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WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST FOR 14TH TO 20TH JULY 2026 & REVIEW FOR 6TH TO 12TH JULY 2026

SUMMARY

Weather Forecast for 14th to 20th July 2026

- Most parts of the country are expected to be generally dry. However, some counties including Bungoma, Trans Nzoia, Kakamega, Kericho, Kisii, Nakuru, Busia, Siaya, Kisumu, Homa Bay, Narok, Bomet, Nyamira, Vihiga, Uasin Gishu and Nandi may receive rainfall.
- Intermittent cool and cloudy conditions with light rains over few places are expected in parts of Kiambu, Kirinyaga, Laikipia, Meru, Murang'a, Nairobi, Nyandarua, Nyeri and Tharaka-Nithi

Weather Review for 6th to 12th July 2026

- Most parts of the country were dry. Rainfall was recorded in a few counties most notably Nyandarua, Siaya, Narok, Kisii and Nairobi.
- Mandera Meteorological Station recorded the highest daily maximum temperature: 37.4°C on 6th July 2026.
- Nyahururu Meteorological Station recorded the lowest daily minimum temperature: 4.2°C on 7th July 2026.

1.0 WEATHER FORECAST FOR 14TH TO 20TH JULY 2026

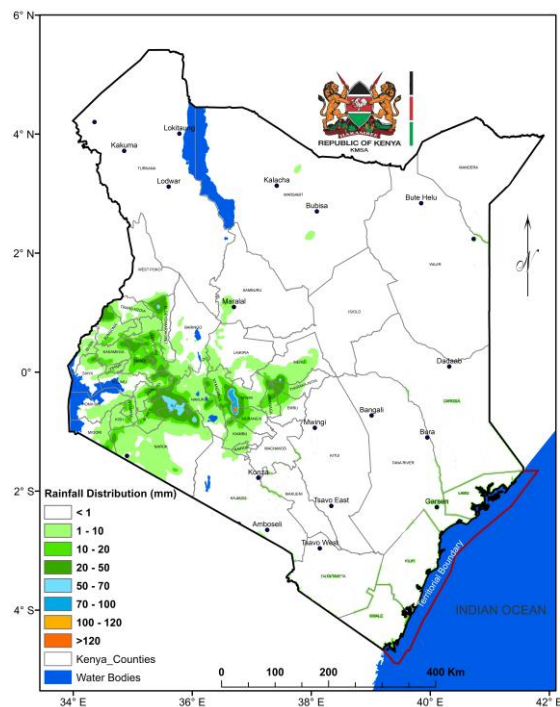


Figure 1: Forecasted Seven-Day Total Rainfall for 14th to 20th July 2026

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Intermittent cool and cloudy conditions are expected in parts of Kiambu, Kirinyaga, Laikipia, Meru, Murang'a, Nairobi, Nyandarua, Nyeri and Tharaka-Nithi counties.

Daytime (maximum) average temperatures of more than 30°C are expected in parts of Kilifi, Tana River, Lamu, Garissa, Wajir, Isiolo, Marsabit, Samburu, West Pokot and Turkana counties (Figure 2).

Night-time (minimum) average temperatures are expected to be less than 10°C in parts of Meru, Tharaka Nithi, Kirinyaga, Murang'a, Nyeri, Nyandarua,

Laikipia, Nakuru, Baringo, Narok, Kajiado, Kiambu, Kajiado and Taita Taveta counties (Figure 3).

