KOR - KOREAN

KOR Class Schedule (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/DEFAULT/DEFAULT/KOR/)

Courses

KOR 201 Elementary Korean I  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/201/)
First semester of Korean for students without any background of the Korean language, starting from the Korean alphabet (Hangul) and learning basic grammar, vocabulary, and commonly used expressions, to achieve beginning level of speaking, listening, reading, writing, and basic grammar skills in Korean. Credit is not given for KOR 201 if credit for KOR 221 has been earned.

KOR 202 Elementary Korean II  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/202/)
Continuation of KOR 201, and second semester of first year Korean. Students learn basic grammar, vocabulary, and commonly used expressions by practicing conversations and reading conversation based texts, to achieve beginning-intermediate levels of speaking, listening, reading, and writing in the Korean language. Credit is not given for KOR 202 if credit in KOR 222 has been earned. Prerequisite: KOR 201 or as determined by placement test and instructor. Students must have taken KOR 201 at this University. Otherwise, they must take the placement test given in January. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 203 Intermediate Korean I  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/203/)
Continuation of KOR 202 and first semester of the second year Korean. Students practice conversations, study grammar based on conversational materials with variety of styles and levels of discourse and usage, and learn about Korean culture, to achieve intermediate-level fluency. Credit is not given for KOR 203 if credit for KOR 222 has been earned; determination is based on the placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 202 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 202 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement exam in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 204 Intermediate Korean II  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/204/)
Continuation of KOR 203 and second semester of the second year Korean. Students practice conversations and study grammar based on conversational materials with variety of styles and levels of discourse and usage, to achieve intermediate-level fluency in speaking, listening, reading, and writing in the Korean language. Credit is not given for KOR 204 if credit for KOR 241 has been earned. Prerequisite: KOR 203 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 203 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement exam in January. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 205 Advanced Korean I  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/205/)
Continuation of KOR 204 and first semester of third year Korean. Concentrates on enhancing the level of fluency in speaking, listening, reading and writing of Korean. Students learn more advanced-level vocabulary and expressions and read more authentic texts in Korean. Credit is not given for KOR 205 if credit for KOR 241 has been earned; determination is based on placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 204 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 204 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement test in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 206 Advanced Korean II  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/206/)
Continuation of KOR 205 and second semester of third year Korean. Builds on the skills developed in the first semester, focusing on advanced fluency in all four skills of Korean. Students engage in more complex conversations, read advanced-level texts, and write longer compositions. Credit is not given for KOR 206 if credit for KOR 242 has been earned; determination is based on placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 205 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 205 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement test in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 207 Advanced Korean III  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/207/)
Continuation of KOR 206 and third semester of third year Korean. Students refine their advanced fluency in all four skills of Korean, engaging in more complex conversations, reading advanced-level texts, and writing longer compositions. Credit is not given for KOR 207 if credit for KOR 243 has been earned; determination is based on placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 206 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 206 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement test in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 208 Advanced Korean IV  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/208/)
Continuation of KOR 207 and fourth semester of third year Korean. Students refine their advanced fluency in all four skills of Korean, engaging in more complex conversations, reading advanced-level texts, and writing longer compositions. Credit is not given for KOR 208 if credit for KOR 244 has been earned; determination is based on placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 207 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 207 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement test in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 209 Advanced Korean V  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/209/)
Continuation of KOR 208 and fifth semester of third year Korean. Students refine their advanced fluency in all four skills of Korean, engaging in more complex conversations, reading advanced-level texts, and writing longer compositions. Credit is not given for KOR 209 if credit for KOR 245 has been earned; determination is based on placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 208 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 208 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement test in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 210 Advanced Korean VI  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/210/)
Continuation of KOR 209 and sixth semester of third year Korean. Students refine their advanced fluency in all four skills of Korean, engaging in more complex conversations, reading advanced-level texts, and writing longer compositions. Credit is not given for KOR 210 if credit for KOR 246 has been earned; determination is based on placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 209 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 209 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement test in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 211 Korean Reading and Writing I  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/211/)
First semester of spoken and written Korean for students with background in spoken Korean. Starting from the Korean alphabet (Hangul) students learn basic grammar, vocabulary, and commonly used expressions, to achieve the beginning level proficiency in reading and writing as well as in speaking. Credit is not given for KOR 211 if credit for KOR 202 has been earned. Prerequisite: Ability to speak and understand spoken Korean as determined by a placement test and an instructor. Students with prior knowledge of Korean must take the placement test in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 212 Korean Reading and Writing II  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/212/)
Continuation of KOR 211 and second semester of spoken and written Korean for the students with background in Korean. Students learn basic grammar, vocabulary, and commonly used expressions, to achieve the beginning-intermediate level proficiency in reading and writing as well as in speaking of Korean. Credit is not given for KOR 212 if credit for KOR 202 has been earned; determination is based on the placement test. Prerequisite: KOR 211 or as determined by a placement test and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 211 at this University. Otherwise, those with prior knowledge of Korean must take placement test in January. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 213 Korean Reading and Writing III  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/213/)
Continuation of KOR 212 and first semester of the second year of spoken and written Korean. Students learn grammar and vocabulary to achieve intermediate-level speaking, listening, reading and writing in Korean. Credit is not given for KOR 213 if credit for KOR 204 has been earned; determination is based on the placement exam. Prerequisite: KOR 212 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 212 at this University. Otherwise, those with prior knowledge of Korean must take the placement exam in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 214 Korean Reading and Writing IV  credit: 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/214/)
Continuation of KOR 213 and second semester of the second year of spoken and written Korean. Students are exposed to theme-related passages and dialogues, practicing speaking, listening, reading, and writing, in order to achieve advanced-intermediate level proficiency in Korean. Credit is not given for KOR 214 if credit for KOR 206 has been earned; determination is based on the placement exam. Prerequisite: KOR 213 or as determined by a placement exam and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 213 at this University. Otherwise, those with prior knowledge of Korean must take the placement exam in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

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KOR 306  Advanced Korean II  credit: 5 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/306/)
Continuation of KOR 305 and second semester of third year Korean. Concentrates on enhancing the level of fluency in speaking, listening, reading and writing of Korean. Students will learn about more advanced-level vocabulary and everyday expressions and read texts in Korean where Korean culture is introduced and discussed. Credit is not given for KOR 306 if credit for KOR 242 has been earned. Prerequisite: KOR 305 or as determined by a placement test and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 305 at this University. Otherwise, they should take the placement text in January. Sign up for the exam in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 440  Fourth Year Korean I  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/440/)
Develop the ability to engage in fluent discourse, to understand authentic texts through the acquisition of advanced-level vocabulary and expressions, and to refine and improve their writing in Korean. Students are expected to engage in class discussions on various topics of Korean culture and society. 3 undergraduate hours. 4 graduate hours. Prerequisite: KOR 306 or KOR 242 or as determined by a placement test and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 306 or KOR 242 at this University. Otherwise, those with prior knowledge of Korean should take the placement exam in August. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Department (244-2725).

KOR 441  Fourth Year Korean II  credit: 3 or 4 Hours. (https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule/terms/KOR/441/)
Allows advanced students to further develop their reading comprehension of authentic texts through the acquisition of advanced-level vocabulary and expressions, and to discuss and write on various topics and issues related to contemporary Korea. 3 undergraduate hours. 4 graduate hours. Prerequisite: KOR 440 or as determined by a placement test and an instructor. Students must have taken KOR 440 at this University. Otherwise, those with prior knowledge of Korean should take the placement test in January. Sign up for the test in the office of the EALC Office (244-2725).