



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, Thursday, April 2, 2026. THE NEXT SCHEDULED FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 6:00 A.M. EDT TOMORROW.

WARNING IN EFFECT:	<i>A Near Gale Warning (28 – 33 knots)</i> remains in effect for the Central and Southeast Bahamas. <i>A Near Gale Watch</i> is now in effect for the waters of the Northern and Northwest Bahamas. Strong winds, with occasional gusts to near-gale force, are likely across the island chain throughout the remainder of the work week.
GENERAL SITUATION:	Streaming tropical moisture moving across the islands will support partly cloudy skies and an elevated chance of shower activity through tomorrow. Meanwhile, high pressure will continue to sustain fresh to strong winds across the archipelago. <i>Outlook:</i> A mid to upper-level disturbance in the Western Caribbean Sea is expected to move north and strengthen over Cuba before entering the Bahamas Friday afternoon. This disturbance is expected to increase cloud cover and the likelihood of showers and thunderstorms through the weekend mainly over the Central and Southeastern islands. By late Sunday, winds should start to weaken across the islands as the high pressure ridge slackens. Another frontal system may enter the forecast area late Monday night into early Tuesday morning.
SPECIAL WEATHER NOTES:	<i>Coastal Flooding - Overtopping Waves:</i> There is a moderate to high risk of overtopping waves along seawalls and coastal roads along Atlantic-exposed shorelines. A marginal risk of coastal flooding remains across all other northern and eastern-facing coastal roadways, mainly in the Central and Southeast Bahamas especially during high tide. Motorists and residents are urged to exercise extreme caution while traversing these areas. <i>Rip Currents – Rough Surf:</i> A high risk of dangerous, life-threatening rip currents and rough surf remains along all Atlantic-exposed beaches and area waters of the Central and Southeast Bahamas, while a moderate risk exists over the sheltered northern territorial waters. Beachgoers and swimmers should avoid entering the water in the Central and Southeast Bahamas, and along all northern, eastern and Atlantic-exposed shorelines.

NORTHERN BAHAMAS (INCLUDING GRAND BAHAMA, ABACO, BIMINI & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Fair tonight, a mix of sun and clouds tomorrow.		
PRECIPITATION:	10-20% chance of a few isolated showers.		
WINDS:	Easterly at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 83°F / 26°C – 28°C	66°F – 72°F / 19°C – 22°C	N/A

NORTHWEST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING NEW PROVIDENCE, ANDROS, THE BERRY ISLANDS, ELEUTHERA & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Partly cloudy		
PRECIPITATION:	20-30% chance of a few isolated to scattered showers through tomorrow		
WINDS:	Easterly at 15 to 25 knots with higher gusts.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 83°F / 26°C – 28°C	66°F – 72°F / 19°C – 22°C	N/A

CENTRAL BAHAMAS (INCLUDING EXUMA, CAT ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, SAN SALVADOR, RUM CAY & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Partly cloudy through tomorrow.		
PRECIPITATION:	20-30% chance of scattered showers and a few isolated thunderstorms through tomorrow		
WINDS:	Easterly at 20 to 25 knots with occasional gusts to near gale.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	78°F – 83°F / 26°C – 28°C	66°F – 72°F / 19°C – 22°C	N/A



