



# UPREP TALK 2025

# Applying to Thai Universities



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Education  
Development  
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# Activity 1 (2 Minutes)

**Share your child future plan.**

**Please write your answer on the answer sheet.**



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# Top University

Chulalongkorn University  
Thammasat University  
Mahidol University



**Chula**  
Chulalongkorn University

AIHM

Assumption University  
Stamford International University



Mahidol University  
International College



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# When to Apply

**Early Admission Oct-  
Nov**

**Portfolio Round  
Oct-Dec**

**Admission Round  
Feb-Mar**



# When to Apply?

## Sample of Undergraduate Application Period at Mahidol

| Round              | Application Period     | Entrance Exam Date | Instruction Begins |
|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Trimester 1</b> |                        |                    |                    |
| 1                  | April 22 – May 2, 2025 | May 17, 2025       | September 15, 2025 |
| 2                  | June 24 – July 4, 2025 | July 19, 2025      | September 15, 2025 |
| <b>Trimester 2</b> |                        |                    |                    |
| 3                  | October 1 – 10, 2025   | October 25, 2025   | January 5, 2026    |
| <b>Trimester 3</b> |                        |                    |                    |
| 4                  | January 13 – 27, 2026  | February 14, 2026  | April 20, 2026     |

# Admission Requirement

## Qualification

- A-Levels or BTEC
- *Graduation of Year 13*
- *High School Diploma*

## English Proficiency Test

- IELTS  $\geq$  6.0

## Standardise Test

- SAT  $\geq$  1200



# What's SAT?

- SAT Stands for Scholastic Assessment Test is a standardised academic test in the USA, administered by the College Board and used for college admissions.
- It's a multi-subject, 3-hour test which measures students' abilities in three primary areas: **Critical Reading, Mathematics** (with and without a calculator), and Writing (though there is no essay section anymore).
- Test Center -HeadStart



Cost : 111 USD

# What's SAT?

| SAT Basic      |                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|----------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SAT Length     | 2 hours 14 minutes |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| SAT Section    | Reading & Writing  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Two 32-minute modules</li><li>• 54 total multiple-choice questions</li><li>• 64 minutes total</li><li>• Passages or pairs of passages (Craft and Structure, Information and Ideas, Standard English Conventions, and Expression of Ideas)</li></ul> |
|                | Math               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Two 35-minute modules</li><li>• 44 total questions</li><li>• 70 minutes total</li><li>• Algebra I and II, geometry, and some trigonometry</li><li>• Learn more about the <a href="#">SAT Math Test</a></li></ul>                                    |
| SAT High Score | 1600               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| SAT Average    | 1060               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |

# SAT

| <b>SAT Test Date*</b> | <b>Registration Deadline</b> | <b>Deadline for Changes, Regular Cancellation, and Late Registration**</b> |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Aug. 23, 2025</b>  | Aug. 8, 2025                 | Aug. 12, 2025                                                              |
| <b>Sept. 13, 2025</b> | Aug. 29, 2025                | Sept. 2, 2025                                                              |
| <b>Oct. 4, 2025</b>   | Sept. 19, 2025               | Sept. 23, 2025                                                             |
| <b>Nov. 8, 2025</b>   | Oct. 24, 2025                | Oct. 28, 2025                                                              |
| <b>Dec. 6, 2025</b>   | Nov. 21, 2025                | Nov. 25, 2025                                                              |
| <b>March 14, 2026</b> | Feb. 27, 2026                | March 3, 2026                                                              |
| <b>May 2, 2026</b>    | Apr. 17, 2026                | April 21, 2026                                                             |
|                       |                              |                                                                            |



Past Paper

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| Dec. 6, 2025   | Nov. 21, 2025         | Nov. 25, 2025                                                       |
| March 14, 2026 | Feb. 27, 2026         | March 3, 2026                                                       |
| May 2, 2026    | Apr. 17, 2026         | April 21, 2026                                                      |
| June 6, 2026   | May 22, 2026          | May 26, 2026                                                        |



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<https://www.collegeboard.org/sat/registration/dates-deadlines>



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# IELTS

IELTS stands for the International English Language Testing System – an English Language proficiency test.

IELTS is developed and run by the British Council in partnership with IDP Education and Cambridge Assessment English.



