



2026 Korea University International Summer Campus (KU ISC)

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June 27, 2026 – August 6, 2026

IKL211B – Beginning Korean I

I . Instructor

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Class Time	:	16:50~18:30pm (KST)
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Class Format	:	In-person
Academic Field	:	Korean Language

II . Textbook

Required Textbook	:	KU Korean Language 1A (고려대 한국어 1A, ISBN: 979-11-90205-61-0) [Required, available at KU Bookstore] *It can also be purchased as an E-BOOK. (ISBN: 9791190205405)
Recommended Additional Readings	:	

III . Course Description and Objectives (1 course = 3 credits)

This course designed for students who have NO OR VERY LIMITED knowledge of the Korean language. It aims to give students an understanding of the Korean language and to help acquire a basic level of communicative competency in modern Korean. Students will learn the basics of Korean – consonants and vowels, formation of syllables and basic sentence structures. Through the practice of listening, speaking, reading and writing, students will learn how to carry out a conversation on simple topics of daily life, to comprehend simple Korean texts and to write about their own everyday life at a basic level. Korean classes are basically conducted in Korean, and explanations are given in English if necessary.

IV . Grading

Final Exam	:	40%
Performance Assessment	:	20%

Assignments	:	20%
Participation	:	20%

V. Class Outline

Date	Topic	Objectives	Contents
June 27 (Sat)	Orientation Day (No Class)		
June 29 (Mon)	Unit 0 Korean Alphabet	You can read and write Korean words and sentences.	-Vowels -Consonants - Reading words and sentences
June 30 (Tue)			
July 1 (Wed)			
July 2 (Thu)			
July 6 (Mon)	Unit 1 Greetings	You can introduce yourself to someone that you meet fir the first time.	-Countries -Occupation --이 예 요/예 요
July 7 (Tue)			
July 8 (Wed)			
July 9 (Thu)			
July 13 (Mon)	Unit 2 Daily Life I	You can ask what someone does and respond.	- Action -Objectives --을/를 -아/어/여요 --하고1
July 14 (Tue)			
July 15 (Wed)			
July 16 (Thu)			
July 20 (Mon)	Unit 3 Daily Life II	You can ask and answer questions about conditions.	-Conditions -School -이/가
July 21 (Tue)			
July 22 (Wed)			
July 23 (Thu)			
July 27 (Mon)	Unit 4 Places	You can ask and answer the questions about where and what you are doing.	-Places --에 가다 -에서 -이/그/저
July 28 (Tue)			
July 29 (Wed)			
July 30 (Thu)			
Aug 3 (Mon)	Unit 5 Buying things	You can ask and answer the questions about shopping	-이/가 있다/없다 -하고
Aug 4 (Tue)			
Aug 5 (Wed)			
Aug 6 (Thu)	Final Exam & Graduation Day		