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Students' Handbook

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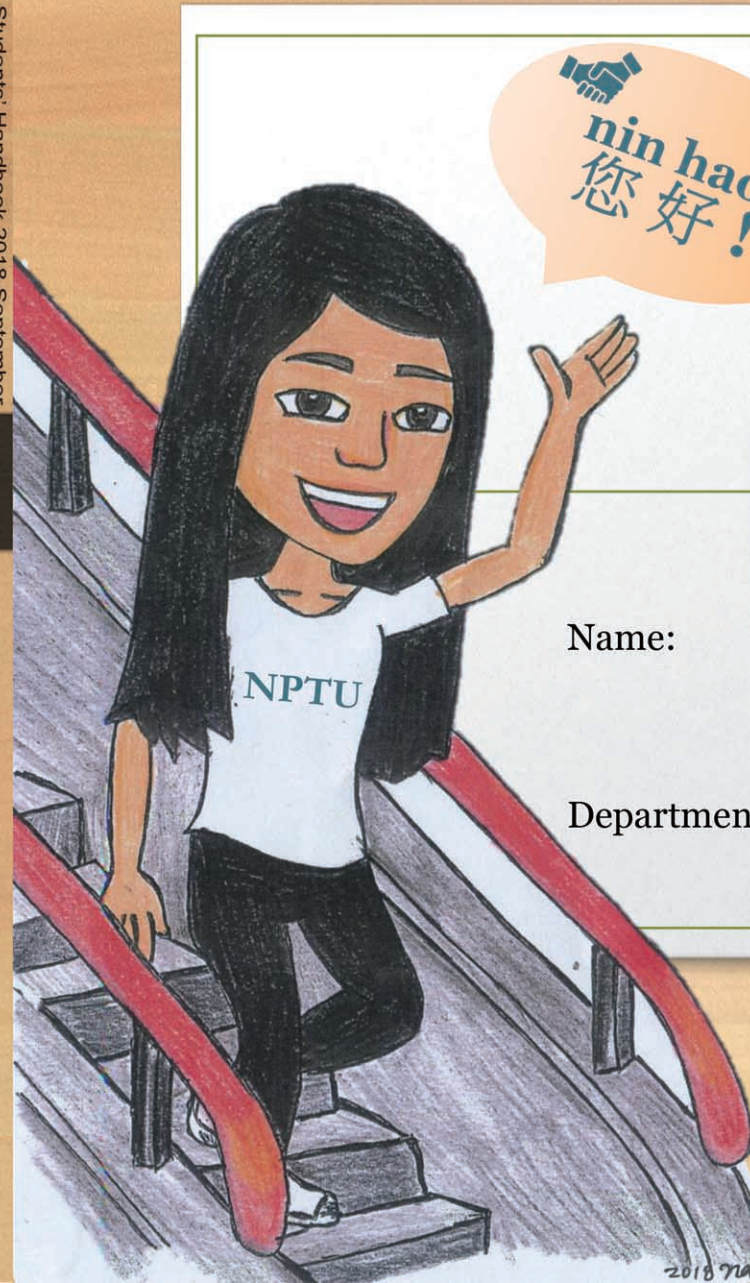
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Prior to departure

- 1. Before Leaving for Taiwan*
- 2. Discovering Taiwan*
- 3. Visa Information*



1. Before Leaving for Taiwan

(1) Documents and other Things You Need to Bring to Taiwan

Checklist of things to bring:

- NPTU Acceptance Letter (original copy)
- Passport (original and one photocopy)
- A valid entrance visa to Taiwan
- Plane ticket with set itinerary
- Relevant diploma (original and one photocopy)
- Two-inch, color head-shot (no hats!) photos, (12 photos)
- Four months of Valid Accident and Medical Insurance
- Sufficient money to pay living expenses for the duration of your stay (the amount of cash which may be brought into the country may not exceed that which is specified by law)
- ◆ Clothing and personal items (There is a 20 KG limit on check-in luggage and a 7.5 KG limit on Carry-on luggage).
- ◆ Articles for daily use (Liquids, such as shampoos and conditioners, may be carried in small amounts only. Alternatively, these products can be purchased in Taiwan).
- ◆ Medicine (according to one's individual needs)
- ◆ For a list of food items which may NOT be brought into the country, see www.baphiq.gov.tw.

(2) Brief Introduction to Taiwan and Pingtung

- ◆ Geographical Location - Taiwan is located in the Western Pacific to the southeast of Mainland China, with Japan and the Ryukyu Islands to the North, and the Philippines to the South. Pingtung county is located between Kaohsiung county and Bashi channel and known for its agriculture and tourism.
- ◆ Surface Area-Taiwan is about 36,000 square kilometers and Pingtung is about 2776 square kilometers
- ◆ Weather - The climate of Taiwan is subtropical. Its summer is hot and humid (~25° C to 35° C). Its winter is short, from December to February, and relatively mild, but the temperature can get down to ~10° C.

(For more detailed information, please visit the website of Taiwan's Central Weather Bureau: www.cwb.gov.tw.)

- ◆ Population - ~23 million
- ◆ Time Zone - Standard time in Taiwan is GMT+8 (Taiwan does not observe daylight savings time).
- ◆ Languages - The official language is Mandarin, but other languages are encountered in daily life, such as Taiwanese (Minnanhua or Hoklo), Hakka and several aboriginal languages.
- ◆ Religion - Taiwan's constitution guarantees religious freedom and this is reflected in the variety of religions found in Taiwan, including: Buddhism, Taoism, Christianity, Catholicism, Islam, etc.



◆ Electricity - Voltage

1. Voltage: 110 V
2. Frequency: 60 Hz
3. Plug (same as those used in the U.S.)

Two-hole socket




Three-prong outlet



◆ Currency - The currency used in Taiwan is the New Taiwan Dollar (NTD or NT). The exchange rate with the US dollar is 1: 29.1 (US dollar: NTD).

※ Paper money comes in the following denominations: NT\$100, NT\$200, NT\$500, NT\$1000 and NT\$2000.

