

Weather Outlook

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Valid 00:00UTC 20/01/2026 Till 23:59UTC 22/01/2026.

Day 1: Tuesday 20th January, 2026.

Northern Region:

Moderate dust haze is anticipated over parts of Kebbi, Katsina, Sokoto, Yelwa and Kano state with horizontal visibility of 2-5km, while the rest of the northern states would be under Sunny and hazy skies throughout the forecast period.

Central Region:

Sunny skies with a few patches of cloud are anticipated over the North Central region throughout the forecast period.

Southern Region:

Sunny skies with a few patches of cloud are anticipated over the region with prospects of morning thunderstorms over Lagos, Southern Ogun and Bayelsa states. Later in the day, thunderstorms with light rains are anticipated over parts of Bayelsa, Lagos, Cross River, Ogun, Ondo, Osun, Oyo, Imo, Ebonyi, Rivers, Edo, Delta and Akwa Ibom states.

Day 2: Wednesday 21st January, 2026.

Northern Region:

Sunny and hazy skies are anticipated over the region throughout the forecast period.

Central Region:

Sunny skies with a few patches of cloud are anticipated over the North Central region throughout the forecast period.

Southern Region:

Sunny skies with a few patches of cloud are anticipated over the region with prospects of morning thunderstorms over Imo, Abia, Ebonyi, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states. Later in the day, thunderstorms with light rains are anticipated over parts of Bayelsa, Lagos, Cross River, Ogun, Ondo, Osun, Oyo, Imo, Ebonyi, Rivers, Edo, Delta and Akwa Ibom states.

Day 3: Thursday 22nd January, 2026.

Northern Region:

Sunny and hazy skies are anticipated over the region throughout the forecast period.

Central Region:

Sunny skies with a few patches of cloud are anticipated over the North Central region throughout the forecast period

Southern Region:

Sunny skies with a few patches of cloud are anticipated over the region with chances of afternoon/evening thunderstorms with light rains over parts of Oyo, Ogun, Ondo, Edo, Bayelsa, Rivers, Lagos, Delta, Cross River, Ekiti, Imo, Abia, Osun and Akwa Ibom states.

Advisory

- i. Dust particles are in suspension; the public should take necessary precaution.
- ii. People with Asthmatic health condition and other respiratory issues should be cautious of the present weather condition.
- iii. Driving under rain should be with caution.
- iv. Airline operators are advised to get airport-specific weather reports (flight documentation) 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.