Overall, what is your opinion of this lecture course?

This professor is knowledgeable in what she is teaching and very professional. She cares a lot about the subject and always explained the concepts clearly.

This course was extremely challenging for me because science is not my expertise, but Dr. Hennessey made the class very fun and interesting. At times she was hard on us, but she was hard on us for good reason and it made us better students in my opinion. She was extremely professional in every way and was thoroughly knowledgeable about the subject of Biology. Thank you Dr. Hennessey for a great semester!

I really enjoyed this course. I was nervous coming in that I wouldn't like it, because Science isn't my best subject. But, Dr. Hennessey taught the subjects in a relatable way. While the material was challenging, I found that I learned and understood more than I thought I would. She is one of my favorite science professors that I have had.

I thought the lectures were good overall, but I think the exams were way too hard. I studied hard for them, but still did poorly. I think it was just the format of the exams that needs to be changed, especially having a lot of information I would recommend giving some kind of study guide for the students. Also, break things down of what they actually need to study and make sure what they study is on the exams. I did learn a lot from this course and I do enjoy biology.

Dr. Hennessey is one of the best teachers I’ve ever had. She is constantly prepared for class with her powerpoint and is always open for discussion during class. This is a hard course, and Biology can be a hard topic to grasp but she does a great job explaining it and also puts her lectures on Oncourse so the students can always go back and review. Some classmates are struggling and in response to that will bash Dr. Hennessey, but if a student is struggling it sure isn’t Dr. Hennessey’s fault. She gives us everything she can for us to succeed, it’s up to us to study. As a young teacher, Dr. Hennessey has a bright future ahead of her and any institution would be extremely lucky to have her!

I really enjoyed it and I learned so much.

This course was the first science class I have had in my entire learning career that I just loved! I have never felt that science was fun or interesting, but Professor Hennessey completely changed my opinion about the course. She was extremely professional in her lectures, giving us information we needed to completely the course while making it fun and interesting. Her teaching really made me excited to come to class every week and made me excited to be apart of science instead of completely dreading it. I am extremely sorry to see her go because I would love to take more classes with her. Thank you Professor for a great semester, and good luck where ever you end up after this.

I have never liked science, but this course was my favorite of the semester!

Overall, I felt the course and the professor were great. She was timely with classes, organized in her lectures and how they related to the course objectives. She was readily available to answer questions outside of the classroom as well. The professor was knowledgeable in the subject and prepared for class. I very much enjoyed the course and the professor as well.

Overall, this lecture course was successful in imparting knowledge that opens up the potential of interest in its students to form basic to complex understanding of ideas and concepts based on student’s quality of time and effort on coursework. Dr. Hennessey provided a wide range of activities to engage all learners at all levels, and her attention and observations of each student’s progress afforded her opportunities to encourage and address concerns and strategies for student success. In my humble opinion, some of the lab packets were extremely lengthy. It is my understanding that the goal was for us to engage in applying and stretching beyond “regurgitating” (sorry, lack of better word at the moment) the text or Dr. Hennessey’s lectures. Therefore, her flexibility allowed us to have an extended time to turn them in the next lab. Another strong point, Dr. Hennessey’s dedication to immediate direct feedback was appreciated as assignments were returned within a week, so we were able to stay on top of our progress as to what was understood or if further clarification was needed. Furthermore, the daily expert allowed an opportunity to apply preparation and presentation ideas on a specific topic and to observe many ways of accomplishing the same task. The field trips and identification activities were helpful in making connections and establishing another means to build and extend activities. Blessings as you prepare for the birth of your little one and for your personal and profession endeavors in the future. I enjoyed your class and appreciate all of the time and consideration for a successful semester.

Dr. Hennessey is a professional professor who treated students fairly and graded appropriately. The course was structured in a way that allowed students to become well-acquainted with the information.