※ Coin denominations include NT\$1, NT\$5, NT\$10 and NT\$50.

NTD2,000		NTD1,000	
NTD 500		NTD 200	
NTD 100		NTD 50	
NTD 10		NTD 5	
NTD 1			

2. Discovering Taiwan/ Pingtung

(1) **Location:** Taiwan lies on the western edge of the Pacific Ocean in an area known as the "rim of fire". It lies off the southeastern coast of Asia, across the Taiwan Strait from mainland China. To the north is Japan, and to the south is the Philippines. Many airlines fly to Taiwan, making it the perfect travel destination.

(2) **Climate:** Taiwan enjoys warm weather all year round. Weather conditions fluctuate during spring and winter, while in summer and autumn the weather is relatively stable. Taiwan is extremely suitable for traveling, as the annual average temperature is a comfortable 22 degrees Celsius (71.6 Fahrenheit) with the lowest temperatures on the lowlands generally ranging from 12 to 17 degrees Celsius (54-63 Fahrenheit). Except for a few mountain areas where some traces of snow can be found during winter, one rarely sees snow in Taiwan. During rainy season (March to May), continuously drizzling rain will sometimes fall on Taiwan.

(Please visit the following website for more details: <http://www.cwb.gov.tw>)

Month	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Pingtung	19.3	20.3	22.6	25.4	27.5	28.5	29.2	28.7	28.1	26.7	24.0	20.6

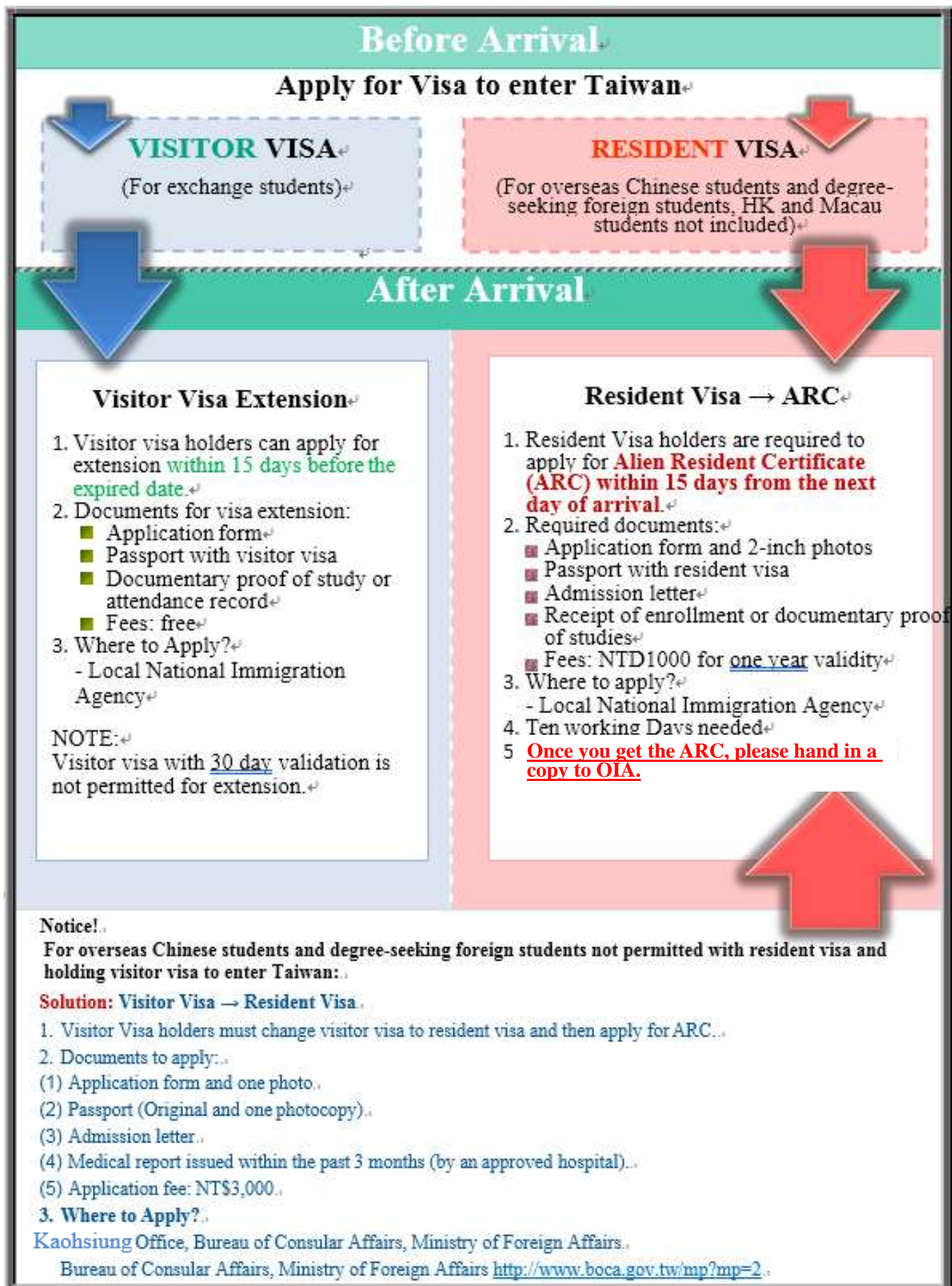
- (1) **Area:** 36,000 square kilometers
- (2) **Population:** 23 million
- (3) **Capital:** Taipei City
- (4) **Time zone:** GMT +8 (no daylight savings)
- (5) **Language:** Mandarin Chinese (official language),

Taiwanese, Hakka, and Indigenous languages

- (6) **Religion:** Taiwan is highly diversified in terms of religious belief, with the practices of Buddhism, Taoism, Christianity, Mormonism, the Unification Church, Islam, and Hinduism, as well as native sects such as Yiguandao and others.



3. Visa Information



Arriving in Pingtung

- 1. Transportation*
- 2. Accommodation*



1. Transportation

NPTU is divided into Minsheng (民生) Campus, Pingshih (屏師) Campus and Pingshang (屏商) Campus, which both are located in Pingtung City.

