

Fall 2017, ENGL ENGL 5339 Phonology Section 1
Instructor: Braver, Aaron (Primary)

There were: 5 possible respondents.

| | Question Text | N | My Avg | Str Agree | Agree | Neutral | Disagree | Str Disagr |
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| 1 | Course objectives | 5 | 4.8 | 80% | 20% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| | | | | Str Agree | Agree | Neutral | Disagree | Str Disagr |
| 2 | Effectiveness | 5 | 4.6 | 60% | 40% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 3 | Valuable learning experience | 5 | 4.6 | 80% | 0% | 20% | 0% | 0% |

Text Responses

Comments instructor or course

The homework was often too long and too much considering the credit for the class. The course could be improved by lessening the homework, or spacing out the homework to make the homework seem more manageable.

Thanks to Dr Braver's class, I now better understand why certain things happen as they do in language. And I've even learned a few things to help my Russian pronunciation, which I hope to be able to pass on.

Dr. Braver is an excellent scholar: extremely knowledgeable, perfectly organized, and very understanding of students' needs and interests. The logical and consequential organization of assignments helps consolidating topics and allows you to move to the final project with the tools you need. Thank you Dr. Braver! I'll keep taking your courses :)

The course is very useful. It can be challenging sometimes. Its challenge was a sometimes pleasing. Although the homework sometimes seemed really long (or sometimes very hard) it's been an excellent experience doing them. The only thing that I may suggest take into consideration in the coming semesters is the pace of the instructor. Sometimes, he went too fast that I couldn't even take notes after him. Overall, a great learning experience with knowledgeable and supportive professor.