



**NIGERIAN METEOROLOGICAL AGENCY**

**Central Forecast Office (CFO)**

**WEATHER OUTLOOK ISSUED 23.09.2024 AND**

**VALID 00:00 24.09.2024 TO 23:59 26.09.2024**

**FORECAST OUTLOOK:**

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup>:** In the Northern region, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Gombe, Jigawa, Bauchi, Taraba, Kano, Katsina, Adamawa and Kaduna states during the morning hours. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over most places. In the North Central region, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Kogi, Plateau, the Federal Capital Territory, Benue and Kwara states during the morning hours. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over the Federal Capital Territory, Nasarawa, Kwara, Niger, Plateau and Benue states. In the Southern region, there are prospects of thunderstorms over parts of Ebonyi, Imo, Abia, Enugu, Imo, Anambra, Cross River, Rivers, Akwa Ibom, Delta and Bayelsa states during the morning hours. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Ekiti, Ondo, Oyo, Edo, Ogun, Osun, Cross River, Rivers, Akwa Ibom and Delta states.

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>:** In the Northern region, thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of Taraba, Adamawa, Katsina and Kaduna states in the morning hours. In the afternoon into evening hours, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Borno, Taraba, Bauchi, Zamfara and Sokoto states. In the North Central region, there are prospects of thunderstorms over parts of Benue, Plateau, Niger, Kwara and Nasarawa states during the morning hours, while in the afternoon into evening hours, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Niger, Plateau and Kwara states. In the Southern region, thunderstorms are expected over part of Abia, Ebonyi, Oyo, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states during the morning hours. Progressing into the afternoon/evening hours, thunderstorms are envisaged over most places.

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>:** In the Northern region, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Sokoto, Kebbi, Kaduna, Katsina, Kano, Gombe and Adamawa states in the morning hours. Later in the day, thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of Borno, Kano, Kaduna, Taraba and Adamawa states. In the North Central region, morning thunderstorms are expected over parts of Kwara, Kogi and Niger states. Later in the day,

thunderstorms are expected over parts of Plateau, Nasarawa and Kano states. In the Southern region, cloudy skies are anticipated over most places in the morning hours. Later in the day, isolated thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of Imo, Abia, Bayelsa, Rivers, Akwa Ibom and Cross River states.

**Advisory:**

- i. High likelihood of urban flooding in major cities due to heavy downpours. Residents are advised to avoid flood-prone areas
- ii. Strong winds may precede the rains in areas where thunderstorms are likely to occur, public should take adequate precaution.
- iii. Adhere to safety advisories issued by relevant authorities.
- iv. Public and Airline operators are advised to get updated weather reports and forecast from NiMet for effective planning in their operations.
- v. Residents are advised to stay informed through weather updates from NiMet. Visit our website [www.nimet.gov.ng](http://www.nimet.gov.ng)