

Korean Language (Beginner)

A. Description

This class is an introduction to Korean alphabets, grammar and culture for students, who have never learned Korean. The class is designed to improve integrated skills of speaking, listening, reading and writing and to gain basic fluency in daily conversation.

B. Organization

This course is composed of 15 units: (1) Learning of Korean Alphabet (2) Learning of Korean Grammar and (3) Conversation of Korean Language in order to develop communicative ability through various materials and media.

C. Unit topics

Each unit will cover the following topics:

1. Listen & Practice
2. Vocabulary
3. Pronunciation Practice
4. Grammar Focus
5. Tasks & Activities
6. Grammar Notes
7. Culture Tips
8. Vocabulary & Grammar Index

D. Classes and Attendance

1. Students can graduate when if class attendance meets or exceeds 80% of total class hours.
2. Assessment
 - Speaking and listening: 30
 - Reading and writing: 30
 - Attendance: 20
 - A practical task/Homework: 20

E. Main Text

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Unit	Title	Topic	Grammar	Vocabulary
1	Hangul 1	Introducing Hangul 1	Consonants and Vowels of Hangeul 1	Syllable Structure vowel 1, consonant 2
2	Hangul 2	Introducing Hangul 2	Consonants and Vowels of Hangeul 2	vowel 2, consonant 2
3	Hangul 3	Introducing Hangul 3	Final consonants, Pronunciation Rules in Hangeul	vowel 3, final consonant
4	Hello?	Introducing yourself	Greeting, Occupations, Hobbies, Countries	Nasalization, Greeting
5	What is this?	Asking questions on objects and answering them	Daily necessities1, Food names1	Liaison(linking), Demonstrative pronouns (This~/That~/That~/Which~)
6	How much is it? 1	Shopping	Counting units, Numbers,	Fortis, Korean Money
	How much is it? 2	Shopping	Daily necessities2, Foods2	Have any special name for waiters or waitresses
7	What is the date?	Asking date, day of the week and specific days (birthdays)	Date, Day of the week	Liaison(linking), Reading the day of the week on a calender
	What time is it now?	Asking time and answering it	Time, Public institution	Fortis, Public institution
8	My home is in Shinchon	Describing a location	Location, Places	Special for '우리 (wuri)'
9	I am watching a movie today.	Asking questions on schedule and answering it	Verb 1,2,3-Basic verbs	Nasalization, multiplex
10	How is the weather today?	Talking about the weather	Verb4-Weather, Basic adjectives	Aspiration, Korea's weather
11	What are you going to do today?	Asking the destination and answering it	Famous attractions in Seoul's vicinity, Verb5-Pastime activities	Palatalization, Fortis, Korea's library
	I was a movie yesterday.	Talking about the past	Food, Tourist destinations, Verb6-Hobbies	Pronunciation of the syllable'의 ' Korean movie
12	How about a drink tonight?	Making an appointment	Verb7-Appointment	'ㅎ'Omission, Korean's drinking culture

Korean Language (Intermediate)

A. Description

This class improves upon the introductory skills learned in the prior level. It consists of improving Korean grammar, and deeper cultural exposure for students. The class is designed to improve skills of speaking, listening, reading and writing in an integrated format to increase fluency in daily conversation.

B. Organization

This course is composed of 15 units separated into three sections: (1) Learning the Korean Vocabulary (2) Learning Korean Grammar and (3) Conversation using Korean in order to develop communicative ability through various materials and media.

C. Unit topics

Each unit will cover the following topics:

1. Listen & Practice
2. Vocabulary
3. Pronunciation Practice
4. Grammar Focus
5. Tasks & Activities
6. Grammar Notes
7. Culture Tips
8. Vocabulary & Grammar Index

D. Classes and Attendance

1. Students can graduate when if class attendance meets or exceeds 80% of total class hours.
2. Assessment
 - Speaking and listening: 30
 - Reading and writing: 30
 - Attendance: 20
 - A practical task/Homework: 20

