

Course Syllabus

I. Course Information

- **Course Title (Korean):** K-Culture로 만나는 한국 한국인1
- **Course Title (English):** Korea/Korean Meet through K-Culture 1
- **Course Code & Section:** 1403-1003-00
- **Department:** International Studies
- **Course Type:** Major (Basic)
- **Credits & Evaluation Method:** 3-3-0 / Absolute Evaluation
- **Target Year:** 1st-year students
- **Offered By:** Chungnam National University

Class Format

- Face-to-face classes are the default. However, activities such as book or video reviews may be conducted remotely through the cyber campus.
 - Students will watch Korean movies and dramas and relate them to understanding Korean society.
 - The course covers Korean politics, economy, society, and culture using textbooks.
 - If necessary, students will participate in cultural experiences or field trips and present their reflections.
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III. Course Description

Course Overview

This course is designed to enhance students' understanding of Korea and Koreans by exploring characteristics of Korean society through movies and dramas. By using familiar K-content, students will gain insights into Korean politics, economy, society, and culture, making learning more accessible.

Course Goals

1. Learn fundamental aspects of Korean culture through K-Culture content.
1. Understand Korean people and society through knowledge of politics, economy, and culture.

Major Competencies

- Exploring Major Knowledge: 15%
- Utilizing Interdisciplinary Knowledge: 15%
- Creative Problem-Solving Skills: 15%
- Future ICT & Ethical Orientation: 15%

Teaching Methods

Method	Percentage
Lecture	50%
Discussion/Debate	30%
Field Study	10%
Team Presentations	10%

IV. Evaluation Methods

Assessment Type	Weight
Midterm Exam	30%
Final Exam	30%
Homework	20%
Attendance	10%
Participation	10%

V. Course Materials

Recommended Reading

(Additional references not provided in the document.)

VI. Weekly Course Schedule

Week	Topic	Details
Week 1	Orientation & Introduction	Course overview
Week 2	Politics & Economy: Division & Unification 1	Japanese colonial rule & Korean War (<i>Movie: Assassination</i>)
Week 3	Politics & Economy: Division & Unification 2	North & South Korea, Separated Families & Unification (<i>Movie: Joint Security Area</i>)
Week 4	Politics & Economy: Democracy & Elections 1	Korean democracy & resistance against dictatorship (<i>Movie: 1987</i>)
Week 5	Politics & Economy: Democracy & Elections 2	Popular sovereignty & election systems (<i>Movie: A Taxi Driver</i>)

Week 6	Politics & Economy: Economic System 1	Mixed economy & economic democratization (<i>Movie: Ode to My Father</i>)
Week 7	Politics & Economy: Economic System 2	Economic development & industrial changes (<i>Movie: Awl</i>)
Week 8	Midterm Exam	Written test
Week 9	Society & Life: Family & Kinship 1	Korean community spirit (<i>K-Drama: Our Blues</i>)
Week 10	Society & Life: Family & Kinship 2	Family terms, Korean naming system (<i>K-Drama: Postnatal Care Center</i>)
Week 11	Society & Life: Economic Activities 1	Job roles, economic lifestyle (<i>K-Drama: Kkondae Intern</i>)
Week 12	Society & Life: Economic Activities 2	Financial management & food certification (<i>Movie: Cart</i>)
Week 13	Society & Life: Leisure & Health 1	Leisure life & food culture (<i>K-Drama: Hospital Playlist</i>)
Week 14	Society & Life: Leisure & Health 2	Changes in family structure & solo culture (<i>K-Drama: Not Others</i>)
Week 15	Final Exam	Written test

VII. Additional Notes

- **Lab Safety Guidelines:** (If applicable)
- **Attendance Regulations:** University attendance policy applies.
- **COVID-19 Response Measures:**
 - If the COVID-19 situation worsens, face-to-face classes may temporarily switch to remote learning.
 - Follow hygiene protocols like handwashing and cough etiquette.
 - If diagnosed with COVID-19, a 5-day quarantine is recommended. If attending class is necessary, wearing a mask and minimizing contact with others is required.

Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

- **Visual Impairment:**
 - Early access to handouts, permission to record lectures, alternative exam formats (Braille, text-to-speech, enlarged print), and assistive devices allowed.
- **Hearing Impairment:**
 - Live captioning, sign language interpretation, video subtitles, designated seating, adjusted lecture speed, and alternative assignments if needed.
- **Physical & Neurological Disabilities:**
 - Classroom accessibility ensured, permission to use laptops, extended exam time, and consideration for alternative assessments if necessary.

- **Cognitive, Mental Health, & Internal Organ Disabilities:**
 - Individual consultation available to determine appropriate accommodations.