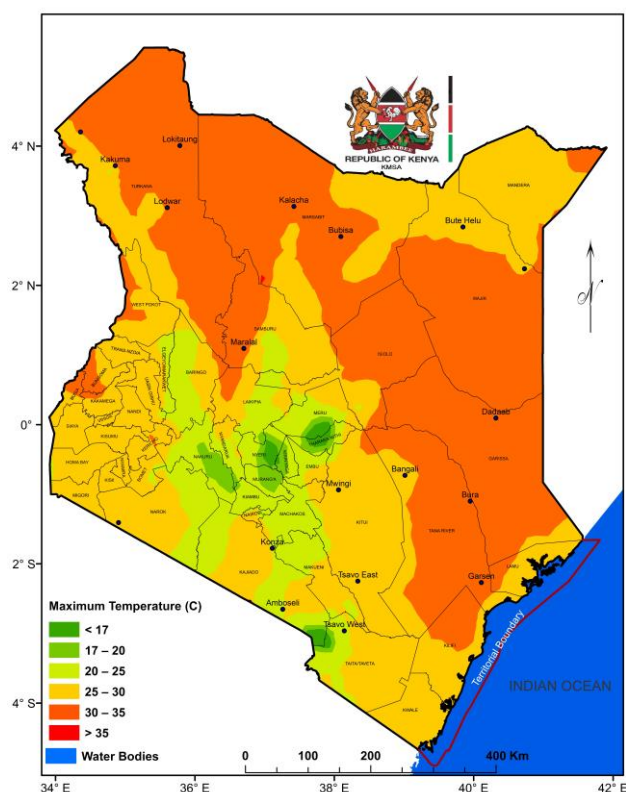


Figure 2: Forecasted Average Maximum Temperatures for 14th to 20th July 2026

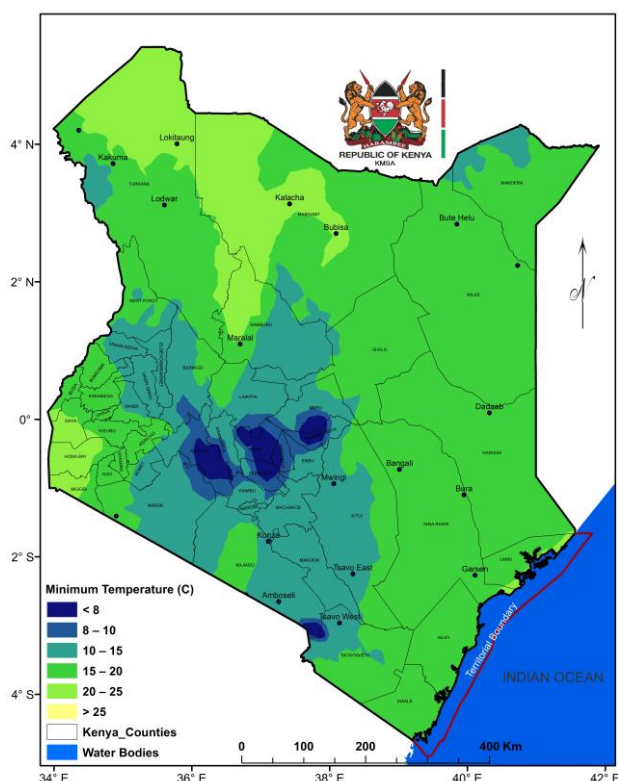


Figure 3: Forecasted Average Minimum Temperatures for 14th to 20th July 2026

1.1 DETAILED REGIONAL RAINFALL FORECAST FOR 14TH TO 20TH JULY 2026

1.1.1 Morning Rains are expected in Kisumu, Siaya, Busia, Bungoma and Kakamega counties.

1.1.2 Intermittent morning cloudiness, with light rains over few places, is likely to occur in Embu, Kiambu, Kirinyaga, Laikipia, Meru, Murang'a, Nairobi, Nyandarua, Nyeri and Tharaka-Nithi counties.

1.1.3 Sunny intervals are expected in the mornings in Baringo, Bomet, Elgeyo/Marakwet, Garissa, Homa Bay, Isiolo, Kajiado, Kericho, Kilifi, Kisii, Kitui, Kwale, Lamu, Machakos, Makueni, Mandera, Marsabit, Migori, Mombasa, Nakuru, Nandi, Narok, Nyamira, Samburu, Taita/Taveta, Tana River, Trans Nzoia, Turkana, Uasin Gishu, Vihiga, Wajir and West Pokot counties.

1.1.4 Afternoon showers and thunderstorms are likely to occur in Bungoma, Trans Nzoia, Kakamega, Kericho, Kisii, Nakuru, Busia, Siaya, Kisumu, Homa Bay, Narok, Bomet, Nyamira, Vihiga, Uasin Gishu and Nandi counties.