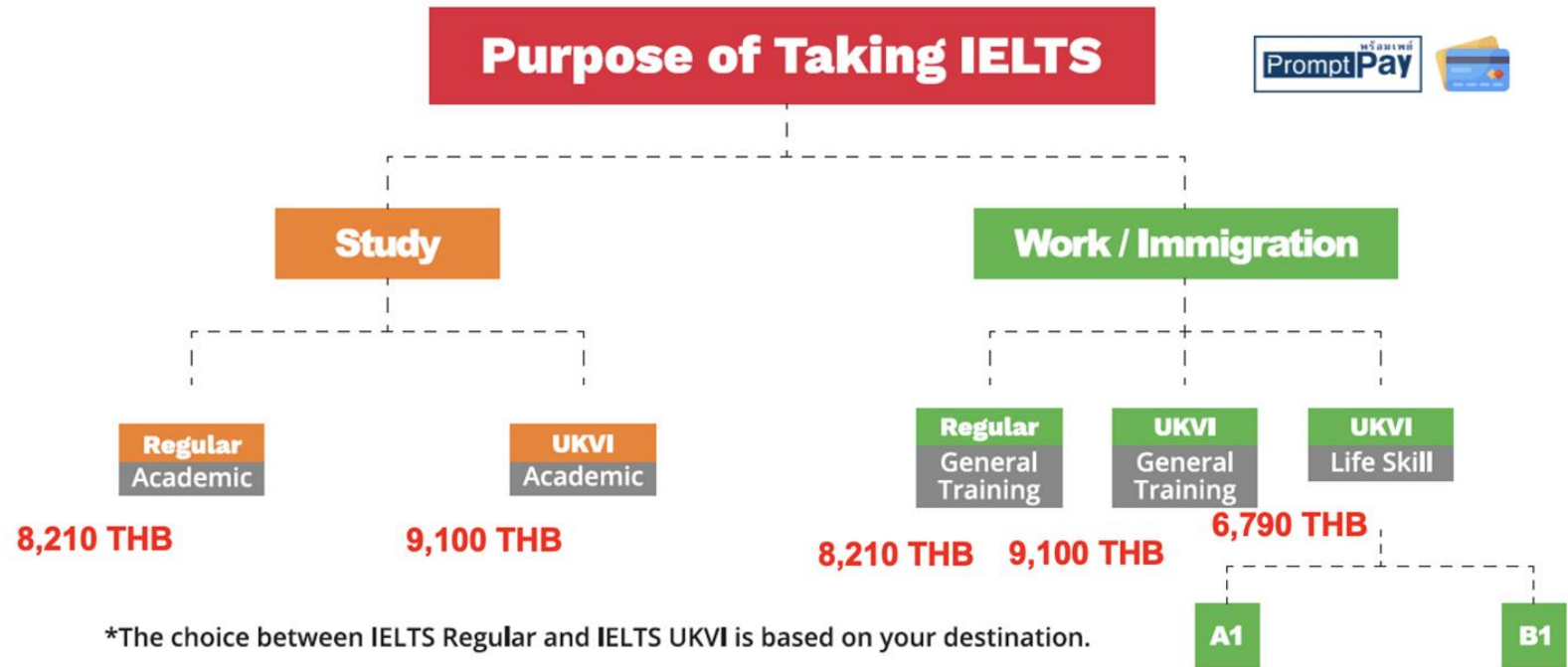
Cost :190-200 GBP

<https://ielts.idp.com/thailand/test-dates/phuket/th-th>



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# IELTS



## IELTS Test Format

Candidates are tested on all four language skills – listening, reading, writing, and speaking, respectively. Everyone takes the same Listening and Speaking tests. However, the IELTS Reading and Writing tests are different in the Academic and General Training tests.



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Cost :190-200 GBP

## Phuket PALS Location

IELTS Academic / General Training / UKVI / One Skill Retake on **Sunday**



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IELTS Academic / General Training / One Skill Retake on Saturday



# Admission Requirement

Certificate of student  
Status

Transcript  
5 terms



16<sup>th</sup> December 2021

## Certificate of Student Status

This is to certify that that Chanattha Sinsawaiphol is currently studying at HeadStart International School in our Year 13 class (Matthatom 6), for Academic Year 2021 - 2022 (16<sup>th</sup> August 2021 - 30<sup>th</sup> June 2022).

Student's Name: Chanattha Sinsawaiphol

Thai ID Number:

Nationality: Thai

Date of Birth:

HeadStart International School is a registered Cambridge International Examinations Centre and we follow the English National Curriculum. HeadStart is also licensed by the Thai Ministry of Education to provide a range of educational programmes for students from Preschool to Secondary.

