



HANKUK UNIVERSITY  
OF FOREIGN STUDIES

**Transcript Title:** Beginning Korean(International Summer Session)

**Credit Value:** To be determined by the partner university

**Total Course Hours:** 32 hours

**Actual Contact Hours:** 32 hours

### **Calendar Description**

- This course is designed for international students and overseas Korean nationals with little or no Korean background.
- It builds the foundations of the Korean language: it introduces the structure of Korean alphabet, Hangeul, and then expands to basic writing, reading and speaking skills, including declarative sentences, interrogative sentences, and imperative sentences.

### **Course Contents**

- Korean alphabet/ greeting
- Basic sentence structure
- Declarative/interrogative/imperative sentence practices
- Past tense/future tense
- Conjunctions and demonstratives
- Locative prepositions
- Self introduction/Demonstration of informal and familiar topics

### **Learning Outcomes**

- Able to read and write Korean words
- Able to speak relatively familiar daily-life related topics, such as self-introduction, family, hobby, weather, buying things, ordering food, transportation, etc.
- Use and distinguish different tenses and simple sentences (declarative sentences, interrogative sentences, and imperative sentences)
- Use proper postpositions and conjunctions

### **Student Evaluation**

- Class Participation: 20%  
(+up to 5% bonus for significant improvement)
- Homework: 10%
- Final Speaking Test: 30%
- Final exam: 40%

<Pass/Fail standards>

Students must satisfy the following requirements:

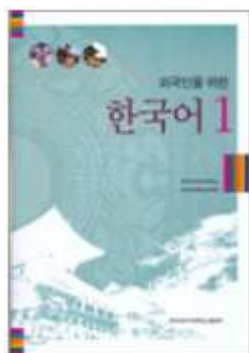
- 60 point or higher from each category(speaking/listening/reading/writing)
- Less than 20%(6 hours) of absence out of 32hours

**Class Schedule: (subject to change)**

Week	Contents
<b>Week 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduction: Korean Alphabet &amp; Course Review</li><li>• Korean Alphabet, ‘Hanguel’ I: Basic Vowels &amp; Consonants, Making Korean Syllables</li><li>• Hanguel II: Other Vowels &amp; Consonants, Korean Diphthongs, Reading Single Words</li></ul>
<b>Week 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hanguel III: Batchim (final consonant), Double Consonants, Pronunciation Rules</li><li>• Hanguel IV: Reading/Writing Words, Dictation Practice</li><li>• Chapter 1&amp;2: N이/다, N이/가</li></ul>
<b>Week 3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chapter 3&amp;4: Greetings &amp; Self-introduction, 여기/저기/거기, N이/가 있다</li><li>• Chapter 5: Place에 있다</li></ul>
<b>Week 4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chapter 6: Location words, Korean Numbers</li><li>• Chapter 8: 무슨 N, 몇 N</li><li>• Chapter 9: Formal Endings, States</li></ul>
<b>Week 5</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Chapter 10: Place에/에서, Action Verbs</li><li>• Review &amp; Final Exams</li></ul>

**Textbooks/Learning materials**

- Textbook: “외국인을 위한 한국어 1”(Korean Language for Foreigners 1 + work book (2013, HUFS Press)



- Extra material: K-TAS(Korean Teaching Assistant System)  
(A systemic multimedia program that is created to ease the language barrier in the beginner level stage)