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1. Describe some aspects of this course that promoted your learning.

- Clicker reviews
- Clicker questions
- The class was small and it was easy to communicate with the professor
- The teacher made the tests so that we had to really understand the info. and connect it to real situations. It really helped me understand the info.
- The book and other classmades
- Essay questions on tests
- Having the instructor use the white board for notes instead of power point. It made it like he was taking notes along with us, so it was easy to ask questions. Doing the class projects were also helpful
- The instructor brings real life situations into his teaching
- The assignments on writing research proposals are helpful
- Learning more about social work research

2. What specific, practical changes can you recommend that might improve the learning in this course?

- More clicker questions
- More organization will help
- Going back to power points. It's easier to remember things if not always writing notes
- No clickers, sometimes they don't work
- Power point, smaller papers and teacher more focused
- Have more structured notes. Sometimes it was hard to get all info. Also tended to favor some of the students
- The paper assignments were sometimes difficult to follow. Someone needs to teach how to use APA
- Having stats be a pre or co req. towards the end of the course...it would be helpful to have more knowledge on core concepts. It would help to understand data analysis

3. If a student asked whether you would recommend this course from this instructor, what would you recommend and why?

- Yes, Quinn is a cool teacher. Some of the information is really boring but he makes it fun to come to class
- Yes, very personable. Reviews concepts multiple times, connects it to real world social work aspects, has good examples, helps form the outlines of both papers
- Yes-very good teacher
- No, teacher all over the place, notes bad, he can't focus and at times rude to students
- Yes, because it applies to the social work field

- Yes, easy to get along with and I feel like I actually learned the content
- Yes
- Yes and it is helpful in conducting research
- Yes, Dr. Quinn is a good instructor