

Question	Response
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Mr. Robert is knowledgeable and informative on the area of macroeconomics.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The lecture can be confusing, but the reading will clear it up most of the time.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The stuff he taught in class seemed not relevant to what he put on the tests.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	strengths: his various options to help you improve your grade, always on time, always ends on time, and respects the students. Weaknesses: Always giving examples that have to do with alcohol (not all of us drink you know), does not switch up his teaching style, puts too much on a single graph (sometimes everything would get jumbled and it was hard to follow), did not have a set schedule for the quizzes (every tuesday and thursday, in syllabus, etc.) which made it easy to forget about them.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The book explained things really well, but it didn't have the answers for the questions online or in the back, so if you did them to study, you never knew if you go the right answer. You might want to look into a different book.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The instructor gives incentives to encourage students to attend class and to complete assignments. Incentives are better than punishments; they encourage students. Incentives are reasonable and fun. The class overall is enjoyable. He is funny and he makes sports reference to make the concepts more relate-able and understandable.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The exams are challenging and the quizzes are helpful. The quizzes encourage students to keep up with their readings and pay attention in class. Though there are lectures where I have to try really hard to keep awake.

Other comments	The exams are reflective of class lectures and reading. I do think that the second exam covered too much information and too many chapters.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Great instructor relates to the students and keeps the class fun and interesting with jokes.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Over all a good instructor made economics not as boring
Other comments	Look in to other texts books
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Great teacher because he got on our level and understands students better than other older teachers in the major.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The only downside is his handwriting is a little rough to read in the back half of the class room.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Knowledgable of the course
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	He was often very enthusiastic and able to give examples that made it easy for students to relate to and therefore understand.

Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The tests would be difficult. Some of the questions asked would not be in the notes, the lectures, or the book. Otherwise it was a good course.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	I enjoyed the class. It is a difficult subject, but the level of organization and the delivery of the lecture was very effective. I specially liked the book. I have read other economic books for this level and they are more complex in the delivery of the same concepts. Overall, the quizzes are effective and the instruction was excellent. Good Job!
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The examples used in class to explain the material were very great. I feel that every college student would be able to relate and understand the material much better with those examples.
Other comments	Great instructor. I would definitely take more courses offered by him.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Good use of real world examples. A little monotone, try to use more emotion!
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Not too difficult; pretty straight forward
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Good teacher and always prepared
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Very difficult course
Other comments	funny :)

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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The only issue I had was that I was unable to earn extra credit because of my job making it so I was unable to go to the football games.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	No weaknesses. I was able understand his examples.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Very informative and always tried to put things in terms that we as students could understand.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Overall the course was beneficial.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	When teaching he was a bit scattered on this thoughts, but overall good professor.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Some concepts more difficult than others, reading all course reaadings very important to course.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Good job, uses good examples in class
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Good teacher.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Good course
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Mr. Dinterman was always prepared for class, used relevant examples, and was always extremely helpful. I really enjoyed taking his class. He definitely made me more enthusiastic to learn about economics.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	I really enjoyed the structure of the class. Everything was very organized which made it easy to understand the material.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	I liked the fact that Robert was very straight-forward about everything in the class. It may have made him sound worse than he really is, but he was real with the class and stuck by what he said, you do not get much of that with teachers here and I really respect him for that.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The class did not want to participate as much, not his fault
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Great Speaker

Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Class too long
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The class was very hard to pay attention to because the entire semester was the same. Dinterman continued to stand at the front of the classroom and write on the board filling the hour and fifteen minutes with students scrambling to get all of the notes written down. I would have been able to pay more attention to what he is speaking and lecturing instead of trying to copy everything down. A lecture outline or power point notes would have been very helpful as the notes are the main thing we are supposed to study from
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	extremely knowledgeable about economics. relates well to students. material is mostly boring but he finds a way to make it interesting.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	material is mostly boring. online quizzes help me understand which material is more pertinent.
Other comments	great teacher overall. helped me learn alot about economics I probably wouldn't have learned if I didn't have him as a teacher.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Robert used examples students could relate to. He was honest about how he graded.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The notes didn't seem to help with the quizzes and tests.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The class quizzes were really helpful in learning the material but and helped some what with the tests but i thin a better study guide or better reading material would have helped with questions on the test.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	the course went pretty well over the entire macro econ. book which furthered my knowledge on the subject. It was nice that the times of the course fit in my my schedule as a textile student, and that i did not have to take an online course.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Instructor seems to know the information very well. Weakness is that most of the focus was to sports and alcohol.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	This course was a lot easier to understand than micro was.
Other comments	As a part-time student and staff of NCSU I don't agree with offering students extra points on the exams to attend sporting events. The cost for any non-full-time student is not worth the extra points on the grades. If this option is available for full-time students, there needs to be a no, or low cost option for part-time students and/or staff of the university.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The only problem is the notes did not reflect the test material to a certain degree. Test was based off the reading and homework quiz. Did enjoy the involvement for extra credit though. Overall, not a bad job for a grad student.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	I think we could have used more examples, but overall I thought you explained the material well

Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	I thought the two tests were a little uneven in the amount of material they covered. It was easy to follow along because I could see how the material built up.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	sometimes did not explain material very well
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Did a good job using examples that were understandable and we could relate to. The enthusiasm was a little lacking, but overall he was a great teacher.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Robert thoroughly explains material and is open to any and all questions at any time. He is very clear about his expectations from the class, always reminds us of impending due dates, and is clear as to what we are expected to learn. I like that he writes the objectives for the day and upcoming due dates on the white board at the beginning of each class. I also likes that he does not make assumptions about what his students already know - he starts at the beginning and is clear about every step and definition as he teaches.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Robert was very knowledable of the subject and I could tell that he enjoyed it. However, he had a difficult time explaining some of the material. The way that he expalined it did not always get the point across, just went all the way around it. Something that would have been beneficial would have been examples.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	This course has very valuable information however, I feel as though took much is packed into this course. I would rather learn less but understand it better than learn so much that I cannot retain any of it.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	I really like him. He is a good young guy that uses analogies that are familiar to the students. He is a real cool guy and very nice. Having said that he does have trouble explaining things sometimes and it takes a couple of times for us to understand. Partly that can be because I'm not a economics major and had to take this for my minor so I wouldn't get it right off hand. But I think with more experience he will be an amazing professor, because he already has the personality

INSTRUCTOR	that makes him someone you WANT to listen to, just in time he will find better ways to explain harder subjects.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	It seemed a little too much detailed for a intro course. I just needed it for my minor in business admin, and it seemed too detailed. Im just comparing it to a ARE 201 class I took my freshmen year that was an overview of economics and it was MUCH easier to understand.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Strengths: helpful in answering questions and going over difficult material; ample opportunities for extra credit Weaknesses: N/A
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Strengths: detailed notes Weaknesses: didn't feel as though there was enough homework to prepare us for our exams
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Good analogies Sometimes had trouble connecting ideas together.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	For my previous econ class we used my econ lab which reinforced what we were learning in class. I felt that the lectures were not as helpful as the book.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	He related recent topics to each discussion.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	strengths would be it gave me an overall grasp of macro emconimics
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Robert, This class was alot of fun and enjoyable to come to everyday which there are many classes like that and I appreciate the effort to keep the mood light and fun. I also think you did an excellent job explaining the material. Keep it up Thanks
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Strengths: I felt like he knew the material really well, and could explain in more in depth if anyone didn't quite understand the material. Weaknesses: none noted
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Strengths: I furthered my knowledge on the subject of economics Weaknesses: Not really a weakness just the way I learn I guess, but economics to me seems a lot more about theories and gathering knowledge rather real application, and I learn better towards more tangible things.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	The way he teaches is very effective. I improved a lot from the first and second tests.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	The quizzes and readings really helped when studying for the tests, as well as the notes from class.
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Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the instructor	Great teacher.
Comment on strengths and weaknesses of the course	Great teacher!!!