

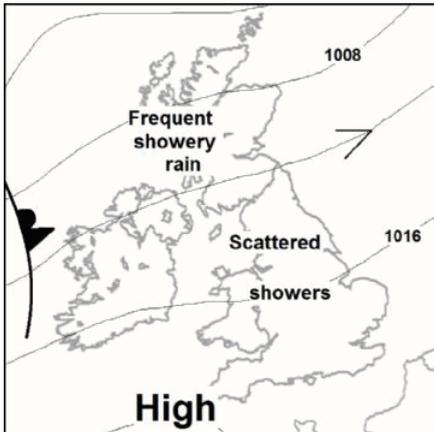
Lake District

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General Summary for Friday, 15 June, 2018



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 15 June, 2018

A general southwesterly flow will bring showery rain to the Highlands, most frequent in the west. A few showers England & Wales, but often dry. Breezy on higher areas, but winds considerably lighter than Thursday.

Headline for Lake District

Scattered showers breaking out. Breezy on the hills.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 15 June, 2018

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwest backing southerly later, around 20mph, occasionally 25mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small.
How wet?	A few showers, mostly afternoon Most or all day dry. Isolated showers forming by afternoon, mostly inland and toward the Pennines, although some showers may move into coastal areas from the west later.
Cloud on the hills?	Breaks to most tops Most cloud confined above 700m by mid-morning, and clearing most higher summits by afternoon, or perhaps sooner toward the Pennines. Patches forming on tops in rain.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70% by mid-morning.
Sunshine and air clarity?	Patchwork of sun, although cloud tending to fill in. Visibility mostly very good, briefly reduced by rain.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6 rising to 8 or 9C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 16 June	Sunday 17 June
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	South soon southwesterly 15-25mph; likely strongest morning, but also gusty around showers in afternoon. May impede walking locally across higher slopes in the morning.	Southwesterly, 15 to 25mph, tending to strengthen toward evening. Fairly small most of the day.
How wet?	Bursts of rain, some heavy Showery rain will spread in from the southwest from dawn to give rain 'on and off, through much of the day, perhaps setting in for a few hours. Some heavy bursts, risk isolated thunder, before easing away later in the evening.	Little or no rain Dry most or all day. Small risk a brief shower. Greatest chance of rain will be on west and southern fells toward dusk.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Morning fog lifting to higher tops Low cloud will shroud the hills from dawn, perhaps fairly extensively down to lower slopes, before lifting into the afternoon. Some hills will become clear of cloud. However, it may well linger across higher tops, and some may reform to lower slopes where rain persists. 40%	Breaks to most tops Patches of cloud on some higher slopes in the morning, but will lift and break, clearing most tops by middle of the day, although cloud may come and go on higher tops western Lakes. 70%
Sunshine and air clarity?	Mainly overcast; a few bursts of weak sun possible now and again. Visibility generally poor, but improving from the west in the afternoon.	Occasional sunshine in the morning, then clouding over afternoon. Visibility very good most of the day.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	7 to 9C Above the summits.	7 rising to 10C. Above the summits

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 16 June, 2018**

Conditions remaining mixed into next week as frontal systems continue to come in from the Atlantic. Spells of rain, most persistent on western mountains in Scotland, accompanied by low cloud. Meanwhile, England, Wales and the eastern Highlands should see just small amounts of rain. Winds varied, but at times blustery, some days up to gale force on the mountains. Temperatures close to average, but cooler than recent weeks overall, particularly western Scotland.

Forecast issued at 16:29 on Thursday, 14 June, 2018

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