

**Elementary Korean: Korean 111 (3 Credits)**  
Department of East Asian Languages and Literatures UHM, Fall 2013  
MWF, 11:30 AM – 12:20 PM, Moore 394



안녕하세요!  
An nyong haseyo!

**INSTRUCTOR**

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**THE COURSE**

Korean 111 is the elementary conversational course with the focus on listening and speaking skills. It is designed for those who have no prior (or very limited) knowledge in Korean. The classes are conducted mostly in Korean except when the English lecture and instruction are needed. Although emphasis is placed on the fundamentals of listening and speaking, students will learn the basic reading and writing skills as well. In addition, students will be exposed to everyday life contexts (e.g., language use, culture, etc.) likely to be encountered in contemporary Korean society.

**STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES**

By the end of the course, students will be able to communicate with Korean native speakers at basic everyday survival tasks including (1) self-introduction, (2) asking questions, (3) counting numbers, (4) giving directions, (5) expressing needs, and (6) making requests.

**TEXTBOOK & WORKBOOK**

1. Textbook

Cho, et al. (2009). *Integrated Korean: Beginning 1: KLEAR Textbooks in Korean Language* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). Honolulu: University of Hawai'i Press.

2. Workbook

Park, et al. (2009). *Integrated Korean Workbook: Beginning 1: KLEAR Textbooks in Korean Language*. (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). Honolulu: University of Hawai'i Press.

**REQUIRED MATERIALS:**

Textbook and workbook copies

A green/blue pen

UH email account

## GRADING

Your grade will be determined on the following basis:

5%	Attendance & Participation
10%	Workbook Assignments
10%	Vocabulary Quizzes
15%	Lesson Tests
20%	Midterm Oral Exams
20%	Final Presentation
20%	Final Project

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100% Total

### Grade Distribution

98-100: A+	93-97.9: A	90-92.9: A-
87-89.9: B+	84-86.9: B	80-82.9: B-
77-79.9: C+	74-76.9: C	70-72.9: C-
67-69.9: D+	64-66.9: D	60-62.9: D-
59.99 or below: F		

### ATTENDANCE & PARTICIPATION (5%)

Based on students' participation in the classroom, students will be given a daily grade on a scale from 0 to 5, 5 being the highest. **An absence will result in a daily participation grade of zero.** Being late results in a participation score of 2 for that day. Students' non-cooperative participation in class may result in deduction of the daily points.

**Five days of absences will result in a partial grade letter deduction (i.e., A+ to A) and one additional point of your final grade will be lowered for each subsequent absence.** Attendance will be excused only with a verifiable written document AND upon the instructor's discretion ONLY on a case by case basis.

Being more than 10 minutes late or leaving more than 10 minutes early will count as an absence. Being less than 10 minutes late to class three times will be marked for one absence. If late, the student should still join the class to collect participation points. Students should keep in mind that tardiness is also disruptive to the class. If a student misses any class material or announcements, it is their responsibility to get class notes and updates from their classmates.

### WORKBOOK ASSIGNMENTS (10%)

Workbook homework will be graded in 2 steps. First, students will submit the assigned section of the Workbook according to the weekly schedule. This initial submission will be graded on a scale of 0 to 5 for thoroughness and effort. Then, using an answer key, students will correct their own homework and re-submit the correction the following due date. Corrections will also be graded on a scale of 0 to 5, for a total of 10 points per workbook lesson. Please remember to use a blue or green pen for self-correction. Late submissions and incompleteness will result in half-point deduction.

### VOCABULARY QUIZZES (10%)

A vocabulary quiz will be given every Wednesday, with additional quizzes when necessary. No make-up vocabulary quiz will be given regardless of the reason. No partial credit (half-points) will be given on vocabulary quizzes. However, one lowest vocabulary quiz score will be dropped when calculating your final grade. For all vocab quizzes, you need to spell and/or conjugate the words correctly.

### LESSON TESTS (15%)

There will be two lesson tests throughout the semester. Vocabulary, grammar, reading, listening and writing will be the principal items tested in the lesson tests.

### MIDTERM ORAL EXAMS (10%)

For the midterm oral exams, students will be given five minutes to memorize one conversation from each lesson. Students will form a pair of his or her choosing, and each pair will be given two random conversations to perform. For the first oral exam, students will be asked to memorize the conversation without any modification. The second oral exam will allow students to modify their conversation based on their own information. The grade will be given based upon the perfection of memorization, accuracy, fluency, and intonation.

### FINAL ORAL PRESENTATION (20%)

Students will be required to deliver oral presentation at the end of the semester. The presentation topic can be various (i.e., self-biography, daily journal) with the instructor's approval. Students will have to submit their topic, written essay, and PowerPoint draft before the final presentation. A guideline will be provided mid- semester. No make-up exam or project will be given without prior permission from the instructor.

