



BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST

BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST FOR TONIGHT AND THE NEXT SIX (6) DAYS, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 6:00 P.M. EDT, Monday, September 14, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 A.M. EDT TOMORROW.

WARNING IN EFFECT:

A **Severe Weather Watch** is now in effect for the Southeast Bahamas and the Turks and Caicos Islands. Thunderstorms are expected to bring periods of heavy showers, hail, frequent lightning, and the possibility of tornadic or waterspout activity, particularly during the overnight hours through Tuesday morning. Residents and visitors are urged to remain vigilant and stay up to date with all severe weather warnings issued by the Bahamas Department of Meteorology.

GENERAL SITUATION:

An upper-level disturbance centered over the island of Hispaniola will support pockets of unsettled weather across the Southeast Bahamas overnight through to Tuesday morning, with a temporary lull in activity by the afternoon hours. Elsewhere, expect mostly quiet conditions overnight ahead of an approaching cold front moving off the southeastern US coastline this evening. Expect localized showers and thunderstorms, particularly across the northern territories throughout the day on Tuesday, as the front drifts into the area by late Tuesday night.

Outlook: On Wednesday, elements of the frontal boundary near the Northern Bahamas will merge with the upper-level disturbance, allowing shower and thunderstorm activity to become more widespread across the Northern and Northwest Bahamas through Thursday as the new system moves westwards into the Gulf of Mexico. Meanwhile, a robust tropical wave will introduce additional moisture across the region by late Wednesday/early Thursday, helping to maintain a wet, cloudy and occasionally unsettled weather across the island chain through to early next week.

SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:

Flooding: There is a moderate risk of flooding in low-lying and flood-prone areas across the Southeast Bahamas, especially during heavy and prolonged rainfall events.

Rip Currents: There is a **slight to moderate** risk of rip currents on the eastern coastal waters of the Southeast Bahamas. *Therefore, swimmers and beachgoers are urged to remain onshore while visiting eastern, southern and Atlantic beaches of these areas.*

NORTHERN BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS: Mostly fair tonight, turning partly cloudy on Tuesday.
PRECIPITATION: 20 – 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms, increasing to a 40 – 60% chance by Tuesday afternoon.
WINDS: Variable at 10 knots or less tonight through to Tuesday morning, shifting north-northeast to east-northeast at 10 to 15 knots on Tuesday afternoon.
TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
86°F – 91°F / 30°C – 33°C	73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C	96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS: Mostly fair tonight, turning partly sunny on Tuesday.
PRECIPITATION: 10 – 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms, increasing to a 20 – 40% chance of showers by Tuesday afternoon.
WINDS: East to southeast at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at time tonight, shifting northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots by Tuesday morning.
TEMPERATURES:

MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
89°F – 91°F / 32°C – 33°C	73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C	96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C



CENTRAL BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS: Mostly fair tonight. Expect a mix of sun and clouds on Tuesday.
PRECIPITATION: 10 – 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
WINDS: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots.
TEMPERATURES: MAXIMUM: MINIMUM: HEAT INDEX:
 89°F – 91°F / 32°C – 33°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C 96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS
(INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):

SKY CONDITIONS: Partly cloudy to cloudy, with some clearing by late Tuesday morning.
PRECIPITATION: 30 – 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms overnight through to Tuesday morning, decreasing to a 20 – 30% chance by Tuesday afternoon.
WINDS: Easterly at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts.
TEMPERATURES: MAXIMUM: MINIMUM: HEAT INDEX:
 84°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C 75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C 96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

TROPICAL WEATHER OUTLOOK: Central Subtropical Atlantic: A trough of low pressure located about 1000 miles east-southeast of Bermuda has a **low, or near zero percent chance of development within the next 48 hours**. Probability values will increase to a **medium, or 40 percent chance of tropical cyclone formation over the next seven days**. A tropical depression could form late this week, as the system slowly moves west-northwestwards.

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: All areas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.
PRECIPITATION: Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: 30 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms
WINDS: Northern Bahamas: Northeast to east at 15 to 20 knots.
Northwest Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots, increasing 15 to 20 knots by nightfall.
TEMPERATURES: MAXIMUM: MINIMUM: HEAT INDEX:
 86°F – 91°F / 30°C – 33°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C 96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: All areas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.
PRECIPITATION: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 30 to 40% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: 30 to 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
WINDS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts, shifting east to southeast at 10 to 15 knots by the afternoon.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 15 to 20 knots.
TEMPERATURES: MAXIMUM: MINIMUM: HEAT INDEX:
 86°F – 91°F / 30°C – 33°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C 96°F – 102°F / 36°C – 39°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR FRIDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: All Areas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.
PRECIPITATION: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: 30 to 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Central and Southeast Bahamas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms
WINDS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Southeasterly at 10 to 15 knots, decreasing to 10 knots or less at times.
Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 knots or less
Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots
TEMPERATURES: MAXIMUM: MINIMUM: HEAT INDEX:
 84°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C 95°F – 100°F / 35°C – 38°C



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EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SATURDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: All Areas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.
PRECIPITATION: All areas: 40 to 60% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
WINDS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Easterly at 10 knots or less
Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 knots or less
Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
84°F – 90°F / 29°C – 32°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C 95°F – 100°F / 35°C – 38°C

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SUNDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: All Areas: Cloudy to occasionally overcast.
PRECIPITATION: Northern Bahamas: 20 to 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
Elsewhere: 40 to 70% chance of showers with thunderstorms
WINDS: Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Light and variable
Central and Southeast Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
82°F – 89°F / 28°C – 32°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR MONDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER 2026:

SKY CONDITIONS: All Areas: Cloudy to overcast.
PRECIPITATION: All areas: 40 to 70% chance of showers with thunderstorms.
WINDS: All Areas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts.
TEMPERATURES: **MAXIMUM:** **MINIMUM:** **HEAT INDEX:**
82°F – 89°F / 28°C – 32°C 73°F – 79°F / 23°C – 26°C N/A

SUNSET:	SUNRISE:	MOONSET:	MOONRISE:
7:13 PM	6:56 AM TUE	9:18 PM	11:06 AM TUE

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