

Teach in Thailand -- School Profile

Name of School : **Damrongratsongkroh School**

School Address : **City of Chiang Rai, Chiang Rai 57000**

Phone : **053-711-450** Fax : **053-711-471**

Website : **www.damrong.ac.th/** Email : **ds2476@damrong.ac.th**

Principal's name : **Mr. Preecha Puankulnon**

Type of School

- ✓ Public
- ✓ Co-ed
- ✓ Day

Education Level

- ✓ Secondary school

School size

School size : **Big (1001 up)**
Total No. of students : **3,100**
Class size : approximately **48** students per class

Academic Year

The 1st semester :
from **May** to **September**
(Mid Exam : July , Final Exam : September)
The 2nd semester :
from **November** to **March**
(Mid Exam : January , Final Exam : March)

Working time

Working days : **Monday to Friday**
School Times : **8:00 am to 4:30 pm**
Hours on duty : **8** hours per day
Teaching Hours : **18** hours per week
Lunch Hour : **12:00 to 12:50 pm**

Salary

Salary : **15,000** Baht per month
Method of Payment : **Cash**
Salary Date : **end of month**

Facilities

- ✓ Computer & internet System
- ✓ Personal desk / locker
- ✓ Sound lab
- ✓ Audio visual aids
- ✓ Resource library
- ✓ Photocopy machine
- ✓ Text arrangement

Special Events / Holidays

Teacher's Day
Sports Day
Buddhist Lent
Mother's Day
Father's Day
Constitution Day
New Year's Day
Graduation Day
Various national and religious holidays

Coordinator Information

First name : **Mrs. Yupa** Last name : **Chompooparn**

Position / Title : **Head of English Department**

School Phone / extension : **053-711-450** Home phone : **053-716-003**

Mobile phone : **01-594-8426** E-mail address : **ds2476@yahoo.co.uk**

Please specify any previous experience regarding international affairs :

Worked as AFS Intercultural Exchange Program coordinator.

Worked as advisor to foreign English Teachers.

Community Information

Location : **Northern Region**

Specific features of the community and region :

Chiang Rai is the northern most province in Thailand. The scenery of Chiang Rai is quite beautiful, and the people are friendly with smiling faces. The cost of living is less than in neighboring Chiang Mai. Many tourists come here because there are many interesting places. Chiang Rai borders on the north with Myanmar and Laos. Apart from the local town people, there are many hill tribe people that live in Chiang Rai. People here practice the traditional northern customs. We usually dress in the northern style, especially on Fridays.

Please see the following link for more information on Chiang Rai province:

www.thailandguidebook.com/provinces/chian_rai.html

Population (approximately) : **1,000,000**

The nearest railroad station : **Chiang Mai - 3 hrs**

The nearest airport : **Chiang Rai airport - 5 km**

The nearest bus station : **Chiang Rai bus terminal - 5 km**

Estimate travel time from the school to Central city : **the school is in the central city**

Type of Public transportation in your community : **Bus, mini-bus, tuk-tuk, motorcycle**

School Appearance



Our school is very big with 7 buildings. There are about 3,100 students and 120 teachers. Most of the students are girls. The school is near the post office, market, restaurants, shopping center, and banks, etc. At 8:00 am there is always a ceremony for the Thai national anthem, so all of the students and teachers gather in front of the flag pole.

