

Brief Responses for MATH221020D for 2019 Fall (2198) - Instructor Nakao, Joseph Brief Responses Total = Responded / Enrolled

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18935 Was the Graduate Assistant Prepared	E 1	2	3	4	A 	Total: 16 / 26 Mean: 5 Std Dev: 0.00		
18936 Graduate Assistant was organized	E 1	2	3	4	A 	Total: 16 / 26 Mean: 4.94 Std Dev: 0.25		
18939 Was Graduate Assistant understandable in terms of level of presentation	E 1	2	3	4	A 	Total: 16 / 26 Mean: 4.94 Std Dev: 0.25		
18941 Was Graduate Assistant understandable in terms of language	E 1	2	3	4	A 5	Total: 16 / 26 Mean: 4.94 Std Dev: 0.25		
18943 Was the Graduate Assistant open to questions	E 1	2	3	4	A 	Total: 16 / 26 Mean: 5 Std Dev: 0.00		
18944 Did the Graduate Assistant answer questions effectively	E 1	2	3	4	A 	Total: 16 / 26 Mean: 5 Std Dev: 0.00		
18945 Was the Graduate Assistant in control of the recitation section	E 1	2	3	4	A 	Total: 16 / 26 Mean: 5 Std Dev: 0.00		
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Additional Comments:

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I am sincerely going to miss Joseph as a TA and as a person. His passion for helping his students and his natural talent for teaching was evident throughout the course. I have never taken Calculus before, unlike majority of the students in my class, but he always encouraged me to believe in myself and work hard. In discussion he was always trying to make sure we understood the material we were learning and in the many office hours I attended it was the same thing. He always made himself available to us and would go through a lot of effort to provide his knowledge whenever we needed it. I was so lucky to get such a motivating person to have throughout the course because it was definitely challenging. I am extremely sad that I won't have a class with him again (and I'm not a math person). I am excited to see what the future holds for him, I know he's gonna make an amazing professor one day!

He provided lots of helpful resources and was able to clearly explain all topics in a way that everyone understood.

Joseph is one of the best TA's UD has offered me. He takes the time to go over examples, explain thoroughly in a proper manner, and cares for his students. He conducts a lot of oral reviews which always helps me immensely when I wish to study for math. His time and dedication as a TA is beyond expectations and I would tell other students if you are taking MATH221, you're lucky if your TA is Joseph.

very patient and thorough with explanations!

Joseph was very good at helping us when we didn't understand a problem None.

(Is A the best score? I believe Joseph Nakao was an amazing TA)

He kept it real and stated clearly as well as showed us that he wants us to succeed.

AMAZING TA!!! Super helpful

Instructor extremely helpful, very good at explaining topics.

hands down best TA

sooo helpful . i am not good at calc but discussion made it so much easier and Joseph is an overall great teacher



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Additional Comments:

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Mr. Nakao is an amazing TA. He continuously provides extra study sessions and worksheets because he truly wants the class to perform well.

excellent

Joseph is above and beyond any TA i had

Good job

Best TA I've had. Really went out of his way to try to help students understand material.



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This TA is very knowledgeable and knows the proper way to teach students in such a short amount of time that we have in discussion. He is good at giving problem examples that clear up any confusion in the course.

Joe is one of the smartest TA's that I have come across. He has exceptional understanding of the material, teaches it as well as he understands it, and is relatable and a pleasure to be around every time.

Extremely helpful

Extremely helpful, knowledgable, organized, fair. Actually cares about helping, which relieves someone like me who has always had a hard time with math and is anxious about asking questions. Quizzes were extremely fair and I learned more in this discussion than actual lecture. The reason I got through this course. Best math instructor I have ever had.

Joseph is a great teacher and was very organized and easy to talk to

He was very helpful and well informed

Joseph was really helpful, a little intimidating but helpful.



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Additional Comments:

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none

none

As a graduate student I have already taken over 85 undergraduate classes. Of those 85 classes, I have come across many teaching assistants --good and bad. Joseph Nakao is EXCELLENT. He is respectable and relatable at the same time. The care he takes to support his students and their learning is unmatched. The ability to incorporate life lessons into the subject material separates a good teacher from a great teacher. Joseph is organized and prepared, clearly explains concepts, relates the material back to lecture, and prepares his students for tests. He is able to approach the material from various angles to support all learning styles. But thats just the tip of the iceberg. Joseph also teaches his students the importance of regularly interacting with class material on their own so they are actually learning and not just memorizing material for a grade. He encourages the class to reduce stress by putting in effort throughout the term rather than cramming at the end. We could all use a little more balance in our lives! Throughout the semester, Joseph made himself more than available to host office hours, additional review sessions, and answer any questions in person or via email. Overall, Joseph goes above and beyond for his students and I feel lucky to be one of them.

Is very good at preparing you for quizzes.

good TA

The best TA I have ever had good discussion

good guy good teacher

Joseph is the best.

Joseph was awesome! At first, he was a little intimidating because he knew so MUCh and I felt like I didn't know anything. But, he was super funny and he explained the concepts much better so I understood them . Joseph is an excellent TA. He is very passionate about everything we are working on and I believe he truly wants us to succeed. He always goes over topics and specific questions we do not understand in a very clear and easy to follow way. On my original schedule, I had a different TA; after attending classes on the first day I knew it would not be a good fit. I was able to switch into one of Joseph's sections and I am extremely glad I did. I had an excellent experience.

Always provided lots of helpful resources including worksheets, review sessions, and office hours; explained any questions in a way that was understandable.