



KF Global e-School Korean Language Education of SMU

Program Outline

KF Global e-School Korean Language Program of SMU (Sookmyung Women's University) is supported by Korea Foundation (KF), a government affiliated organization. The purpose of this program is to provide overseas students with expanded opportunities to acquire an in-depth understanding of Korea, and especially Korean Language.

The program will proceed on Video-on-Demand (VOD) lectures on Korean Language with our highly prestigious faculty members of SMU who are specialized in Korean Language for students at our e-school partner university abroad. Also, the VOD lecture can be used in classroom with the Korean coordinator or the instructor who can speak Korean in a partner university. After class, students can access by an individual PC or smartphone on one's schedule. This would give opportunities for learners to continuously ask and answer questions through Sookmyung Women's University Cyber E-lecture system.

Basically, **we expect the overseas universities to grant credits to the students who take our class.** Also, we would like to know whether the Korean Language course can be count as major course or liberal arts course. This program will definitely give students both the flexibility and the level of quality one expect from SMU.

Course in More Detail

The program will offer 10 level of Korean Language courses, ‘KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS 1~10’ and it will be operated during semester (15 weeks each). The class description will be given as below. The lectures will be taught mainly in Korean. However, it might be possible to offer a class both in Korean and English especially for the beginning level of Korean courses.

KF Global e-School Korean Language Program Course Description

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS I
Course Description	As a Basic Korean language training course for foreigners and Korean residents in foreign countries, this course intends to raise basic communication skills of Korean language. This course covers Korean alphabet Hangul and basic conversation.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 한글 -1 / 아하! 한국어 한글-2 / 아하! 한국어 1-1

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS II
Course Description	This course is for foreign students who have studied Korean more than 40 hours. Practice grammar and vocabulary for basic communication in everyday life, speaking and writing.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 1-2

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS III
Course Description	This course is aimed at intermediate level of Korean communication skills with Korean language courses for exchange students and international students. This course is suitable for students who have studied the Korean language more than 80 hours or the students who have the Korean language ability above level 2.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 2-1

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS IV
Course Description	This course is designed for learners who intensify the intermediate level of the Korean language and focuses on contents necessary for everyday and social life. 'Korean for Foreigners' 1-3 or Korean language students who have completed elementary and intermediate level classes can take this class.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 2-2

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS V
Course Description	In this course, students learn essential vocabulary and sentence patterns of advanced level, and learn to speak and write using them.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 3-1

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS VI
Course Description	This course is for students who have studied Korean for over 500 hours or have equivalent Korean Language skills. Students develop speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills so that they can communicate with familiar social topics related to daily life.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 3-2

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS VII
Course Description	This course aims to improve basic Korean communication skills as well as Korean language courses for foreigners and overseas Koreans. It also aims to cultivate the ability to take specialized college courses and expand understanding of Korea. This course can be taken by students who have completed both Korean and Intermediate levels.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 4-1

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS VIII
Course Description	This course aimed at learners who are deeply learning the intermediate level of Korean Language. Students who have completed the ‘Korean for Foreigners’ level 1~7 or the beginners’ and intermediate beginner’s level can take this class.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 4-2

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS IX
Course Description	This course is aimed at learners who are learning the advanced stages of Korean language, and focuses on contents necessary for daily and social life. Intermediate level students can take this class.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 5-1

Course Name	KOREAN LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS X
Course Description	This course covers vocabulary and grammar required for advanced learners. In addition, students can listen to and read texts on various topics in the textbook, so that advanced learners can acquire the necessary knowledge. Students can perform functions such as discussing and presenting based on what they have learned through speaking and writing practice.
Reading Materials	아하! 한국어 5-2

Online Course Management

The Content of the VOD lectures are based on 120 minutes and the total class time is 180 minutes (3credits) including individual practice time, break time, and so on. The VOD Lectures are streamed via Sookmyung Women's University Cyber E-lecture system.

It is the upgraded version in Sookmyung Women's University learning management system that integrates e-classroom and cyber lecture system; it is the ability to access the lectures on an individual web browser whenever a user requests it. Once students got ID and Password, VOD users have online access to SMU course lectures-anytime, anywhere within the academic term in which the course is being offered. It also gives students the ability to stream individual lectures onto their computer, smartphone, ipad or any electrical devices at anytime during the duration of their course. It offers a variety of options for watching course lectures, including: **1. Video On Demand (VOD)** **2. Learning Activities** (supports various learning activities such as assignments, and quizzes.) **3. Learning Trekking** (students can check attendance and progress, and professor can check and manage students' participation status and grades). Please note that there is an additional fee for an e-book to purchase via Amazon.

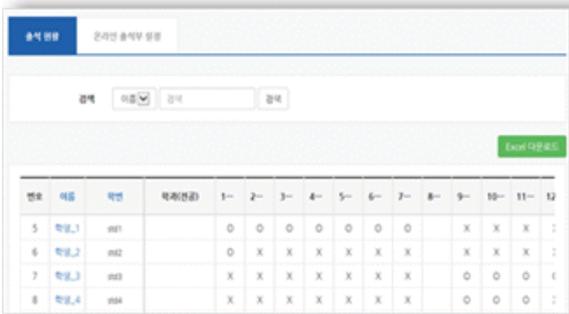
- SMU Cyber E-lecture system URL: <https://snowboard.sookmyung.ac.kr/login.php>



Log-in



Main Page



Attendance Check



Progress Check



Assignments



Q&A Session

Support for Partner University Abroad

KF will support e-School operational costs at our overseas counterparts. The program support will include honorariums for a coordinating professor at SMU's e-school partner university. The amount is under negotiation depending on the role and contribution to the program. **The following are the role description of coordinator of one's university we expect.**

1. She/he will open, recruit, and advertise the lecture for more students.
2. She/he will be the classes' supervisor whether in computer classroom or online class by their own device in the classroom, checks students' attendance, gives further explanation on the material and opens question and answer session on the material.
3. She/he will reflect the score of the subject (Korean Language for Foreigners) to grant credits based on the examination.

Recent News of KF-SMU

In 2016, SMU formed partnership with 6 different Universities in Vietnam, Brazil, India, Japan, Kuwait, and Senegal, providing 11 classes for the two semesters.

In 2017, even more expanded and diversified, SMU successfully formed partnership with 8 different universities in 7 different countries, including Kenya, and opened up to 14 classes.

In 2018, KF-SMU have stepped into 3rd phase of KF Global e-School Program, and are willing to provide even 8 classes in each semester, expecting to strengthen the connections between partner universities.

Administrative Procedure

SMU and the e-school partner university will sign an MOU prior to the implementation of Global e-school program, once the related issues are clarified such as curriculum, credit grants, facilities equipped with computer classroom, schedule, language, and etc.

Checklist prior to Opening Class

Please check the links below in order to know the speed of the Internet for image quality of lecture.

※ Please check again the quality of video setting is whether 360p or 720p.

Content Form of Cyber Lecture in SMU	O	X
Lecture video + PPT (http://cmaker.sookmyung.ac.kr/em/5a8e2458c7cd) ※Since lecture video speed may be different in Explorer browser and Chrome browser, we recommend to test both browsers.		
High quality version without PPT (720p) (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zqyN1A9MD50)		