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Summary of the Upcoming Week

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Wednesday - Saturday

• No significant weather impacts expected.

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Winter Weather Advisory for portions of SE LA through 9am today. Minor travel impacts expected, mainly on bridges and overpasses.
Tomorrow’s Weather

**Forecast Chart**

Forecast Rainfall

- No significant weather impacts expected.

**Severe Weather Outlook**

**Excessive Rainfall Outlook**

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Thursday’s Weather

Forecast Chart

Forecast Rainfall

Severe Weather Outlook

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**Space Weather 3-Day Forecast**

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**Click here for a Description of the Space Weather Storm Scales**

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<td>Very Common</td>
<td>Safety: Rarely a Direct Threat to Life and Property. Impact Potential: Typically Results in Little Inconvenience to Daily Routines. Flooding: Minor flooding expected over localized areas. Tropical: None. Fire Weather: No Watches/Warnings, fuel moisture above 10% or green up active.</td>
<td>• Thunderstorms expected over LA this afternoon; a few may produce winds to knock down a few trees. • Something that happens almost every day in a particular season such as seabreeze storms in coastal TX.</td>
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<td><strong>Yellow</strong></td>
<td>Somewhat Common – Happens Frequently</td>
<td>Safety: Rarely a Direct Threat to Life and Property. Impact Potential: Typically Results in Some Inconvenience to Daily Life. Flooding: Slight risk from SPC. Flooding: Nuisance flood expected for a widespread area, or minor flooding expected over isolated areas. Tropical: A weak tropical wave expected to move towards or near any coastline. Fire Weather: Red Flag Watches/Warnings and/or SPC outline enhanced or critical fire outlook.</td>
<td>• 2-3 inches of rainfall expected over central AR today and tonight; some minor (brief) street flooding possible. • Scattered severe storms possible, one or two tornadoes expected, along with reports of strong winds/wind damage and &quot;1&quot; &quot;hail.</td>
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<td><strong>Orange</strong></td>
<td>Uncommon – A Few Times a Year</td>
<td>Safety: Often Threatening to Life and Property. Some Damage Unavoidable. Impact Potential: Typically Results in Minor Disruption to Daily Life. Flooding: Enhanced risk from SPC. Flooding: Minor flooding expected over a widespread area (including urban locations), or Moderate flooding expected over isolated areas. Tropical: A Tropical Storm expected to move towards or near any coastline. Fire: Critical fire outlook for more than 2 consecutive days, warnings for 2 or more consecutive days, D3-D4 drought conditions.</td>
<td>• A snow/ice mix is expected to move through or near the DFW area tomorrow morning; travel impacts likely. • Numerous severe storms possible, a few tornadoes possible along with several reports of wind damage along with damaging hail. • Some large fires reported, burn bans advertised, critical conditions expected.</td>
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<td><strong>Red</strong></td>
<td>Rare – Once every 1-5 Years</td>
<td>Safety: Extreme Property Damage Likely, Life Saving Actions Also Will Be Needed. Impact Potential: Will likely result in Large Disruption to Daily Life. Flooding: Moderate risk from SPC. Flooding: Moderate flooding expected over a widespread area (including urban locations). Tropical: A Hurricane expected to move towards or near any coastline. Fire: Large areas of critical conditions for 2 or more days, warnings for 3 or more days, Severe to extreme drought.</td>
<td>• A Category 1 Hurricane will be moving towards the NW Gulf in the next few days. • Widespread severe storms likely, strong tornados, widespread wind damage, and destructive hail. • Large fires ongoing throughout the area with critical fire weather conditions expected to continue.</td>
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<td><strong>Purple</strong></td>
<td>Very Rare – Once Every 5-10 Years</td>
<td>Safety: Property Damage Unavoidable, Immediate Action to Save Life will be Needed. Impact Potential: Typically Results in Long-Lived Widespread Major Disruption to Daily Life. Flooding: High risk from SPC. Flooding: Major flooding expected over a widespread area (including urban locations). Tropical: A Major Hurricane (Cat 4 or greater) expected to move towards or near any coastline. Fire: Large areas of critical conditions for 2 or more days, warnings for 3 or more days, Long term (months) of severe to extreme drought.</td>
<td>• A Category 4 Hurricane is headed towards the SE LA; major storm surge, flooding and damaging winds anticipated to begin tomorrow. • Widespread severe storms expected, tornado outbreak probable with long-lived, very widespread and particularly intense storms.</td>
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