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# KAJIADO WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST

**Date of issue: Monday 9nd November 2026**

**Period of forecast: Week 45 / 52_2026 from Tuesday 10th November to Monday 16th November 2026**

**General outlook for the week:**

Rainfall is expected over most parts of Kajiado County during the forecast period, with increased intensity and episodes of heavy rainfall anticipated around the middle of the week.

***Winds**: to experience moderate to strong Easterly at about (3 - 12 m/s)*

✓ *Temperature: The Maximum temperatures expected to range from 24 - 34$^0$C. Minimum temperatures from 16 - 22$^0$C*

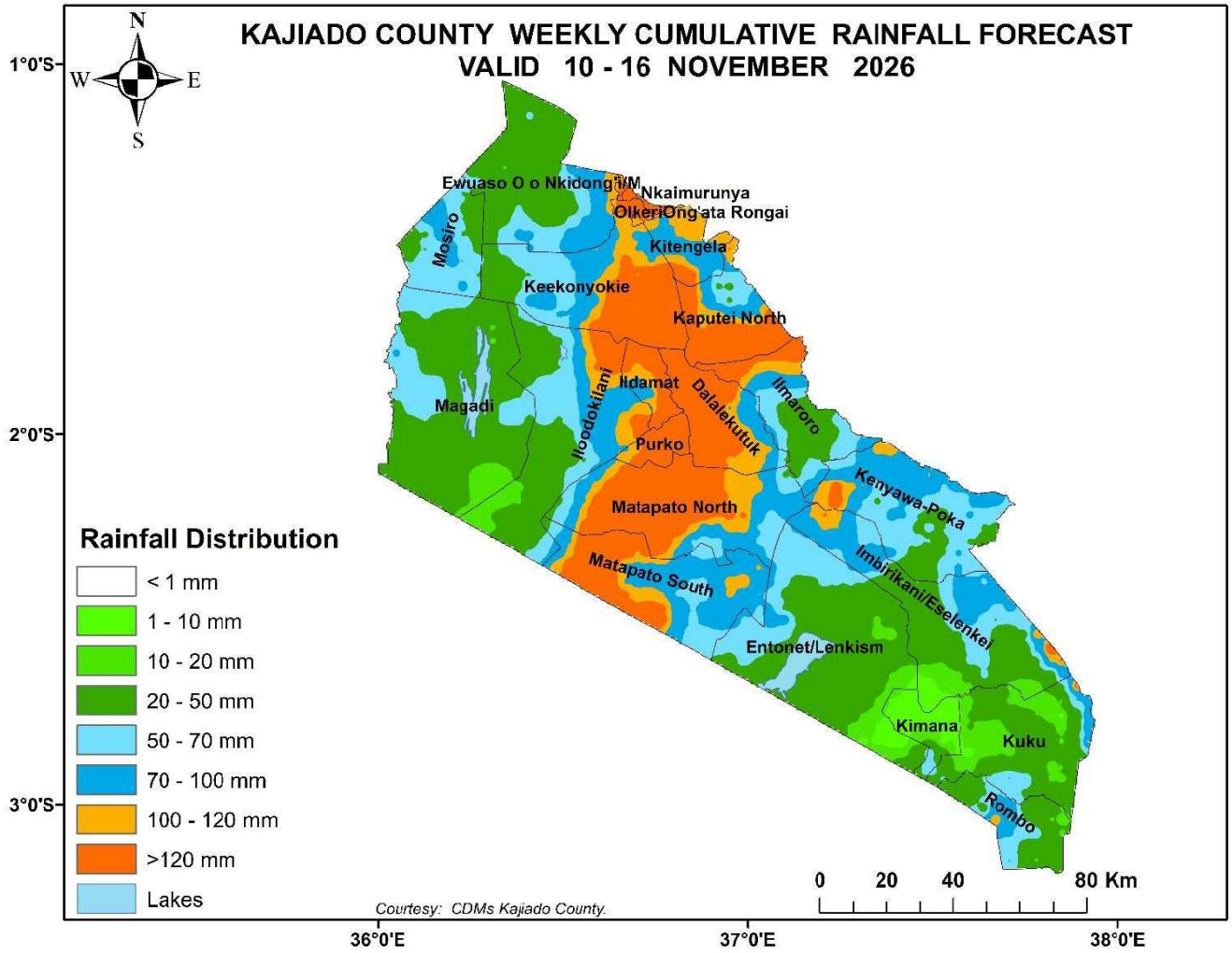
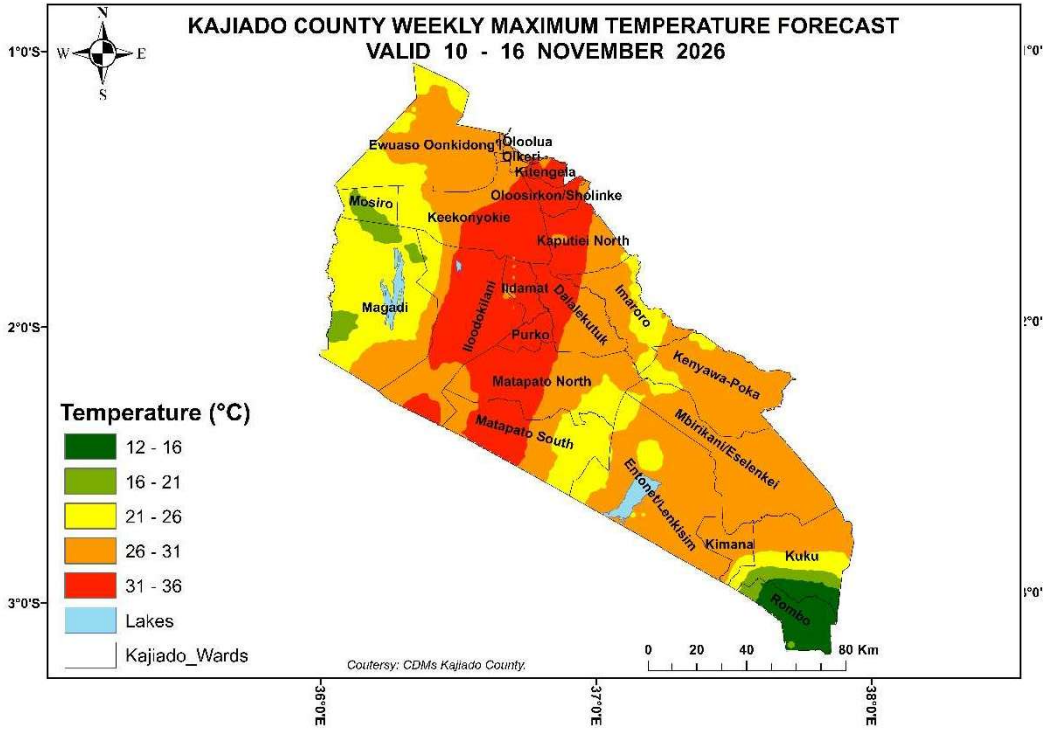



