

# UWC THAILAND SCHOOL PROFILE 2024/2025



UWC Thailand is a non-profit, CIS-accredited international school located on the beautiful island of Phuket, offering a holistic, transformative, and rigorous IB continuum education from age 2 to grade 12, catering to both day and boarding students.

## UWC MISSION

The United World College movement makes education a force to unite people, nations and cultures for peace and a sustainable future.

## VISION

A transformational learning community rooted in compassionate action.

## OUR FOUNDING MOTTO

**Good Heart,  
Balanced Mind,  
Healthy Body**

## CURRICULUM

UWC Thailand uses the International Baccalaureate as its educational framework.

As a fully authorised International Baccalaureate Continuum School, UWC Thailand offers the Primary Years Programme from Pre-Kindergarten to grade 5, Middle Years Programme from grades 6 to 10 and the Diploma Programme from grades 11 to 12. International Baccalaureate Diploma students complete six subjects, three at standard and three at higher level.

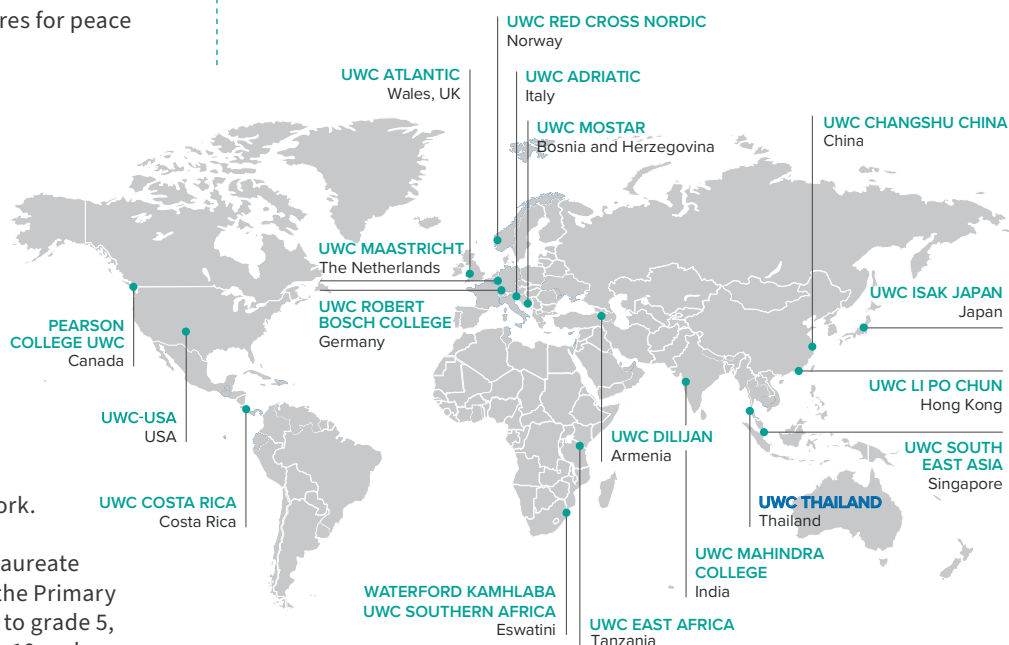
Students also study Theory of Knowledge, submit an Extended Essay and participate in Creativity, Activity and Service programmes.

## NATIONAL COMMITTEE SELECTED STUDENTS

Students can apply to one of the 18 UWC's through their country's National Committee, and can be awarded a needs-based scholarship to attend a UWC by showing their alignment to the movement's mission and philosophy.

UWC Thailand welcomes students from around the world, from a variety of socioeconomic backgrounds, to come and study the 2-year Diploma Programme.

There are 18 member schools across the globe who all share the UWC mission and values.



18 COLLEGES

9 CORE VALUES

155 COUNTRIES

1 MISSION & VISION

AS OF AUGUST 2024, THE UWC THAILAND COMMUNITY IS MADE UP OF:

246	Primary Years Programme Students
196	Middle Years Programme Students
168	Diploma Programme Students
610	Students
3	High Performance Athletes
81	National Identities
126	Education Faculty
68	Support Staff

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## UWC THAILAND MISSION AND VISION ALIGNED TRANSCRIPT

We understand that a student is much more than what they can present on an application. To help them convey who they are and what they have learned, they develop a transcript to supplement their academic records. This transcript details:

- The six skills, attitudes, values, or dispositions that best summarise them as a learner and global citizen.
- The four aspects of a UWC Thailand education that best represent them as a person today.

## UNIVERSITY COUNSELLING

Like our student body profile, post-secondary educational options are diverse. Many students are clear about their desire to attend university and are determined to pursue a specific course of study. Others wish to attend university but are unsure of what to study or where to go. Each year, we also have a few students who decide to pursue different goals, such as obtaining a certification in network engineering, joining the military, working or traveling during a gap year, or vocational training. We are committed to supporting each student's aspirations and do our utmost to facilitate their transition from UWC Thailand to the next part of their educational journey.

