San José State University
Department of Justice Studies
JS 15, Intro Statistics in Justice Studies, Sec 01, Summer 2022

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Faculty Web Page and MYSJSU Messaging

Course materials such as syllabus, handouts, notes, assignment instructions, etc. can be found on the Canvas learning management system course website. Students are responsible for regularly checking the Canvas system to learn of any updates.

Course Description

Introduction to statistical applications, particularly statistical inference, including central tendency, variation, normal distributions, probability, estimation, hypothesis testing, measures of association, correlation, linear regression and the analysis of variance.

Prerequisites: Satisfaction of the ELM requirement. Since JS 15 meets the mathematical

better in the course satisfies the G.E. requirement. Grades of C-and below do not. Semester grades of C- to D- are passing and earn three units credit, but they do not satisfy the Area B4 Mathematical Concepts requirement.

Grading Policy

The final course grade will be based on a 100-point scale. Since the grade is based on mastery of the material, it is theoretically possible for everyone to earn an A.

My grading scale is:

98	100 A+	92	97 A	90	91 A-			
88	89 B+	82	87 B	80	81 B-			
78	79 C+	72	77 C	70	71 C-			
68	69 D+	62	67 D	60	61 D-			
59 and below F								

The grade is composed of:

In-Class Assignments	20 points
Homework	32 points
Quizzes	24 points
Final Exam	24 points
Total:	100 points

Extra Credit
There will be at least one Extra Credit assignment.

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Student Technology Resources

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