SOUTHEAST BAHAMAS (INCLUDING INAGUA, ACKLINS, CROOKED ISLAND, MAYAGUANA, RAGGED ISLAND & ADJACENT WATERS):			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Partly cloudy		
PRECIPITATION:	20-30% chance of showers or isolated thunderstorms through tomorrow.		
WINDS:	Northeast to East at 20 to 25 knots with occasional gusts to near gale.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	79°F – 83°F / 26°C – 28°C	68°F – 74°F / 19°C – 22°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR Saturday 4th April 2026			
SKY CONDITIONS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> A mix of sun and clouds, turning partly cloudy at night. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> Mostly cloudy with a few breaks.		
PRECIPITATION:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> 20 – 30% chance of showers, increasing up to 30% by nightfall. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> 40 – 60% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	<i>All areas: Easterly at 15 to 25 knots with higher gusts to near gale force.</i>		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	75°F – 84°F / 24°C – 29°C	66°F – 73°F / 19°C – 23°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR Sunday 5th April 2026			
SKY CONDITIONS:	Northern Bahamas: Partly sunny, turning mostly fair at night. Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas: Partly cloudy to cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> 10 – 20% chance of showers. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> 30 – 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> Easterly at 15 to 20 knots with higher gusts, decreasing to 15 knots by nightfall. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> East to southeast at 15 to 25 knots with gusts to near gale, decreasing 15 to 20 knots by nightfall.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	75°F – 84°F / 24°C – 29°C	66°F – 73°F / 19°C – 23°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR Monday 6th April 2026			
SKY CONDITIONS:	<i>Northern Bahamas:</i> Partly sunny, turning partly cloudy at night. <i>Northwest Bahamas:</i> A mix of sun and clouds, turning mostly fair at night. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> Partly cloudy to cloudy with gradual clearing throughout the day.		
PRECIPITATION:	<i>Northern Bahamas:</i> 10 – 20% chance of showers, increasing up to a 30% chance of showers with thunderstorms by nightfall. <i>Northwest, Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> 30 – 50% chance of showers with thunderstorms, decreasing 10 – 30% by nightfall.		
WINDS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> East-northeast to east-southeast at 10 to 15 knots, decreasing 10 knots or less by the afternoon hours. Expect winds to fall light and variable by nightfall. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> Southeasterly at 15 to 20 knots at first, veering southeast to south at 10 to 15 knots by the afternoon hours. Expect winds to fall light and variable by nightfall.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 84°F / 25°C – 29°C	66°F – 73°F / 19°C – 23°C	N/A



EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR Tuesday 7th April 2026

SKY CONDITIONS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> A mix of sun and clouds, turning partly cloudy to cloudy at night. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> Partly sunny, turning mostly fair at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> 20 – 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> 10 – 20% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> Northeasterly at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times behind the trough and south to southwesterly at 10 knots or less ahead of trough. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> South to southwest at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable by the evening hours.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 84°F / 25°C – 29°C	66°F – 73°F / 19°C – 23°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR Wednesday 8th April 2026

SKY CONDITIONS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> Partly cloudy to cloudy. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> Partly sunny, turning mostly fair at night.		
PRECIPITATION:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> 20 to 30% chance of showers with possible thunderstorms. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> 20% chance of showers.		
WINDS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> Variable at 10 knots or less during the morning. West-southwest to west-northwest at 10 knots or less, climbing to 10 to 15 knots ahead of the front. Expect winds to veer north to northeast at 20 to 30 knots with gusts to gale force. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> Southwest to west at 10 knots or less, veering west to northwest at 10 knots or less, falling light and variable at times.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	77°F – 84°F / 25°C – 29°C	66°F – 73°F / 19°C – 23°C	N/A

EXTENDED FORECAST FOR THE BAHAMAS FOR Thursday 9th April 2026

SKY CONDITIONS:	<i>All areas:</i> Partly cloudy to cloudy.		
PRECIPITATION:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> 10-20% chance of showers. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> 20 – 30% chance of showers with possible afternoon thunderstorms.		
WINDS:	<i>Northern and Northwest Bahamas:</i> Northeast at 20 to 30 knots with possible gusts to gale force. <i>Central and Southeast Bahamas:</i> Southeast at 10 to 15 knots.		
TEMPERATURES:	MAXIMUM:	MINIMUM:	HEAT INDEX:
	75°F – 84°F / 24°C – 29°C	66°F – 73°F / 19°C – 23°C	N/A

SUNRISE:	SUNSET:	MOONRISE:	MOONSET:
7:25 PM	6:59 AM Friday	8:11 PM	7:37 AM Friday

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