Transportation is convenient. The distant to Pingtung station is about 3 kilometers.

📍 From Kaohsiung Xiaogang Airport to NPTU

1. By train:



- Take Kaohsiung MRT to Kaohsiung Train Station; get off the train at Pingtung station, and then take a taxi (or Pingtung bus) to NPTU (about 10 minutes).

(Taiwan railway website: <http://www.railway.gov.tw/tw/index.aspx>)

2. By car:



- From Kaohsiung via the Gaoping Bridge, enter Pingtung City, go along Zi-Yo Road and then take Min-Sheng Road directly to school.
- From the No.3 Freeway, exit at the Lin-Lou Interchange, take the No.1 Provincial Highway and then Min-Sheng Road directly to school.



(Data Provider: Office of the Secretariat, General Affairs Division)

⊕ From Taoyuan International Airport to NPTU

1. By Taiwan high speed rail:



- Take the shuttle bus to Taoyuan High Speed Rail Station; get off the high-speed rail at Zuoying Station, and transfer to the train for Pingtung Station. Take a taxi (or Pingtung bus) to NPTU (about 10 minutes).

(Taoyuan International Airport web: <https://www.taoyuan-airport.com/chinese/high-speed-rail>)

2. By train:



- Take the shuttle bus to Taoyuan Train Station; get off the train at Pingtung station, and then take a taxi (or Pingtung bus) to NPTU (about 10 minutes).

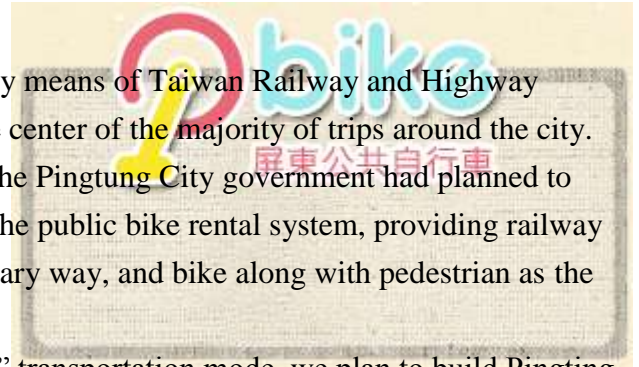
(Taiwan railway website: <http://www.railway.gov.tw/tw/index.aspx>)

⊕ Pbike

(source: http://pbike.pthg.gov.tw/About/aboutEn_01.aspx)

➤ About Pbike

The mass transportation of Pingtung City is mainly by means of Taiwan Railway and Highway Passenger Bus to Pingtung station. However, it is not the center of the majority of trips around the city. Therefore, to expand the public transportation services, the Pingtung City government had planned to adjust the routes of the city bus and combine them with the public bike rental system, providing railway and highway bus as the main way, city bus as the secondary way, and bike along with pedestrian as the final way of a public transit network service.



In view of this, in order to use bikes as the “last mile” transportation mode, we plan to build Pingtung City bike rental system, combined with other transfer transportations such as Taiwan Railway and Highway Passenger Bus, with different electronic tickets or credit cards. Besides satisfying daily transportation needs of Pingtung citizens, we also make all the efforts to turn bikes into a new tourist transportation when visiting Pingtung so as to make Pingtung a lower carbon city.

➤ Rental Steps

1 Rent with iPASS card



Rent on the kiosk

- Place the registered iPASS card on the sensor area on the kiosk.
- Select a bike dock number.
- Follow the instructions on the touch screen.
- Proceed to the chosen bike dock, and then retrieve the bike.

OR

Rent at the card reader on the dock

- Place the registered iPASS card at the sensor area of the card reader.
- Select a bike dock number.
- Press “OK” button
- Proceed to the chosen bike dock, and then retrieve the bike.

2

Confirm the indicator light

- As the green indicator light starts blinking, please press the "Release" button.
- You can retrieve the bike after a beeping sound.



3

Pull the bike backwards

- Pull on the handlers backwards with both hands to retrieve the bike.

