

KOREAN LANGUAGE, LEVEL 1 (A1)

Short course annotation

The aim of this course is to learn hangeul, the writing system of Korean and to master the basic grammar in the aspect of written communication. Students will learn to use the main cases of the Korean language, polite verb constructions in present and past tenses and imperative, to use the main numeric enhancers and basic conjunctions. After the completion of the course, students will be able to speak, understand and write simple sentences, to introduce themselves.



Distribution of workload for students (contact and independent work in hours)

Lectures and seminars 90 academic hours (60 contact hours and 30 hours in the virtual teaching environment).
Independent work 70 academic hours. In total 160 academic hours.

Structure of cumulative score and value of its constituent parts

Midterm exam - 20 %, final exam - 30%, other oral and written work during the semester - 50 % of the final mark.

Recommended reference materials

1. Easy Korean for foreigners I. 2006.
2. Active Korean I. 2006.





KOREAN LANGUAGE, LEVEL 2 (A2)

Short course annotation

During the semester students will be introduced to new grammatical forms of comparison, ability, wishing and obligation. Students will master the usage of short (plain, informal) verb and adjective constructions in present and past tenses, as well as basic conjunctions. After the completion of this course, students will be able to speak, understand and write simple sentences, needed in Korean daily communication.

Distribution of workload for students (contact and independent work in hours)

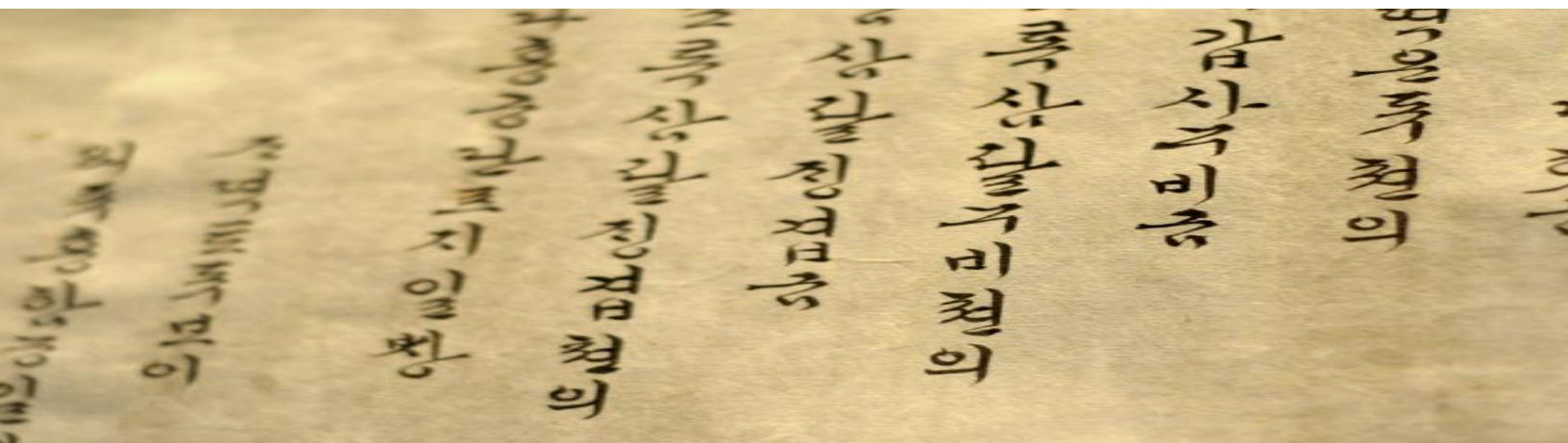
Lectures and seminars 90 academic hours (60 contact hours and 30 hours in the virtual teaching environment). Independent work 70 academic hours. In total 160 academic hours.

Structure of cumulative score and value of its constituent parts

Midterm exam - 20 %, final exam - 30%, other oral and written work during the semester - 50 % of the final mark.