*Figure 1: Forecasted seven-day total rainfall for 10 - 16 Nov 2026*



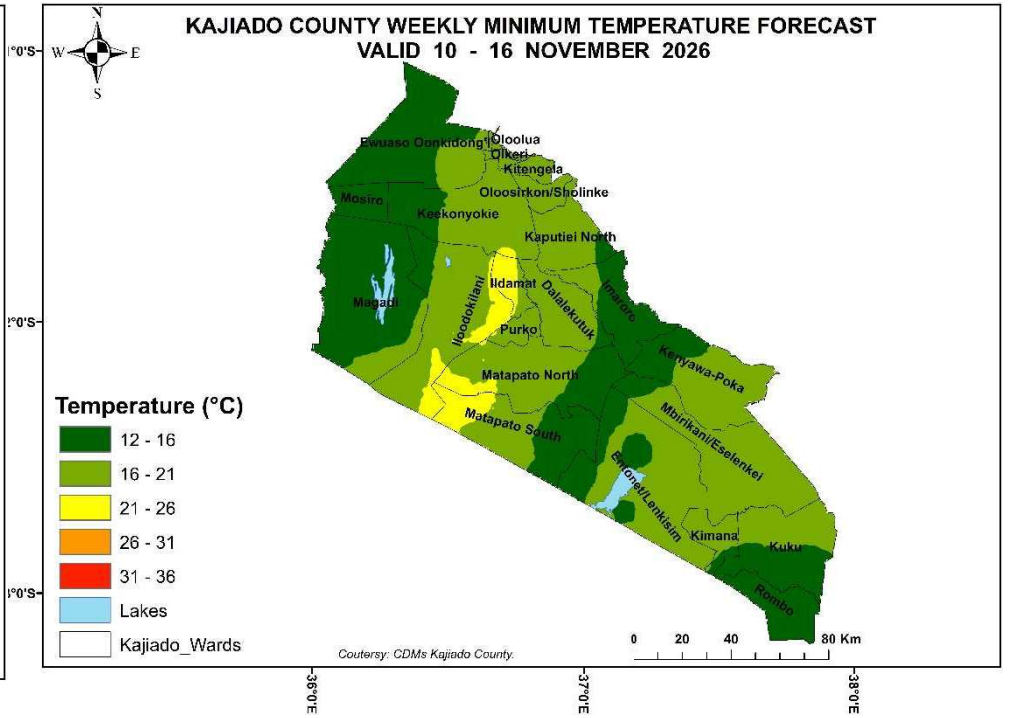




***Figure 2: Fore casted average Maximum Temperatures for 10 – 16 Nov 2026***

***Figure 3: Forecasted average Minimum Temperatures for 10 - 16 Nov 2026***

***Kajiado County comprise of three homogeneous zone categorized as Upper, Middle and Lower zones based on topography as indicated below:***