### FINAL PROJECT (20%)

A final project will be in the form of an oral skit. Students will be asked to form small groups to create and produce in Korean their own oral skit. Each group will prepare a script after which an oral skit must be video-recorded, digitized and submitted in an electronic form. A guideline will be provided by the instructor.

### RESOURCES

The main text listening parts are available on-line at <http://www.kleartextbook.com>. They include the Conversations and Narration from each lesson of the textbook, and the listening activities in the Workbook.

Additional useful websites:

<http://www.indiana.edu/~korean/courses.html>

<http://korean.sogang.ac.kr/>

### STUDENT CONDUCT

Please be familiar with the expected student conduct. Also, it is ultimately each student's responsibility to understand the rules regarding plagiarism and cheating at UH, and to learn how to avoid such violations. For details, go to [http://studentaffairs.manoa.hawaii.edu/policies/conduct\\_code/](http://studentaffairs.manoa.hawaii.edu/policies/conduct_code/)

### BACK CREDITS

The UHM back credits policy states as follows:

- 1) A maximum of 16 back credits (101, 102, 201 and 202) may be earned for any **one** second language (i.e., you can't receive back credits for more than one language).
- 2) Only the **first** language course taken at the university level may be used for back credits. So if the first Korean course you take after high school is taken at a college or university outside of the UH system and is transferred to your UHM transcript, you will not be eligible to receive back credits here for Korean even if you subsequently take courses at UHM.
- 3) Only your first attempt at a language may be used to receive back credits, and it must be taken for a letter grade (not CR/NC) and passed with at least a 'C'. So if you take, for example, Korean 201

as your first Korean class at UHM and receive less than a 'C' for it (e.g., C-, D), you will not receive back credits in Korean, even if you take the course again and get a 'C' or higher.

4) Back credits are not automatically awarded—they must be applied for. You must wait until your course grade is officially entered into your records before applying. You can apply for back credits in Chinese, Japanese or Korean by contacting Mr. Todd Ashida at [kaneyama@hawaii.edu](mailto:kaneyama@hawaii.edu), Moore Hall 378 (808-956-2066). For more details on the policy, see <http://www.hawaii.edu/gened/HSL/Guidelines2006.pdf>

### CONTACT

Exchange contact number or emails with several classmates and try to keep in touch in case you are absent or late for the class. If you contact the Instructor by email, expect at least a 24 hour delay for a response.

### VISITORS AND RECORDING

Throughout the semester, there will probably be several visitors who come to observe the instructor and the class. Reasons for the visit may include professional development for teaching, research, etc. The instructor will try to announce the visit in advance and explain the purpose of the visit. Also, audio or video recording of the class may take place. If you do not feel comfortable about the recording, please let the instructor know.



## Daily Schedule (KOR 111, F13)

\*There might be slight changes.

WK	DATE	MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	FRIDAY
01	8/26-8/30	Orientation	L0: Hangul	L0: Hangul
02	9/2-9/6	HOLIDAY: Labor Day	** L0: Hangul VQ 0	L1 WB:L0-1
03	9/9-9/13	L1	L1 VQ 1-1	Computer Lab (Moore 153) WB:L0-2
04	9/16-9/20	L1 VQ1-2	L1	L2 WB:L1-1
05	9/23-9/27	L2 VQ2-1	L2	L2 WB:L1-2
06	10/1-10/4	L2 VQ2-2	Lesson Test #1 (L1 & L2)	Computer Lab (Moore 153) WB:L2-1
07	10/7-10/11	L3 VQ3-1	L3 VQ3-2	L3 WB:L2-2
08	10/14-10/18	L4 WB:L3-1	L4 VQ4-1	L4
09	10/21-10/25	L4 WB:L3-1	L4 VQ4-2	L5 Midterm Oral Test 1 WB: L4-1
10	10/28-11/1	L5 VQ5-1	L5 WB: L4-2	L5 VQ5-2
11	11/4-11/8	Lesson Test #2 (L3~L5)	MOVIE	MOVIE WB:L5-1
12	11/11-11/15	L6 Skit Script Due	L6 VQ6-1	L6 WB:L5-2
13	11/18-11/22	HOLIDAY: Veterans Day	L6 Midterm Oral Test 2 VQ6-2	L6 Skit Script Revision Due
14	11/25-11/29	L7 WB:L6-1 Final Presentation Essay Due	L7 VQ7-1 & 7-2	Instructional HOLIDAY
15	12/2-12/6	L8 WB:L6-2	L8 VQ8-1 & 8-2	Final Presentation Skit DVD Due
16	12/9-12/13	Final Presentation WB: L7-1	Last Day of Instruction 111 Review	

17	12/16-12/20		<b>FINAL EXAM</b> Time & Place TBA	
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\*September 3, 2013: Last day to change section(s) or drop courses without a "W" on your record. After September 3 all section changes and withdrawals require written consent of instructor and College Student Academic Services Dean.

\*\*September 4, 213: Last day to register, add classes, or change grading option.

\*\*\*After Friday, October 25, no withdrawals are permitted.