

Beginning-of-term reflection Ma140a

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Please answer the following questions:

1. Given what you read about probability theory:
 - a. What were the most exciting things you learned? Why? List at least three.
 - b. What was the most surprising thing? Why?
 - c. What were the most confusing points you encountered? Why?
 - d. What are the three main things you would like to learn more about?
 - e. Did you identify applications of probability that are particularly relevant to you? If yes, which ones?
2. What are your goals for this academic year?
3. What are your long-term career goals? (They don't have to be set on stone.)
4. How does this course align with the goals you listed above? What would you like to get from this course?
5. What do you think about the learning goals proposed by the instructor?
6. State two personal learning goals for this course (a learning goal is a concrete and measurable skill that you'll get from completing this course).
7. How do you plan to approach learning complex topics in the course? What kind of support will you need from the instructor and TA?
8. How do you plan to engage with your peers? What do you hope to contribute to and receive from this collaboration?
9. What are your preliminary thoughts on the proposed course structure?

What's missing from this questionnaire? Feel free to state and answer your own questions!