| PLACES | TIME | Tuesday 10 / 11 / 2026 | Wednesday 11 / 11 / 2026 | Thursday 12 / 11 / 2026 | Friday 13 / 11 / 2026 | Saturday 14 / 11 / 2026 | Sunday 15 / 11 / 2026 | Monday 16 / 11 / 2026 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| The **UPPER ZONES:** Comprise of: **Kajiado Central** (Matapato North, Matapato South wards), **Kajiado East** (Oloorsirkon/Sholinke ward), **Kajiado South** (Rombo, Kimana and Kuku wards) and **Kajiado North** (Ngong, Oloolua, Olkeri , Nkaimurunya and Ongata Rongai wards) | Morning (6am - noon) | Cloudy and Sunny internals | Light rains | Moderate showers | Light rains | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers |
| | Afternoon, Evening (Noon - 9pm) | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms |
| | Night (9pm - 6am) | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Heavy showers | Heavy showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers |
| | Rainfall distribution | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places |
| | Temperatures (Min-Max in °C) | 15-27°C | 16-26°C | 16-25°C | 15-24°C | 16-25°C | 16-26°C | 16-25°C |
| | Hazards | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| The **MIDDLE ZONES**: Comprise of: **Kajiado Central** (Dalalekutuk, Ildamat, Purko, wards); **Kajiado west** (Keekonyoike, Mosiro, Ewuaso Nkidong' and Iloodokilani wards); **Kajiado East** (Kaputiei North, Kitengela and Imaroro wards), | Morning (6am - noon) | Cloudy and Sunny internals | Light rains | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers |
| | Afternoon, Evening (Noon - 9pm) | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms |
| | Night (9pm - 6am) | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Heavy showers | Heavy showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers |
| | Rainfall distribution | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places |
| | Temperatures (Min-Max in °C) | 16-27°C | 17-28°C | 16-26°C | 17-25°C | 16-25°C | 16-25°C | 17-25°C |
| | Hazards | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber |
| The **LOWER ZONES: C**omprise Kajiado **west** (Magadi ward); **Kajiado East** (Kenyawa Poka ward) and **Kajiado South** (Mbirikani/Eselenkei, Entonet/Lenkism wards). | Morning (6am - noon) | Cloudy and Sunny internals | Cloudy and Sunny internals | Cloudy and Sunny internals | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Cloudy and Sunny internals | Moderate showers |
| | Afternoon, Evening (Noon - 9pm) | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms | showers and thunderstorms |
| | Night (9pm - 6am) | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Heavy showers | Heavy showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers | Moderate showers |
| | Rainfall distribution | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places | Several places |
| | Temperatures (Min-Max in °C) | 17 - 34°C | 17 - 34°C | 17 - 34°C | 17 - 34°C | 17 - 34°C | 17 - 34°C | 17 - 33°C |
| | Hazards | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber | Amber |

- *Key to rainfall distribution symbols:* *No rain likely to fall,* *rain likely to fall in few places (less than 33%),* *rain likely to fall in several places (33% -67%),* *rain likely to fall in most places (more than 67%):* **Green** – No weather-related hazards are expected; Amber Thunderstorms & lightning

## Commentary of County Weather forecaster:

1. Rainfall is expected over most parts of Kajiado County during the forecast period, with increased intensity and episodes of heavy rainfall anticipated around the middle of the week.
2. Residents are advised to remain alert to possible flash floods, especially in low-lying areas, near seasonal rivers and other flood-prone locations. Farmers and pastoralists are encouraged to take advantage of the anticipated rainfall while observing appropriate precautions.
3. The temperatures are expected to range from 16 – 34$^{0}$C
4. Winds: Some areas shall experience moderate to strong Easterly breeze at 3 - 12 m/s.
5. Expert advice may be obtained from the County department of Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary, Public Health and Education offices, among others and take advantage of the prevailing and expected conditions. S t a y safe and thank you.

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***NB: This forecast should be used in conjunction with the daily (24-hour) forecast issued by KMD.***

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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. |

| *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* | *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* | *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* | *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. |