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Royal Thai Consulate HULL

APPLYING FOR A NON-IMMIGRANT CATEGORY “ED” VISA FOR A CHILD ATTENDING SCHOOL IN THAILAND

ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED IS ON THE BASIS THAT THE APPLICANT WILL BE APPLYING FOR THEIR VISA IN PERSON AT THE ROYAL THAI CONSULATE HULL. PERSONS INTENDING TO APPLY ELSEWHERE FOR THEIR VISA NEED TO CHECK WITH THE RELEVANT AUTHORITY.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE ISSUING OF ALL NON IMMIGRANT VISAS MUST BE AUTHORISED BY THE ROYAL THAI EMBASSY LONDON PRIOR TO BEING ISSUED AND THIS PROCESS CAN TAKE UP TO ONE WEEK. WHEN WE RECEIVE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE WE WILL INVITE YOU TO VISIT US AND THE VISA WILL BE ISSUED USUALLY WITHIN ONE HOUR.

The non-immigrant category ED visa is available for children up to and including 19 years of age who are travelling to Thailand for the purpose of attending a school in Thailand.

This visa is available with single entry only which is valid for three months from date of issue and allows a single stay in Thailand of up to 90 days.

For a child staying longer than 90 days it will be necessary to check with the school what the procedure is to extend their stay.

So that we can obtain authorisation from the London Embassy to issue this visa it is necessary for the applicant to submit to us all documents relative to this visa therefore we request you to email scanned copies of the following to enquiries@thaiconsul-uk.com:-

1. Copy of the page of your passport with photo and details (passport must have minimum 6 months remaining validity at time of applying for the visa).
2. Completed Visa Application Form with two recent passport size photographs attached.
3. Copy of supporting letter **in English** from Thai school at which the applicant will be studying.
4. Copy of Registration Documents and Licence from school.
5. Copy of Child’s Birth Certificate.
6. Copy of child’s previous ED visa (if applicable)

If anything is missing or is incorrect we will inform the applicant.

Please note that only a single entry visa can be granted.

As soon as we receive authority from the London Embassy we will invite you to visit us so that we can issue the visa.

SUGGESTED DRAFT OF LETTER FROM SCHOOL IN THAILAND

“SCHOOL LETTER-HEAD”

(Date)

Visa Section
Royal Thai Consulate
Hull

To whom it may concern

This letter is issued in support of an application by (*applicant's name*) to enter the Kingdom of Thailand for the purpose of attending this school.

We hereby certify that (*applicant's name*), date of birth (*date*), and holder of passport number (*number*) has enrolled with this school.

The course will be for a duration of ??? (*state number of days, weeks or months*) commencing on ??? (*state start date*).

The applicant is required to arrive in Thailand no later than ??? (*date*).

We hereby request you to grant the appropriate visa.

Yours faithfully,

(*signature*)

(*name of signatory*)

(*position of signatory, ie Principal/Director, etc*)

When you visit the Royal Thai Consulate at Hull to apply for this visa you will need to bring with you the following:-

1. Your passport (minimum 6 months remaining validity and with at least two blank pages for the visa and for entry/exit stamps).
2. Two recent passport size photographs as available from a photo booth.
3. Original completed Visa Application Form.
4. Visa fee **until 31 March 2019**: £50 (single entry) plus £10 processing charge - total of **£60 in cash only**.
Visa fee **from 1 April 2019**: £60 (single entry) plus £10 processing charge - total of **£70 in cash only**.

HOW TO GET TO THE ROYAL THAI CONSULATE, HULL

There are instructions on our website about how to travel to the Hull Consulate by car, by train and taxi / 'Park & Ride' bus.

Our address is: ROYAL THAI CONSULATE, PRIORY COURT, SAXON WAY, HESSLE, HU13 9PB

Our telephone: 01482 581668 Our website: www.thaiconsul-uk.com

We are not in the centre of Hull, we are on the western outskirts of Hull, not far from the Humber Bridge.

On our website (www.thaiconsul-uk.com) there is a map and instructions about how to reach us.

The Hull Consulate is open Monday to Friday continuously from 09.00 to 16.00

Latest arrival time is 15:30

There is no need to make an appointment during these times

WE ARE CLOSED ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS AND ALSO ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:-

**Tue 01 Jan 2019 Fri 19 Apr 2019 Mon 22 Apr 2019 Mon 06 May 2019 Mon 27 May 2019
Mon 26 Aug 2019 Mon 23 Dec 2019 Tue 24 Dec 2019 Wed 25 Dec 2019 Thu 26 Dec 2019
Fri 27 Dec 2019 Mon 30 Dec 2019 Tue 31 Dec 2019 Wed 01 Jan 2020**

WHEN YOU VISIT US THE VISA WILL BE ISSUED USUALLY WITHIN ONE HOUR