## From 2017 to present, UWC Thailand graduates have been accepted at the following schools:

### AUSTRALIA

Griffith University  
Monash University  
University of Melbourne  
UNSW Sydney

### CANADA

Acadia University  
Brock University  
Concordia University, Montreal  
Lakehead University  
Lawrence University  
McGill University  
Ryerson University  
Simon Fraser University  
Swansea University  
Toronto Metropolitan University  
University of British Columbia  
University of Calgary  
University of Guelph  
University of Toronto  
University of Victoria  
University of Waterloo  
Vancouver Island University  
York University

### CHINA

NYU Shanghai

### FRANCE

Sciences Po  
The American University of Paris  
Toulouse Business School

### HONG KONG

City University of Hong Kong  
Hong Kong Polytechnic University  
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology  
The Chinese University of Hong Kong  
The University of Hong Kong

### IRELAND

National University of Ireland  
University College Dublin  
Trinity College Dublin

### ITALY

Florence Institute of Design  
International  
IED-Istituto Europeo di Design, Florence  
Polytechnic of Turin  
Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore  
University of Padua

### NETHERLANDS

Amsterdam University College  
Delft University of Technology  
Eindhoven University of Technology  
Erasmus University College  
Erasmus University, Rotterdam  
Hanze University of Applied Sciences  
Groningen  
Leiden University  
Lund University  
Maastricht University  
Rotterdam Business School  
Tilburg University  
University College Roosevelt  
University of Amsterdam  
University of Groningen  
Utrecht University  
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam  
Wageningen University & Research  
Webster University, Leiden

### QATAR

Georgetown University  
Northwestern University

### SPAIN

ESADE Business School  
IE University, Madrid  
Universidad Carlos III de Madrid  
University of Navarra

### SWITZERLAND

Franklin University  
Webster University Geneva

### THAILAND

Chiang Mai University  
Khon Kaen University  
Mahidol University, Faculty of Medicine  
Srinakharinwirot University  
Thammasat University

### UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

New York University, Abu Dhabi

### UNITED KINGDOM

Aberystwyth University  
Anglia Ruskin University  
Arts University Bournemouth  
Arts University Plymouth  
Aston University  
Bangor University  
Bournemouth University  
Brunel University London  
Cardiff University  
City St George's, University of London (formerly City, University of London)  
Coventry University  
Durham University  
Edinburgh Napier University  
Exeter College  
Falmouth University  
Goldsmiths, University of London  
Guildhall School of Music and Drama  
Imperial College London  
Keele University  
King's College London  
Kingston University  
Lancaster University  
Liverpool Hope University  
London Metropolitan University  
London School of Economics and Political Science  
London South Bank University  
Loughborough University  
Manchester Metropolitan University  
Newcastle University  
Nottingham Trent University  
Oxford Brookes University  
Queen Mary University of London  
Richmond American University  
London  
Royal Holloway, University of London  
Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama  
School of Oriental and African Studies  
Southampton Solent University  
The University of Nottingham  
Truro and Penwith College  
University Centre Sparsholt  
University College London  
University for the Creative Arts at Farnham  
University of Bath  
University of Birmingham

## UNIVERSITY ADVISING POLICIES

- Students are limited to ten applications worldwide.
- Recommendations and testimonials are kept confidential.
- UWC Thailand does not compute GPA or rank students.
- UWC Thailand does not provide any formal preparation for standardised tests such as the SAT, ACT, and TOEFL.

## OUR CLASS OF 2024 GRADUATES

At UWC Thailand, our true measure of success is how we help create incredible human beings who live our mission and motto. Academic success, demonstrated by each student achieving their best, is one important measure of this. We are pleased to celebrate that the average International Baccalaureate score for the UWC Thailand 2024 graduates who successfully completed the International Baccalaureate diploma was 30.5, compared to a worldwide average of 30.3 as of August 2024. Our graduates are change-makers with a depth of character, grit, and initiative that will help them make the world more peaceful and sustainable.

The predominant destination for our students remains the USA, largely due to the Davis United World College Scholars Programme, which provides scholarships for UWC graduates to attend 100 colleges and universities in the USA. Our cohort of Diploma Programme graduates earns an average of US\$7 million annually in scholarships for university attendance worldwide. Our graduates have matriculated to colleges and universities in Canada, France, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, Singapore, Spain, the UK, and the USA, among others.



## SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

**Head of School:** Mr Mark Beach

**Secondary Principal:** Mr Jonathan Field

**Diploma Programme Co-ordinator:** Ms Katie Feather

**Future Pathways Advisor:** Ms Rebecca Pohl

## ACCREDITATION AND MEMBERSHIP

United World College (UWC)

Council of International Schools (CIS)

IB World School (IBO)

World Academy of Sport

International Sailing Schools Association (ISS)

East Asia Regional Council of Schools (EARCOS)

International Schools Association Thailand (ISAT)

Athlete Friendly Education Centre (AFEC)

