

Big Bend National Park



Daily Report – Sunday, February 08, 2026

Weather Forecast

Today..... Mostly cloudy. Mountain highs around 60, river & desert highs in the upper 70's. Light winds. 20% chance of showers.

Tonight..... Mostly cloudy. Lows in the mid 50's.

Tomorrow Mostly cloudy. Mountain highs in the mid 60's, river & desert in the lower 80's. Southeast winds 10 mph. 20% chance of showers. Evening lows in the upper 50's.

Extended..... Tuesday - Saturday: Mostly cloudy. Chance of rain some days.

Highs: low 50's - mid 80's Lows: low to mid 50's

Sunset tonight: 6:37 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow: 7:37 a.m.

Fire Danger

In the Chisos Mountains: **LOW**

Panther Junction/Foothills: **LOW**

Temperatures and Precipitation

	Temperatures – Last 24 hours				Total Precipitation		
	Elevation	High	Low	8 AM	24 Hours	Month	Year
Panther Junction	3750'	78	53	59	0.00	0.00	0.92
Chisos Basin	5400'	72	50	56	0.00	0.00	1.30
Rio Grande Village	1850'	81	53	59	0.00	0.00	0.45
Castolon	2170'	79	43	62	0.00	0.00	0.39
Persimmon Gap	2970'	79	43	55	0.00	0.00	0.62
Lajitas	2340'	80	41	57	0.00	0.00	0.80

River Levels

	Flood Stage	Today	Yesterday
Presidio International Bridge	15.50	5.39 ft / 182 cfs	5.33 ft / 170 cfs
Castolon	15.50	3.19 ft / 251 cfs	3.14 ft / 238 cfs
Johnson Ranch	15.50	4.60 ft / 250 cfs	4.55 ft / 238 cfs
Rio Grande Village	13.00	3.51 ft / 212 cfs	3.50 ft / 209 cfs
Dryden Crossing	59.00	4.97 ft / 432 cfs	4.95 ft / 426 cfs

Current Park Conditions:

*There is a BURN BAN in effect in the Chisos Basin, NO wood or charcoal fires allowed.

* High clearance, 4-wheel drive vehicles are required on Maverick Road, Old Ore Road, River Road, and Terlingua Ranch Road, & recommended on all other primitive roads. Black Gap and Hot Springs are closed. Expect rough and/or muddy conditions on all gravel and/or dirt roads.

**** Your safety is your responsibility. Visitors must have the ability to sustain, support and /or recover themselves.