



WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 19TH APRIL 2025

SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Expect windy and cloudy conditions with scattered thunderstorms and locally heavy rain, due to a high-pressure system expected to continue enhancing the rain-belt over Malawi.

WARNING: The threat of flash floods is still high over lakeshore areas such as Nkhata Bay and Karonga **over the weekend.** Mwera winds will continue blowing over Lake Malawi and other lake water bodies. **Therefore, stay alert!**

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

Expect **windy and cloudy with patches of fog and light rains** tonight and during morning. Windy and cloudy conditions with **isolated rain** in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu **Min.21°C** and **Max.28°C**

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

Windy and cloudy with **fog patches and locally heavy rain** tonight and in the morning. **Windy and cloudy with isolated rain** during afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre **Min.17°C** and **Max.24°C**

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

Expect **cloudy and windy conditions with rain over few areas** tonight and during morning. Windy and cloudy conditions with **isolated rain** in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe **Min.17°C** and **Max.25°C**

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

Expect **windy and cloudy conditions with thunderstorms accompanied by heavy rain** tonight and during morning. **Windy and cloudy with localized thunderstorms and rain** mainly over the north in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi **Min.20°C** and **Max.28°C**

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Windy and cloudy conditions with localised rain tonight and tomorrow morning. Expect windy and cloudy with rain in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu **Min.17°C** and **Max.22°C**

WINDS: South easterlies but gusty in stormy areas...

FORECAST FOR SUNDAY: Partly cloudy with locally heavy rains over the north...

TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 19TH APRIL, 2025.

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:49	17:38	11:49
LILONGWE	05:53	17:37	11:44
BLANTYRE	05:48	17:30	11:42

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