



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

WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 5TH APRIL 2025

SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Some northern and lakeshore areas are expected to continue experiencing thunderstorms with significant rainfall, due to the rain-belt that is likely to remain active over these areas. However, most southern and central areas will experience partly cloudy and slightly hot conditions.

ADVISORY: Mwera winds are likely to blow over **Lake Malawi and other lake water bodies** until Sunday, 6th April 2025. All lake users are therefore advised to take the necessary precautions to avoid loss of life and property.

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

Expect warm conditions tonight and tomorrow morning. Mostly sunny and hot weather tomorrow afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu Min.25°C and Max.35°C

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

Windy and cool weather tonight and tomorrow morning. Expect partly cloudy and warm conditions tomorrow afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre Min.17°C and Max.26°C

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

Partly cloudy and cool weather tonight and tomorrow morning. Partly cloudy and warm conditions with isolated rain tomorrow afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe Min.16°C and Max.27°C

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

Windy conditions with thunderstorms accompanied by locally heavy rain tonight and tomorrow morning. Windy conditions with localised rain tomorrow afternoon. **Threat of Flash floods remains high over lakeshore areas.**

Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi Min. 23°C and Max.31°C

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Cloudy conditions with fog patches and rain tonight and tomorrow morning. Cloudy and warm conditions with rain tomorrow afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu Min. 17°C and Max.26°C

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

FORECAST FOR SUNDAY: Localised rain mainly over northern and lakeshore areas...
TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 5TH APRIL, 2025.

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:48	17:46	11:58
LILONGWE	05:50	17:46	11:56
BLANTYRE	05:46	17:39	11:53

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