

MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHANGE

DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES



WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 05TH MARCH 2025 SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Expect localized rain and thunderstorms with heavy episodes mainly over northern areas due to the influence of a broad Equatorial trough.

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

Expect mild conditions tonight and during morning. Partly cloudy and hot conditions with isolated rains in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu Min.24°C and Max.32°C

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

Partly cloudy conditions with a chance of rains tonight and in the morning. Expect warm conditions with localized rains in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre Min.19°C and Max.26°C

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

Expect partly cloudy conditions with isolated rain and thunderstorms tonight and during morning. **Hot conditions with localised rain and thunderstorms** in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe Min.18°C and Max.27°C

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

Cloudy conditions with locally heavy rain and thunderstorms mainly over the north tonight and during morning. Expect windy and cloudy conditions with isolated rain in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi Min. 23°C and Max.29°C

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Cloudy conditions with localised rain and thunderstorms tonight and in the morning. Expect windy and cloudy coupled with locally heavy rain and thunderstorms later in the day.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu Min. 18°C and Max.24°C

WINDS: Generally south easterlies but gusty in stormy areas...

FORECAST FOR THURSDAY: Localized rain and thunderstorms...

TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 05TH MARCH, 2025.

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:47	18:05	12:18
LILONGWE	05:47	18:08	12:21
BLANTYRE	05:41	18:03	12:22

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