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THAILAND

Non-Immigrant ED (education)

Facts as at 10/10/2026

Who this is for

Students, trainees, and persons undertaking study, observation, or training at an approved educational institution in Thailand.

At a glance

The Non-Immigrant visa, category "ED", is for people who want to study, join a study or observation tour, attend a conference or training course, or study as a Buddhist monk. It is valid for 3 months, or 1 year with multiple entries, and each entry gives up to 90 days. Qualifying holders can apply in Thailand for a one-year extension of stay; this is at the Immigration officer's discretion.
Who it is for: Students, trainees, and persons undertaking study, observation, or training at an approved educational institution in Thailand.
Stay: Up to 90 days per entry, extendable in Thailand at Immigration's discretion
Validity: 3 months, or 1 year multiple entry

Why people choose it

For study at an approved school. Not a work visa.

Eligibility

What you need to show: Acceptance letter from educational institution (MFA). Immigration Bangkok publishes Non-ED document lists for education stay permission.
Work: Not a work visa.
Education: Enrolment / acceptance at an approved school or training programme.
Sponsor: Educational institution acceptance.

Documents

A passport valid for at least 6 months (18 months for a one-year visa), a completed application, a recent photo, proof of funds, and a letter of acceptance from the school, university or institute

Your quote

Fees are confirmed in your personal quote.