

Payhembury Weather

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Rainfall: March was an average month for rainfall but April started wet with 30 mm on 5th April causing the local rivers to rise but not enough to flood. April now looks dry towards the end of the month. Overall for the winter in Devon and the rest of England the rainfall was about 80% of the average.

Temperatures: March overall was very warm being 2.3 degK above the norm. April on the other hand so far has been cooler by 1 degK although as I write this we have just reached 20 degK for the first time this year. There have been some cold mornings with unwelcome frosts in April. For the winter as a whole Devon and all of southern England were about 1.5 degK warmer than average. The sunshine for Devon over the winter was average.

Weather elsewhere: Firefighters had to tackle a large forest fire in East Ayrshire on 13 April which was the worst for many years. In the south eastern U.S. an outbreak of severe tornadoes from 13-15 April resulted in many fatalities and flattened homes.

Payhembury Monthly Temperatures degC

Mar/Apr 19 (2 weeks)	1960-90 Climate	Measured Averages	Warmer or colder than average?
Max Temp	9.6/12.1	12.9/11.9	Warmer/Cooler
Min Temp	2.7/4.1	4.1/2.3	Warmer/Cooler
Mean Temp	6.2/8.1	8.5/7.1	Warmer/Cooler
Temp Range	7.0/8.0	8.8/9.6	
Highest Max	19.5/21.5	17.9/16.4	30 Mar 19
Lowest Min	-9/-4.5	-1.2/-2.7	3 Apr 19
Lowest Max	0.5/2.5	10.1/8.8	14 Apr 19
Highest Min	11/11	10.4/6.3	15 Mar 19
Payhembury	Rainfall mm	Date of max	
Mar 19	73	83	5 Mar 19
Apr 19 2 weeks	26	51	5 Apr 19

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