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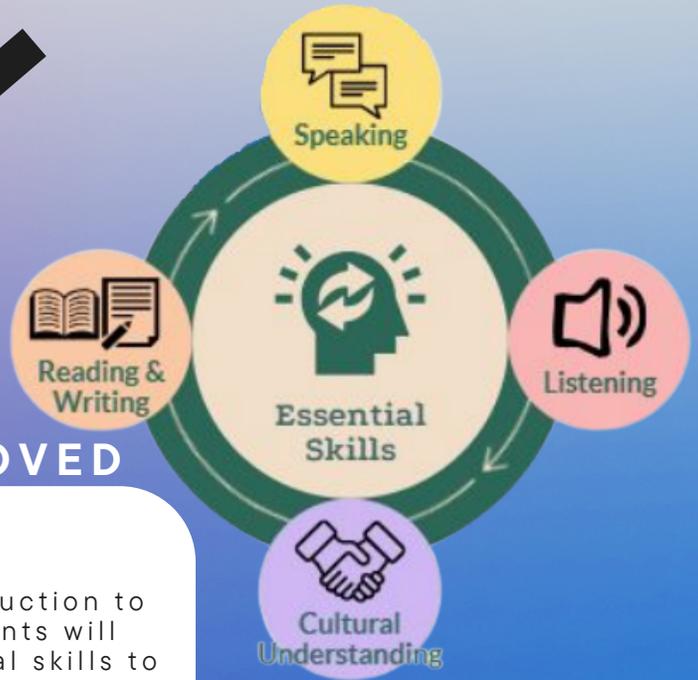
KOREAN 1-4H |  A-G APPROVED

## Course Description

This course series begins with **Korean 1**, an introduction to the Korean alphabet, language, and culture. Students will acquire a basic understanding, along with essential skills to communicate at a basic level.

**Korean 2** and **Korean 3** build upon the basic knowledge students gained in Korean 1. These courses require students to use prior knowledge, and also introduce students to new vocabulary, structures, and expressions. Students expand their vocabulary range to include more sophisticated language expressions, and engage with various forms of authentic texts (dramas, shows, music).

Students in **Korean 4 Honors** will learn intermediate level skills presentational, interpersonal, and interpretive communication, as well as expand their cultural understanding. Upon completion of this course, students are expected to acquire and use more vocabulary, expressions and sentence structures and to have a good command of Korean in various conversational situations. Students are expected to write short essays using the vocabulary, expressions, and sentence structures introduced.



## Grade Breakdown

**Interpretive** - Demonstrate

receptive understanding

**Presentational** - Speaking and writing for an audience; practiced, rehearsed, edited (live or recorded)

**Interpersonal** - Spontaneous / unscripted conversation between two or more people

**Culture** - Cultural comparisons

**Process** - In-class engagement, At-home engagement

Average Minutes of Practice HW / Class

35 minutes

## WHAT TYPE OF STUDENTS TYPICALLY ENJOY THIS CLASS?

### STUDENTS WHO...

- LIKE TO CHALLENGE THEMSELVES!
- LIKE TO TRY NEW THINGS!
- ARE NOT AFRAID TO MAKE MISTAKES!
- ARE INTERESTED IN KOREAN CULTURE OUTSIDE OF CLASS (MUSIC, DRAMAS, FOOD, ETC.)



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