

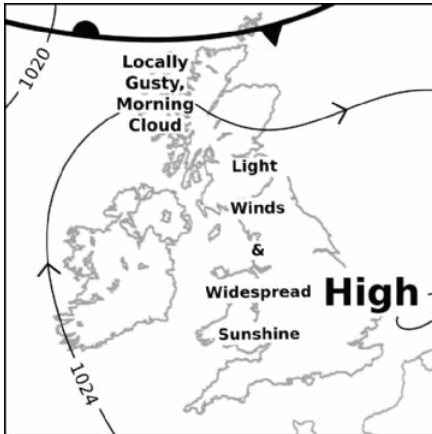
# Lake District

The entire Lake District National Park, taking in all major summits, including Scafell, Helvellyn, Skiddaw, the Langdales and Old Man of Coniston.



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## General Summary for Friday, 10 May, 2024



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 10 May, 2024

Extensively dry across much of the country with any morning cloud, if any, soon evaporating. Light winds except in the West and Northwest Highlands, where it will be locally gusty. Widespread sunshine developing through high cloud; summits feeling mild.

### Headline for Lake District

Widespread sunshine and light winds

## Detailed Forecast for Friday, 10 May, 2024

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	South to southwesterly 5 to 15mph, strongest on western fells.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Almost negligible.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Rain not expected</b>
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Hills clear</b> Any low-level morning mist will soon burn off.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>Almost certain.</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny with thin high clouds. Good visibility.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>	11 to 13C.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits.

## Lake District - Looking Ahead

	<b>Saturday 11 May</b>	<b>Sunday 12 May</b>
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>  <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	South to southeasterly 10 to 20mph.  <b>Small.</b>	Gusty southerly 15 to 20mph, stronger during gusts. Beware powerful gusts before thundery afternoon showers.  <b>Balance affected during gusts. In the afternoon, powerful gusts before showers may knock you off balance.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Low risk of showers in the afternoon</b> Dry most of the day, low risk of showers in the afternoon, highest east of Helvellyn.	<b>Increasing risk of localised thunderstorms.</b> Spots of rain falling from high level cloud from morning. Increasing risk of local showers and possibly even torrential thunderstorms by late afternoon. Persistent rain overnight as front moves in from evening.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>     <b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>Hills mostly clear</b>  Chance of fog in the valleys and on the lower hills at dawn.  <b>80%</b>	<b>Most mountains clear until rain forms</b>  A few patches of mist in the morning, including in the valleys. During heavier showers, cloud will soon envelop summits and mid-slopes for a time.  <b>70%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny, clouds building up in the afternoon. Slight haze.	Pockets of sunshine fading as high cloud thickens through day. Hazy or very hazy in morning. Haze mostly washed out by afternoon showers.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>  <b>Freezing Level</b>	12 to 15C. Feeling as cold as 5C at times in the wind, especially when not in direct sunshine. Above the summits.	12C. Feeling as cold as 5C at times in the wind. Above the summits.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 11 May, 2024**

High pressure drifting eastwards during the weekend, whilst southerly breezes brings warmer air and often clear skies, with most places staying dry. A greater risk of showers or thunderstorms by Sunday. Low pressure bringing wet and windier weather for a day or two Monday onwards. Becoming showery from Tuesday or Wednesday with varying cloud banks across many mountain areas. Temperatures remaining mild.

**Forecast issued at 16:30 on Thursday, 9 May, 2024**

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