

The National Weather Service



The mission of the National Weather Service (NWS) is to provide weather, water, and climate data, forecasts and warnings for the protection of life and property and enhancement of the national economy. Our vision is to see a Weather-Ready Nation, where society is prepared for and responds to weather, water, and climate-dependent events.

The National Weather Service is your trusted source of weather information, BEFORE, DURING and AFTER all weather events. We operate locally 24x7x365 alongside emergency management officials and we work in tandem with America's Weather Industry, local and national media partners, as well as with state and local government agencies. The NWS is committed to evolving as an agency to meet our mission at a higher level than ever before in its almost 150 year history. We are always striving toward building a Weather-Ready Nation and to collectively meet the needs of 330 million Americans who rely on all of us to keep them safe.

National Weather Service Online Resources:

- National Weather Service (NWS) Main Site and local offices serving parts of Indiana
 - NWS National Page - <https://www.weather.gov/>
 - NWS Indianapolis (Central)- <https://www.weather.gov/ind/>
 - NWS Chicago (Northwest) - <https://www.weather.gov/lot/>
 - NWS Northern Indiana (North and Northeast) - <https://www.weather.gov/iwx/>
 - NWS Wilmington Ohio (East and Southeast) - <https://www.weather.gov/iln/>
 - NWS Louisville Kentucky (South) - <https://www.weather.gov/lmk/>
 - NWS Paducah, Kentucky (Southwest) - <https://www.weather.gov/pah/>
- NWS Weather Safety - General weather safety tips for all weather related hazards
 - <https://www.weather.gov/safety/>
- NWS Jetstream - Complete Online School for Weather education
 - <https://www.weather.gov/jetstream/>
- NWS Education Page with Owlie Skywarn - Elementary to Jr. High Level
 - <https://www.weather.gov/owlie/>
- NWS School Resources - Hosted by NWS Huntsville with good education resources
 - https://www.weather.gov/hun/outreach_school
- Storm Prediction Center (SPC) - Issues severe weather outlooks and watches for U.S.
 - <https://www.spc.noaa.gov/>
- Weather Prediction Center (WPC) - Provides national guidance on weather hazards
 - <https://www.wpc.ncep.noaa.gov/>
- National Hurricane Center (NHC) - Issues U.S. tropical outlooks, watches and warnings
 - <https://www.nhc.noaa.gov/>

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