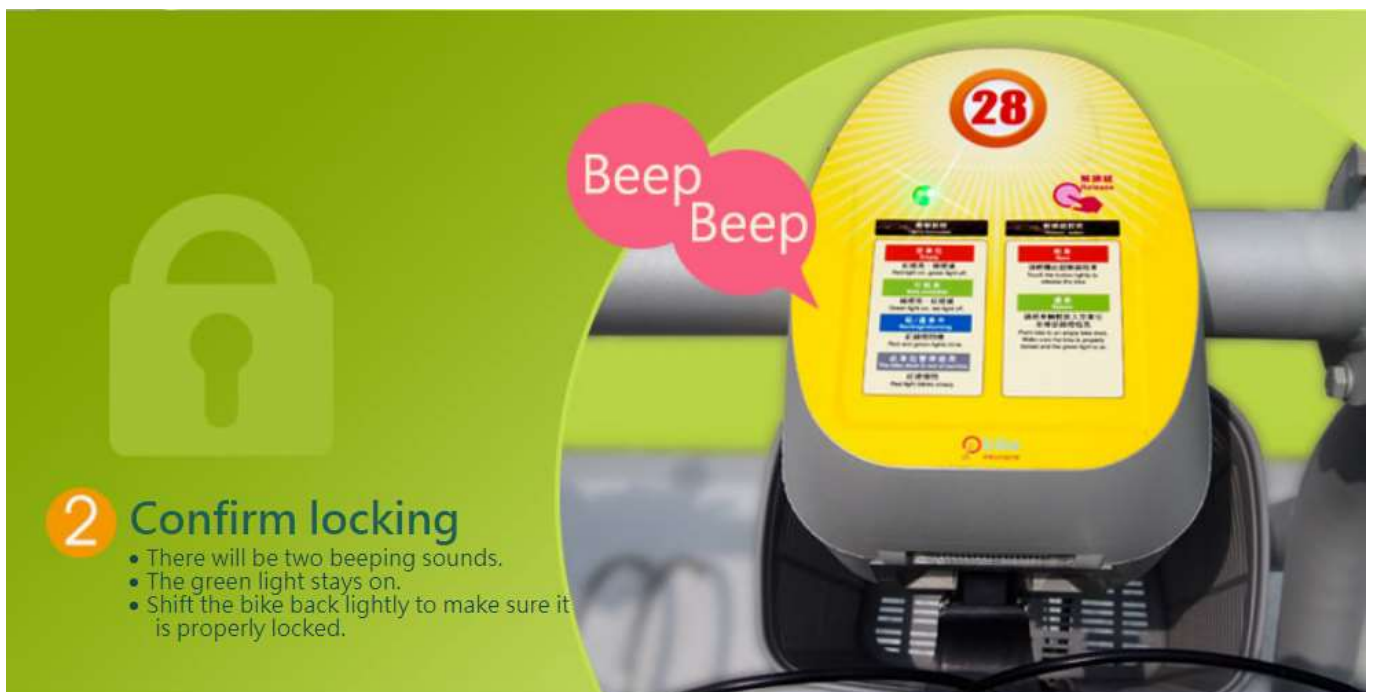
➤ Retuning Steps

1 Select an empty parking space



- Select an empty parking space indicated by a red light.
- Aim the chip lock of the bike to the docking port.
- Aim the front wheel to the wheel holder on the ground.
- Gently push the bike in.

2 Confirm locking



- There will be two beeping sounds.
- The green light stays on.
- Shift the bike back lightly to make sure it is properly locked.



- 3 Return with the card**
- Place iPASS card on the sensor area on the kiosk or at card reader on the bike dock.
 - Confirm the rental fee paying successfully.
 - The return process is completed.

(Resources form: <http://pbike.pthg.gov.tw/Station/TeachEn.aspx>)

2. Accommodation

(1.) Dormitory

Our dormitory provides students with over 3,700 beds. These places have quite and beautiful environment, comfortable and safe. Our dorms ask the students to manage themselves, and they can get in the dorm with their own cards; besides, we also have 24 hours security service. There are cafeterias and student canteen in both males and females' dormitories, enable our students to have meals and buy what they need in the dorms. We also have cable televisions, community rooms, rooms for table tennis, studying, and discussions, and the vender machines, bath, drinking fountains as well. There are charged washing machines and tumble dryers on every floor of the dorms, and air conditioners on nearly every store, to make sure that our students can living and learning in a comfortable environment, that we can

change our students into qualified people of all aspects with the warm and harmonious living environment.



There are coin-operated washing machines, dryers, and public phones on floors. There is a public common room, a study room, an art room, and a table tennis room on the first floor of dormitory, for sake of leisure exercises for students. Other facilities include restaurants and a bookstore.



Our school is in Pingtung City, near the railway station (the distance from the station to our school is about 3 kilometers). Transportation is highly convenient. There are regular and frequent bus services between the school and the bus station (Scooters and bicycles are commonly preferable for students at NPTU).



National Pingtung University Student Dormitory Regulations

1. Please give the password of the door combination lock to the Service Center attendant on the first floor for any repair and maintenance issues.
School authorities can destroy the combination lock if the password isn't given to the attendant at the front desk on the first floor.
2. The dormitory public address (PA) system will only broadcast announcements from 12:00 to 12:30 and 19:00 to 20:00, although it can be used anytime in the event of an emergency.

3. Rules for using the dormitory bathroom:

- **Hot water is available from 17:30 to 24:00. Please turn off the water faucets and lights after use to conserve energy.**
- Please follow the instructions on the washing machines and dryers. Do not move the washers or dryers.
- Please maintain sanitary habits and have good manners when using the bathroom. Make sure the bathrooms are clean after use.

4. All students living in the dorm must obey the following rules; whoever violates any of these rules will be subject to penalties stipulated by NPTU regulations.

- Visiting hours: Weekdays 09:00~ 12:00 and 14:00~17:00; The dorms are not open to visitors on weekends and national holidays. Visitors must go to the Service Center on the first floor and leave their ID card there when registering. Visitors are prohibited from entering individual dorm rooms and are only permitted to use the lounge.
- Keeping pets of any kind, including dogs, cats, rabbits, birds, mice, snakes, etc., inside dorm rooms is strictly prohibited.
- Please take good care of the public facilities and lounge. Visitors caught vandalizing or damaging any public facilities will be required to pay for any necessary repairs.

➤ **The following behaviors are not allowed in the dorm rooms:**

1. Storing personal items in public areas of the dormitory (i.e., areas outside of the student dorm rooms).
 2. Drying clothes in areas not designated for clothes drying.
 3. Painting or carving the walls.
 4. Smoking, drinking, or gambling.
 5. Cooking.
 6. Other behaviors in violation of public health, peacefulness, and safety or than damage or endanger the environment.
- Manufacturing, transporting, selling, or hiding any dangerous objects or drugs, including fuel, arsenic, thallium, MDMA/ecstasy, amphetamines, etc., are strictly prohibited.
- The master lights of the dormitory building will automatically shut off from 12:00 am (midnight) to 06:00 in the morning. Only desk lamps and electrical outlets on the table will be available during these hours.
- The use of electric appliances and power strips without permission is strictly prohibited. Only hair dryers, radios, electric insect zappers, and computers are permitted to be plugged in to wall outlets.
- The voltage of the air conditioner outlets is 220V. Do not plug any other electrical device or those outlets or the devices could burn out.
- Posters, announcements, and circulars can only be put on the specified bulletin boards by permission. Putting them into the mailboxes is prohibited.
- Bicycles and motorcycles should be parked in designated student parking lots. Do not park bicycles and motorcycles around the dormitory or in dorm rooms.

