

UMBC UGC New Course Request: KORE 301: Advanced Korean I

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COURSE INFORMATION:

course number(s)	Kore 301
formal title	Advanced Korean I
transcript title (≤24c)	Advanced Korean I
prerequisite	Kore 202 or permission of instructor
credits	3
max. repeat credits	none
grading method(s)	X <input type="checkbox"/> Reg (A-F) <input type="checkbox"/> Audit <input type="checkbox"/> Pass-Fail

PROPOSED CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

An advanced Korean language course in the four language skills (listening, speaking, reading, and writing) with focus on socio-cultural issues and current events. In addition to regular oral practice, the course will include such activities as formal presentations, intensive reading and some expository writing

RATIONALE FOR NEW COURSE:

MLLI has been awarded a three year grant from the Korea Foundation to expand its present Korean program to the level of the minor. Korean 301 is the next logical step to achieve this objective.

ATTACH COURSE OUTLINE (mandatory):

KORE 301
Instructor: Dr. Kyung-Eun Yoon

Advanced Korean 1 (Fall/2009)
kyoon@umbc.edu
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., & Fri. 10-11 am
& By Appointment

1. Objectives: This course is designed to enable learners to achieve the advanced level of speaking, listening, reading, writing and grammar skills in Korean.

Also, this course will help the students understand some aspects of the Korean culture.

2. Course Materials

- (1) Textbook (Required): Integrated Korean: Intermediate 2 published by Uni. of Hawaii Press
- (2) Workbook (Required): Integrated Korean Workbook: Intermediate 2 by Uni. of Hawaii Press
- (3) Supplementary handouts (provided by the instructor)
- (4) Web resources for listening activities (<http://languagelab.bh.indiana.edu/korean202.html>)

3. Requirements: Students in this course are required

- (1) to take two vocabulary quiz for each unit called “Lesson”
- (2) to take an oral quiz for each unit
- (3) to take a chapter wrap-up quiz for each unit
- (4) to turn in a writing assignment for each unit
- (5) to do 1-minute speech (with the writing assignments mentioned above)
- (6) to turn in homework
- (7) to take a mid-term and a final exam

4. Evaluation

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| (1) attendance | - 5 % + more (See the policy below) |
| (2) vocabulary quiz | - 10 % |
| (3) oral quiz | - 10 % |
| (4) chapter wrap-up quiz | - 10 % |
| (5) writing assignment | - 10 % |
| (6) 1-min. speech | - 5 % |
| (7) mid-term & final exam | - 15 % each |
| (8) homework | - 15 % |
| (9) classroom behavior/participation | - 5 % |

5. Class Policy

- (1) Every student should bring their textbook and workbook for every class.
- (2) ***Studying in advance*** is necessary for every class. (especially the vocabulary and grammar for which English explanations are given in the textbook)
- (3) ***No extra-credit work*** will be given to an individual for a make-up purpose.
- (4) ***No make-up*** quizzes will be offered unless it is pre-approved by the instructor.
- (5) ***Homework*** should be placed on the instructor’s desk ***before the class starts***.
 - Late homework - 10 % off (Homework later than one week cannot be accepted.)
 - **Homework that is done during the class time cannot be accepted.**
 - The two lowest grades from homework assignments will be dropped for the final grade.
- (6) Attending every class is extremely important for learning a language. Be aware that an absence can bring negative consequences such as missing a quiz, losing some/all points of the homework assignment that is

supposed to be submitted on that day, etc. Two absences will be excused. Any additional absence after the two will cost 0.5 point per absence until you lose 5% from the attendance grade. The two excusable absences are expected to be used for emergency only. No other absences will be excused without documented evidence. In the event your unexcused absences exceed 6 times, your final course grade will automatically be lowered one level (for example, from B to B-). If you are late or miss class for any reason, it is your responsibility to contact the instructor or ask your classmates to know what you have missed and what you need to do for the following day.

- (7) If you are more than 3 minutes late 3 times without the instructor's consent, they will be counted as one absence. If you are more than 30 minutes late or leave class more than 30 minutes earlier, it will also be considered as one absence.
- (8) The lowest grade from the voc. quizzes will be dropped for the final grade.
- (9) The lowest grade from the chapter wrap-up quizzes will be dropped for the final grade.
- (10) Opening and looking at materials of other classes will not be permitted.
- (11) Cell phones and other electronic devices must be turned off and phone calls cannot be answered during class time.

Academic Integrity Policy (MLLI Policy)

Your academic work is expected to be your own. Plagiarism is the use of the creative and intellectual work of others without acknowledgement. You plagiarize by writing someone else's words and ideas without marking them as being produced by others. Due action will be taken against any form of plagiarism, because learning to produce original work is one of the most important aspects of your college career. This policy applies to printed material as well as information culled from the Internet.