

# Presents: Thailand



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# Thailand

Thailand is a country in Southeast Asia. The capital of Thailand is Bangkok. Thailand's landscape consists of low mountains, sandy beaches and rice plains. Visitors come for the food, beaches and its beautiful temples.

## The main language of Thailand is:

Thai! However, English is commonly understood because many Thai's learned English in school.

## How to get around?

1. Bus - Most convenient and cheapest
2. Tuk Tuk - Popular with tourist. It is a 3- wheeled vehicle.
3. Bangkok Skytrain - Stops at many tourist areas and attractions.
4. Taxi - Thailand also has motorcycle taxi

Average Monthly Temperature, Rainfall, and Daylight Hours			
Month	Avg. Temp.	Rainfall	Daylight Hours
January	82 F	1.1 inches	11 hours
February	85 F	1.2 inches	12 hours
March	87 F	1.9 inches	12 hours
April	89 F	3.4 inches	12 hours
May	88 F	8.0 inches	13 hours
June	87 F	7.3 inches	13 hours
July	86 F	8.7 inches	13 hours
August	86 F	7.3 inches	13 hours
September	85 F	12.3 inches	12 hours
October	85 F	9.9 inches	12 hours
November	85 F	1.9 inches	12 hours
December	83 F	0.6 inches	11 hours

## Weather



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### Travel to Thailand:

Things to know  
before traveling  
abroad

## What to wear?

cleavage must be covered and do not wear shorts that are too short. When visiting temples, dress modestly. Tops should cover shoulders and pants should at least be knee-length.

## What to eat!

Popular foods include Tom Yum Goong, Tom Kha Gai, Thai style fried rice, Khao Soy and Satay.

Thailand is also popular for its night markets. These usually operate daily where you can grab street food on a budget.

## Eating Etiquette:

1. In Thailand, people eat with a spoon on the right and a fork in the left hand.
2. Tipping is not necessary. Most high-end restaurants in Thailand automatically charge 10% for service.
3. Sticky rice dishes are eaten with your hands.
4. Chopsticks are only given with noodle dishes.