



BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST

BAHAMAS PUBLIC FORECAST FOR TONIGHT, TOMORROW AND THE NEXT SIX (6) DAYS, ISSUED BY THE BAHAMAS DEPARTMENT OF METEOROLOGY AT 6:00 P.M. EDT, Sunday, April 19, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 A.M. EDT TOMORROW.

WARNING IN EFFECT:	<p><i>There are no public warnings in effect at this time.</i></p> <p><i>A Gale Watch (34 – 40 knots) remains in effect for the Northern and Northwest Bahamas. For additional marine information, please view our marine forecast on our website, met.gov.bs.</i></p>
GENERAL SITUATION:	<p>Pre-frontal troughing ahead of an approaching frontal boundary will bring increasing showers, an isolated thunderstorm or two, and cloudiness across the Northern Bahamas overnight into early Monday. By Monday afternoon, this activity will spread into the Central Bahamas as the trough shifts southward. The frontal boundary is expected to move into the Northwest Bahamas overnight Monday into early Tuesday. Behind the front, winds will strengthen to fresh to strong, with near gale to gale-force gusts developing from Monday evening through the night across the Northern Bahamas.</p> <p>Outlook: This front will bring about high seas, rough surf, choppy waters and dangerous to life-threatening rip currents beginning Monday night through to Thursday. All pleasure craft operators, beachgoers and swimmers are urged to remain onshore during this time. An expansive area of high pressure will nestle itself across the island chain by late Tuesday, keeping temperatures comfortable for the duration of the work week as the front exits the area. Expect sea and coastal conditions to improve by the weekend.</p>
SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:	<p>UV Index: Due to UV indices anticipated to be in the very high to extreme range across Northwest through Southeast Bahamas, residents and visitors are urged to wear sunglasses, protective garments including wide brimmed hats and sunscreen during peak daytime hours between 11 am – 3pm tomorrow.</p> <p>Rip Currents: A moderate risk of rip currents exists along all Atlantic-exposed beaches and shorelines. <i>Beachgoers and swimmers are advised to exercise caution when entering these waters.</i></p>

NORTHERN BAHAMAS (INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Variably cloudy periods overnight, becoming partly cloudy to cloudy tomorrow.		
PRECIPITATION:	20% chance of showers tonight, increasing 30 to 50% by the early morning hours.		
WINDS:	Variable at 10 knots or less tonight, becoming north to northeast at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts tomorrow morning, increasing to 20 to 25 knots with higher gusts by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	82°F – 86°F / 28°C – 30°C	70°F – 73°F / 21°C – 23°C	N/A

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Variably cloudy periods overnight, becoming a mix of sun and clouds through the morning hours and partly cloudy to cloudy by the afternoon.		
PRECIPITATION:	10 to 20% chance of showers tonight, becoming a 20 to 30% with possible isolated thunderstorms by the afternoon hours tomorrow		
WINDS:	Northeast to east 10 knots or less becoming variable at times through tomorrow morning, becoming north to northeast at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	82°F – 86°F / 28°C – 30°C	72°F – 75°F / 22°C – 24°C	N/A



CENTRAL BAHAMAS (INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Variably cloudy tonight, becoming a mix of sun and clouds tomorrow.		
PRECIPITATION:	10 to 20% chance of showers tonight, becoming a 20 to 30% chance of showers and isolated afternoon thunderstorms tomorrow.		
WINDS:	Northeast to east at less than 10 knots through tomorrow afternoon, becoming northeasterly at 10 to 15 knots by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	82°F – 86°F / 28°C – 30°C	72°F – 75°F / 22°C – 24°C	N/A

SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Mostly fair tonight, becoming a mix of sun and clouds tomorrow.		
PRECIPITATION:	20 to 30% chance of isolated showers with possible afternoon thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots with winds less than 10 knots across the Crooked island area tonight, becoming 10 knots or less across all areas by tomorrow afternoon.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	82°F – 86°F / 28°C – 30°C	72°F – 75°F / 22°C – 24°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR TUESDAY 21ST APRIL 2026.			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: Cloudy to overcast in the vicinity of the front. Expect clearing after the frontal passage. Southeast Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning partly cloudy at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: 30 – 50% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms in the vicinity of the front. 10 – 30% chance of showers elsewhere. Southeast Bahamas: 10 – 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Northeasterly at 20 to 25 knots with gusts to gale force. Central Bahamas: Northeasterly at 15 to 25 knots with higher gusts, increasing 20 to 25 knots with gusts to gale force by mid-afternoon. Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, increasing 15 to 25 knots with higher gusts by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 84°F / 25°C – 29°C	68°F – 75°F / 20°C – 24°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR WEDNESDAY 22ND APRIL 2026.			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: Partly sunny at first, becoming increasingly cloudy throughout the day. Expect cloudy conditions by nightfall. Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: 10 – 30% chance of showers Southeast Bahamas: 20 – 40% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Northeast to east at 15 to 20 knots with gusts to near gale. Central and Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 20 to 25 knots with gusts to gale force, decreasing 15 to 25 knots with gusts to near gale by the afternoon hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 82°F / 25°C – 28°C	64°F – 73°F / 18°C – 23°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR THURSDAY 23RD APRIL 2026.			
SKY CONDITIONS:	All areas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 10 – 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: Easterly at 15 knots with higher gusts. Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	75°F – 81°F / 24°C – 27°C	64°F – 73°F / 18°C – 23°C	N/A

**EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR FRIDAY 24TH APRIL 2026.**

SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning mostly fair at night. Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 10 – 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern, Northwest and Central Bahamas: East to southeast at 10 to 15 knots with higher gusts. Southeast Bahamas: Easterly at 15 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 82°F / 25°C – 28°C	61°F – 70°F / 16°C – 21°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SATURDAY 25TH APRIL 2026.

SKY CONDITIONS:	All areas: A mix of sun and clouds, turning partly cloudy at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 10 – 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern and Northwest Bahamas: Easterly at 10 knots or less. Central and Southeast Bahamas: North to northeast at 10 knots or less, increasing 10 to 15 knots by nightfall.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 84°F / 26°C – 29°C	64°F – 72°F / 18°C – 22°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR SUNDAY 26TH APRIL 2026

SKY CONDITIONS:	All areas: A mix of sun and clouds, becoming mostly fair at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	All areas: 10 – 30% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	Northern Bahamas: Southeast to east at 10 knots or less Northwest and Central Bahamas: Southeast to east at 10 to 15 knots, decreasing to 10 knots or less by the afternoon hours. Southeast Bahamas: Northeast to east at 10 knots or less, increasing to 10 to 15 knots by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 84°F / 26°C – 29°C	64°F – 72°F / 18°C – 22°C	N/A

SUNSET:	SUNRISE:	MOONSET:	MOONRISE:
7:32 PM	6:43 AM MON	10:23 PM	9:02 AM MON

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