

**Final Course Evaluation for UNIV460044,
Experiential Teaching, Tutorial Methods of Instruction
for Spring 2006 – Instructor: WHITE, HAROLD B**

5187 - I think that the Tutor Methods instructor has a good knowledge of how students learn and how to use problem-based learning and group-based learning.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	0	9	9 of 10	5.00	0.00
Percent	0	0	0	0	100			

3425 - The instructor demonstrated thorough knowledge of the subject matter.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	0	9	9 of 10	5.00	0.00
Percent	0	0	0	0	100			

3426 - The instructor presented the materials in an interesting way.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	5	4	9 of 10	4.44	.53
Percent	0	0	0	55	44			

3427 - The instructor encouraged class participation.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	0	9	9 of 10	5.00	0.00
Percent	0	0	0	0	100			

3430 - I would recommend this instructor because of his/her teaching to others considering taking this course.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	3	6	9 of 10	4.67	.5
Percent	0	0	0	33	66			

4334 - Overall, the instructor was effective in facilitating your learning of the material in this course.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	2	7	9 of 10	4.78	.44
Percent	0	0	0	22	77			

Essay Responses for UNIV460044 for 06S - Instructor WHITE, HAROLD B

Question: Identify or describe some thing(s) that Professor White does particularly well.

- A. -Sparks discussion -Leads problem solving -Creates comfortable atmosphere
- B. I like the fun activities that we did in the class in order to learn how to be better tutors. They were fun, interesting, and informative.
- C. He's very understanding, and very good at explaining.
- D. He is very good at getting the students involved and interested in the material. He also does a good job at getting everyone to participate in a class discussion.
- E. He did a good job explaining concepts. Also getting us talking.
- F. Asks thought provoking questions, and has the patience to sit there until someone decides to answer. (Or I suppose I could have worded that as Facilitates group discussions)
- G. Keeping his students active in class participation. The material was both interesting as well as informative. I was able to apply what was talked about in class to my own experience.
- H. He has some interesting exercises to get us involved and teach his lecture.
- I. Dr. White was always extremely prepared and knew a lot about what he was teaching.

Question: Identify or describe some way(s) that Professor White could improve his teaching (and your learning).

- A. Possibly by providing case studies and having a class where the group acts them out and the rest of the group analyzes and solves them.
- B. I don't think there's anything to improve. Dr. White had everything: activities, videos, class discussion. All of which were very effective.
- C. More case studies. Those helped a lot because everyone goes through the same problems and it gives you possible solutions.

5190 - This semester, I am:

Scale text	Both a PLTL Leader and a PBL tutor	PBL Tutor	PLTL Leader	Total
Total	1	1	7	9 of 10
Percent	11	11	77	

5174 - I have enjoyed the tutoring experience.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	3	6	9 of 10	4.67	.5
Percent	0	0	0	33	66			

5176 - I think that my understanding of my major field of study has improved as the result of being a tutor.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	1	4	4	9 of 10	4.33	.71
Percent	0	0	11	44	44			

5178 - I think that the tutoring experience has helped me to better understand the way that I and other people think and learn.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	2	7	9 of 10	4.78	.44
Percent	0	0	0	22	77			

5177 - I think that my interest in incorporating teaching into some aspect of my professional career has been enhanced by this experience.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	1	3	1	4	9 of 10	3.89	1.17
Percent	0	11	33	11	44			

5179 - I feel that the students in my tutorial group have benefited from the experience of having an undergraduate tutor guide them.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	2	5	2	9 of 10	4.00	.71
Percent	0	0	22	55	22			

5180 - As the result of the tutoring experience I feel that I am more comfortable interacting with my professors.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	1	4	4	9 of 10	4.33	.71
Percent	0	0	11	44	44			

5181 - I would recommend the tutoring experience to others.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	2	7	9 of 10	4.78	.44
Percent	0	0	0	22	77			

5182 - As the result of the tutoring experience, I think that I have an improved ability to provide constructive criticism in situations when it is needed.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	6	3	9 of 10	4.33	.5
Percent	0	0	0	66	33			

5183 - As the result of the tutoring experience, I think that I have an improved ability to mediate conflicts that arise when people work in groups.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	1	6	2	9 of 10	4.11	.6
Percent	0	0	11	66	22			

5184 - As the result of the tutoring experience, I think that I have an improved ability to help groups to run smoothly and efficiently.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	6	3	9 of 10	4.33	.5
Percent	0	0	0	66	33			

5185 - As the result of the tutoring experience, I think that I have an improved ability to use questions rather than statements to lead others to take a deeper look.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	0	3	6	9 of 10	4.67	.5
Percent	0	0	0	33	66			

5186 - As the result of the tutoring experience, I think that I have an improved ability to deal effectively with inappropriate behaviors exhibited by others.

Scale text	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	1	6	2	9 of 10	4.11	.6
Percent	0	0	11	66	22			

5188 - Overall I would rate the tutoring experience:

Scale text	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Good	Very Good	Excellent	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	1	5	3	9 of 10	4.22	.67
Percent	0	0	11	55	33			

5189 - Overall I would rate the Tutor Methods course:

Scale text	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Good	Very Good	Excellent	Total	Mean	Std. Dev.
Scale	1	2	3	4	5			
Total	0	0	1	6	2	9 of 10	4.11	.6
Percent	0	0	11	66	22			

5272 - My primary reason for being a peer facilitator and taking this course was:

Scale text	Other	Prepare for MCATs	A requirement	Interest in teaching	Financial	Total
Total	1	2	1	2	3	9 of 10
Percent	11	22	11	22	33	

Essay Responses for UNIV460044 for 06S

Question: Comment on the course.

- A. I really enjoyed this class. It was very informative and it helped me become a better tutor. It made me ask better questions instead of just giving the answers out. It also helped me handle situations that I wasn't able to do before.
- B. interesting and helpful
- C. helpful but maybe a little too long
- D. Very good overall.
- E. I was a PLTL for both the Fall and Spring semester this year. I think that the spring workshop went much better because I had this class. I felt more prepared to help the kids.

Question: In an informative sentence or two, describe or characterize the Tutorial Methods of Instruction course to someone who might consider taking the course, e.g. What is the essence of this course?

- A. Tutorial Methods of Instruction provides an understanding of group dynamics and conflicts associated with group interaction. Not only does the course aid in improving tutoring skills, but also improves personal group interactions.
- B. Tutorial Methods of Instruction is a class where you learn to become a better tutor by being able to ask the right questions and to handle difficult situations through videos, case studies, and fun activities.
- C. The course helps you be a better tutor, and it helps you get the most out of your students. You will learn how to ask good questions of your students, and how to handle conflicts that can arise.
- D. this is a course that teaches you how to ask questions and handle problems that one might come across.
- E. This course focuses on the way students learn, as well as obstacles to that learning and how to overcome them. It offers not only assistance in tutoring, but insight into one's own learning experience.
- F. You learn both how to teach others and how to learn yourself. The class is worthwhile for any student interested in teaching and learning styles.
- G. This course teaches you how to look at problems differently. Also, when tutoring and someone asks you a question, I know how to help them come to their own conclusions instead of me just telling them the answer.
- H. It is a course that helps you to be able to tutor better and help advance the students learning without giving everything away to them.