A. Graduate Student Dormitory

Graduate Student Dormitory				
Campus	Building	Room type	Gender	Fee
Minsheng	4 th floor of Hsiaotung Building	Two beds with air conditioning	Female	NT\$ 13,030
Pingshi	1 st floor of Kuanghua Building	Three beds with air conditioning	Male	NT\$ 8,810
	2 nd floor of Kuanghua Building		Female	NT\$ 8,810



Hsiaotung Building



Kuanghua Building

B. College Student Dormitory

College Student Dormitory				
Campus	Building	Room type	Gender	Fee
Minsheng Campus	Building A、C	Four beds with air conditioning	Female	NT\$ 7,500
	5 th floor of Building A (503、504、507、512、514-516)	Four beds without air conditioning	Female	NT\$ 6,660
	Building E、F、1 st and 3 rd floor of Hsiaotung Building	Four beds with air conditioning	Female	NT\$ 7,200
	2 nd floor of Hsiaotung Building	Two beds with air conditioning	Female	NT\$ 13,030
	Building B、D	Four beds with air conditioning	Male	NT\$ 7,200

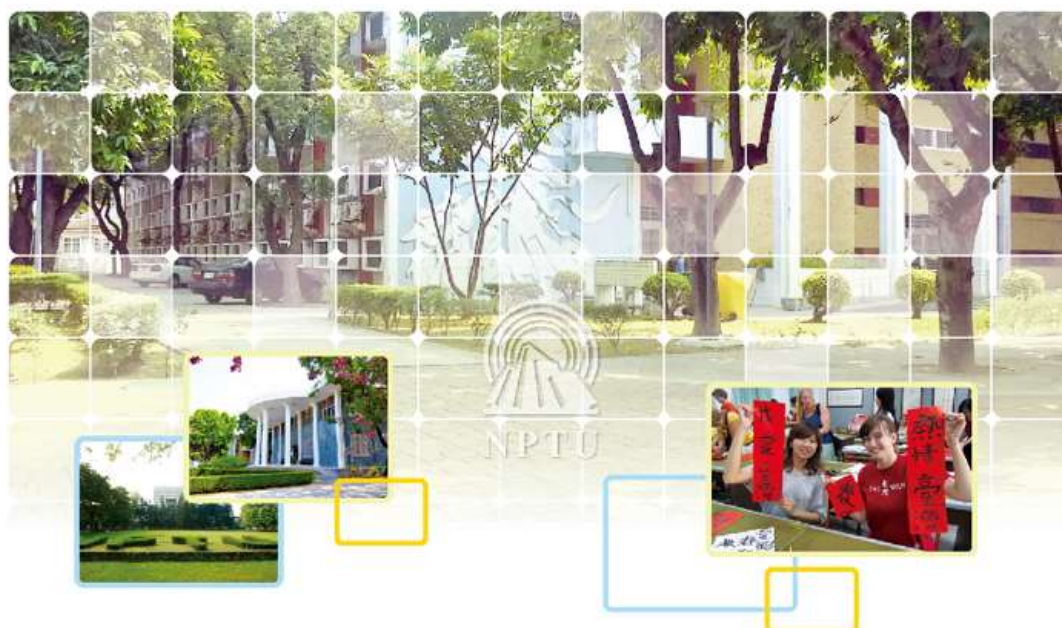
Pingshi Campus	Section A 1 st floor of Huilan Building	Four beds with air conditioning	Female	NT\$ 7,200
	Huilan Building	Four beds with air conditioning	Male	NT\$ 7,200
	Huilan Building	Four beds without air conditioning	Male	NT\$ 6,360
	Futang Building	Four beds with air conditioning	Male	NT\$ 7,200
Pingshang Campus	1 st dormitory	Four beds with air conditioning	Female	NT\$ 7,300
	2 nd dormitory	Four beds with air conditioning	Male/ Female	NT\$ 9,800

(Data Provider: Student Affairs Division, International Affairs Division)

(This announcement appears for information purposes only)

(2.) Renting House

591 租屋	https://www.591.com.tw/home
好房網 HOUSE FUN	https://www.housefun.com.tw/
Airbnb	https://www.airbnb.com.tw/
Booking	https://www.booking.com/index.zh-tw.html
屏東安心學苑 Pingtung Ease Academy	http://ppt.cc/GLcVa



Introduction of NPTU

- 1. About NPTU*
- 2. Goals*
- 3. Campus Information*



1. About NPTU

National Pingtung University (NPTU) is located in Pingtung County, which seat of the southernmost of Taiwan's 19 counties. With a population of over 900,000, Pingtung is a bustling marketing and industrial center. Pingtung County is one of Taiwan's major zones of agricultural production, yielding rice and other produce enjoyed throughout the island. Pingtung has a justified reputation as a lush and prosperous region.

NPTU was established by the merging of National Pingtung University of Education and the National Pingtung Institute of Commerce on August 1, 2014. After being merged, NPTU has become a mix of normal, managerial, computer science, technological, and higher education within one university in Pingtung County. There are 5 academic / teaching colleges in the university as follows:

- College of Management
- College of Computer Sciences
- College of Education
- College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences
- College of Computer Science

Besides, some administrative departments are also incorporated in NPTU.

2. Goals

(1.) Developmental and Educational Goals

National Pingtung University (NPTU) was founded on August 1, 2014, upon the official merger of National Pingtung University of Education and National Pingtung Institute of Commerce. NPTU is a comprehensive university advocating academic freedom that emphasizes holistic learning and concern. Due to such recent changes in the educational environment as the focus on developing a more global outlook both on campus and in society, the decreasing birth rate, and a shortage of talent, NPTU aims to prepare students by providing them with practical and professional skills, as well as the reasoning and holistic qualities to function competently in a global environment.

In our quest for excellence, NPTU actively pursues global academic and research trends in order to develop and achieve success in various professional fields. NPTU strives to build upon its forerunner schools' excellent traditions in humanities, art, business, management, science and education by combining industry, academia, research and local resources to form a teaching and research university that is both comprehensive and professional. The mission of NPTU is to persistently strive for innovation and excellence, pursue national and international academic trends, and to combine industry and academia with Taiwan's natural and social resources in order to develop a university with wide-ranging features that include business, management, information, education, humanities, and arts, to cultivate students with a view of global citizenship suitable for meeting the needs of society. In addition, by combining vocational and technological training with teacher and other higher education, NPTU integrates primary

and secondary education, and promotes vocational and technological education along with higher education and to develop multilayered talent.