1.1.5 Afternoon showers may occur in Nyandarua, Nyeri, Kirinyaga, Murang'a, Tharaka-Nithi and Embu counties.

1.1.6 Sunny intervals are expected in the afternoons in Baringo, Elgeyo/Marakwet, Garissa, Isiolo, Kajiado, Kiambu, Kilifi, Kitui, Kwale, Laikipia, Lamu, Machakos, Makueni, Mandera, Marsabit, Meru, Migori, Mombasa, Nairobi, Samburu, Taita/Taveta, Tana River, Turkana, Wajir and West Pokot counties.

1.1.7 Night showers may occur in Busia, Bungoma and Kakamega counties.

1.1.8 Partly cloudy nights are expected Baringo, Bomet, Elgeyo/Marakwet, Embu, Garissa, Homa Bay, Isiolo, Kajiado, Kericho, Kiambu, Kilifi, Kirinyaga, Kisii, Kisumu, Kitui, Kwale, Laikipia, Lamu, Machakos, Makueni, Mandera, Marsabit, Meru, Migori, Mombasa, Murang'a, Nairobi, Nakuru, Nandi, Narok, Nyamira, Nyandarua, Nyeri, Samburu, Siaya, Taita/Taveta, Tana River, Tharaka-Nithi, Trans Nzoia, Turkana, Uasin Gishu, Vihiga, Wajir and West Pokot counties.

1.2 DETAILED TEMPERATURE FORECAST FOR 14TH TO 20TH JULY 2026

Expected maximum and minimum temperatures for selected cities and towns are shown in Table 1.

CITY/TOWN	MAX (°C)	MIN (°C)	CITY/TOWN	MAX (°C)	MIN (°C)	CITY/TOWN	MAX (°C)	MIN (°C)
LODWAR	36.0	15.0	KISUMU	31.0	16.0	THIKA	29.0	12.0
MARSABIT	25.0	18.0	SUBA	32.0	20.0	MACHAKOS	25.0	11.0
MOYALE	29.0	21.0	NAKURU	28.0	11.0	MAKINDU	31.0	14.0
GARISSA	34.0	22.0	NAROK	25.0	09.0	KITUI	29.0	12.0
WAJIR	34.0	24.0	LAIKIPIA	28.0	10.0	VOI	32.0	19.0
MANDERA	37.0	11.0	NYAHURURU	24.0	04.0	LAMU	31.0	22.0
KITALE	27.0	14.0	KANGEMA	24.0	13.0	MALINDI	29.0	22.0
KAKAMEGA	31.0	10.0	NYERI	25.0	13.0	MSABABA	30.0	22.0
ELDORET	25.0	11.0	EMBU	26.0	13.0	MTWAPA	30.0	21.0
KERICHO	26.0	15.0	MERU	25.0	12.0	MOMBASA	30.0	21.0
KISII	31.0	15.0	NAIROBI	27.0	11.0			

