

Frequently Asked Questions About The 3rd Vovinam General Assembly

1. When will the 3rd General Assembly of Vovinam Vietnam Vo Dao Overseas officially begin?

The 3rd General Assembly will officially open on Thursday, August 13, 2015 and will continue until 16 of August. After the official General Assembly activities, the Organizing Committee (BTC) will also offer group field trip excursions covering 3 cities including Melbourne, Sydney, and Brisbane for those who can attend.

2. When exactly does Belt Examination start?

The belt exam (technical and theoretical segments) will take place during the 3rd General Assembly (13-16 August, 2015), and the actual testing will be interspersed between other activities. We strongly recommend anyone who plan to participate in the belt exam to arrange your travel schedule to arrive a few days early to review, practice, and get familiar with the environment.

3. What are the requirements and regulations for taking the belt examination?

All information about this subject have been published on website <http://www.vovinamoverseas.com> including belt exam application, specific requirements for each level, and other relevant information. Please let us know if you have any further questions.

4. What is the main location for the General Assembly events?

Most of the General Assembly activities will take place in at Quang Minh Buddhist Temple (at address: 18 Burke Street, Braybrook VIC 3019, Australia). Here, there are a large hall and two large training rooms, very convenient for hosting the General Assembly activities.

5. What is the International Airport in Melbourne near the location of the 3rd General Assembly?

The International Airport in Melbourne is called Melbourne Airport, also known as Tullamarine Airport (at address: Departure Dr, Melbourne Airport VIC 3045, Australia). Notes: When buying airline ticket, please refer to airport code: "MEL". The Organizing Committee will arrange for your pick up at the airport. Please make contact with the organizing committee in advance to arrange pick up before your departure.

6. How do I apply for an Australia Visa?

The process for gaining a entry Visa to Australia is in general quite easy, especially for visitors from countries such as the United States, Canada, and Europe. There might be some special rules for some countries. We encourage you to check out the website of the Australian government and see [Visitor Visa Online Applications](#) section. Note, on this website, you can choose your country's flag in the upper right corner, to read the specific instructions.

7. If I arrived early before General Assembly, may can participate in local Vovinam activities?

If you can arrange schedule to arrive early prior to the opening of the General Assembly, that's even better. We would be pleased to invite you to attend activities at our local võ đường. The Organizing Committee will arrange transportation and lodging accommodation for you during this period.

8. Are there hotels near the location of the 3rd General Assembly?

The location of the General Assembly at Quang Minh Temple is very close to Melbourne downtown, only about 20-minute driving distance. There are quite a few hotels around the area (quick [results](#) from Internet search). However, the Organizing Committee will arrange shared lodging free-of-charge for those who do not want to stay at hotel.

9. During the General Assembly, will we have meals together or separately?

During the General Assembly we will have meals together and they will be provided free of charge. Doing so, we hope to give us more opportunities to get to know one another.

10. Will my mobile phone work in Australia?

Almost all modern mobile phones you bring should work in Australia after installing a local SIM card. Cost for a SIM card is around 10 Australian dollars and they are sold at the airport and many other convenient stores. Notes, you should unlock your mobile phone before the trip.

11. Who should I contact when I get to the Melbourne Airport?

You may contact me (Master Diep Khoi) at any time upon your arrival in Australia, at my mobile phone: 0402982615. We will provide additional contacts for your reference prior to the General Assembly.

