

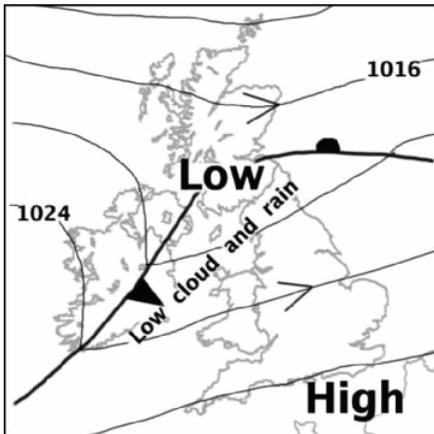
Peak District

The southernmost Pennines, covering the entire Peak District National Park, also extending north to hills accessed from Hebden Bridge, and including the hills immediately north of Manchester.



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General Summary for Thursday, 12 September, 2019



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 12 September, 2019

Strong winds, rain and copious low cloud will accompany a wave on a front that will run northeast across Britain. Northern Scotland will be north of this - although still blustery with showers.

Headline for Peak District

Deteriorating: Upland wind near gale, rain and low cloud.

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 12 September, 2019

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly, soon in the range 30 to 40mph. Will begin to ease late afternoon.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking becoming arduous where exposed on higher areas, and sudden gusts reaching some lower slopes and valleys east of higher tops and ridges.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain or drizzle, mainly afternoon Rain and drizzle here and there, mainly only north of M62 morning. The rain more frequent into the afternoon, and slowly extending into the Peak District NP, although here total rainfall small.
Cloud on the hills?	Summits frequently foggy Some summits foggy after dawn for a few hours. However, the tops should clear before cloud base drops from the north in the afternoon, most noticeably as rain develops.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50%, dropping to 20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine rarely morning - will give way from north. Visibility very good, but becoming poor in rain.
Temperature (at 600m)	13C.
And in the valleys	16 to 19C middle of day and early afternoon; warmest eastern valleys.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Friday 13 September	Saturday 14 September
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	West to northwesterly, 10 to 15mph or less. Negligible.	South or southwesterly progressively strengthening during day from around 10mph to 20 or perhaps 25mph. Small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain	No rain
Cloud on the hills?	Not expected	Not expected
Chance of cloud free summits?	Above 90%	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sun, but sometimes weak through high cloud. Visibility excellent or superb.	Extensive sunshine. Excellent or superb visibility .
Temperature (at 600m) And in the valleys	8 to 10C Starting around 5C some valleys at dawn; rising to 16 to 18C afternoon.	10C 16 or 17C in the afternoon

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 13 September, 2019**

High pressure will develop, initially over southern Britain from this weekend, bringing extensive fine weather with light winds. Sunshine will become extensive. These conditions may well persist most or perhaps all of next week. However, this weekend, Scotland (particularly the W & NW Highlands) will still be windy with rain and low cloud as a front moves slowly southward.

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