If you have any questions regarding student's status, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Sontana Baci  
School Director



# University Programmes in Thailand

|                  | International Programme | Double Degree/<br>Joint Programme |
|------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Length of course | 3-4 years               | 3-6 years                         |
| Language         | English                 | English                           |



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# Living in Bangkok

- Transportations
- Accommodation
- Thai Society
- Life Skills

# Thai University Counselor



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# CONGRATULATIONS

**Eva Ducasse**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 3

on her offers to study a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration  
at universities in Europe and Asia:



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Joanna Suzuki**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 5

on her offers to study Technical Computer Science at the  
following universities in the Netherlands and Thailand:



Maastricht University



**University of Twente**  
*The Netherlands*



**SIIT**  
SINCE 1992



# Luyu Han

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 7

will pursue a BA in hotel and business  
management at Prince of Songkla  
University in Thailand





# Dmitry Durasov

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 1

Pursuing a BA (Hons) in Media Production  
at Bangkok University



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Sarita Singhapan**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 1

on her prestigious offers to study medicine at Srinakharinwirot University,  
Thammasat University, King Mongkut's Institute of Technology Ladkrabang  
& Khon Kaen University



**The Joint Medical Programme**

Srinakharinwirot University – The University of Nottingham



**International Relations Office**

Faculty of Medicine, Khon Kaen University





# CONGRATULATIONS

**Rungradis Ruthirawut**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 12

on his offers to study Medicine at the following prestigious  
universities in Thailand:



**KMITL**  
King Mongkut's  
Institute of Technology  
Ladkrabang





# CONGRATULATIONS

**Chadanit Prachumpan**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Early Years

on her offers to study Dentistry at the following prestigious universities in Thailand:



**KMITL**  
King Mongkut's  
Institute of Technology  
Ladkrabang



มหาวิทยาลัยมหิดล  
คณะทันตแพทยศาสตร์



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Rattanakorn Sienghen**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 4

on her offers to study Dentistry at the following prestigious universities in Thailand:



**KMITL**  
King Mongkut's  
Institute of Technology  
Ladkrabang



มหาวิทยาลัยวลัยลักษณ์  
WALAILAK UNIVERSITY



# CONGRATULATIONS

## Pimnara Phongworasak

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 5

who will be studying Architectural Design  
at Chulalongkorn University.



**DEPARTMENT of  
ARCHITECTURE**  
Chulalongkorn University



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Tonkid Janchoowanichakul**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 11

on his offers to study an International Programme in Design and Architecture at the following prestigious universities in Thailand:

**KMITL**  
King Mongkut's  
Institute of Technology  
Ladkrabang



**Chula**  
Chulalongkorn University



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# CONGRATULATIONS

**Phudit Pongpech**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Preschool

on his offer to study a degree in Mechanical Engineering at the School of Manufacturing Systems and Mechanical Engineering (MSME), Sirindhorn International Institute of Technology (SIIT), Thammasat University



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# CONGRATULATIONS

**Erica Ilstam**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 1

on her offers to study Law at the following prestigious  
universities in the UK and Thailand:



University of  
**BRISTOL**



**Durham**  
University



UNIVERSITY  
*of York*



University  
of Exeter

University of  
**Kent**



**Chula**  
Chulalongkorn University



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Rungpailin Nitednoppakul**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 9

on her offers to study BBTech (Biotechnology) and BE (Economics)  
at two of Thailand's most prestigious universities:



**Chula**  
Chulalongkorn University



มหาวิทยาลัยธรรมศาสตร์  
**THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY**



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Siridej Pruksakitsakul**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Preschool

on his ambitions to pursue his Muay Thai career while applying to top universities in Thailand, with a focus on Hospitality & Hotel Management, next year.



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Wuttiaphat Phuetphong**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Preschool

on his offers to study Tourism and Hospitality at the following  
well-known universities in Thailand:



มหาวิทยาลัยรังสิต  
RANGSIT UNIVERSITY



**BANGKOK  
UNIVERSITY**  
THE CREATIVE UNIVERSITY



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Sunthorn Boochangkool**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 10

on his offer to study Communication Arts majoring in Media & Communication at the following prestigious university in the Thailand:



**Mahidol University**

**มหาวิทยาลัยมหิดล**



# CONGRATULATIONS

**Nina Diouron**

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 3

who is applying to study Media Communication Arts in Bangkok:



**Mahidol University**  
**มหาวิทยาลัยมหิดล**

# Tonbab Janchoowanichakul

Enrolled at HeadStart since Year 12

Will be studying LLB Law at  
Chulalongkorn University in Bangkok



# Korapat Tripatarasit

Enrolled at HeadStart since Reception

Pursuing a BEng in Software  
Engineering at King Mongkut's  
Institute of Technology  
Ladkrabang (KMITL) in Bangkok