E. Main Text

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Unit	Title	Topic	Grammar	Vocabulary
1	Hello?	Introducing yourself	Greeting, Occupations, Hobbies, Countries	Nasalization, Greeting
2	What is this?	Asking questions on objects and answering them	Daily necessities1, Food names1	Liaison(linking), Demonstrative pronouns (This~/That~/That~/Which~)
3	How much is it?	Shopping	Counting units, Numbers, Daily necessities2, Foods2	Fortis, Money, have any special name for waiters or waitresses
4	What is the date?	Asking date, day of the week and specific days (birthdays)	Date, Day of the week	Liaison(linking), Reading the day of the week on a calender
	What time is it now?	Asking time and answering it	Time, Public institution	Fortis, Public institution
5	My home is in Shinchon	Describing a location	Location, Places	Special for '우리(wuri)'
6	I am watching a movie today.	Asking questions on schedule and answering it	Verb 1,2,3-Basic verbs	Nasalization, multiplex
	I am going to Myeongdong this weekend.	Talking about one's weekend plan	verb4,5	Liaison(linking),Ubiquitous
7	How is the weather today?	Talking about the weather	Verb6-Weather, Basic adjectives	Aspiration, Korea's weather
8	What are you going to do today?	Asking the destination and answering it	Famous attractions in Seoul's vicinity, Verb7-Pastime activities	Palatalization, Fortis, Korea's library
	I am going shopping at a department store.	Discussing daily schedule	Verb8-Daily activities	Aspiration, Korean's favorite drink
9	I was a movie yesterday.	Talking about the past	Food, Tourist destinations, Verb9-Hobbies	Pronunciation of the syllable'으 ' Korean movie
10	How about a drink tonight?	Making an appointment	Verb10-Appointment	'ㅎ'Omission, Korean's drinking culture
11	I am drink a glass of wine now.	Present progressive and simple present tense	Verb11-Present progressive and habits	Liaison(linking), Wine culture
12	How can I get to Gyeongbokgung?	Using public transportation	Public transportation, Traffic sign	Imperative and prohibitive expressions,

Korean Language (Advanced)

A. Description

This class builds upon the skills of all previous levels, while introducing higher volumes of vocabulary to begin engaging students in conversation and topics much deeper than previous levels. Subject-matter will cover a wide range of areas including social issues, Korean idioms, and current events of notable prominence. Fluent discussion and natural sounding speech being the objective.

B. Organization

This course is composed of 15 units separated into three sections: (1) Advanced Korean Grammar (2) In depth Korean idioms and phrases and (3) Advanced Korean conversation with the intention of producing natural sounding speakers

C. Unit topics

Each unit will cover the following topics:

1. Vocabulary & Idioms
2. Listen & Practice
3. Grammar Focus
4. Tasks & Activities
5. Debate & Discussion
6. Culture Tips
7. Vocabulary & Grammar Index

D. Classes and Attendance

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2. Assessment
 - Speaking and listening: 30
 - Reading and writing: 30
 - Attendance: 20
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Unit	Title	Topic	Grammar	Vocabulary
1	This is my father and mother	Introducing your family	N 명/ N 사람/ N 분 N(이)랑 N N 께서, N 께서는	Family, jobs
2	She is pretty and kind	First impressions	N 을/를 좋아하다/싫어하다 무슨 N, 어떤 N A-(으)ㄴ/는 N	Personality, appearance, and preferences
3	What are you going to do during vacation?	What you plan to do	A/V-(으)면 V-(으)ㄴ 거예요	Leisure activities, feelings
4	Want to become a teacher	Dreams for the future	N(이)군요! A-군요! V-는군요! N 이/가 되다 V-고 싶다, V-고 싶어 하다	Dreams for the future, jobs
5	Where is Kyobo Bookstore	Asking for directions	V-다가 N(으)로, N 쪽	Streets, locations directions
	Please take me to Insadong	Riding in a taxi	V-아/어 주세요 V-(으)ㄴ테니까 N 안에	Transportation, traffic
6	Hello, this is Ferdy's house, right?	Making a phone call (Getting to the point)	N 의 N, N(이)지요? A/V-지요? N 인데, V-는데, A-(으)ㄴ데	Phone calls, leisure activities, culture
7	I have a headache and I'm coughing	Seeing a doctor	V-아/어도 되다 V-(으)면 안 되다	Medicals, diseases, symptoms, medication, parts of the body
	I'm sorry, but I can't go	Declining a request	V-(으)러 가다/오다 A/V-마/어서	Sports, excuses, reasons
8	She's the person in the yellow dress	Describing what someone is wearing	V-고 있다 V-는 N	Colors, kinds of clothing, accessories, verbs for putting on clothing
9	The weather has gotten colder	Talking about changes	A-아/어지다, N1 보다 N2 A/V-(으)ㄴ 때, A/V-왔/었을 때	Places, changes
10	Can eat spicy food?	Expressing what you can do	V-(으)ㄴ 수 있다/없다 못/안 V-아/어요	Food, flavors, abilities
	What Is The most famous Jeju Island?.	Recommendation	V-아/어보다 A/V-(으)ㄴ 까요? A/V-(으)ㄴ 거예요	Travel, food
11	I have a tendency to be lively and positive.	Characterization	A/V-(으)ㄴ/는 편이다 N 적 A/V-(으)ㄴ/는 척하다	Character
12	A lot of snow coming tomorrow	Understanding weather forecast	A-다고 하다 V-ㄴ/는다고 하다 V-게 하다	Weather forecast