I have used APA. Even in English 102 we used APA. Even with stems/samples it is hard to follow and unnatural. You have to think about what you want to see in a student, do you want proper formatting or do you really want to know what we learned. At least on my end I did feel stress trying to make sure I had the formatting correct and it caused stress and disengagement. The course itself was not hard but trying to get things how you wanted in formatting was hard because you do come across as if there is no room for error when responding and submitting essays and or work. Also the grading points doesn't allow for much wiggle room and constant discussion boards are boring and disengaging for many of us because almost all teachers do only discussion boards as part of assignments and it gets boring really fast.

[Student 9](#): I found the chapter about veganism a bit hard to write about

[Student 12](#): none

[Student 14](#): Nothing

[Student 16](#): long final essay

27. What other comments do you have about this instructor or this course?

[Student 1](#): Thank you for actually making me want to stay and learn you never gave up on me and u are so real

[Student 2](#): I really enjoy this class

[Student 7](#): I do appreciate the flexibility even though at first it seemed that you did not accept late work. Students have lives, same as instructors/professors.

[Student 9](#): I really enjoyed the class this quarter and am extremely grateful for your understanding, I had a lot of emotional problems and moving out on my own plus financial issues were stressing me out so much I neglected my work. I was really scared I'd get a horrible grade in this class but since I was still able to submit assignments late and get credit it lifted so much off my shoulders. Thank you for being very understanding and patient with me, I sincerely appreciate it.

[Student 12](#): would take this course again! :)

[Student 14](#): None

[Student 16](#): none