

QUICK TIPS



DIALLING IN-COUNTRY

Calling a landline number to a different city

- Dial city code + telephone number

Example: 02 635 0061

Calling a mobile number

- No city code is required
- Most mobile numbers start with a zero

Example: 0812345678



TIPPING

Tipping is not customary in Thailand but small gratuities for great service are very much appreciated. Service charges may be included in many hotels and restaurants.



MONEY

Official Currency

THB (Thai Baht)

Denominations

1,000 – 500 – 100 – 50 – 20
– 10 – 20 – 5 – 2 – 1

ATMs

ATMs are widely available in most cities and often located outside a bank.

Currency Exchange

No service charge for currency exchange.



WI-FI

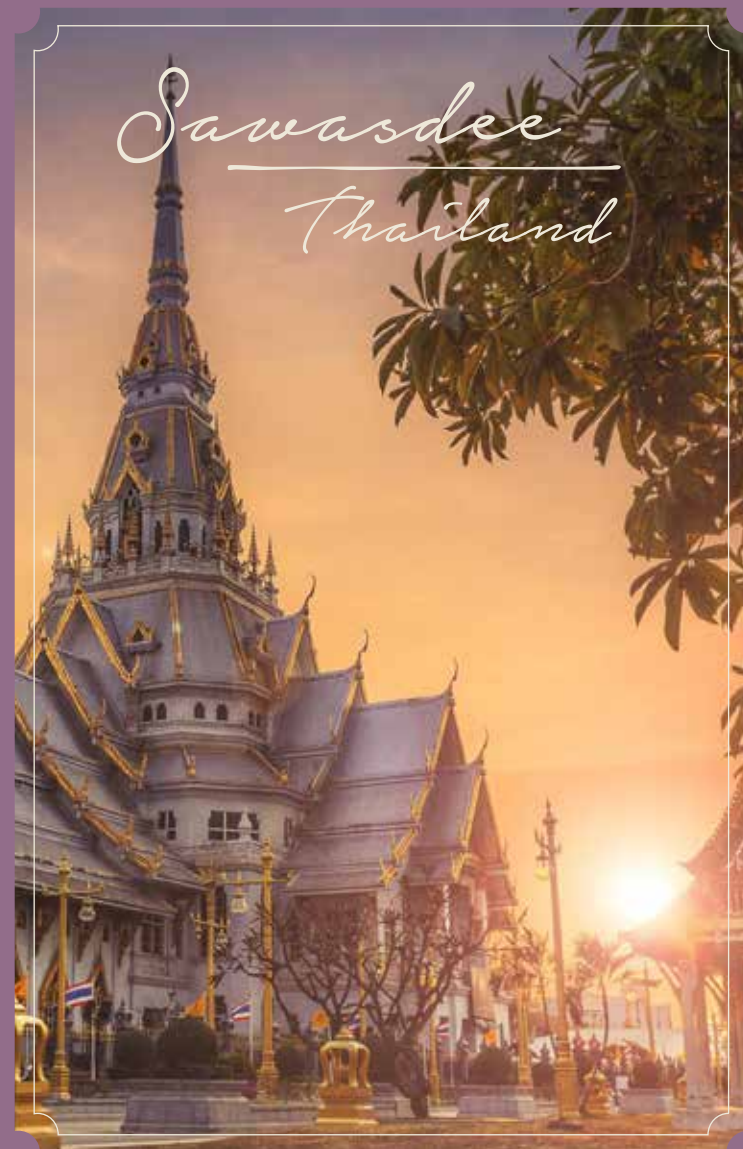
Free Wi-Fi is widely available in most hotels, restaurants, shops and cafes.



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Sawasdee, and welcome to Thailand! A beautiful destination ranging from mega cities to lush jungles and tropical beaches, Thailand's variety is one of its top features.

We invite you to explore our pocket guide for a brief overview of the country as you get ready to embark on your exploration of Thailand. We hope you enjoy your journey in The Land of Smiles!

THAILAND CUSTOMS & ETIQUETTE

Do's



Remove your shoes as well as any hat or head cover when entering homes or temples.



Return a "wai". The wai is Thailand's prayer-like gesture with the hands together in front and head slightly bowed.



Always use your right hand to pass objects to someone, and when paying.

Don't's



Do not handle Buddha images or sacred objects with disrespect, or purchase them as gifts.



Do not wear shorts or tank tops to visit temples.



Do not touch a person's head.



E-cigarettes, shisha, and electronic shisha, are illegal in Thailand. It is prohibited to smoke at sports facilities, sporting venues, public parks, and markets.

USEFUL THAI PHRASES

English	Thai	Pronunciation
Greeting		
Hello	สวัสดี	Sa-wat-dee
Goodbye	บายบาย	Baai-baai
How are you?	สบายดีไหม	Sa-bai-dee-mai
I'm fine. Thanks	สบายดี	Sa-bai-dee. Khop-khun
See you again	แล้วพบกันอีก	Leow-bok-kan-ik

General		
Yes	ใช่	Chai
No	ไม่ใช่	Mai-chai
Thank you	ขอบคุณ	Khop-khun
No problem	ไม่เป็นไร	Mai-pen-rai
Sorry / Excuse me	ขอโทษ	Khoh-thot
I don't understand	ไม่เข้าใจ	Mai-khao-jai
I understand	เข้าใจแล้ว	Kaow-jai-leow
Where is the toilet?	ห้องน้ำอยู่ไหน	Hong-naa-yoo-nai?
How much is this?	ราคาเท่าไหร่	Raa-kaa-tao-rai?
Have a nice day!	มีวันที่ดี!	Mi-wan-thi-di!
Do you speak English?	พูดอังกฤษได้ไหม	Poot-ang-grit-daai-mai?