# QUESTION | N/A | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | # RESP. | MEAN |
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1. The TA is on time, organized, and prepared for section. | 2 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 28 | 34 | 72 | 4.29 |
2. The TA explains the material well and emphasizes important points. | 2 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 28 | 35 | 72 | 4.31 |
3. The TA responds to questions effectively and encourages participation. | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 31 | 29 | 71 | 4.21 |
4. The TA interacts well with students and treats students with respect. | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 23 | 46 | 72 | 4.60 |
5. The TA does not just provide answers, but teaches how to solve problems. | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 26 | 41 | 72 | 4.47 |
6. The section is useful and helped with the rest of the course. | 2 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 24 | 35 | 72 | 4.22 |
7. The sections are interesting and enjoyable. | 3 | 1 | 8 | 12 | 25 | 25 | 71 | 3.92 |
8. I would recommend the TA to other students. | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 20 | 39 | 71 | 4.34 |
TEACHING ASSISTANT | Jones, Miles
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COURSE | MATH 20B • Calculus for Science and Engineering
INSTRUCTOR | Stevens, Laura
SECTIONS | C05, C06, C07, C08 (Total Students: 150)

TOTAL COMMENTS: 29

1) apart from doing math he can also fly and frequently saves small children from burning buildings......along with their pet goldfish

2) great ta, knows the material and knows how to teach it

3) Knowledgeable, but makes plenty of mistakes when working out a problem.

4) It seems to me like he is a chill guy.

5) Sometimes it can be hard to match up the way the TA teaches a problem with the way the professor teaches it. The differences aren't huge, but they can be confusing, so it would be easier and the sections would be more helpful if the styles were more similar.

6) Miles is a great TA. He really explains things clearly, often in several ways to make sure the lesson sinks in. Also, to encourage participation, we even wrote some of the problems on the board and showed our work so that we could learn as a class. Last but not least, his voice is oddly reminiscent of Tom Hanks, so it's easy to listen to him!

7) grades harshly

8) i think miles is a really good TA and he helps explain stuff more clearly and makes me understand the materials i don't get when doing homework. i'm glad i have him as my TA this quarter.

9) Miles is one of the best TA's I have had. He truly cares that the students understand the course material

10) Very good TA. He explains concepts well and speaks clearly.

11) In my section for 20A, my TA wrote the answers to all homework problems on the board so we could check if we got the correct answers. My TA this quarter didn't do that, and I felt it would've been helpful if he did. This method helps students to complete all homework problems correctly, which in turn helps them to do well on quizzes and exams.

12) Good section. Obviously there are some time restraints, but this TA has been very accessible during office hours.

13) Most Helpful TA I have ever had. I highly recommend him. Always willing to help and will even stay past the discussion hour if necessary.

14) He is really good at explaining material.

15) He is really nice and approachable.

16) Miles is a really good TA who happens to try and turn harder concepts into easier terms.

17) Miles really made things easier to understand. Calculus in general is a difficult course for me because a lot of the concepts are just hard to understand. But he helped a lot in his explanation of the homework problems, which made things clearer.

18) Very nice, shows how to solve problems but also gives additional information for solving general problems of that nature, could be more prepared and timely

19) Excellent mathematician.

20) He explains the material well and makes sure to break down anything I don't understand step by step.

21) Really Great T.A.

22) Very intelligent, clear, and organised.

23) Miles was a great TA and was a lot of help in the course.

24) Miles was always very friendly and willing to help in any ways possible. I'm really glad he was my T.A!
25) miles is one of the best TA's i have had since starting school as a freshman. he knows his material very well and his explanations make a lot of sense. he is also able to give tips on how to solve problems using more than one way because he knows that not everyone thinks the same way. miles is very understanding as well. during his office hours he is very nice and approachable so i feel comfortable asking him questions because he does not make me feel 'dumb' compared to other TA's or other people i have asked for help.

26) I almost never went to my section.

27) Highly recommended TA. This guy knows the material very well.

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29) Mr. Miles Jones is an outstanding and efficient TA.