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- 1.3 University anti-poverty programs
- 1.3.3 Support for students from low-income families (e.g. food, housing, transportation, legal services) to enable degree completion

Thaksin University recognizes that financial barriers can significantly affect students' ability to succeed and complete their degrees. To address this, the university implements comprehensive support programs that help in housing, food security, mental health, and overall student well-being.

Free On-Campus Housing

To reduce the cost burden for students, particularly those from low-income families, Thaksin University provides free on-campus dormitory accommodation throughout the academic year. This initiative ensures that financial hardship does not interfere with students' ability to attend classes, participate in academic activities, and complete their studies successfully.



Public evidence: https://www.facebook.com/share/p/17LUpOAfAN/



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Students who confirm their admission through TCAS Round 3 at Thaksin University, Phatthalung Campus were eligible for free on-campus dormitory accommodation.

This initiative is intended to ensure that students do **not have to worry about** accommodation expenses, allowing them to focus fully on their studies and personal development during their time at the university.



Public evidence:

https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=1059110799551473&id=100063576880998&set=a.39 0504759745417

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Food Security Support

Thaksin University genuinely cares about the well-being of its students, especially regarding their access to food during critical times — such as exam periods or during heavy rainfall, when students may be unable to leave campus to purchase meals. The policy concerns students who may face difficulties in accessing food and ensures that their nutritional needs are met during critical academic periods

Happy Meal at the Library at the Exam Period



Public evidence:

https://lrdt.tsu.ac.th/detail.php?id_list=241&aNum=20240313203011 https://www.facebook.com/StudentAffairsDepartmentofSongkhlaCampus



Free Dinner for Students Affected by the Heavy Rainfall in the Area



In addition, Thaksin University provides free mental health and well-being services through the TSU Care program. This initiative ensures that students can pursue their studies without worry, offering access to counseling, screening, treatment, and therapy services. There is also an application "Mor Dee" to take care them 24 hours. Through TSU Care, students are supported to live and learn happily throughout their university life.

Public evidence: https://www.tsu.ac.th/home/details.php?id=4284









As mentioned above, students at Thaksin University receive continuous care and support throughout their academic journey, enabling them to **complete their studies happily and successfully.** In fact, this care and support extend not only to vulnerable groups but also to **all students at Thaksin University**, ensuring that every student is nurtured and supported throughout their time at the university.

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Support for Reducing Students' Living Expenses: On-Campus Transportation Services

Thaksin University recognizes that financial constraints can significantly influence students' academic engagement, persistence, and ability to complete their degree programs. Transportation is a daily essential expense that may pose a substantial financial burden, particularly for students from low-income families, and can impede their access to academic facilities and learning opportunities. To address this issue and promote equitable educational access, the university has implemented institutional measures that provide cost-free transportation within the campus.

At the Phatthalung Campus, free on-campus shuttle bus services are provided for students, academic staff, and visitors. The service is operated through two campus shuttle buses, named "Orange" and "Sky," which run along planned and continuous routes connecting major academic buildings, administrative units, dormitories, libraries, and student activity centers. The shuttle service operates Monday to Friday, from 07:30 to 17:30, and is entirely free of charge.

This initiative aims to (1) reduce the financial burden of transportation costs for students, and (2) support student retention and degree completion by removing economic barriers to participation in academic activities. As a result, the provision of free on-campus transportation has contributed to lowering students' average daily living expenses, improving access to academic services, and strengthening an inclusive and student-centered campus environment.

This policy aligns with Thaksin University's ongoing commitment to **social equity**, **student well-being**, **and inclusive access to higher education**, thereby reinforcing its role in supporting SDG1: No Poverty, particularly under Target 1.3, which promotes social protection measures for individuals in vulnerable economic situations.











Public Evidence:

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