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DAILY WEATHER FORECAST

Issued on 17th January 2026 at 3.00 P.M.

Validity: from 9.00 pm tonight to 9.00 pm tomorrow, 18th January 2026.

PART I: WEATHER OUTLOOK ACROSS THE COUNTRY

Sunny conditions expected over most parts of the country. Light rains expected over few places.
Strong southeasterly winds of above 25 knots (12.5m/s) expected over parts of Turkana and Marsabit counties.

HIGHLANDS WEST OF THE RIFT VALLEY, THE LAKE VICTORIA BASIN, AND THE RIFT VALLEY

(These counties include: KAKAMEGA, VIHIGA, BUSIA, BUNGOMA, KISUMU, KISII, NYAMIRA, MIGORI, SIAYA, HOMABAY, KERICHO, NANDI, BOMET, NAKURU, ELGEYO MARAKWET, WEST POKOT, BARINGO, UASIN GISHU, TRANS-NZOIA, and NAROK).

Showers and thunderstorms over few places expected tonight. Sunny intervals expected in the morning. Mainly sunny intervals expected in the afternoon with showers and thunderstorms over few places.

HIGHLANDS EAST OF THE RIFT VALLEY (INCLUDING NAIROBI COUNTY)

(These counties include: NYERI, MURANGA, KIRINYAGA, EMBU, MERU, KIAMBU, THARAKA NITHI, LAIKIPIA, NYANDARUA, and NAIROBI).

Partly cloudy conditions expected tonight with a chance of showers over few places. Light rains expected over few places in the morning giving way to sunny intervals. Mainly sunny intervals expected in the afternoon with showers over few places.

NORTH WESTERN

(These counties include TURKANA and SAMBURU).

Partly cloudy conditions expected tonight. Sunny intervals expected to prevail the entire day tomorrow.
Strong southeasterly winds of above 25 knots (12.5m/s) expected over Turkana County.

NORTH EASTERN

(These counties include MARSABIT, GARISSA, MANDERA, WAJIR, and ISIOLO).

Partly cloudy conditions expected tonight. Sunny intervals expected in the morning. Mainly sunny intervals expected in the afternoon with a chance of showers over few places within Garissa County.

Strong southeasterly winds of above 25 knots (12.5m/s) expected over Marsabit county.

SOUTH EASTERN LOWLANDS

(These counties include: MACHAKOS, MAKUENI, KITUI, TAITA TAVETA, and KAJIADO).

Partly cloudy conditions expected tonight. Sunny intervals expected throughout the day tomorrow with a chance of showers over few places in the afternoon.

COAST

(These counties include: KWALE, MOMBASA, KILIFI, LAMU, and TANA RIVER).

Partly cloudy conditions expected tonight. Sunny intervals expected throughout the day tomorrow with a chance of showers over few places in the afternoon.

PART II: KENYA CITIES WEATHER FORECAST, SUNSET & SUNRISE

(i) Maximum & Minimum Temperatures and Weather Forecast for Kenyan Cities.

Town	Max	Min	Morning	Afternoon & Evening
Lodwar	37	24	Sunny conditions	Sunny conditions
Marsabit	29	18	Sunny conditions	Sunny conditions
Moyale	33	20	Sunny conditions	Sunny conditions
Garissa	37	24	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals, Showers
Wajir	38	24	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Mandera	38	24	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Kisii	27	15	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Kericho	26	13	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Kisumu	30	19	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Kakamega	30	16	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Narok	27	13	Sunny intervals	Showers and thunderstorms
Nakuru	27	13	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Kitale	27	13	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Eldoret	24	13	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Nyeri	25	13	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals, Showers
Meru	25	14	Rains, Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Embu	27	17	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Nairobi	27	15	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Machakos	26	14	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Makindu	29	18	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals, Showers
Kitui	28	17	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals, Showers
Voi	31	19	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Malindi	31	25	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals, Showers
Mombasa	32	25	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Lamu	31	25	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals

(ii) Sunrise and Sunset

	Mombasa	Nairobi	Nakuru	Kisumu	Eldoret
Sunrise	06:21	06:37	06:41	06:47	06:46
Sunset	18:41	18:48	18:50	18:55	18:52

PART III: RAINFALL REPORTED FROM 9.00 AM 16TH JANUARY TO 9.00 AM 17TH JANUARY 2026

Only four stations Voi, Lamu, Mtwapa, and Mombasa reported rainfall of less than 1 mm.

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