



**MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES**



WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 5th OCTOBER 2026.

SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Expect windy and generally partly cloudy conditions with isolated thunderstorms and patches of fog mainly over highlands due to an unstable easterly air mass over the country.

SHIRE VALLEY (areas along Shire River and around Lake Chiuta and Chilwa)

Expect cloudy and mild conditions over most areas tonight and during the morning. Cloudy to partly cloudy and hot weather is expected during the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu Min.20°C and Max.31°C

SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS (Shire highlands, Kirk Range up to Dedza i.e. Ntcheu, Neno, Mwanza, Mulanje, Thyolo, Zomba, Chiradzulu, Phalombe and Blantyre)

Expect cloudy and patches of fog over some areas tonight and during the morning. Mostly cloudy with locally light rain showers and warm conditions in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre Min.16°C and Max.26°C

CENTRAL AREAS (Lilongwe, Mchinji, Ntchisi, Dowa, Kasungu and part of Mzimba District)

Cloudy and occasional windy conditions tonight and during the morning. Expect cloudy to partly cloudy and warm conditions in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe Min.15°C and Max.26°C

LAKESHORE AREAS (Mangochi, Salima, Nkhotakota, Nkhata Bay, Likoma, Karonga)

Expect mostly cloudy with mild conditions tonight and during the morning. Generally partly cloudy with hot conditions in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi Min.21°C and Max.31°C

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Expect strong winds over land, mostly cloudy conditions with isolated light rain showers over few areas tonight and during the morning. Strong winds and partly cloudy conditions in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu Min.14°C and Max.25°C

WINDS: North-Easterlies

FORECAST FOR TUESDAY: Partly cloudy and warm conditions...

TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 5th OCTOBER 2026.

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:25	17:39	12:14
LILONGWE	05:25	17:41	12:16
BLANTYRE	05:19	17:37	12:17