

Northern Marianas College

CURRICULUM ACTION REQUEST

Course: KR101 Elementary Korean I

Effective Semester / Session: Fall 2023

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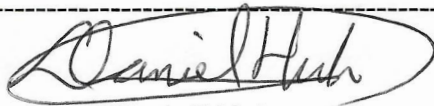
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 Cancellation

Course Alpha and Number: KR101

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Reason for initiating, revising, or canceling:

This course guide is being modified as part of a regular process in assessment cycles at the college.



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1. Department

Languages & Humanities

2. Purpose

This course provides an introduction to Korean that responds to a need in the community for basic Korean competency for employment in the tourism industry. It also offers another alternative to fulfill elective language requirements for degree programs.

3. Description

A. Required/Recommended Textbook(s) and Related Materials

Required:

Cho, Y-M., Lee, H.S., Schulz, C., Sohn, H-M., and Sohn, S-O. (2010). *Integrated Korean: Beginning 1* (2nd ed.). Honolulu, HI: University of Hawai'i Press.

Park, M-J., Suh, J., Kim, M.S., Oh, S-S., and Cho, H. (2009). *Integrated Korean Workbook: Beginning 1* (2nd ed.). Honolulu, HI: University of Hawai'i Press.

Recommended:

Korean-English Dictionary

B. Contact Hours

1. **Lecture:** 4 per week / 60 per semester
2. **Lab:** None
3. **Other:** None

C. Credits

1. **Number:** 4
2. **Type:** Regular Degree Credits

D. Catalog Course Description

This course is for students who want to learn basic Korean. Students will learn practical skills that can be applied within a basic set of everyday life situations. The course will develop listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. English Placement Level: EN095; Mathematics Placement Level: None. (Offered Fall and Spring)

E. Degree or Certificate Requirements Met by Course

This course fulfills the language credit requirements for all degrees at NMC.

F. Course Activities and Design

Students will practice reading short texts, listening to short oral pieces, writing short personal letters, notes, and e-mail messages, and speaking about their

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families, studies, work, hobbies, art, and culture. Students will also receive instruction in basic grammar. Class sessions will involve collaboration, team or individual work, and elements of discussion.

4. Course Prerequisite(s); Concurrent Course Enrollment

Prerequisites: EN095

Concurrent Course Enrollment: None

Required English/Mathematics Proficiency Level(s)

English Placement Level: EN095

Mathematics Placement Level: None

5. Estimated Cost of Course; Instructional Resources Needed

Cost to the Student: Tuition for a 4-credit hour course, cost of the textbook, and any applicable fees.

Cost to the College: Instructor's salary and/or any additional costs to NMC.

Instructional resources needed for this course include: whiteboard and whiteboard markers, overhead projector, digital projector, screen, and access to photocopying.

6. Method of Evaluation

Evaluation will include class participation and in-class assignments, quizzes and tests, in-class presentations, and a final exam or evaluation. NMC's grading and attendance policies will be followed.

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7. Course Outline

This is a topical outline and does not necessarily indicate the sequence in which the material will be presented.

- 1.0 Han-Gul Alphabet
 - 1.1 Writing
 - 1.2 Pronunciation

- 2.0 Basic Parts of Speech
 - 2.1 Copula
 - 2.2 Verbs
 - 2.3 Adjectives
 - 2.4 Nouns
 - 2.5 Pronouns
 - 2.6 Adverbs

- 3.0 Common Vocabulary Sets

- 4.0 Verb Forms
 - 4.1 Present
 - 4.2 Past
 - 4.3 Future

- 5.0 Numerals

- 6.0 Basic Questions

- 7.0 Basic Conversation Scenarios

- 8.0 Positive and Negative Statements

- 9.0 Basic Korean Culture

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8. Instructional Goals

The course will introduce students to:

- 1.0 The Han-gul alphabet;
- 2.0 Parts of speech in the Korean language;
- 3.0 Commonly used vocabulary sets including numbers;
- 4.0 Verb tenses needed for basic communication;
- 5.0 Question forms in Korean;
- 6.0 The formation of positive and negative statements in Korean; and
- 7.0 Basic elements of Korean culture and how to use Korean Social Network Service (SNS).

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9. Student Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- 1.0 Demonstrate oral competency with basic spoken greetings and formalities;
- 2.0 Select appropriate etiquette for formal and informal speech;
- 3.0 Demonstrate competency with basic grammar including parts of speech;
- 4.0 Demonstrate competency with basic Korean expressions spoken at a normal rate of speech;
- 5.0 Generate short written pieces using the Han-gul alphabet; and
- 6.0 Generate translations of simple written pieces.

10. Assessment Measures of Student Learning Outcomes

Assessment of student learning may include, but not be limited to, the following:

- 1.0 Group Conversations;
- 2.0 Writing Assignments;
- 3.0 Vocabulary Assignments;
- 4.0 Oral and Written Activities/Exams; and
- 5.0 Translations.