Proposed New Unit: KORE2XXX Korean 4

Please note that this unit is not yet approved.

Unit Information

Title: Korean 4  
Level: 2  
Type: Undergraduate as unattached elective in 1  
Faculty: Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences  
Contact: Associate Professor Kyu-Suk Shin (kyu.shin@uwa.edu.au)  
Proposed: 26/03/2012

Code alpha prefix: KORE  
First year of offer: 2013  
Credit points: 6  
Workload hours: 150

Broadening categories:  
✔ Broadening Category A  ✔ LOTE  ☐ Study Abroad  
✔ Broadening Category B  
☐ Elective

Academic information

Unit Content: This is a continuing unit in the Korean language at an intermediate level preceded by the Korean 3 unit. This unit aims to develop students’ understanding of Korean culture and society to a level that will enable effective use of Korean. It provides further development of aural comprehension and conversation skills on a range of topics involving increased vocabulary, functions and situations using interactive activities and audio-visual materials; reading and composition skills through some authentic literature and media materials; a critical awareness of the Korean language and culture. This unit is useful for expanding students’ global perspective and acquiring intercultural communication skills with translilingual and transcultural competence.

Outcomes: Students are able to (1) converse in Korean on everyday topics and express their own views with a better understanding of Korean grammar and phonology; (2) apply written Korean language skills to compose passages for different purposes; (3) apply appropriate intermediate level Korean language to selected cultural and social situations with a good understanding of Korea; (4) integrate presentation and interview skills in developing a journal; (5) reflect on the world and themselves through the experience of learning Korean.

Assessment items: Tests 60% (5x12%), tutorial participation 10%, writing a journal 20% and oral presentation 10%

Assessments tied to outcomes: Assessment is designed to monitor students’ progress, hence frequent tests will be used instead of the final exam. Students can apply their writing skills and understanding of grammar for writing a journal. Students can use their creativity and understanding of Korean culture and society for the development of a journal which can be used for oral presentation.

Teaching and Learning Practices: 1 hour lecture will be used for explaining grammatical aspects of the language, language use and socio-cultural backgrounds. 2-hour tutorials will be used for practising the language and discussing socio-cultural aspects of Korea related to the language and situations covered in each unit.

Technologies: Computer facilities in the tutorial room.

Curriculum from existing units

Unit codes N/A  
Details N/A

Shared units

Offerings

Quota: No quota proposed.
Prerequisites:
KORE 2XXX Korean 3 or equivalent

Corequisites:
Nil.

Incompatibilities:
Nil.

Teaching Responsibilities

Accommodation requirements
Summary: Lecture theatre, tutorial rooms
Types: Central Teaching Spaces;
Further details:

Funding
Source: Faculty/School funds and other funding
Details: The grant from the Korea Foundation.
Units to be rescinded to provide resources for this one: N/A

Additional information
This unit is part of the Korean major which is anticipated available from 2013.

Consultations
Library: Library Form Approved
Consultation with the librarians took place in 2010 when Korean level 1 units were proposed.

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