

2021 Summer Class Syllabus (LA King Sejong Institute)

Class level: Introductory Korean

Textbook: *Introduction to Sejong Korean*

Instructor: Shant Davidian / Jae Eun Im

Total Hours: 10 hours

Course Description/Objectives:

Introductory Korean is for students who cannot yet read or write in Hangeul. Students will learn to put consonants, vowels, and consonant-endings together to read and write with ease. Students will also learn basic phrases and grammar.

Week	Topic	Readings
1	“Introduction to Korean Language and Hangeul” Vowels <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simple vowels (monophthongs) • Complex vowels (diphthongs) 	pp. 2-3, 6-10, 22, 24
2	Consonants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lax consonants • aspirated consonants • tense consonants 	pp. 4-5, 11-14, 15
3	Consonant Bases 받침 (Batchim) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Syllable-final consonants • Consonant assimilation & neutralization rules 	pp. 16-21
4	“Let’s practice greetings” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily expressions • Discussion on Korean speech levels 	pp. 22
5	“Language used in the classroom” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making requests using -(으)세요 -(eu)seyo (<i>Please do...</i>) • Discussion on suffixes -si- (-ㅅㅣ-), -get- (-겠-), and -yo (-요) 	pp. 22-23

[Schedules are subject to change]