

## Use of Negative sentences (Korean Negation)

**Class objective:** I will be able to understand the negative sentences

### Concept A: Introduction

Korean has four forms of negation for negative sentences. For ease of understanding, we'll break them down into two ways: short-form negation and long-form negation.

- Short-form negation: 안 + Verb/Adjective
- Long-form negation: Verb/Adjective + 지 않다
- Short-form negation: 못 + Verb
- Long-form negation: Verb + 지 못하다

	short-form	long-form
don't / isn't	안 + V/A	V/A + 지 않다
can't	못 + V	V + 지 못하다

First, let's learn two forms of Korean negation equivalent to 'don't/isn't.'

### Concept B: Short-form negation: 안 + Verb/Adjective

The rule for putting a verb or adjective into the short negative form is very simple. Just add 안 immediately before verbs and adjectives.

#### – 안 + Verb

가다 (to go) → 안 가다 (not to go)

먹다 (to eat) → 안 먹다 (not to eat)

사다 (to buy) → 안 사다 (not to buy)

마시다 (to drink) → 안 마시다 (not to drink)

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