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DAILY WEATHER FORECAST

Issued on 18th August, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.

VALIDITY: From 9:00 p.m. Tonight to 9:00 p.m. Tomorrow, 19th August, 2026

PART I: WEATHER OUTLOOK ACROSS THE COUNTRY

Rainfall expected in some parts of Migori, Homabay, Narok, Uasin Gishu, Bungoma, Kisii, Nyamira, Bomet, Kericho, Nakuru, Trans-Nzoia, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nandi, Kakamega, Kisumu, Busia, Kisii, Nyeri and Embu counties.

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

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

PART II: SPECIFIC COUNTIES' WEATHER FORECAST

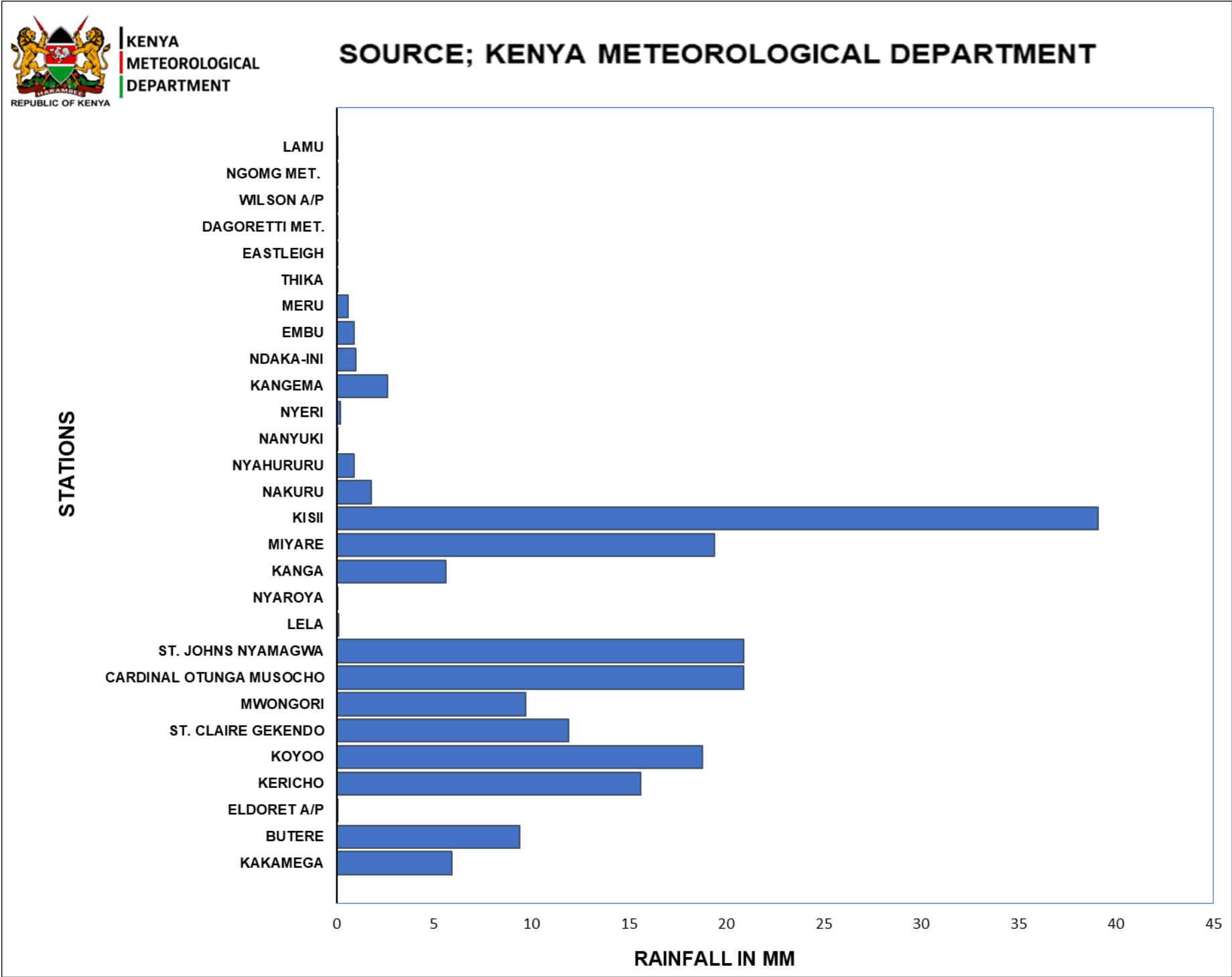
COUNTY	Temperature (°C)		Weather		
	Max	Min	Tonight	Morning	Afternoon
Mombasa	29	23	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kwale	28	21	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kilifi	29	24	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Tana River	32	22	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Lamu	30	24	Partly cloudy, chance of light showers over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Taita Taveta	27	18	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Garissa	33	23	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Wajir	32	23	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Mandera	35	25	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Marsabit	25	16	Partly cloudy.	A chance of light rains (Moyale), Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Isiolo	30	18	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Meru	23	14	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Tharaka-Nithi	23	14	Partly cloudy with a chance of light showers over few places	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals
Embu	23	15	Partly cloudy, light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, Light rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, Light showers likely over few places.
Kitui	25	15	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Machakos	23	14	Partly cloudy	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals
Makueni	26	16	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals.
Nyandarua	17	08	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, Chance of light showers over few places.

