



Weather Outlook

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Day 1: Wednesday 6th May, 2026.

Northern Region:

Sunny skies with patches of clouds are anticipated over the region during the morning hours. Isolated thunderstorms accompanied with light to moderate rains are expected over southern parts of Adamawa, Taraba and southern Kaduna states during the afternoon/evening hours.

North Central Region:

Sunny skies with few clouds are anticipated over the region during the morning period. Later in the afternoon/evening hours, thunderstorms accompanied with light rains are anticipated over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Benue, Kwara, Plateau, Nasarawa, Kogi, Niger and Benue states.

Southern Region:

Cloudy atmosphere with intervals of sunshine is expected over the region during the morning hours with chances of isolated thunderstorms with light rains over parts of Lagos, Ogun, Ondo, Edo, Bayelsa, Akwa Ibom, Rivers, Delta and Cross River states. There are prospects of thunderstorms accompanied by moderate rains over the entire region during the afternoon/evening hours.

Day 2: Thursday 7th May, 2026.

Northern Region:

Sunny skies with patches of clouds are anticipated over the region with chances of Isolated thunderstorms accompanied with light rains over parts of southern Taraba during the morning hours. There are chances of isolated thunderstorms accompanied moderate rains over parts of Taraba and Adamawa states during the afternoon/evening hours.

North Central Region:

Sunny skies with few clouds are anticipated over the region during the morning hours. There are prospects of isolated thunderstorms accompanied with light rains over parts of Niger, Kwara and Kogi states during the afternoon/evening hours.

Southern Region:

Cloudy atmosphere with intervals of sunshine is expected over the region during the morning hours with chances of isolated thunderstorms accompanied with light rains over parts of Lagos, Ogun, Ondo, Edo, Delta, Rivers, Bayelsa, Akwa Ibom and Cross River states. There are prospects of thunderstorms accompanied with moderate rains over parts of the entire during the afternoon/evening hours.

Day 3: Friday 8th May, 2026.

Northern Region:

Sunny skies with patches of clouds are expected over the region with chances of Isolated thunderstorms accompanied with light rains over parts of southern Taraba during the morning hours. There are chances of isolated thunderstorms accompanied with moderate rains over parts of Kaduna, Adamawa and Taraba states during the afternoon/evening hours.

North Central Region:

Sunny skies with few clouds are anticipated over the region during the forecast period. There are prospects of isolated thunderstorms accompanied with light rains over parts of Plateau, Niger, Benue, Kwara, Kogi and the Federal Capital Territory during the afternoon/evening hours.

Southern Region:

Cloudy atmosphere with intervals of sunshine is expected over the region during the morning hours with chances of isolated thunderstorms accompanied with light rains over parts of Lagos and Cross River states. There are prospects of thunderstorms accompanied with moderate rains over the entire region during the afternoon/evening hours.

Advisory

- i. Strong winds may precede the rains in areas where thunderstorms are likely to occur, public should take adequate precaution and ensure that loose objects are fastened to avoid collision.
- ii. Driving under heavy rain should be avoided.
- iii. Disconnect electrical appliances from electrical sockets.
- iv. Stay away from tall trees to avoid impact from falling branches and broken trees.
- v. Airline operators are advised to get airport-specific weather reports (flight documentation) from NiMet for effective planning in their operations.
- vi. Temperatures are expected to remain high causing thermal discomfort. The public is advised to wear breathable clothing, stay in a well-ventilated environment and stay hydrated.
- vii. Residents are advised to stay informed through weather updates from NiMet. Visit our website

www.nimet.gov.ng

