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DAILY WEATHER FORECAST

Issued on 19th October 2026 at 3:00 pm
VALIDITY: From 9:00 pm Tonight to 9:00 pm Tomorrow, 20th October 2026

PART I: WEATHER OUTLOOK ACROSS THE COUNTRY

Rainfall is expected in Marsabit, Isiolo, Bungoma, Trans Nzoia, West Pokot, Turkana, Uasin Gishu, Kakamega, Kericho, Kisumu, Siaya, Vihiga, Nandi, Bomet, Baringo, Migori, Kisii, Nyamira, Homabay, Busia, Nakuru, Embu, Narok, Mombasa, Kwale, Meru, Nyeri and Nyandarua counties.

Strong southerly to southeasterly winds of above 25 knots (12.5m/s) expected over parts of Turkana, Samburu, Marsabit, Isiolo and Tana River Counties.

PART II: COUNTIES' WEATHER FORECAST

COUNTY	*Temperature (°C)*		*Weather*		
	Max	**Min**	**Tonight**	**Morning**	**Afternoon**
Mombasa	31	25	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kwale	31	21	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kilifi	32	24	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Tana River	33	24	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Lamu	30	26	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Taita Taveta	33	18	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Garissa	36	25	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Wajir	36	25	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Mandera	37	25	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Marsabit	29	18	Partly cloudy.	Light rains likely over few places, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Isiolo	32	18	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers likely over few places.
Meru	25	16	Partly cloudy, Light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers likely over few places.
Tharaka-Nithi	28	17	Partly cloudy, Light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Embu	28	16	Partly cloudy, Light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kitui	31	19	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Machakos	28	16	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Makueni	32	18	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Nyandarua	24	10	Partly cloudy, Light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Nyeri	25	14	Partly cloudy, Light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers likely over few places.

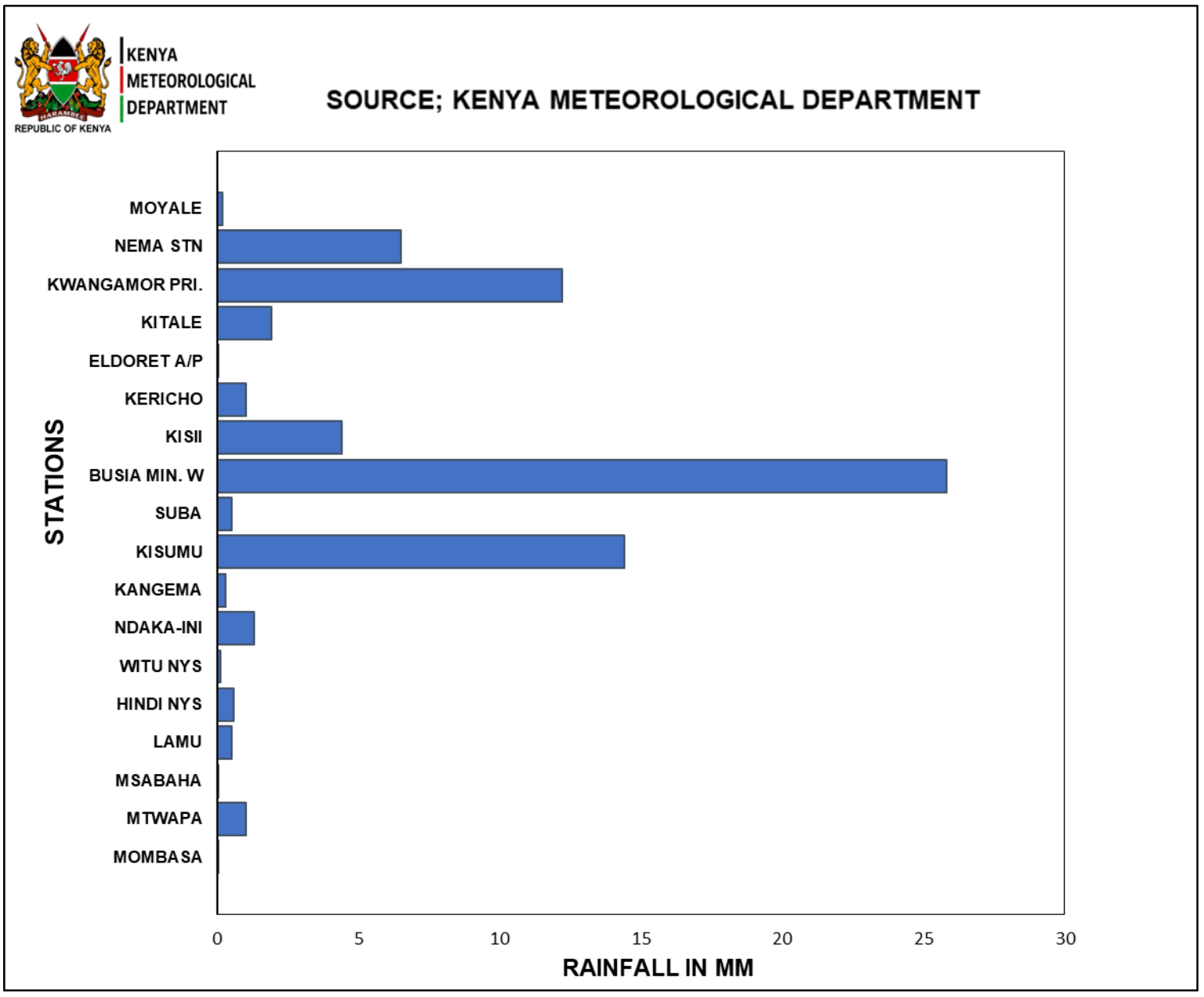
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	Max	**Min**	**Tonight**	**Morning**	**Afternoon**
Kirinyaga	28	17	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Murang'a	30	18	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kiambu	27	16	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Turkana	38	27	Partly cloudy, Light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
West Pokot	26	15	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers likely over few places.
Samburu	26	14	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Trans Nzoia	27	15	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Uasin Gishu	26	14	Partly cloudy, light showers likely over few places	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms likely over few places.
Elgeyo Marakwet	25	12	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Nandi	26	15	Light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over several places.
Baringo	27	15	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals with a chance of light showers over few places.
Laikipia	27	14	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, Light showers likely over few places.
Nakuru	26	15	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Narok	28	15	Partly cloudy, light showers likely over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, Light showers and thunderstorms likely over few places.
Kajiado	29	16	Partly cloudy.	Cloudy, Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.
Kericho	23	12	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over several places.
Bomet	27	13	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Kakamega	28	17	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over several places.
Vihiga	27	17	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over Several places.
Bungoma	29	19	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over several places.
Busia	31	20	Partly cloudy, Light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals, Light rains expected over few places.	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Siaya	30	20	Partly cloudy, Light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Kisumu	30	21	Light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Homa Bay	31	21	Light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, light showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Migori	29	19	Partly cloudy, Light showers expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals, Showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.
Kisii	27	17	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over few places.	Sunny intervals.	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over several places.
Nyamira	26	14	Light showers expected over few places	Sunny intervals.	Moderate showers and thunderstorms expected over several places.
Nairobi	28	17	Partly cloudy.	Sunny intervals.	Sunny intervals.

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PART III: CITIES SUNSET & SUNRISE

	Mombasa	Nairobi	Nakuru	Kisumu	Eldoret
Sunrise	05:59	06:13	06:16	06:22	06:20
Sunset	18:12	18:21	18:24	18:29	18:26

PART IV: RAINFALL REPORTED FROM 9:00 AM 18TH OCTOBER TO 9:00 AM 19TH OCTOBER 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

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