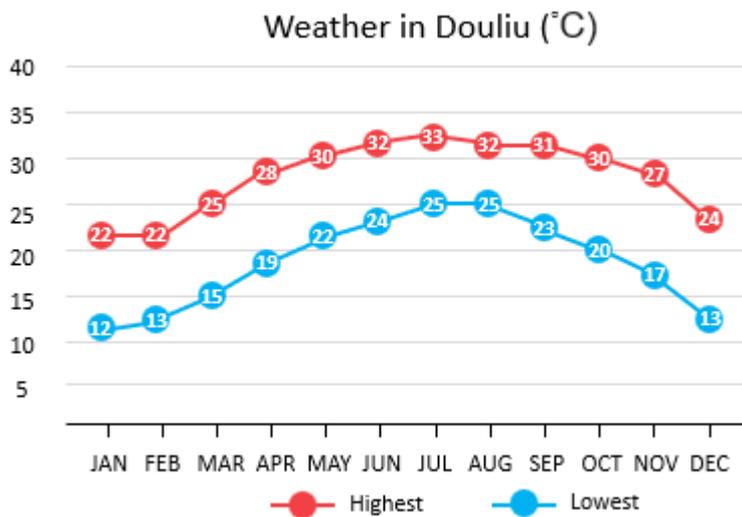


Location & Weather

Douliu City belongs to Yunlin county, is located in the southwestern central part of Taiwan. To the east is Nantou County, to the west is the Taiwan Strait, to the south is Chiayi County, and to the north is Changhua County. The widest part of the county from east to west is 50 kilometers, and the longest part from north to south is 38 kilometers. The total area of the county is approximately 1,290.8351 square kilometers. About nine-tenths of the area is plains, and one-tenth is mountainous. It has a subtropical climate, with an average annual temperature of 22.6°C and an average annual rainfall of 1,028.9 millimeters. The population is approximately 670,000 people.



Cost

Ministry of Finance stated that the amount of basic living expenses per person in 2024 was NT\$210,000 per year and NT\$17,500 per month. The lowest cost per month for big city is around NT\$15,000 to 20,000. For the average living cost, it's around NT\$15,000 to NT\$25,000. It should include the payments like dormitory fees, grocery spending, water fee, electricity fee and NHI insurance etc.



Table 1 The Living Cost in Yunlin for University Students

Rental Fee for Dormitory	Grocery Spending	Water Fee	Electricity Fee	NHI Insurance
3000-8000 per month	10,000-15,000 per month	100-150 per month	500-1000 per month	826 Per month

Transportation

Yunlin, known as the "Agricultural Capital," is filled with farmlands, offering the most comfortable environment, unpolluted natural scenery. There are normally 4 different ways for you to travel to Yunlin. Transportation options include the High-Speed Rail (HSR), intercity buses, trains, and driving. If you take the Taiwan Railways (TRA), you can get off at stations like Linnei, Douliu, or Dounan. For those traveling by HSR, you can alight at Yunlin Station and transfer to a taxi or bus to reach other towns and districts.

- Douliu Train Station

It takes around 15-20 minutes ride a bike to the Douliu Train Station. Before you go there, you can download APP from Official ticket booking service of Taiwan Railway Corporation.

Address: No. 187, Minsheng Rd., Douliu City, Yunlin County

- Taiwan High Speed Rail (THSR)

If you want to travel with faster and more comfortable way, you can consider to take the THSR. The Taiwan High Speed Rail (THSR) runs along the western part of Taiwan and connects major cities from north to south. There are 12 stations along the route:

- Nangang – Located in Taipei City, it is the northernmost station.
- Taipei – The capital city's main station.
- Banqiao – A major hub in New Taipei City.
- Taoyuan – Near Taiwan Taoyuan International Airport.
- Hsinchu – Serves the Hsinchu Science Park area.
- Miaoli – A smaller station for Miaoli County.
- Taichung – A central city and major stop for tourists.
- Changhua – Located near the Changhua Coastal Industrial Park.
- Yunlin – Serves Yunlin County, especially Douliu City.
- Chiayi – Close to attractions like Alishan.
- Tainan – A historic city in southern Taiwan.
- Zuoying – Located in Kaohsiung, it is the southernmost station.

These stations make travel across Taiwan fast and convenient, with the full trip from Nangang to Zuoying taking about 1.5 to 2 hours.

National Yunlin University of Science and Technology

Established in 1991, National Yunlin University of Science and Technology (YunTech) is a prominent public university located in Douliu City, Yunlin County, Taiwan. The university comprises five colleges:

- College of Engineering
- College of Management
- College of Design
- College of Humanities and Applied Sciences
- College of Future

A. Student and Faculty Statistics (2024):

Total Students: Approximately 10,036

Undergraduate: 6,341

Postgraduate: 29%

International Students: 571

Undergraduate: 68%

Postgraduate: 32%

Total Faculty Members: 404

International Faculty: 26

YunTech is recognized for its emphasis on practical experience, with over 81% of faculty members having industry experience. The university is also noted for its strong performance in industry-academia cooperation.

B. University Library

YunTech Library Overview

Established in 1991, the YunTech Library is a nine-story building with one basement, encompassing a total floor area of 5,013 square meters. It offers approximately 1,500 seats for reading and self-study. The library is equipped with wireless internet access, various databases supporting instruction and research, a rich collection of books, multimedia audiovisual materials, and art collections featuring authentic works by renowned artists. It serves as a space that fosters the dialogue between technology and humanities.

On February 1, 2025, the Library and Information Center were merged to form the YunTech Office of Library & Information Services.

The library also provides services such as electronic resource consulting, educational training courses, interlibrary cooperation, study consulting, English technical writing assistance, and houses the YunTech Specialized Subject Collection.

For more information, please visit the YunTech Library website.

LINK: <https://www.lib.yuntech.edu.tw/wSite/mp?mp=2>

C. Language Center (For Chinese Courses-to apply Taiwan passport)

The Language Center at National Yunlin University of Science and Technology (YunTech) is dedicated to enhancing students' language proficiency to prepare them for success in a globalized world. It offers a variety of foreign language courses, including Chinese as a Foreign Language, English, Spanish, French, Japanese, German, and Vietnamese, catering to both local residents and international students.

lc.yuntech.edu.tw

The center provides comprehensive Chinese language programs aimed at assisting foreign students and individuals in learning Chinese. These programs are designed to create an immersive learning environment, incorporating both theoretical and practical aspects of language acquisition.

In addition to language instruction, the center offers services such as translation between Chinese, English, and Japanese, and organizes language-related activities and events to promote cultural exchange.

For more information, please visit the YunTech Language Center website.

LINK: <https://lc.yuntech.edu.tw/>

D. Campus Map



Immigration Agency

Ministry of the Interior National Immigration Agency:

Yunlin County Service Center (Immigration Agency) Address: No. 38, Fuqian St., Douliu City, Yunlin County (雲林縣斗六市府前街 38 號)

Time: Monday to Friday (08:00-17:00)



LINK: <https://www.immigration.gov.tw/5475/>

BANK of TAIWAN

The Douliu Branch of the Bank of Taiwan is situated at No. 27, Wenhua Road, Douliu City, Yunlin County, Taiwan. This branch offers a comprehensive range of financial services, including personal and corporate banking, foreign exchange, and international remittance services. It serves as a convenient banking facility for local residents, businesses, and students in the Douliu area.



Address: No. 27, Wenhua Road, Douliu City, Yunlin County 640, Taiwan

LINK: Bot.com.tw