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WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST FOR WEST POKOT COUNTY

Date of issue: 11th May 2026

Period of forecast: 12th to 18th May 2026

Forecast for the Entire County







































Period/day	Tuesday 12-05-2026	Wednesday 13-05-2026	Thursday 14-05-2026	Friday 15-05-2026	Saturday 16-05-2026	Sunday 17-05-2026	Monday 18-05-2025
Morning	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Partly cloudy with sunny intervals	 Partly cloudy with sunny intervals	 Partly cloudy with sunny intervals	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places
Afternoon	 Moderate rains over several places >5mm to >20mm	 Moderate rains over several places >5mm to >20mm	 Moderate rains over several places >5mm to >20mm	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Moderate rains over several places >5mm to >20mm	 Moderate rains over several places >5mm to >20mm
Night	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places	 Light rains <5mm over few places
Rainfall Distribution							
Maximum temperature	32 °c	32 °c	30 °c	29 °c	30 °c	30 °c	30 °c
Minimum temperature	08 °c	07 °c	08 °c	07°c	07 °c	07 °c	08 °c
Hazards	 TS AWS Fg	 TS AWS Fg	 TS AWS Fg	 TS AWS Fg	 TS AWS Fg	 TS AWS Fg	 TS AWS Fg
Winds	04 m/s	05 m/s	03 m/s	05 m/s	07 m/s	04 m/s	04 m/s

Table 1: Weather update for one week valid 12TH to 18th May 2026.

- ❖ **Rainfall categories:** Light rains: <5; Moderate rains: 5-20m; Heavy rains: 20-50mm; Very heavy rains: >50mm. **TR**=Trace below 0.05mm
- ❖ **Key to rainfall distribution symbols:**  rain is likely to fall in few places (less than 33 %),  Rain is likely to fall in several places (33-67%),  Rains is likely to fall in most places (more than 67%)
- ❖ **TS**-Thunderstorm; **AWS**-Automatic Weather Station and **Fg** is fog

Commentary of Weekly Weather forecast valid from 12th to 18th May 2026.

Generally, the County is likely to continue receiving rains over several places. The highlands of Pokot North, West and South are likely to continue receiving some significant amount of rains, unlike in lowlands of Pokot central where it is projected to receive less amount of rains. Episodes of storms may be experienced over the highlands, during the last days of the week.

Detailed Forecasts:

Mornings are likely to experience light morning rains and sunny intervals. Afternoons may experience partly cloudy, moderate and slight showers with thunderstorms, over several places. Nights may experience partly cloudy and night rains but over few places. Temperatures are anticipated to be near average. Daytime temperatures in the range of 18^oc to 32^o c and nights in the range of 07^oc to 18^o c.

ADVISORIES:

1. To those farmers, who are willing to grow fruit trees and natural trees to continue with that noble exercise and ensure to control soil erosion.
2. Farmers are advised to consult agricultural extension services for more advisories on seed systems and right farming practices.

Weather Review as from 05th to 11th May 2026.

The county experienced slight, moderate and heavy rains, but it was localized in Pokot West-Kapenguria environs; Pokot South-Tapach environs. There was reduced performance of rains in comparison with 27th April to 04th May 2026. The highest cumulative rainfall for the week was recorded at WRA-Kapengurai of 57.7mm in 3 days. Find below weather data for the week under review & the previous period.

Manned Rainfall Stations data from 28th April to 04th May 2026			
Kaibos mixed day sec school	140.0mm in 7 days		
Kapkatet Rainfall Station	167.6mm in 7 days		
WRA-Kapenguria	157.6mm in 7 days		
AWS Rainfall Data, W/speed & Temps from 27th April to 03rd May 2026			
Alale Girls AWS	38.6mm in 7 days	MAX: 26.4 MIN: 14.7	degrees celsius
Kacheliba AWS	99.9mm in 6 days	MAX: 30.3 MIN: 17.3	degrees selcius
Nasukuta AWS	71.6mm in 7 days	MAX: 26.8 MIN: 15.5	degrees celsius
Sigor Agric. AWS	164.3mm in 7 days	MAX: 32.6 MIN: 18.5	degrees celsius
ST. Catherine Girls AWS	63.2mm in 6 days	MAX: 24.1 MIN: 13.6	degrees celsius
Mean Max Wind Speed	07m/s		

Manned Rainfall Stations data from 05th to 11th May 2026			
Kaibos mixed day sec school	38.8mm in 4 days		
Kapkatet Rainfall Station	30.7mm in 5 days		
WRA-Kapenguria	57.7mm in 3 days		
AWS Rainfall Data, W/speed & Temps from 04th to 10th May 2026			
Alale Girls AWS	39.7mm in 2 days	MAX: 28.2 MIN: 15.3	degrees celsius
Kacheliba AWS	4.0mm in 1 day	MAX: 31.1 MIN: 17.7	degrees selcius
Nasukuta AWS	2.8mm in 1 day	MAX: 28.1 MIN: 15.6	degrees celsius
Sigor Agric. AWS	20.0mm in 3 days	MAX: 33.1 MIN: 19.2	degrees celsius
ST. Catherine Girls AWS	0.5mm	MAX: 24.2 MIN: 14.5	degrees celsius
Mean Max Wind Speed	06m/s		

Table 1: AWS and manned data as on 27th April to 04th May 2026

Table2: AWS and manned data 04th to 11th May 2026



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