COUNTY	Temperature (°C)		Weather		
	Max	Min	Tonight	Morning	Afternoon
Nyeri	21	14	Partly cloudy, light showers expected over few places.	Cloudy, light rains expected over few places	Sunny intervals. light showers expected over few places
Kirinyaga	24	16	Partly cloudy with a chance of light showers over few places	Cloudy, sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Murang'a	24	15	Partly cloudy with a chance of light showers over few places	Cloudy, sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals
Kiambu	22	13	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals
Turkana	35	25	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals
West Pokot	23	14	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Samburu	24	12	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers over few places.
Trans Nzoia	27	12	Partly cloudy, light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Uasin Gishu	23	12	Partly cloudy with a chance of light showers over few places	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Elgeyo Marakwet	21	13	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Nandi	21	12	Partly cloudy with a chance of light showers over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Baringo	23	12	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Laikipia	26	13	Partly cloudy	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Nakuru	25	14	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers expected over few places.
Narok	23	14	Partly cloudy, light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, light rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, light showers expected over few places.
Kajiado	23	14	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kericho	24	12	Partly cloudy, light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Bomet	24	14	Partly cloudy, a chance of light showers over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms likely over few places.
Kakamega	28	15	Partly cloudy, light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, light rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, a chance of light showers and thunderstorms over few places.
Vihiga	27	17	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, a chance of light showers over few places.
Bungoma	28	17	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms likely over few places.
Busia	30	19	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.
Siaya	28	18	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, Chance of light showers over few places.
Kisumu	30	19	Partly cloudy, chance of light showers and thunderstorms few places.	Sunny intervals, light rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.
Homa Bay	30	19	Partly cloudy, Light showers and thunderstorms expected few places.	Light rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Migori	30	18	Partly cloudy, Light showers and thunderstorms expected few places.	Light rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Kisii	27	16	Partly cloudy, light showers and thunderstorms expected few places.	Moderate rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Nyamira	25	15	Partly cloudy.	A chance of light rains over few places, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers likely over few places.
Nairobi	23	13	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Light rains expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, Light showers expected over few places.

PART III: CITIES SUNSET & SUNRISE

	Mombasa	Nairobi	Nakuru	Kisumu	Eldoret
Sunrise	06:25	06:34	06:36	06:41	06:38
Sunset	18:24	18:38	18:42	18:47	18:46

PART IV: RAINFALL REPORTED FROM 9:00 AM 17TH AUGUST TO 9:00 AM 18TH AUGUST 2026



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