

The President Message RMUTT After Flood

First of all, on behalf of the President of Rajamangala University of Technology Thanyaburi (RMUTT), I would like to apologize for the inconvenience communication with university due to the worst flood situation in central provinces of Thailand.

Now that most of the lower central provinces of Thailand have been flooded, Rajamangala University of Technology Thanyaburi (RMUTT) has also been affected by flooding since it is located in Pathum Thani Province, bordering Bangkok to the north. Pathum Thani is one of the worst flooded provinces. It is the worst flooding for more than half a century in terms of the amount of water and the people affected. The water is said to be around for at least 40 days. Before having been affected by flooding, RMUTT served as a large evacuation center for approximately 1,200 people who were the flood victims for one week. Eventually, on Tuesday 25th October, 2011 the water had forced us to transfer all of the people to a safer and well-protected place in the northern province because the floodwaters overflowed so rapidly into the university that it was completely flooded with the water level of 1.00 - 1.50 meters high.

Today, 21 November 2011, this scenario is getting better the floodwater in university is now no more. It's the time for us to recover and renovate all buildings and educational facilities. Hopefully, it would take 20 to 30 days for us to recover and start the second semester on 19 December 2011.

I would like to express my sincere that to all our partners for heartfelt messages and word of encouragement to the people affected by worst flood once occurred in half-century over the lower central provinces of Thailand.

Again, thank you very much for all heartfelt messages and continuous support.

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