



NIGERIAN METEOROLOGICAL AGENCY

Central Forecast Office (CFO)

WEATHER OUTLOOK ISSUED ON 25.04.2025 AND

VALID 00:00 26.04.2025 TO 23:59 28.04.2025

FORECAST OUTLOOK:

Saturday 26th: In the Northern region, Moderate dust haze with visibility range of 2-5km is expected over parts of Zamfara, Katsina, Kano, Yobe, Jigawa and Borno states with likelihood of visibilities less than or equal to 1km throughout the forecast period, while the rest of the region is expected to experience sunny skies with prospects of afternoon/evening isolated thunderstorms over parts of southern Kaduna, Gombe, Bauchi, Adamawa and Taraba states. Sunny skies with few patches of clouds are anticipated over the North Central region with prospects of afternoon/evening isolated thunderstorms over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Nasarawa, Benue, Niger, Kogi, Kwara and Plateau states. In the Southern region, cloudy skies are expected with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of Ogun, Ondo, Edo, Delta, Lagos, Rivers, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states. In the afternoon/evening periods, thunderstorms are expected over most parts of the regions.

Sunday 27th: Sunny and hazy skies are envisaged over the Northern region with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of Taraba state. Later in the day, thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of Taraba, Kaduna, Bauchi and Gombe states. Sunny skies with few clouds are expected across the North Central region with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of Kogi state. Later in the day, thunderstorms are anticipated over most parts of the region. In the Southern region, cloudy skies are expected with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of Imo, Bayelsa, Delta, Lagos, Rivers, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states. In the afternoon/evening periods, thunderstorms are expected over most parts of the regions.

Monday 28th: Sunny skies are expected over the Northern region with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of southern Bauchi, Taraba and Kaduna states. Later in the day, thunderstorms are anticipated

over parts of Gombe, Kaduna, Adamawa and Taraba states. Sunny skies with few clouds are expected over the North Central region with chances of morning thunderstorms over parts of the Federal Capital Territory Plateau, Nasarawa and Kogi states. Later in the day, thunderstorms are anticipated over most parts of the region. In the Southern region, cloudy skies are anticipated during the morning hours with chances of isolated thunderstorms over parts of Ogun, Edo, Lagos, Cross River, Akwa Ibom, Bayelsa and Delta states. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over most parts of the region.

Advisory:

- i. Temperatures are high over most parts of the country, putting people at risk of heat stress; people should stay in well-ventilated and cool spaces.
- ii. Drink plenty water to stay hydrated.
- iii. Get vaccinated against meningitis, practice good hygiene by washing hands regularly, avoid overcrowding in small spaces, use a nose mask to reduce chances of infection and avoid close contact with those affected.
- iv. Avoid peak sun hours (12pm – 3pm) and protect yourselves from undue exposure to direct sunlight.
- v. Strong winds may precede the rains in areas where thunderstorms are likely to occur, public should take adequate precaution.
- vi. Airline operators are advised to get airport-specific weather reports (flight documentation) from NiMet for effective planning in their operations.
- vii. Residents are advised to stay informed through weather updates from NiMet. Visit our website www.nimet.gov.ng