



Hankuk University of Foreign Studies
2023 Winter Session
KORN 201 Intermediate Korean Language
Course Outline

Course Code: KORN 201

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Credit: 4

Class Hours:

This course will have 52 class hours, including 32 lecture hours, professor 8 office hours, 8-hour TA discussion sessions, 4-hour review sessions.

Course Description:

Intermediate Korean language is the low-intermediate Korean language course designed for those who have taken Elementary Korean language or had basic knowledge in Korean language. Emphasis is placed on the fundamentals of listening, speaking, reading, and writing. In addition, students will be exposed to everyday life contexts (language, culture, etc.) likely to be encountered in contemporary Korean society. By the end of the course, students will be able to understand and perform daily conversations, read and comprehend written texts dealing with personal and social events, and compose simple sentences and write short essays, journals, and letters. More specifically, students will be able to do the followings:

1. Asking directions
2. Making appointments, accepting/declining invitations
3. Using honorific expressions
4. Making apologies, and giving reasons



5. Using ordinal numbers
6. Describing clothes and colors
7. Describing illness and pain
8. Making suggestions
9. Ordering food and describing tastes

Required Textbooks:

Integrated Korean: Beginning 2, THIRD EDITION by Young-mee Yu Cho, Hyo Sang Lee, Carol Schulz, Ho-min Sohn, Sung-Ock Sohn

ISBN-10: 0824883314

ISBN-13: 978-0824883317

Grading & Evaluation

1. Attendance (Daily assignments and Attending Office hours) 48%

Attendance check will be strictly enforced. As all lectures will be conducted online, students' attendances will be confirmed by viewing video lectures and submission of daily assignments. An assignment will be given every class, and students must submit it by the designated time and date. The assignment will be including simple quizzes. There will be 16 daily assignments provided. 3-point will be deducted for each missed assignment. For late submission, 1-point will be deducted per day. There will be a live class every week. Attending the live class is mandatory.

2. Weekly Assignment 20%

A speaking or writing assignment will be given every week, and students must submit it by the designated time and date. Each weekly assignment worth 5 % of final grade. If late, it will cause 1-point off the original score per day. No extra work will be given to individual for a make-up purpose.

3. Test 32%

There will be 4 speaking tests. Students will have speaking tests on the day they have live classes. Each test worth 8 % of final grade. Students must take examination on the scheduled date. Students are not permitted to take make-up exams, without a valid medical note written by a doctor certifying a student could not physically take the exam. Notes from pharmacies or receipts from hospitals are not acceptable excuses. The make-up exam will be taken within 3 days of the actual test date (any later and the student will receive a zero) and the highest grade for make-up exams is 90% of the total grade.

Grading System (1 ~ 100)



The final score will be scaled and the scaled score will be used to assign a Course grade.

A+ : 96 - 100	A : 91 - 95
B+ : 86 - 90	B : 81 - 85
C+ : 76 - 80	C : 71 - 75
D+ : 66 - 70	D : 60 - 65
Pa : Pass	
Fa : Fail	

Course Schedule

Week1

Lesson 8: In Seoul

- Conversing and inquiring about someone's background
- Asking and giving directions
- 1. Seeking agreement: ~지요?
- 2. Demonstrative expressions: 이/그/저
- 4. Deferential style: ~(스)버 니다/(스)버 니까?
- 5. N(으)로 toward

Lesson 9: Birthday

- Talking about important dates
- Dates, days, and schedules
- Honorific forms
- 1. N한테/ N한테서
- 2. The subject honorific ~(으)시
- 3. The clausal connective ~지만

Lesson 10: At a Professor's Office

- Expressing desire
- 1. The clausal connective ~(으)ㄴ/는데
- 2. Verb~고 싶다
- 3. The sentence ending ~(으)ㄴ/는데요
- 4. The clausal connective ~어서/아서

Week2

Lesson 11: Living in a Dormitory



1. The progressive form ~고 있다
2. Intentional ~(으)르 래요
3. 이나 vs. 밖에
4. Asking one's opinion ~(으)르 까요?

Lesson 12: Family

- Talking about family, hometown
 - Describing appearance
 - Describing clothes, colors
1. 어서/아서 (sequential)
 2. Conjectural 겠
 3. The sentence ending 네요
 4. The noun-modifying form [Verb~(으)ㄴ]+N (PAST)

Week3

Lesson 13: On the Telephone

- Telephone conversation
 - Making an appointment
1. 어/아 주다
 2. 어/아야 되다
 3. ~(으)르 게요
 4. N때문에
 5. Intentional 겠

Lesson 14: At the Airport

- Using transportation facilities
 - Writing letters and emails
1. N(이)라서
 2. ~지 못하다
 3. The adverbial form ~게
 4. ~지 마세요

Week4

Lesson 15: Shopping

- Asking about prices
- Expressing frequency



1. can ~(으)르 수 있다
2. Compound verbs

Lesson 16: At a Restaurant

- Making suggestions
- Ordering food
- Describing tastes

1. ~어/아 보다
2. ~기 때문에 (reason)
3. Giving and offering ~어/아 드리다
4. Negation ~지 않다

