

SUNSHINE GUIDE TO THE NAPLES RESORT AREA, FLORIDA

LOCATION: Naples is located on the Gulf of Mexico coast of southwestern Florida, some forty miles south of Fort Myers. It lies at the western end of the Everglades Parkway, also known as I-75 or Alligator Alley. The resort area includes the coastal area from Marco Island on the south up to Wiggins Pass on the north. The town of Naples itself is best known as an upscale community that features ten miles of excellent public beach. Excursions to the Everglades, also leave from the Naples area. The landscape is quite flat, and often swampy or marshy. Elevations are everywhere close to sea level.

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
HOURS OF DAYLIGHT	10:42	11:16	12:00	12:46	13:25	13:45	13:37	13:04	12:20	11:34	10:54	10:33
HOURS OF SUNSHINE	7:53	8:25	9:30	10:25	10:33	9:56	9:52	9:28	8:44	8:05	7:36	7:28
AREA OF BLUE SKY	52%	53%	53%	56%	52%	41%	39%	40%	40%	50%	53%	52%
LOW FOR MONTH	40°	43°	46°	51°	60°	66°	68°	68°	69°	57°	46°	41°
SUNRISE TEMPERATURE	54°	55°	59°	63°	67°	72°	73°	74°	73°	68°	61°	56°
AFTERNOON TEMPERATURE	76°	77°	80°	84°	87°	90°	91°	91°	90°	86°	81°	77°
HIGH FOR MONTH	82°	83°	86°	89°	91°	93°	94°	94°	94°	91°	87°	83°
FROSTY MORNINGS	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
AFTERNOONS OVER 90°	0%	0%	0%	5%	16%	53%	84%	90%	65%	14%	0%	0%
AFTERNOON HUMIDITY	60%	58%	56%	53%	56%	64%	65%	65%	66%	62%	61%	60%
NEARBY WATERS	69°	70°	75°	78°	82°	85°	87°	87°	86°	82°	76°	72°
DRY DAYS	81%	81%	82%	84%	73%	52%	48%	47%	47%	69%	81%	82%
REASONABLY DRY DAYS	90%	89%	90%	93%	81%	69%	61%	62%	60%	83%	93%	91%
5-DAY PRECIPITATION	0.31	0.35	0.38	0.34	0.70	1.32	1.34	1.34	1.57	0.68	0.22	0.22
DAYS WITH SOME SNOW	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
DAYS WITH SOME THUNDER	3%	5%	7%	8%	20%	46%	61%	60%	42%	13%	3%	3%
DAYS WITH SOME FOG	10%	7%	6%	4%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	2%	5%	8%

COMMENTS: : Bright sunshine is likely on 74% of the year's daylight hours. This might range from a "low" of 70% in October and November, to a high of 82% in sunny April. The year's lowest temperature should be close to 38 , and the highest should be near 96 . Sensible afternoon temperatures (the ones you feel) will be substantially higher than actual ones from June through September. The area has a subtropical four-season year. Humidities are high throughout the year. Winter (December through February) has warm afternoons and cool nights. Rain is generally frontal in nature, can occur at any time of the day or night, and is usually light and somewhat persistent. Summer (June through September) has very hot afternoons and warm and sultry nights. Rain usually comes as a series of intense but brief thundershowers. The hurricane season runs from June through November. The Naples area has one chance in nineteen of having one of these storms pass by in any given year. These are better odds than you'll get on the Outer Banks of North Carolina.