(2.) Vision

Diversification and confluence in preparing elite professionals who strive for excellence in their drive toward globalization

(3.) Mission

Pursue excellence and ensure quality education and equal learning opportunity while enhancing teaching, researching and learning resources in order to equip personnel with social values, build a sustainable and healthy environment, and dedicate ourselves to social progress.

3. Campus Information

NPTU is divided into 4 campuses; the Pingshi Campus is consisted of Colleges of Science, the Department of Music, Department of Visual Arts, a swimming pool and a student activity hall. The Minsheng Campus possesses the latest multi-administrative building, which is consisted of the administration and the library. The 14-story multi-administrative building is prosperously designed and multi-functional. There are also the latest auditorium and gymnasium at Minsheng Campus. College of Management and Library branch in Pingshang Campus. Moreover, three of them include beautiful park areas, athletic facilities, dormitories, classrooms. The fourth campus, Checheng Campus, is under construction.





民生校區
Minsheng
Campus

屏商校區
Pingshang Campus



(Data Provider: Office of the Secretariat)



國立屏東大學

國立屏東大學屏師校區平面配置圖

National Pingtung University Pingshih Campus Plane Configuration Diagram

- 1. 敬業樓 Jing Ye Building
- 2. 至善樓 Zhi Shan Building
- 3. 科藝館 Ke Yi Hall
- 4. 表演廳 Concert Hall
- 5. 音樂館 Music Hall
- 6. 校友之家 Alumni House
- 7. 科學館 Science Building I
- 8. 理學大樓 Science Building II
- 9. 游泳池暨體適能館 Swimming & Fitness Center
- 10. 國際學苑A棟 International Academy A
- 創新育成中心 Innovation & Incubator Center
- 社區諮商中心 Community Counseling Center
- 10. 國際學苑B棟 International Academy B

- 11. 六愛樓 Liu Ai Building
- 12. 思源樓 Shi Yuan Building
- 13. 惠蘭樓 Hui Lan Building
- 14. 光華樓 Guang Hua Building
- 15. 復旦樓 Fu Dan Building
- 16. 運動場 Stadium
- 17. 球場 Courts
- 18. 第一停車場 Parking Lot I
- 19. 第二停車場 Parking Lot II
- 20. 第三停車場 Parking Lot III
- 21. 第四停車場 Parking Lot IV
- 22. 機車停車場 Motorcycle & Bicycle Parking
- 23. 校門口&警衛室 The Main Entrance & Guardroom



- 1 目前位置
Your/your face
- 2 校門口
The Main Entrance
- 3 警衛室
Security Room
- 4 第一汽車停車場
Parking lot I
- 5 第三汽車停車場
Parking lot III
- 6 第二汽車停車場
Parking lot II
- 7 生態池
Ecological Pool
- 8 中央草坪
Central Lawn
- 9 機路車停車場
Motorcycle & Bicycle parking
- 10 變電室
Transformer Room

- ### 行政區 Administrative Area
- 11 活動中心
Student Center
 - 12 行政大樓
Administration Building
 - 13 多功能資源中心
Multifunctional Resource Center

教學區 Teaching Area

- 14 教學資源館
Teaching & Resource Building I
- 15 教學資源館
Teaching & Resource Building II
- 16 圖資大樓
Library and Information Center Building
- 17 運動場
Stadium
- 18 球場
Courts

生活區 Living Area

- 19 綜合餐廳
Restaurant
- 20 女生第一宿舍
Dormitory I
- 21 女生第二宿舍
Dormitory II



國立屏東大學民生校區平面配置圖

National Pingtung University Minsheng Campus Plane Configuration Diagram

教學科技館 Instructional Technology Building	
6F	天象館 Planetarium
5F	教室(機器人學士學位學程 Computer and Intelligent Robot)
4F	辦公室 Office (機器人學士學位學程 Computer and Intelligent Robot、資訊科學系 Department & Graduate School of Computer)、教室 classroom
3F	教室(機器人學士學位學程 Computer and Intelligent Robot) 辦公室(文化創意產業學系 Cultural and Creative Industries) 黑色布幕劇場 Theater of Black Curtain
2F	辦公室(文化創意產業學系 Cultural and Creative Industries) 辦公室(教學資源中心 Center for Teaching and Learning Resource)
1F	會議室 Conference Room、貴賓室 VIP lounge

人文館 Humanities Building	
5F	教師研究室 Office of Research on Teachers
4F	教室 classroom (中國語文學系 Department of Chinese and Literature)
3F	教室 classroom (英語學系 Department of English)
2F	辦公室 classroom (中國語文學系 Department of Chinese and Literature、英語學系 Department of English)
1F	教室 classroom (中國語文學系 Department of Chinese and Literature、英語學系 Department of English)
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體育館 Gymnasium	
3F	綜合球場 Comprehensive Stadium、社團辦公室 student association office
2F	社團辦公室 student association office
1F	體操教室 Gymnastics classroom、舞蹈教室 Dance classroom