2.0 WEATHER REVIEW FOR 6TH TO 12TH JULY 2026

2.1 Rainfall Review

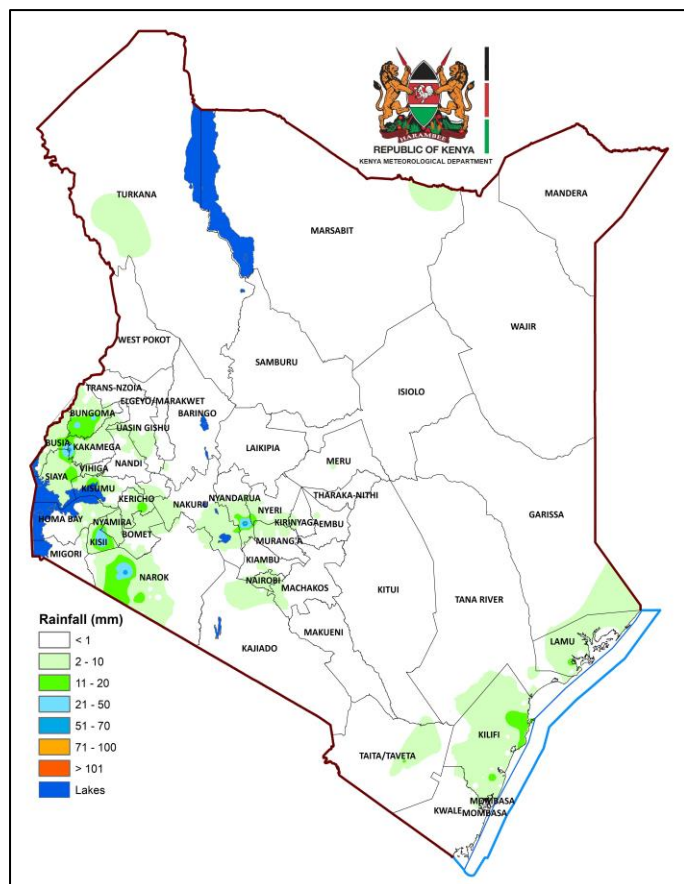


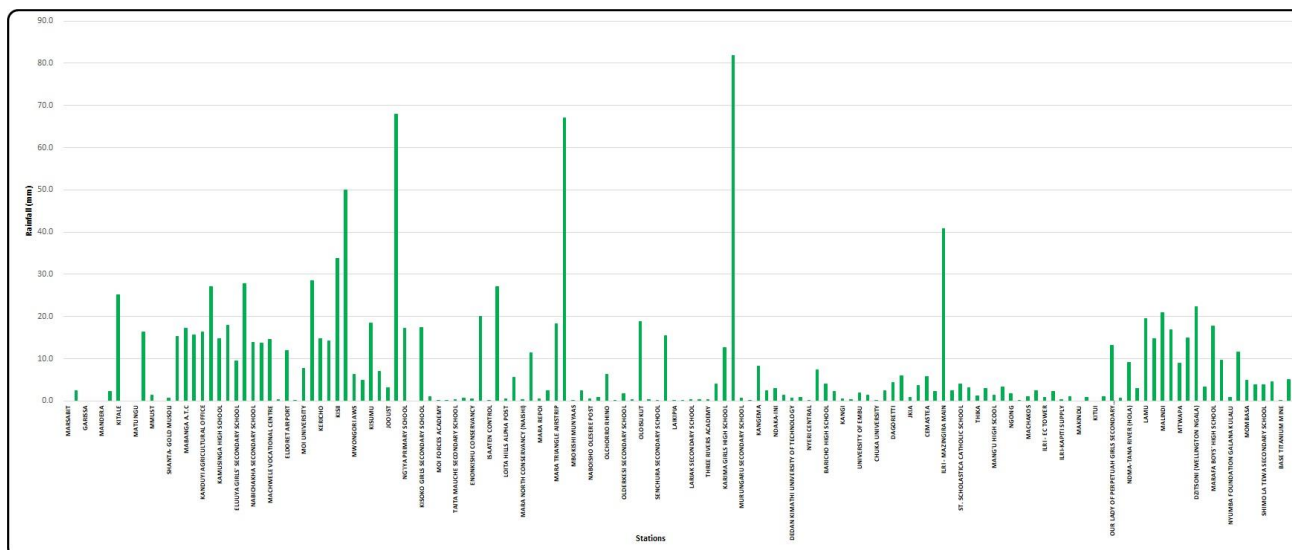
Figure 4: Observed Seven-Day Total Rainfall for 6th to 12th July 2026

Most parts of the country were dry. Rainfall was recorded in a few counties most notably Nyandarua, Siaya, Narok, Kisii and Nairobi (Figures 4 and 5).

The highest seven-day rainfall total (81.9 mm) was recorded at the automatic weather station at Magomano Secondary School in Nyandarua county.

The automatic weather station at Konya Secondary School in Siaya County recorded the highest amount of rainfall within 24-hours: 68.0mm on 10th July 2026.

