

National Tsing Hua University
Department of Early Childhood Education,
Regulations of Master Degrees Conferment for International Students

- **Applicable students:**

Overseas students (including international students, excluding overseas students, students from Hong Kong and Macao, and mainland students) who enrolled in the master degrees from the academic year of 114 (2025) are applied.

- **Regulations of study**

(1) Period of study: one to four years.

(2) Course requirements:

1. The minimum number of credits that international master students should take is 30 credits (Thesis Research which is 0 credits is not included in graduation credits). In addition to the four compulsory subjects with 12 credits, the remaining elective credits can be taken in the department or internal and external master programs (including combined programs of master and doctoral, but excluding in-service master program) which are taught in English. International students can apply based on their personal academic background and research needs after discussing and evaluating with their advisors, and then submit an application within the prescribed time limit of each semester. The course credits will be recognized with the signature and approval of their advisors and department chair.

2. International master's students may also take courses in accordance with the course requirements for domestic students.

(3) Study regulations:

1. Complete the course requirements.

2. Complete the master dissertation plan and degree examination: it will be implemented in accordance with the relevant regulations of the department's master dissertation plan and degree examination.

- **Graduation threshold:**

It will be implemented in accordance with the relevant regulations of the department's graduation threshold of the master program.

- **Tuition fees and Scholarships:**

(1) The standards of tuition fees: please refer to the website of the Division of General Academic Affairs Office for details. <http://dga.site.nthu.edu.tw/p/412-1209-1493.php?Lang=zh-tw>

(2) Scholarships: please refer to the website of the Academic Affairs Office for details. <http://academic.site.nthu.edu.tw/p/426-1007-21.php>

● **Others:**

(1) Within one month after enrollment, students should select an advisor, go to the department office to register, and handed in with the consent form from the advisor.

(2) According to Article 64 in the provisions of the school's academic rules: international students enrolled in the academic year of 109 (inclusive) should complete the required Chinese credits before graduation and leaving the school, which is based on the "Mandarin Course Requirements for National Tsing Hua University International Students"

If those international students for master and doctoral degrees could not leave school and graduate in the semester of the thesis are completely reviewed due to the aforementioned Chinese language courses, the term for graduation and leaving school can be postponed up to the maximum years of study's regulations, and the degree certificate will be offered on the date of the credits completion of mandarin course. The credits of mandarin course will not be counted in the credits of graduation, but if the department, institute, or degree course have other regulations, then follow their rules.

(3) Other unsettled regulations will be implemented in accordance with the National Tsing Hua University Academic Regulations.