禮堂 Auditorium	
2F	禮堂 Auditorium
1F	禮堂 Auditorium、貴賓接待室 VIP lounge、儲藏室 Storage

國立屏東大學民生校區平面配置圖

National Pingtung University Minsheng Campus Plane Configuration Diagram

學生宿舍及餐廳 Student dormitory & Restaurant	
2F	學生寢室 Student dormitory、社團辦公室 Community Office
1F	餐廳 Restaurant、宿舍管理室 Dormitory Management Office、讀書室 Reading Room
小東樓 Xiaodong Building	
1F	宿舍管理室 Dormitory Management Office、學生寢室 Student dormitory
五育樓 Wu Yu Building	
11F~14F	教師研究室 Office of Research on Teachers
10F	特殊教育學系 Department of Special Education、諮商中心學校諮商組 Counseling Center School Counseling Section、特教中心 Special Education Center、教育學系 Department of Education、教育學院 College of Education、人文社會學院 College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences、師資培育中心 Center of Teacher Education
6-9F	圖書館 Library
5F	社會發展學系 Department of Social Development、文化創意產業學系 Department of Cultural and Creative Industries、教育學系 Department of Education、教育心理與輔導學系 Department of Educational Psychology and Counseling
4F	人事室 Personnel Office、應用數學系 Department of Applied Mathematics、通識教育中心 General Education Center、幼兒教育學系 Department of Early Childhood Education、教育行政研究所 Graduate Institute of Educational Administration、會議室 Conference Room、國際會議廳 International Conference Hall
3F	校長室 Office of the President、秘書室 Office of the Secretariat、主計室 Office of Accounting、副校長室 Office of the Vice President、研究發展處 Research and Development Division
2F	教務處 Academic Affairs Division、學生事務處 Student Affairs Division
1F	總務處 General Affairs Division、衛生保健組 Health Section
BF1	計網中心 Computer and Network Center、資訊科學系 Department & Graduate School of Computer 技能檢定試務中心 Skills Check Service Center、電腦教室 Computer Classroom
BF2	停車場 Parking lot



國立屏東大學
National Pingtung University

Learning information

1. Admission
2. Scholarships



1. Admission

We appreciate your interest in National Pingtung University and look forward to helping you achieve your future academic and career-based goals.

International Students, please refer to the information below for important dates, document requirement and application procedures.

(1.) Application Timetable

	Fall semester, 2020	Spring semester, 2021
Announcement of Admission Brochure	September 2019	
Application Open	October 1st ~December 31th 2019	April 1st ~June 30th 2020
Admission Decisions Release	February 5th 2020	August 5th 2020
Admission Confirmation	Before March 31th 2020	Before September 30th 2020
Registration	Early of September 2020	Middle of February 2021

(2.) Documents Requirement

- a. Two completed [application forms \(DOC\) \(ODT\) \(PDF\)](#) for international students with recent passport photos attached.
- b. Verification of nationality or a duplicate of passport.
- c. A photocopy of the applicant's highest education diploma authenticated by Taiwan embassy (a Chinese or English version of certification from by Taiwan embassy).
- d. A photocopy of the official transcript of the highest academic degree and is authenticated by Taiwan embassy (a Chinese or English version of certification from by Taiwan embassy).
- e. A financial evidence document (A financial statement issued within 3 months from a financial institution with a minimum balance of US\$4,000 or NT\$100,000, or a copy of scholarship award notification).
- f. A copy of [Study Plan \(DOC\) \(ODT\) \(PDF\)](#) in English or in Chinese
- g. Chinese proficiency
- h. 2 copies of [letters of Recommendation\(DOC\) \(ODT\) \(PDF\)](#)
- i. [Affidavit for International Student Application\(DOC\) \(ODT\) \(PDF\)](#)
- j. Additional Documents Requirements from Departments
- k. [Application Checklist\(DOC\) \(ODT\) \(PDF\)](#)

(3.) How to Apply

- a. Apply on line and submit electronical application materials directly; the materials submitted NEED NOT to be sent by post mail again.

<http://eng.nptu.edu.tw/files/13-1150-61458.php?Lang=en>

b. File your application in person at the International Students Section of the Office of International Affairs, National Pingtung University. Send your application to the following address: (DHL or FedEx service is recommended for overseas application packages.)

900 屏東市民生東路 51 號, 中華民國(臺灣) International Cooperation Section, Office of International Affairs, National Pingtung University No.51 MinSheng E. Rd. Pingtung City 900. Taiwan (R.O.C.)

(4.) Application form and other required forms

Application for 2019 spring semester admissions should be submitted by the date of June 15 2018. Application for 2019 fall semester admissions should be submitted by the date of October 15 2018.

The admission results will be announced in NPTU website. Students will also be notified by regular mail and email.

(For more information please search: <http://eng.nptu.edu.tw/files/11-1150-5434.php?Lang=en>)

2. Scholarship (Duration: 1 year)

Bachelor Student
Tuition fee and incidental fee
Or NTD 4,000 stipends per month
Or Dormitory fee

Graduate Student
NPTU Elite Scholarship
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tuition fee and incidental fee 2. (1) Master: NTD 6,000 stipends per month (2) Ph.D. : NTD 10,000 stipends per month 3. Dormitory fee
NPTU Brilliance Scholarship
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tuition fee and incidental fee 2. Dormitory fee
NPTU Excellence Scholarship
Tuition fee and incidental fee
Or NTD 6,000 stipends per month
Or Dormitory fee

(For more information please search: <http://eng.nptu.edu.tw/files/11-1150-5447-1.php?Lang=en>)



Life

1. *Individual Account Application for Post Office or Bank*
2. *Healthcare and Insurance*
3. *Hospitals and Clinics*
4. *Life in NPTU*



1. Individual Account Application for Post Office or bank required documents for opening an account:

- (1) Passport
- (2) ARC
- (3) Personal seal

Bank

Taishin Bank

•Address: No.23, Pingshi Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County

Taiwan Bank

•Address: No.43, zhongshan Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County

2. Healthcare and Insurance

- (1) Medical Check

All freshmen should participate in the physical examination program and the examination will be conducted at the beginning of each new semester. If the medical exam has already been conducted abroad, a copy of the medical exam report needs to be submitted to the health center.

NPTU physical examinations check post:

NPTU will conduct physical examinations for students in the first week of the Fall semester (in September) in the school gym.

Items Requested for Health Certificate:

Students need to fill out the checklist for medical examinations to apply for the Taiwan resident visa. For more information, please refer to the following link:

<https://www.immigration.gov.tw/lp.asp?ctNode=30085&CtUnit=16740&BaseDSD=111&mp=2>

- (2) Health Insurance

Student Accident Insurance (Optional)

Student insurance costs NT\$500 per month. Once covered under the plan, you may receive compensation if you are hospitalized, use outpatient services, or undergo an operation in the event of illness or accidental injury. Compensation must be claimed within two years of the accident or illness. To claim compensation, please go to Student Assistance Division.

National Health Insurance (NHI)

- Due to the regulation of NHI, only those who have already stayed in Taiwan for more than 6 months are eligible to join the NHI plan.