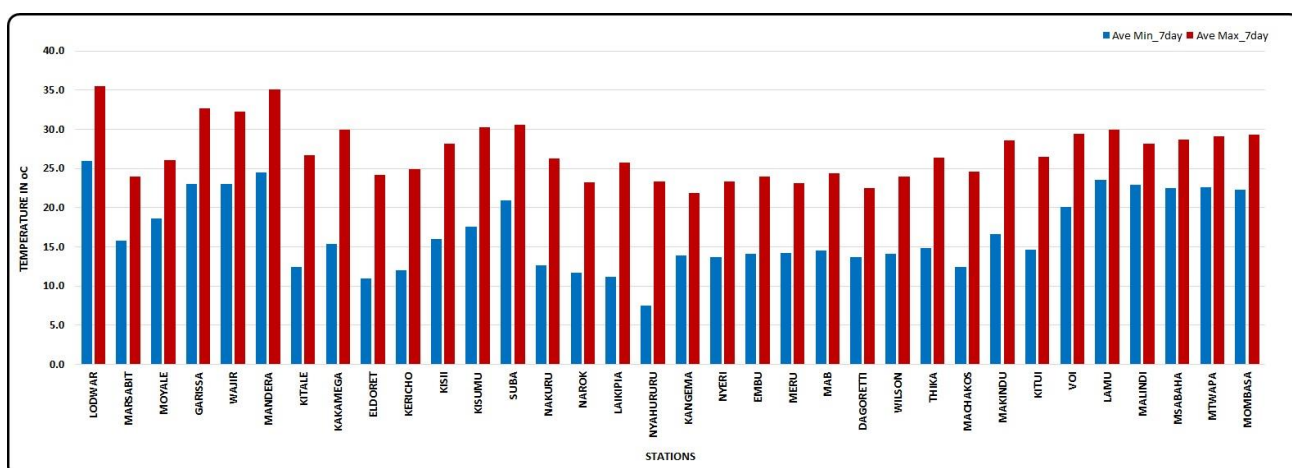
Comparing the 29th June to 5th July 2026 and the 6th to 12th July 2026 review periods, it is noted that rainfall amounts increased in a number of counties including Narok, Siaya and Kilifi and decreased in Kakamega, Nyamira and Bungoma among others.



2.2 Temperature Review

Comparing the 29th June to 5th July 2026 and the 6th to 12th July 2026 review periods, it is noted that daytime (maximum) temperatures increased in several stations including Nyeri, Suba and Mandera and decreased in a few others such as Laikipia, Nakuru and Eldoret. Night-time (minimum) temperatures decreased in most stations though a few like Kangema, Thika and Marsabit recorded increases.

Mandera Meteorological Station recorded the highest daily maximum temperature: 37.4°C on 6th July 2026 while Nyahururu Meteorological Station recorded the lowest daily minimum temperature: 4.2°C on 7th July 2026. The same stations recorded the highest seven-day average maximum temperature and the lowest seven-day average minimum temperature: 35.5°C and 7.5°C respectively (Figure 6).



N.B: This forecast should be used in conjunction with the daily (24-hour) and five-day forecasts issued by this Department. County specific forecasts are available from the offices of respective County Directors of Meteorological Services.

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APPENDIX I: INTERPRETATION OF TERMS USED

Term	Rainfall Amount (24 hrs.)	Description
Light	< 5 mm	Gentle rain, drizzle.
Moderate	5–20 mm	Steady, noticeable rain.
Heavy	21–50 mm	Intense rain, possible thunder.
Very Heavy	> 50 mm	Prolonged rain, high intensity.

Term	Area Affected	Description
Few places	< 33%	Rain in a small portion of the region.
Several places	33% to 66%	Rain in multiple but not most parts of the region.
Most places	> 66%	Rain in nearly all parts of the region.

Term	Area Affected	Description
Isolated	Less than 25%	Very few areas affected.
Scattered	25–50%	Several, but not most, areas affected.
Numerous	51–70%	Many areas affected.
Widespread	Over 70%	Almost all areas affected.

Term	Time Coverage (%)	Meaning
Occasional	Less than 25%	Happens rarely or a few times.
Intermittent	25% – 50%	Starts and stops, comes and goes.
Frequent	51% – 75%	Occurs regularly.
Very Frequent / Common	More than 75%	Happens almost all the time.

Term	Probability of Occurrence	Description
Possible	10–30%	There is low confidence.
Chance of/ May	31–50%	There is moderate confidence.
Likely	51–75%	The event is more probable than not.
Expected	76–90%	There is high confidence.
Very Likely	91–99%	There is very high confidence. Almost certain.
Certain	100%	The event is guaranteed to occur.