



Korean Ladder Study Note

또 / 그리고 또

Adding One More Thing as a Beginner

Level	Topic	Focus
A1 · Beginner TOPIK 1	Grammar Connectors	또 / 그리고 또 Adding One More Thing as a Beginner

Study Links

Open this lesson on Korean Ladder

<https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-CON-005>

Watch the full video on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yc1xFeSp3ng>

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Core Idea

Here is my beginner problem. I know 그리고 means and, so I keep saying 그리고, 그리고, 그리고. It starts to sound heavy.

좋은 질문이에요. In Korean, when you add one more thing, 또 often sounds lighter and clearer.

그리고 connects ideas. 또 adds an extra idea. That extra feeling is the key.

So if I ordered coffee and now I want water too, I might not need another 그리고?

Conversation Snapshot

Speaker	Korean	Meaning
Hana	커피 주세요. —	Coffee, please.
Junho	저는 차 주세요. —	Tea for me, please.



Speaker	Korean	Meaning
Hana	그리고 또 케이크도 주세요. —	And also, cake too, please.
Junho	좋아요. 케이크도 같이 먹어요. —	Good. Let's eat cake together too.

Vocabulary & Useful Expressions

Word	Meaning	Example
또 tto	also · again · another	좋은 질문이에요. In Korean, when you add one more thing, 또 often sounds lighter and clearer.
그리고 = 연결, 또 = 추가 geurigo = yeongyeol, tto = chuga	그리고 connects. 또 adds.	그리고 connects ideas. 또 adds an extra idea. That extra feeling is the key.
또 + extra idea tto + extra idea	also, one more extra idea	맞아요. Today's frame is simple. Put 또 before the extra item or extra action.
또 = extra tto	also · again · another	Context tells you whether 또 feels like also, another, or again. The core meaning is extra.
그리고 = 연결 geurigo = yeongyeol	그리고 connects.	맞아요. 그리고 connects. 또 adds. Keep that contrast clear.
또 + 명사 + 주세요 tto + myeongsa + juseyo	Please give me one more item too.	In cafe Korean, 또 물 주세요 is natural. It sounds like one more item on the order.
그리고 또 geurigo tto	and also · and one more	Now, 그리고 또 is not wrong. It means and also, or and one more.
그리고 또 + extra idea geurigo tto + extra idea	and also, one more extra idea	Use 그리고 또 when you want the connection to the earlier list or plan to be very clear.



Grammar / Structure Notes

또

또 — also · again · another

Use it to add one more item or action.

그리고 = 연결, 또 = 추가

그리고 = 연결, 또 = 추가 — 그리고 connects. 또 adds.

연결 means connection. 추가 means addition.

또 + extra idea

또 + extra idea — also, one more extra idea

Often starts the next short sentence.

문장. 또 문장.

문장. 또 문장. — Sentence. Also, another sentence.

A clean A1 pattern.

커피를 마셔요. 또 빵을 먹어요.

커피를 + 마셔요. + 또 + 빵을 + 먹어요. — I drink coffee. I also eat bread.

Listen. 커피를 마셔요. 또 빵을 먹어요. I drink coffee. I also eat bread.

Pronunciation Loop

Phrase	How to practice
또 빵을 먹어요.	tto ppangeul meogeoyo.
저는 학생이에요. 또 회사원이에요.	jeoneun haksaeng-ieyo. tto hoesawon-ieyo.
커피 주세요. 또 물 주세요.	keopi juseyo. tto mul juseyo.
또 물 주세요.	tto mul juseyo.
저는 한국어를 공부해요. 또 영어도 공부해요.	jeoneun hangugeoreul gongbuhaeyo. tto yeongeodo gongbuhaeyo.

Self-Check

- 1 Say 또 / 그리고 또 three times: slow, natural, then inside a short sentence.
- 2 Write one original sentence that was not in the video.
- 3 Rewatch the YouTube lesson and pause when the same pattern appears.



Related / Subsequent Studies

Lesson	Why study it next	Link
그래도 / 하지만 Two More Ways to Say 'But' Between Sentences	A1 Grammar: compare 그래도 / 하지만 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-CON-002
그러니까 Turning a Reason into Everyday 'So...'	A1 Grammar: compare 그러니까 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-CON-004
그리고 / 그래서 / 그런데 Connecting Two Sentences with Conjunctions	A1 Grammar: compare 그리고 / 그래서 / 그런데 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-CON-001
아니면 / 또는 Saying 'Or' Between Choices	A1 Grammar: compare 아니면 / 또는 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-CON-003

My Notes

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