



**FIVE DAY WEATHER FORECAST**

Issued on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2024; Valid until 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2024

**Key:** Warning level

<b>Likelihood</b>	<b>High</b>		2	6	10
	<b>Medium</b>		1	<b>5</b>	9
	<b>Low</b>			4	8
	<b>Very low</b>			3	7
		<b>Minimal</b>	<b>Minor</b>	<b>Significant</b>	<b>Severe</b>
	<b>Impact</b>				

**SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE**

Expect **windy, dusty, sunny and hot conditions** due to the influence of warm easterly air mass.

**ADVISORY:** Stay cool and hydrated by drinking plenty of water.

REGION	WEATHER ELEMENT	17 <sup>th</sup>	18 <sup>th</sup>	19 <sup>th</sup>	20 <sup>th</sup>	21 <sup>st</sup>
		SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER	SEPTEMBER
<b>SHIRE VALLEY</b> (areas along Shire River and around Lake Chiuta and Chilwa)	Weather					
		Sunny, very hot				
	Maximum Temperature(°C)	40	39	39	41	41
	Minimum Temperature(°C)	24	23	24	24	24
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	22	22	12	15	25
	Wind Direction	E	NE	SE	E	SE
		<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>			<b>WINDY</b>
<b>SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS</b> (Shire highlands, Kirk Range up to Dedza)	Weather					
		Sunny, hot				
	Maximum Temperature(°C)	32	32	33	33	32
	Minimum Temperature(°C)	19	19	21	23	21
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	25	25	22	22	18
	Wind Direction	E	NE	E	NE	NE
		<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>



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<b>CENTRAL AREAS</b> (Lilongwe, Mchinji, Ntchisi, Dowa, Kasungu and part of Mzimba District)	Weather					
		Sunny, hot				
	Maximum Temperature(°C)	31	31	31	31	31
	Minimum Temperature(°C)	16	17	15	16	17
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	18	18	18	18	22
	Wind Direction	E	NE	NE	NE	E
		<b>WINDY &amp; DUSTY</b>				
<b>LAKESHORE AREAS</b> (Mangochi, Salima, Nkhotakota, Nkhata Bay, Likoma, Karonga)	Weather					
		Sunny, hot				
	Maximum Temperature(°C)	36	36	38	37	37
	Minimum Temperature(°C)	21	22	24	23	24
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	22	22	18	15	18
	Wind Direction	NE	E	NE	NE	NE
		<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>		<b>WINDY</b>
<b>NORTHERN AREAS</b> (all areas in the north except lakeshore)	Weather					
		Sunny, hot				
	Maximum Temperature(°C)	27	27	28	29	29
	Minimum Temperature(°C)	13	13	14	14	13
	Wind Speed (Km/h)	18	18	15	15	15
	Wind Direction	SE	SE	S	SE	SE
		<b>WINDY</b>	<b>WINDY</b>			

**Next to be issued on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2024. For further information, please contact:** The Director, Department of Climate Change and Meteorological Services, Ministry of Natural Resources and Climate Change, P. O. Box 1808, Blantyre, Malawi. Tel: (265) 995 155 050; Email: [metmalawi.gov.mw](mailto:metmalawi.gov.mw), Website: [www.metmalawi.gov.mw](http://www.metmalawi.gov.mw)