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Southwest Louisiana’s climate is humid and sub-tropical with a strong maritime character. It is influenced to a large degree by the amount of water surface in the proximity of the Gulf of Mexico. The normal and total rainfall, which is substantial in all seasons, is more than 50 inches. In spite of the normal rainfall amounts, dry spells of two to three weeks are not uncommon.

The spring and fall seasons are very mild and pleasant, with the summer weather consistently warm and humid. The winter months are normally mild with cold spells usually of short duration. Snow is a negligible form of precipitation. Outdoor activities can be enjoyed year round.

Average Temperatures - F

	Max.	Min.	Mo.
January	66.3	49.0	57.7
February	61.0	45.2	53.1
March	71.4	50.8	61.1
April	76.9	57.4	67.2
May	85.8	68.8	77.3
June	87.3	72.6	80.0
July	89.9	74.6	82.3
August	91.7	73.1	82.4
September	86.9	67.2	77.1
October	82.0	56.8	69.4
November	71.8	52.3	62.1
December	55.0	35.0	45.0
Year	77.2	58.6	67.9

Average Precipitation

	Rain (Inches)	Snow/Ice (Inches)	Relative Humidity (%)
January	4.58	0.00	88-79
February	0.62	0.00	83-71
March	4.98	0.00	88-71
April	2.24	0.00	86-65
May	7.56	0.00	89-67
June	25.33	0.00	90-74
July	5.26	0.00	90-73
August	2.72	0.00	92-69
September	0.43	0.00	85-63
October	0.75	0.00	89-64
November	3.94	0.00	86-73
December	2.15	0.02	82-69