

Korean Language Class

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The form of Han-Gul

• 1st consonant → 2nd vowel → 3rd consonant → 4th consonant

Right or Below

Below

The Korean grammatical structure

- Subject-Object-Verb SOV patterns ex) 나는 밥을 먹는다 [na-neun bab-eul meog-neun-da] l rice eat
- · Order would be change depending on particles
- But usually **verb/adjective** is in the end of the sentence ex) 밥을 나는 먹는다. rice I eat (O) [bab-eul na-neun meog-neun-da] 나는 먹는다 밥을. I eat rice (X) [na-neun meog-neun-da bab-eul]

The Korean grammatical structure

- Importance of elements
 the head of the sentences < the end of the sentences
- Omission happens according to the context
 Therefore, Subject / Object is usually omitted, not Verb.

The Korean Plural Expression

Korean nouns are not specific about the number
 Korean nouns do not have the grammatical category for number.
 ex) chocolate, chocolates

ex) 초콜릿 [cho-kol-lit] 초콜릿들 [cho-kol-lit-deul]



Plurality suffix 들 [deul]
 ex) 계란들 eggs [gye-lan-deul]
 토끼들 rabbits [to-kki-deul]

The Korean Plural Expression

- However 를 is not mandatory for making plurality.
 Highlighting the plurality of noun.
 Ex) 계란 = 계란들 eggs [gye-lan]. [gye-lan-deul]
 토끼 = 토끼들 rabbits [to-kki]. [to-kki-deul]
- 저기 **토끼**가 있다 There is a rabbit, There are rabbits [jeo-gi to-kki-ga iss-da] 저기 **토끼들**이 있다 There are rabbits [jeo-gi to-kki-deul-i iss-da]



Exercise 4. Circle whether the following statement is True or False.

The noun 연필 [Yeon·pil] "pencil" can be translated into at least the following: pencil, a pencil, the pencil, some pencils, the pencils, pencils. (T / F)

The special ending form It for verbs and adjectives

- The stems of verbs and adjectives do not stand alone, always conjugated by various inflectional ending. ex) 모으 (X) gather [mo-eu] 모으다 (O) gather [mo-eu-da] 모으고 (O) and gather
- Special dictionary form ending -L [Da]
- If you want to find the stem of a verb or an adjective → remove 다 ex) 잠자다 sleep [Jam-ja-da] → 잠자 [Jam-ja]
 예쁘다 pretty [ye-ppeu-da] → 예쁘 [ye-ppeu]

The special ending form It for verbs and adjectives

- 잠자다 [Jam-ja-da] → 잠자 V
- 작다 [Jak-tta] → 작 Adj
- 먹다 [Meok-tta] → 먹 eat = Verb
- 입다 [lp-tta] → 입 wear = verb
- ・ 걷다 [Geot-tta] → 걷 walk = verb
- 기쁘다. [Gi-ppeu-da] → 기쁘 happy=adj

Vocabulary

- 점심 [Jeom-sim] lunch
- 집 [Jip] home, house
- 먹다 [Muk-tta] eat
- · 잠자다 [Jam·ja·da] sleep
- 작다 [Jak·tta] small
- 입다 [Lp-tta] wear
- 걷다 [Geot-tta] walk
- · 기쁘다 [Gi-ppeu-da] happy

- · 가다 [Ga-da] go
- 말고 [Mal-go] instead of
- · 같이 [Ga-chi] together
- · 식당 [Sik-ttang] restaurant
- 어디 [Eo-di] where
- 뭐 [Mwo] what, something
- 파스타 [Pa-seu-ta] pasta
- 쿠폰 [Ku-pon] coupon

Vocabulary

- 모으다 [Mo-eu-da] collect, gather
- 할인 [Ha-rin] discount
- 받다 [Bat-tta] get, take, receive
- ~ 수 있다 [Su-it-tta] be able to, can
- 할 수 있다 [hal su iss-da] can do

• 서연 : 어디 가?

[eo-di-ga]

Seoyeon: Where are you going?

• 민준: 집에 밥 먹으러 가

[jib-e bab meog-eu-leo ga]

Minjun: I'm going home to have a meal.

· 서연: 밥 먹으러 집에 가지 말고 // 나랑 같이 식당가자.

[bab meog-eu-leo jib-e ga-ji mal-go na-lang gat-i sig-dang-ga-ja.]

Seoyeon: Let's go to the restaurant with me instead of going home.

• 민준 : 뭐 먹게?

[mwo meog-ge]

Minjun: What are you going to eat?

• 서연: 파스타, 나 쿠폰 모아서 할인 받을 수 있어.

[pa-seu-ta, na ku-pon mo-a-seo hal-in bad-eul su iss-eo]

Seoyeon: Pasta, We can get a discount because I collected coupons.

• 민준: 그래 좋아.

[geu-lae joh-a]

Minjun: Okay, great.

- 서연: (너는) 어디 가? (Instead of 가는 중이야)
 [eo-di-ga]
 Seoyeon: Where are (you) going?
- 민준 : 집에 **밥** 먹으러 가 [jib-e bab meog-eu-leo ga] Minjun : I'm going home to have a **meal**.
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And then

I want to have some matcha tea latte.

I want to have some matcha tea latte and then go to park.

밥 먹으러 집에 가지 말자. 밥 먹으러 집에 가지 말**고** 나랑 같이 식당 가자.

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소우주 (mikrokosmos)

반짝이는 별빛들 The glistening stars

사람들의 불빛들 Everyone's shining lights

칠흑 같던 밤**들** 속 Inside those pitch dark night**s**

어쩜 이 밤의 표정이 이토록 또 아름다운 건 저 별들도 불빛도 아닌 우리 때문일 거야

The reason the night's expression can be this beautiful Is possibly because of us, not those **stars** or shining lights.