

Williams

Student Course Survey Form

Instructor Name: _____

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DEPT	COURSE	SECT	SUBJECT
	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0
A A A A	1 1 1	A 1 1	1 1
B B B B	2 2 2	B 2 2	2 2
C C C C	3 3 3	C 3 3	3 3
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E E E E	5 5 5	E 5 5	5 5
F F F F	6 6 6	F 6 6	6 6
G G G G	7 7 7	G 7 7	7 7
H H H H	8 8 8	H 8 8	8 8
I I I I	9 9 9	I 9 9	9 9
J J J J		J	
K K K K		K	
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M M M M		M	
N N N N		N	
O O O O		O	
P P P P		P	
Q Q Q Q		Q	
R R R R		R	
S S S S		S	
T T T T		T	
U U U U		U	
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X X X X		X	
Y Y Y Y		Y	
Z Z Z Z		Z	

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2 2 2 2	2 2 2 2
3 3 3 3	3 3 3 3
4 4 4 4	4 4 4 4
5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5
6 6 6 6	6 6 6 6
7 7 7 7	7 7 7 7
8 8 8 8	8 8 8 8
9 9 9 9	9 9 9 9

MARKING INSTRUCTIONS

CORRECT MARK

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- Use No. 2 pencil, blue or black ink or ballpoint pens.
- Make dark marks that completely fill the circle.
- Choose one answer only to each question.
- Make no stray marks on this form.

TO THE STUDENT: The SCS form serves two important functions at Williams College. It plays an important role in evaluating teachers for reappointment and tenure, and it can help to improve the quality of instruction. **Your serious and considered responses are essential. All data remain anonymous, and individual student responses are never released.** Individual instructors receive numerical summaries only after grades are submitted. Blue Sheets are returned directly to the instructor, again, only after grades are submitted.

As you answer these questions, please keep in mind that courses vary widely in their aims and methods and that some of these questions may not apply to your class.

1. My class year is:	fr ①	so ②	jr ③	sr ④	other ⑤
2. I am:	female ①	male ②			
3. Based on my performance in the course so far, the grade I expect to receive is:	A/A+ ①	A-/B+ ②	B/B- ③	C ④	D or lower ⑤
4. I took this course primarily as a:	pure elective ①	college/divisional requirement ②	graduate/professional school requirement ③	major requirement ④	elective within the major ⑤
5. I would describe the effort I put into this course as:	very little ①	little ②	moderate ③	great ④	very great ⑤
6. Compared to other courses I've taken at Williams, the workload in this course was:	much lighter than average ①	lighter than average ②	average ③	heavier than average ④	much heavier than average ⑤
7. Compared to other courses I've taken at Williams, the difficulty of this course was:	much less than average ①	less than average ②	average ③	greater than average ④	much greater than average ⑤

In each of the following areas, please rate your INSTRUCTOR as: very poor, poor, fair, good, very good, excellent, or truly exceptional. If appropriate, mark "not applicable".

Not applicable
Very poor
Poor
Fair
Good
Very good
Excellent
Truly exceptional

8. Organization of course material and class time	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
9. Conveying the subject matter of the course in a clear way	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
10. Approachability and responsiveness	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
11. Providing useful comments and other feedback on course work	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
12. Developing my analytical and/or critical thinking skills	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
13. Promoting my intellectual engagement with the subject matter of the course	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

If discussion figured prominently in this course, rate your INSTRUCTOR in:

14. Promoting class discussion	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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If lecture figured prominently in this course, rate your INSTRUCTOR in:

15. Presenting effective lectures	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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Items 16 and 17 are for laboratory, field work, or studio/performance courses only. If applicable, rate your course in each of the following areas.

16. Organization of the laboratory, field work, studio/performance portion of the course (whichever applies), and its ability to illustrate important principles, concepts or methods of the course in general	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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17. Overall quality of the instruction in the laboratory, field work, studio/performance portion of the course

NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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Items 18, 19, 20, and 21 are for foreign language courses only. If applicable, rate your course in each of the following areas.

18. Developing my FOREIGN LANGUAGE listening comprehension	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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19. Developing my FOREIGN LANGUAGE speaking ability

NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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20. Developing my FOREIGN LANGUAGE reading ability

NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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21. Developing my FOREIGN LANGUAGE writing ability

NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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Answer for ALL COURSES.
Rate this course in each of the following areas.

22. Overall quality of instruction	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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23. Overall educational and intellectual value	NA	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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