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AGRI 2317 - Agriculture Economics

**Question Category: 6 General Frank Phillips College Perspectives**

General Perspective 1.) My instructor helped me to establish broad and multiple perspectives on the individual in relationship to the larger society and the world in which he or she lives and helped me understand the responsibilities of living in a culturally and ethnically diverse world.

Dissatisfied	1	8%
Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

General Perspective 2.) My instructor stimulated my capacity to discuss and reflect upon individual, political, economic, and social aspects of life in order to understand ways in which to be a responsible member of society.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

General Perspective 3.) My instructor helped me recognize the importance of maintaining health and wellness.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

General Perspective 4.) My instructor helped me develop a capacity to use knowledge of how technology and science affect my life.

Dissatisfied	1	8%
Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

General Perspective 5.) My instructor helped me develop personal values for ethical behavior.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

General Perspective 6.) My instructor helped me develop the ability to make aesthetic judgments.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

General Perspective 7.) My instructor encouraged me to use logical reasoning in problem solving.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
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General Perspective 8.) My instructor integrated knowledge and helped me to understand the interrelationships of scholarly disciplines.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

**Question Category: 7 Instructional & Faculty Related Questions**

The instructor tried to be fair and impartial with students.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor tested in ways that permitted students to demonstrate what they have learned in class.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor scored tests/papers promptly and gave helpful feedback.

Consistently	10	83%
Rarely	1	8%
Usually	1	8%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor made clear how the final course grade would be determined early in the semester.

Yes	12	100%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor presented the subject matter effectively.

Consistently	11	92%
Usually	1	8%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor spoke clearly and could be understood.

Consistently	11	92%
Usually	1	8%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor made assignments clear.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

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The instructor presented course objectives clearly.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor followed a plan and sequence for the course.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor used class time effectively.

Consistently	9	75%
Usually	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor brought material other than the textbook to the attention of students.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor used a variety of teaching methods and teaching aids.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor showed an interest in the student's progress.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor related, where applicable, significant current issues to the course material/subject.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor kept class for the entire period.

Consistently	9	75%
Usually	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

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The instructor encouraged student involvement in class discussions.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor allowed free expression of opinion.

Consistently	9	75%
Usually	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor encouraged students to seek information in addition to test and classroom presentations.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

The instructor was available during his/her posted office hours, where applicable, or was available by appointment when needed.

Consistently	10	83%
Usually	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

By what means was the course syllabus made available to you?

CAMS Student Portal	12	100%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

**Question Category: 8 Specific Course Objectives**

Student Learning Outcome 1.) Define terms associated with agricultural economics.

Highly Satisfied	10	83%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 2.) Identify and describe basic economic principles.

Highly Satisfied	10	83%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 3.) Solve problems related to basic economic principles.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
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Student Learning Outcome 4.) Determine relationships between several productivity measures.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 5.) Describe how budgets limit goods and services that can be purchased.

Dissatisfied	1	8%
Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 6.) Derive supply and demand curves.

Highly Satisfied	10	83%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 7.) Determine what a production function is, determine relationships between input and output and identify the stages of production.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 8.) Determine the profit maximizing level of output.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 9.) Determine what influences a firm's choice of combinations for inputs and outputs.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 10.) Determine cost curves for a farm or firm.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 11.) Identify and define various costs incurred by the farm.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
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Student Learning Outcome 12.) Determine what causes economies and diseconomies of scale.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 13.) Describe characteristics of perfectly competitive and imperfectly competitive markets.

Highly Satisfied	10	83%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 14.) Describe market principles.

Highly Satisfied	10	83%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 15.) Describe market equilibrium prices and the relationship of supply and demand in determining them.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 16.) Describe price relationships in relationship to supply and demand changes.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 17.) Determine how farms combine inputs for use in the production process.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 18.) Describe factors of specialization and diversification.

Highly Satisfied	9	75%
Satisfied	3	25%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

Student Learning Outcome 19.) Describe basic concepts concerning elasticity of demand and supply.

Highly Satisfied	10	83%
Satisfied	2	17%
<b>Total # of Responses</b>	<b>12</b>	

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Student Learning Outcome 20.) The effect of elasticity of demand and supply on agriculture's input and output markets.

Highly Satisfied 9 75%

Satisfied 3 25%

**Total # of Responses 12**

**Question Category: 11 Comments**

Please provide your comments about this course; e.g., instructor's strengths and/or suggestions for improvements or any other classroom concerns.

- Dr. Purswell is probably the smartest man I know. He knows what he teaches inside and out. And he cares about the success of his students. He is one of my alltime favorite FPC instructors
- graet
- great class
- Great course
- Hes a great a guy that has really been a great teacher
- I feel as if I have learned alot from my instructor.
- n/a
- none
- nope
- Purswell is a very educated man and i really appreciated how he put the classroom in a real life perspective.

Do you have additional comments that you would like to share about other services on campus?

- I feel as if I have learned alot from my instructor.
- It would be nice to have vending machines at the Ag building
- n/a
- no
- none
- nope

Class Sections Included in Course Evaluations		Fall 2010			
<b>Instructor:</b>	Purswell, Rodney L	<b>Survey ID:</b>	159		
AGRI 2317 - 01 - Lec	Agriculture Economics	MW	11:20 am	12:35 pm	<u>Enrolled</u> <b>15</b>
<b>Total # Classes:</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Total Enrollment:</b>			<b>15</b>