Recommended reference materials

1. Easy Korean for foreigners II. 2006.
2. Active Korean II. 2007.



KOREAN LANGUAGE, LEVEL 3 (B1)

Short course annotation



The course aims at teaching 50 elementary hanja (Chinese characters) and at further development of basic grammar skills and communication models so that students acquire fluency in daily life conversations. The main grammatical topics include tense conjunctions and introduction of honorific expressions along with the Korean hierarchical system of human relations.

Distribution of workload for students (contact and independent work in hours)

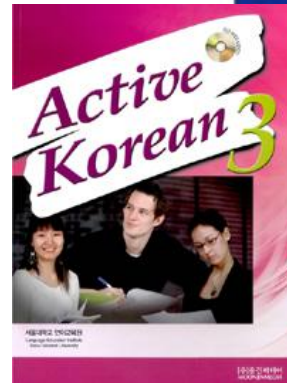
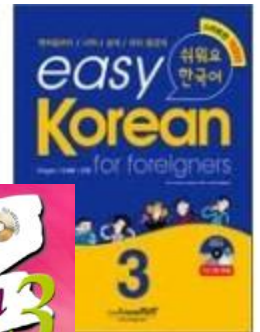
Lectures and seminars 90 academic hours (60 contact hours and 30 hours in the virtual teaching environment). Independent work 70 academic hours. In total 160 academic hours.

Structure of cumulative score and value of its constituent parts

Midterm exam - 20 %, final exam - 30%, other oral and written work during the semester - 50 % of the final mark.

Recommended reference materials

1. Easy Korean for foreigners III. 2006.
2. Active Korean III. 2007.



KOREAN LANGUAGE, LEVEL 4 (B2)

Short course annotation

This course aims at teaching 100 new *hanja*, new vocabulary, the literal form of sentences necessary for reading Korean books. The students will learn to discuss on cultural, social and other topics by using upper intermediate level grammar models, to apply formal Korean language expressions in everyday situations, to write texts by using special fixed expressions (greetings, apologies, enquiries, etc.).

Distribution of workload for students (contact and independent work in hours)

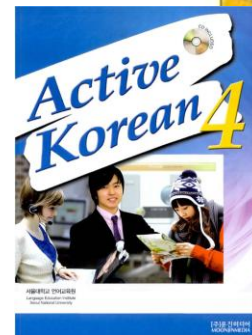
Lectures and seminars 90 academic hours (60 contact hours and 30 hours in the virtual teaching environment).
Independent work 70 academic hours. In total 160 academic hours.

Structure of cumulative score and value of its constituent parts

Midterm exam - 20 %, final exam - 30%, other oral and written work during the semester - 50 % of the final mark.

Recommended reference materials

1. Easy Korean for foreigners IV. 2006.
2. Active Korean IV. 2007.



KOREAN LANGUAGE AND CULTURE (LEVEL 5)

Short course annotation



After the course students will be able to read long compositions at intermediate level, will gain knowledge of intermediate level grammar, vocabulary and expressions and will be able to explain the content of texts accurately to comprehend various types of sentence patterns and expressions, to answer both orally and in writing, to discuss on topics in Korean daily life. The course also focuses on understanding of Korean culture and society by discussing topics of daily life. Also, whenever appropriate, explanations concerning Korean culture related to the topic will be given. The lectures will be delivered in Korean (and when necessary, in Lithuanian).

Distribution of workload for students (contact and independent work in hours)

Lectures and seminars 90 academic hours (60 contact hours and 30 hours in the virtual teaching environment). Independent work 70 academic hours. In total 160 academic hours.

Structure of cumulative score and value of its constituent parts

Midterm exam - 20 %, final exam - 30%, other oral and written work during the semester - 50 % of the final mark.

Recommended reference materials

1. *Learn Korean Language and Culture through Stories*. 2010.
2. *Master Key to the P-ToKL*. 2010.