- Benefits of NHI:

You will be issued a Student NHI IC Card after you join the program. Your NHI IC card, along with Alien Resident Certificate, will allow you to seek covered medical services from NHI-affiliated hospitals and clinics. To avoid wasting of medical resources, you are responsible for the medical facility registration fee as well as other supplementary fees.

External link:

1. National Health Insurance Administration: <http://www.nhi.gov.tw/english/>
2. Ministry of Education: <http://www.moe.gov.tw/>

Documents required to apply for the NHI program

- Application form
- A copy of your resident visa and student ID card
- 2 photographs (3.5x4.5cm)
- Fees: NT\$200
- Application Division: National Health Insurance Administration
<http://www.nhi.gov.tw/english/index.aspx>

3. Hospitals and Clinics

※ Major medical institutes in Pingtung city

(1) Golden Hospital 國仁醫院 (guó rén yī yuàn)

- Telephone: +886-8-722-3000
- Address: No.12-2, Minsheng E. Rd., Pingtung City
- Website: <http://www.golden-hospital.com.tw>

(2) Ministry of Health and Welfare Pingtung Hospital 衛生福利部屏東醫院 (píng dōng yī yuàn)

- Telephone: +886-8-736-3011
- Address: No.270, Ziyou Rd., Pingtung City
- Website: <http://www.pntn.mohw.gov.tw/>

(3) Paochien Hospital 寶建醫院 (bǎo jiàn yī yuàn)

- Telephone: +886-8-733-5987
- Address: No.123, Chung Shan Rd., PingTung City
- Website: <http://www.paochien.com.tw/twuse>

※ Privileged hospitals with NPTU

- Some clinics and hospitals in Pingtung city signed a contract with NPTU. Our students can get the discount in those privileged hospitals or clinics.
- Link: <http://www.staf-health.nptu.edu.tw/files/11-1054-16.php?Lang=zh-tw>

(4) Pingtung Christian Hospital 屏東基督教醫院 (píng dōng jī dū jiào yī yuàn)

- Telephone: +886-8-736-8686
- Address: No.60, Dalian Rd., Pingtung City
- Website: <http://www.ptch.org.tw/>

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4. Life in NPTU

Clothes 衣 (yī)

Fengjia Market (逢甲路商圈 féng jiǎ lù shāng quān)

Clothing, shoes, foods and historical building

Street address: Fengjia Rd., Pingtung City

POYA (寶雅 Bǎo yǎ)

Cosmetic, beauty and skin care products, living necessities, hardware supplies, snack foods, and socks, etc.

Address: No.248, Minsheng Rd., Pingtung City

Tel: +886-8-765-5500

Operation hours: 10:00-22:30

Website: <http://www.poya.com.tw/>

Food 食 (shí)

Pingtung Food Map:

<https://goo.gl/peJLCz>

Residential Stays 住(zhù)

For hostel issues or rentals please refer to Student Assistance Division (Ext. 12401-12410) or

<http://140.130.34.31/NPIC/viewnews.html>

Travel 行 (xíng)

Pingtung Bus

Tel: +886-8-723-7131

Website: <http://www.ptbus.com.tw/>

Pbike

Purchase iPassCard from any convenience store. Location map:

<http://pbike.pthg.gov.tw/Station/MapEn.aspx>

Pbike Service Center

Pingtung county government lobby, No.527, Ziyou Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County

Tel: 0800-255900

Taiwan Railways (Pingtung Station)

Tel: +886-8-751-5140 (Pingtung)

Website: <http://www.railway.gov.tw/tw/>

Taiwan High Speed Rail

Tel: International Calls : +886-2-4066-3000 Local 4066-3000

Website: http://www.thsrc.com.tw/index_en.html

Post Office 郵局 (you2 ju2)

Address: No.250, Minsheng Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County (屏東民生路郵局) Services: Postal services and banking services

Tel: Postal services +886-8-7323-310, banking services +886-8-7330-222

Website: http://www.post.gov.tw/post/internet/U_english/

Opening a savings account:

http://www.post.gov.tw/post/internet/U_english/index.jsp?ID=24030101

※ Service for International withdrawal isn't provided at post office. If you want to withdraw money from international banks, please go to 7-11 convenience stores around the school.

Daily Commodity 日用品 (ri4 yong4 pin3)

Watsons (屈臣氏 Qūchénshi)

•Cosmetics, skin care products, hair products, health care products, and daily implements

•Address:

1. No.43, Minsheng Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County
2. No.23-3, Pingshi Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County

PX Mart (全聯福利中心 quán lián fú lì zhōng xīn)

•Supermarket, groceries and household products

•Address: No.6, Ruimin Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County

Carrefour (家樂福 jia1 le4 fu2)

•Department store, groceries and household products

•Address: No.188, Ren'ai Rd., Pingtung City, Pingtung County

•Tel: +886-8-738-0310

•Operation hour: Mon.-Sun.: 9:00-23:00

Appendix

- 1. Emergency Contact Numbers*
- 2. Highlight Attractions in Greater Pingtung Area*



Emergency Contact Numbers

國立屏東大學 校園安全專線
THE DIRECT / SERVICE LINE OF NPTU MILITARY
EDUCATION AND CAMPUS SECURITY REPORT CENTER

民生、林森校區校安專線
Minsheng, Linsen Campus **0912-838499**

屏商校區校安專線
Pingshang Campus **0965-389995**

上述電話為發生意外事故或校園安全事件時撥打 服務專線請留給需要的人
For emergencies of campus safety issues only Please save the line for people in need

學生申訴(含性平事件) 受理窗口 學生事務處
Student Appeals(Include gender issues) point of contact student affairs

專線 TEL **08-7663800** 轉 12000
EXT. 12001



1. Highlight Attractions in Greater Taichung Area

Recommended Tourist Spots

by Tourism Bureau, Republic of China (Taiwan)

Website: <http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002122>

Youth Travel in Taiwan

by Youth Development Administration, Ministry of Education

<https://youthtravel.tw/en/index.php>

Wish you success in your studies and hope that your experiences at NPTU will be fulfilling and memorable!

