

## Routes to the Teaching License

Teachers Council of Thailand (TCT) has developed Self-Assessments to help applicants discover which requirements and standards they must meet prior applying for a license.

- Route 1** : Persons who have had teaching experience with not less than 1 year and
1. Hold a degree in Education or
  2. Hold other degrees and a teaching license from abroad or
  3. Hold other degrees and a graduate diploma in Education with 1 year course of study.

In addition, they also must successfully complete a professional training course and pass assessment of knowledge as follows:

- (1) Thai language and culture
- (2) Professional ethics

When they have passed the assessment according to (1) and (2), they can file an application.

In case of applicants' teaching experience with less than 1 year, they shall provide a certification letter, issued by an educational institution, and submit it to the TCT for issuing a teaching practice certificate and permitting them to attend the training course.

- Route 2** : Persons who have had teaching experience with not less 1 year and hold other degrees without a teaching license from abroad; or those who do not hold a graduate diploma in Education with a study course of not less than 1 year, must pass the test, training and assessment as follows:
- (1) Thai language and culture
  - (2) Professional ethics
  - (3) Professional knowledge

When they have passed the assessment according to (1), (2) and (3), they can file an application.

In case of applicants' teaching experience with less than 1 year, they shall provide a certification letter, issued by an educational institution, and submit it to the TCT for issuing a teaching practice certificate and permitting them to attend the training course, and professional knowledge test.

**Route 3** : Persons who have had teaching experience with not less than 1 year, and also hold a teaching license from abroad, but do not hold a degree must show a certification letter with a document pertaining to recognition and reliability of teaching experience issued by an educational institution.

**To certify professional knowledge and experience must be done in accordance with the resolution of the TCT Board** whereby applicants must successfully complete a training course and pass the assessment of knowledge as follows:

- (1) Thai language and culture
- (2) Professional ethics

When they have passed the assessment according to (1) and (2), they can file an application.