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DAILY WEATHER FORECAST

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

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

PART I: GENERAL WEATHER OUTLOOK ACROSS THE COUNTRY

Rainfall expected in some parts of of Uasin Gishu, Nandi, Kisumu, Siaya, Kisii, Migori, Homa Bay, Nakuru, Narok, Kericho, Kakamega, Trans-Nzoia, Busia and Bungoma, Nyeri, Bomet, West- Pokot, Laikipia, Nyamira and Nairobi counties.

Intermittent cool and cloudy conditions are expected in some parts of Embu, Kiambu, Kirinyaga, Laikipia, Meru, Murang'a, Nairobi, Nyandarua, Nyeri, Tharaka-Nithi, Kitui, Machakos, Kajiado, and Makueni Counties.

Strong southerly to southeasterly winds of above 25 knots (12.5m/s) expected over parts of Turkana, Isiolo, Mandera, Garissa, Wajir, Marsabit, Tana river, Mombasa, Kilifi, Lamu and Kitui Counties.

PART II: SPECIFIC COUNTIES' WEATHER FORECAST

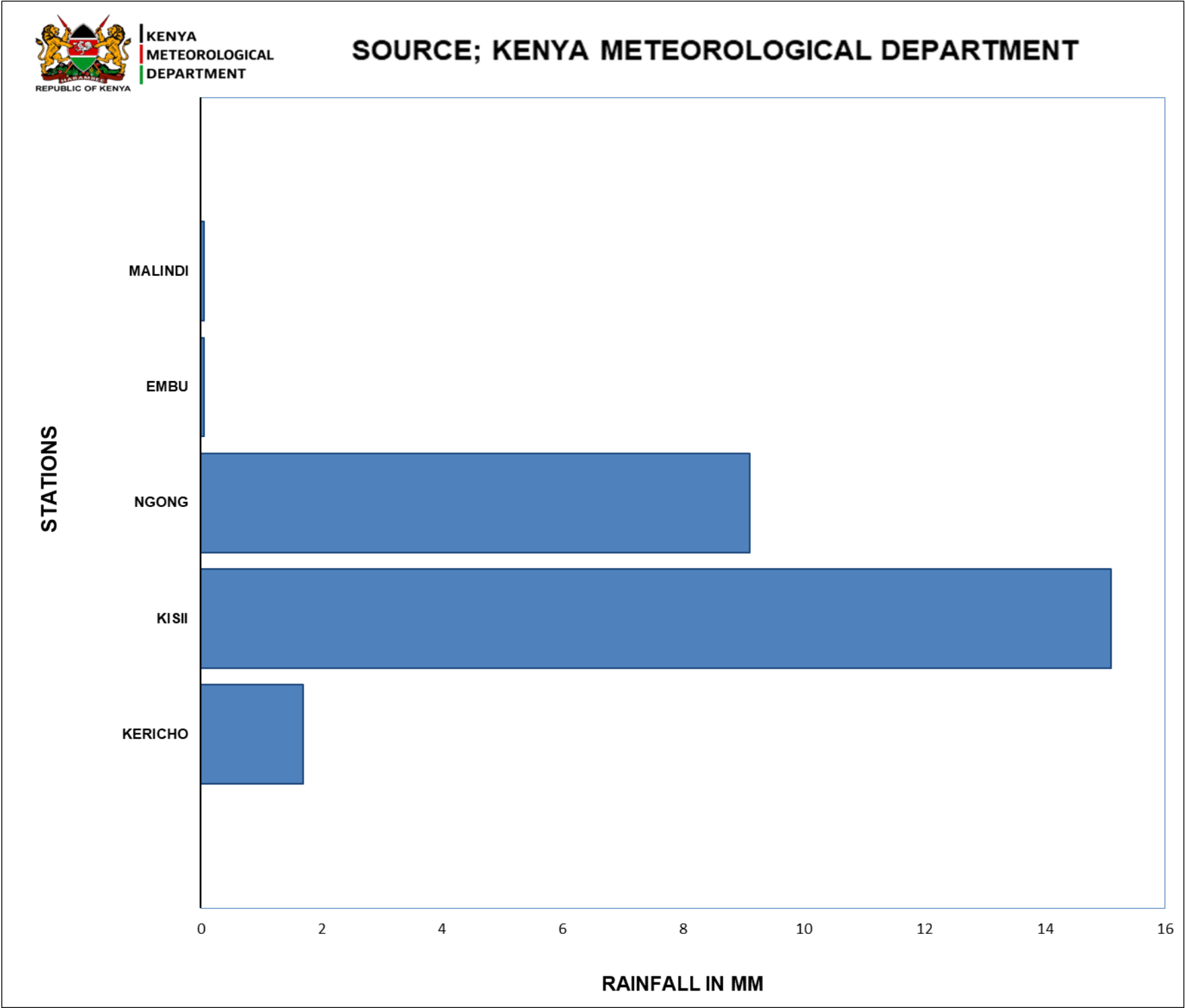
COUNTY	Temperature (°C)		Weather		
	Max	Min	Tonight	Morning	Afternoon
Mombasa	29	22	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Kwale	28	17	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Kilifi	29	21	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Tana River	32	22	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Lamu	30	24	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Taita Taveta	29	15	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Garissa	35	22	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Wajir	34	21	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Mandera	36	24	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Marsabit	25	15	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Isiolo	30	17	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Meru	23	13	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Tharaka-Nithi	26	15	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Embu	26	14	Partly cloudy	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kitui	28	15	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Machakos	25	11	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals
Makueni	30	16	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Nyandarua	20	09	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Light Showers over few places.
Nyeri	23	12	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Kirinyaga	26	14	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Murang'a	27	14	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kiambu	24	11	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals with showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Turkana	35	25	Showers and thunderstorms over few places	Rains over few places, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals with a chance of light showers over few places.
West Pokot	21	13	showers and thunderstorms over few places	Rains over few places.	Showers and thunderstorms over few places
Samburu	30	18	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals with a chance of light rains over few places	Sunny intervals with a chance of light showers over few places
Trans Nzoia	23	12	showers and thunderstorms over few places	Rains over few places, Sunny intervals	Showers over few places
Uasin Gishu	22	12	showers and thunderstorms over few places.	Rains over few places, Sunny intervals.	showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Elgeyo Marakwet	23	11	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Nandi	20	12	showers over few places.	Sunny intervals with a chance of light rains over few places.	showers and thunderstorms over few places.

