



MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DEPARTMENT OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

WEATHER FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW 13TH JANUARY 2026.

SYNOPSIS AND INFERENCE:

Expect mostly cloudy and warm to hot conditions coupled with isolated thunderstorms and rains due to the continued influence of warm and fairly-moist northeasterly air mass.

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

Generally warm conditions tonight and during the morning. Partly cloudy and hot conditions with localised thunderstorms in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Ngabu Min.26°C and Max.33°C

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

Mostly cloudy, occasionally windy and mild conditions tonight and during morning. Expect mostly cloudy, occasionally windy conditions with a chance of isolated rain in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Blantyre Min.20°C and Max.28°C

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

Expect mostly cloudy, occasionally windy and mild conditions with isolated rain tonight and during morning. Mostly cloudy, occasionally windy conditions with a chance of isolated rains over few areas in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Lilongwe Min.18°C and Max.26°C

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

Mostly cloudy and mild conditions with a chance of isolated thunderstorms and rains tonight and during morning. Expect cloudy and hot conditions with a chance of rains over few areas in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mangochi Min.22°C and Max.29°C

NORTHERN AREAS (all areas in the north except lakeshore)

Expect mostly cloudy and mild conditions tonight and during morning. Mostly cloudy and warm conditions with a chance of rain over few areas in the afternoon.

Forecast Temperatures: Mzuzu Min.18°C and Max.26°C

WINDS: Generally Northeasterlies but gusty in stormy areas...

FORECAST FOR WEDNESDAY: Partly cloudy with isolated thunderstorms...

TIMES FOR SUNRISE AND SUNSET FOR TOMORROW 13TH JANUARY 2026.

CITY	SUNRISE	SUNSET	DAY LIGHT LENGTH
MZUZU	05:30	18:14	12:44
LILONGWE	05:27	18:19	12:52
BLANTYRE	05:19	18:17	12:58

For further information, contact: The Director, Department of Climate Change and Meteorological Services
P.O. Box 1808, Blantyre. Tel: +265 882 266 579 Tel/WhatsApp: +265 995 155 050 Fax: (265) -1- 822 215