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2026 Daily - Growing Degree Day/Precipitation/ET – Report

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In Cooperation with the Northeast Regional Climate Center at Cornell University

As of: April 30, 2026

Location	Accumulated <u>GDD</u> base 50°F from March 1, 2026	Accumulated <u>GDD</u> base 50°F on this date in 2025	Average GDD Base 50° from March 1, 2016 – March 1, 2025	Soil 2” below sod			Soil 4” below sod			<u>Precipitation</u> 24 hrs. (inches)	<u>Rate of ET</u> 24 hrs. (inches)
				Max. Temp. °F.	Min. Temp. °F.	Accumulated GDD base 50°F from March 1, 2026	Max. Temp. °F.	Min. Temp. °F.	Accumulated GDD base 50°F from March 1, 2026		
Farmingdale	158	155	125							0.03	0.06
Hampton Bays	78	64								0.44	
Islip	134	172	111							0.24	0.06
Jamesport	126	139	102	56	54	130	56	55	130	0.46	
NYC - Central Park	302	267	221							0.16	0.05
NYC - JFK	165	191	136							0.18	0.04
Riverhead	170	172	123							0.31	
Shirley	106	143								0.22	0.06
Westhampton											0.06
Water Mill	53									0.29	

Legend:

Italicized numbers are estimated numbers. Some weather data was unrecoverable, and therefore an estimate had to be calculated.

ET = Evapotranspiration (Penman Monteith method) (Provided by the Northeast Regional Climate Center at Cornell University)

Accumulated GDD is determined using the Daily Maximum – Minimum Average Method at all locations except for Laurel where an Omnidata Biophenometer is being used for determining Accumulated GDD.

Observation times (24 hour period):

12:00 midnight –Farmingdale (Airport), Islip (Islip/MacArthur Airport), Jamesport, NYC Central Park, NYC-JFK, Shirley (Airport), Westhampton (Airport).

Hourly – Water Mill. NY – NEWA

5:00 pm – Riverhead, LIHREC