

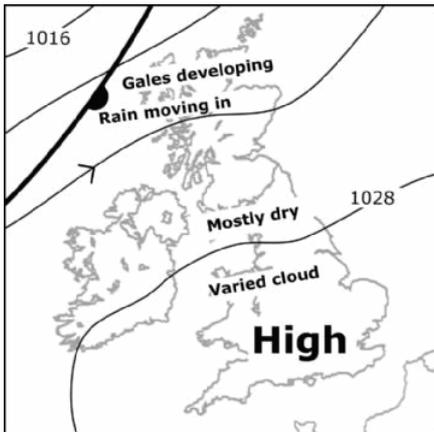
Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

The entire Yorkshire Dales National Park and North Pennines AONB, including the Three Peaks and Cross Fell, plus Howgills, also south to Forest of Bowland.



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General Summary for Wednesday, 8 May, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 8 May, 2024

Thickening cloud toward northwest Scotland will see patchy rain develop, later persistent near Skye. SW'ly winds reaching gale force on coastal mountains in northwest, increasingly windy elsewhere too. By evening, a little rain spills eastwards across the Highlands. England and Wales dry with broken cloud and sun.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Wind strengthening. Dry, cloud breaks to tops.

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 8 May, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 15 to 20mph, speeds tending to strengthen, later 25mph North Pennines, by evening into night reaching 30mph on exposed higher tops.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but feeling increasingly breezy over high terrain, more blustery by evening.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain unlikely Remote risk of an isolated afternoon shower.
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly western areas, clearing tops Patchy cloud around some slopes, plus local mist some valleys at first. Banks of cloud may come and go for a few hours in western Yorks Dales. Lifting and breaking above higher tops.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50% rising to 80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of sun. Visibility very good.
How Cold? (at 700m)	7 to 10C. Feeling cooler as breeze increases.
And in the valleys	5 to 7C at dawn, rising to 14 to 16C.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Thursday 9 May	Friday 10 May
How windy? (On the summits)	West or southwesterly 15mph.	South to southwesterly 5 to 15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small	Fairly small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain not expected	Rain not expected.
Cloud on the hills?	Clearing tops Some cloud banks focused around fells toward western Yorks Dales in the morning. Lifting and breaking above the tops into middle of day.	Hills clear.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%	Almost certain.
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Variable cloud and sun, best in east. Visibility mostly good.	Mostly sunny with thin high clouds. Good visibility.
How Cold? (at 700m)	9 to 11C.	11 to 13C.
And in the valleys	8C at dawn, rising to 16 to 18C.	10C at dawn, rising to 19C.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 9 May, 2024**

High pressure centred over England and Wales during the second half of this week, whilst weak fronts drift past northwest Scotland, giving some patchy rain or drizzle, but improving toward the end of the week and weekend here. Most places dry and increasingly warm with southerly breezes. A greater risk of some rain or showers by Sunday in the west. Low pressure then moving toward the south of Britain by early next week is likely to strengthen an easterly wind and may bring some rain or showers for a time.

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