



Korean Ladder Study Note

말고도

Saying 'Besides This' and 'In Addition To'

Level	Topic	Focus
A1 · Beginner TOPIK 1	Grammar Particles	말고도 Saying 'Besides This' and 'In Addition To'

Study Links

Open this lesson on Korean Ladder

<https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-PRT-028>

Watch the full video on YouTube

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

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Core Idea

Okay, so yesterday at a Korean cafe, I wanted to ask for something besides coffee. And I totally froze.

아, 그 느낌 알아요. That's a really common moment. You need just one expression for it.

And I said 커피 말고 차... and the barista just gave me tea. No coffee at all.

좋은 질문이에요. One little 도 at the end changes everything. Today we fix it.

Conversation Snapshot

Speaker	Korean	Meaning
Junho	여기 뭐가 맛있어요? —	What's good here?
Hana	커피가 맛있어요. 커피 말고도 케이크도 맛있어요. —	The coffee is good. Besides coffee, the cake is good too.
Junho	케이크 말고도 빵도 있어요? —	Besides cake, do you have bread too?



Speaker	Korean	Meaning
Hana	네, 빵도 있어요. 쿠키도 있어요. —	Yes, we have bread. Cookies too.
Junho	좋아요. 그럼 커피하고 케이크 주세요. —	Great. Then coffee and cake, please.

Vocabulary & Useful Expressions

Word	Meaning	Example
명사 + 말고도 (noun) + malgodo	besides N · in addition to N	오늘의 표현은 말고도예요. In English, 말고도 means besides, or in addition to.
커피 말고도 · 빵 말고도 keopi malgodo · ppang malgodo	Same form after any noun	커피는 받침이 없고, 빵은 받침이 있어요. But it's the same 말고도 every time. 빵 말고도 우유도 있어요.
말고 + 도 malgo + do	말고 (not this, instead) + 도 (also)	Wait, let me reason this out. 말고 by itself... that sounds like 'not this'?
A 말고도 B도 A malgodo B-do	besides A, B too	그래서 도가 두 번 나와요. 말고도에 한 번, 새 단어에 또 한 번. The new item usually gets 도 too.
말고도 malgodo	Saying 'Besides This' and 'In Addition To'	이제 발음해 볼까요? 말고도. Say it smoothly, like one word.
말고 ↔ 말고도 malgo ↔ malgodo	말고 replaces · 말고도 adds	네, 맞아요. 말고만 쓰면 바꾸는 뜻이에요. It replaces. 말고도를 쓰면 더하는 뜻이에요. It adds.



Grammar / Structure Notes

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커피 말고도 차도 있어요.

커피 + 말고도 + 차 + 도 + 있 + 어요. — Besides coffee, there's also tea.

맞아요. 첫 번째 예문이에요. 커피 말고도 차도 있어요.

Pronunciation Loop

Phrase	How to practice
말고도	malgodo
커피 말고도 차도 있어요.	keopi malgodo chado isseoyo.
저는 영어 말고도 한국어도 해요.	jeoneun yeongeom malgodo hangugedeo haeyo.

Self-Check

- 1 Say 말고도 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
(으)로 Saying 'By', 'With', and 'Toward' in Korean	A1 Grammar: compare (으)로 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-PRT-012
같이 / 와 함께 / 하고 Saying 'Together With' Someone	A1 Grammar: compare 같이 / 와 함께 / 하고 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-PRT-017
끼리 Saying 'Among Ourselves' and 'Between Friends'	A1 Grammar: compare 끼리 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-PRT-023
도 안 / 도 못 / 도 없어요 Saying 'Not Even' with 도 and Negatives	A1 Grammar: compare 도 안 / 도 못 / 도 없어요 with this lesson so the boundary becomes clearer.	Open lesson https://www.koreanladder.com/lesson.html?id=KOR-A1-GRAM-PRT-021

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