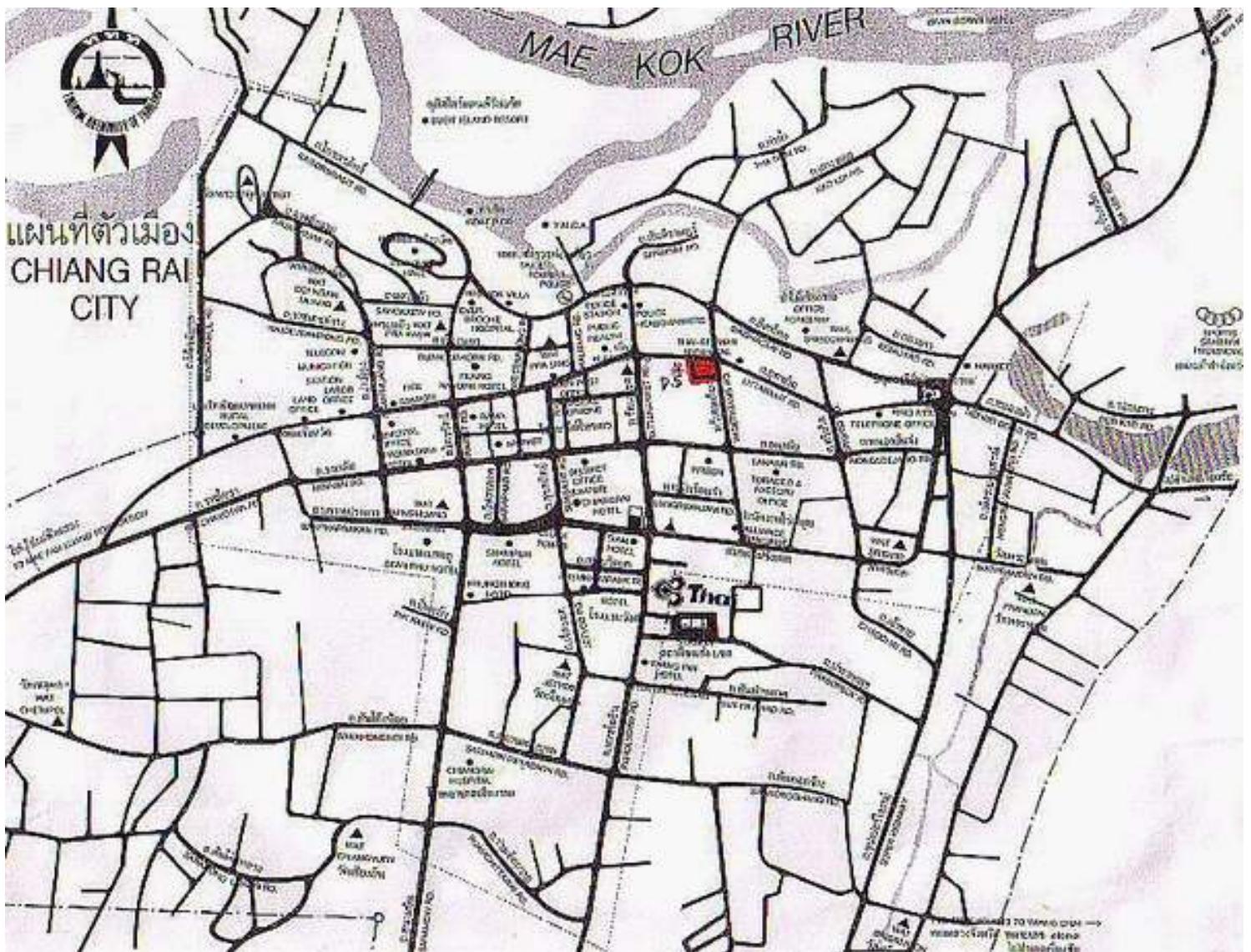


Every activity at our school is encouraged by the school board, parents, teachers as well as the students. Besides sports and Thai dancing, our school is outstanding in taking care of the students.



In each class there is a TV set and video player to help the teachers. They can use a microphone with a loudspeaker inside the class. There is also an overhead projector and electric fans.

School map



Accommodation Information

Accommodation address : **172/8 Chiang Rai-Maeyao Rd., Ban Mai Soi 424, Rimkok, Chiang Rai 57000**

Tel. : - Fax. : -

Accommodation type : **Rented house / Single room**

Furniture/Facilities provide :

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| ✓ Bed | ✓ Bed linen | ✓ Private bathroom |
| ✓ Refrigerator | ✓ Wardrobe | ✓ Fan |
| ✓ Study table | ✓ TV. / Cable TV. | ✓ Mosquito netting |
| ✓ Microwave | ✓ Dressing table | ✓ Washing machine |
| ✓ Kettle | ✓ Key control | ✓ bicycle |

Estimated travel time to school : **20-30 minutes by bicycle**

Type of public transportation in the area : **mini-bus, motorcycle**

Bus line running in the area : **Chiang Rai- Maesai**

Please indicate the nearest :

- ✓ Markets/Grocery/Super market or nearby shops : **near the house**
- ✓ Laundry : **near the house**
- ✓ Bank : **near the house**
- ✓ Hospital/Clinic : **near the house**
- ✓ Post office : **near the house**
- ✓ Fitness centre or Swimming pool : **near the house**

Estimated travel time to the shopping centre : **30 minutes**

Accommodation Appearance



This photo shows the teacher's accommodation.