

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



WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 26TH OCTOBER, 2024 SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Expect predominantly dry, mostly sunny, and **uncomfortably hot weather** due to the influence of warm easterly air mass.

WARNING: A heatwave, associated with a prolonged period of hot and uncomfortable weather, is expected to affect most southern areas for the next six days, from Friday, 25th October, to Wednesday, 30th October 2024. Therefore, stay hydrated and cool by drinking plenty of water.

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

Warm conditions tonight and tomorrow morning. Dry, sunny and **very hot weather** tomorrow afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu Min.26°C and Max.40°C

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

Generally warm conditions tonight and tomorrow morning. Expect predominantly dry and **hot weather** tomorrow afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre Min.23°C and Max.33°C

<u>CENTRAL AREAS</u> (Lilongwe, Mchinji, Ntchisi, Dowa, Kasungu and part of Mzimba District) **Mild conditions** tonight and tomorrow morning. Dry and **hot weather** tomorrow afternoon. **Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe Min.19°C and Max.33°C**

LAKESHORE AREAS (Mangochi, Salima, Nkhotakota, Nkhata Bay, Likoma, Karonga)
Warm weather tonight and tomorrow morning. Mostly sunny and very hot tomorrow afternoon.
Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi Min. 25°C and Max.37°C

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Cool conditions tonight and tomorrow morning. Mostly sunny and **hot weather** tomorrow afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu Min. 15°C and Max.30°C

WINDS: Generally north easterlies...

FORECAST FOR SUNDAY: Expect uncomfortably hot weather ...

TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 26TH OCTOBER, 2024

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:14	17:43	12:29
LILONGWE	05:13	17:45	12:32
BLANTYRE	05:06	17:42	12:36

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