COUNTY	Temperature (°C)		Weather		
	Max	Min	Tonight	Morning	Afternoon
Baringo	33	21	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, showers over few places.
Laikipia	21	11	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Nakuru	26	13	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Narok	25	13	Partly cloudy with light showers over few places.	Sunny intervals with a chance of light rains over few places.	Sunny intervals, showers over few places.
Kajiado	25	11	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals with a chance of showers over few places.
Kericho	23	11	showers and thunderstorms over few places.	Sunny intervals	showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Bomet	23	12	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals with a chance of showers over few places.
Kakamega	28	15	showers and thunderstorms over few places.	Sunny intervals with light rains over few places.	showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Vihiga	24	14	Partly cloudy, showers and thunderstorms over few places.	Sunny intervals with light rains over few places.	Sunny intervals with showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Bungoma	25	16	Partly cloudy, showers and thunderstorms over few places	Sunny intervals with light rains over few places.	Sunny intervals with showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Busia	26	18	Partly cloudy, showers and thunderstorms over few places	Sunny intervals with a chance of light rains over few places.	Sunny intervals with showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Siaya	26	18	Partly cloudy, showers and thunderstorms over few places	Sunny intervals with a chance of light rains over few places.	Sunny intervals with showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Kisumu	28	18	Partly cloudy, showers and thunderstorms over few places.	Sunny intervals with rains over few places.	Sunny intervals, Showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Homa Bay	27	18	Partly cloudy, Chance of light showers over few places.	Sunny intervals with light rains over few places.	Sunny intervals, Showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Migori	28	18	Partly cloudy, Chance of light showers over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals with a chance of showers over few places.
Kisii	24	15	showers and thunderstorms over few places.	Sunny intervals.	showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Nyamira	25	14	Partly cloudy, showers and thunderstorms over few places	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals with a chance of showers over few places.
Nairobi	26	13	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals with a chance of showers over few places.

PART III: CITIES SUNSET & SUNRISE

	Mombasa	Nairobi	Nakuru	Kisumu	Eldoret
Sunrise	06:30	06:37	06:38	06:43	06:40
Sunset	18:24	18:40	18:44	18:50	18:49

PART IV: RAINFALL REPORTED FROM 9.00 AM 16th JULY TO 9.00 AM 17th JULY 2026



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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.