NOVA COLLEGE-WIDE COURSE CONTENT SUMMARY KOR 102 - BEGINNING KOREAN II (4 CR.)

Course Description

Develops the understanding, speaking, reading, and writing of Korean, and emphasizes the structure of the language. Lecture 4 hours per week.

General Course Purpose

Beginning Korean, a basic introductory course, places emphasis on the development of proficiency in the following skills: Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing. The student will learn to function in the language within a limited context of vocabulary and structures. The course also includes a general introduction to culture.

Course Prerequisites/Co-Requisites

The prerequisite for this course is KOR 101 - "Beginning Korean I" or equivalent.

Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- understand simple spoken Korean within the limited context presented to beginners.
- understand content referring to basic personal background and needs, social conventions and routine tasks, such as ordering meals, and receiving simple instructions and directions and making purchases.
- conduct a simple Korean conversation on familiar topics using present, past and future tenses.
- speak simple Korean with correct pronunciation at normal conversational speed.
- ask and answer questions, initiate/respond simple statements and maintain face-to-face conversations, although with frequent errors.
- read the Korean the student has already learned to comprehend and speak; introduction to reading selections in rearrangements and recombination of words and expressions already encountered.
- read a paragraph on familiar topics using Korean dictionary.
- write accurately what the student has learned to understand, say, and read.

Major Topics to be Included

The student will learn the structure of the Korean language in a prescribed sequence beginning with the simplest structures and working toward the more complex. The student will learn correct Korean pronunciation. Topics and situations to be covered may include:

- a. Personal Identification
- b. Education
- c. House and Home
- d. Earning a Living
- e. Services
- f. Leisure
- g. Family Life
- h. Public and Private Services
- i. Community/Neighborhood
- Shopping
- k. Physical Environment
- I. Travel
- m. Meal-taking/Food/Drink
- n. Current Events
- o. Health and Welfare