

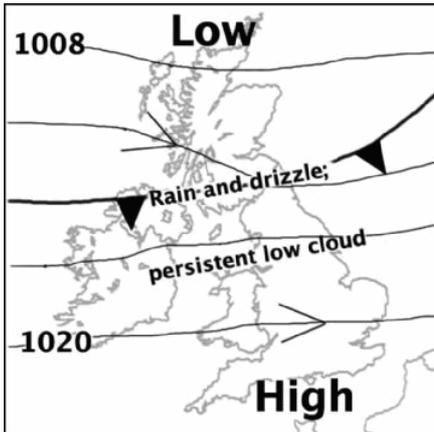
Lake District

Includes the whole of Cumbria, and also the western Pennines North from Ingleborough.



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General Summary for Friday, 14 September, 2018



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 14 September, 2018

Windy, particularly morning Scottish Highlands. A weak front will continue to lie across central Britain, bringing bursts of rain, and very extensive low cloud - this giving fog on many lower west coastal slopes. Colder and showery N Scotland, risk thunder. Wet snow highest tops.

Headline for Lake District

Windy. Frequent drizzly rain. Persistent fog.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 14 September, 2018

How windy? (On the summits)	West to southwesterly, 30 to 35mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking arduous where exposed on higher areas.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain and drizzle on and off. Least rain northern fells Rain and drizzle on and off all day. Sometimes the rain constant for an hour or two, particularly south Lakes (including Pennines south of Kirkby Stephen) and western fells elsewhere. However, total rainfall small north Lakes east of about Borrowdale.
Cloud on the hills?	Almost blanket fog across the hills Persistent fog all day; the cloud from lower slopes up south Lakes and west of about Borrowdale. Highest cloud base will be across eastern Lakes and particularly northern fells where most cloud above 500m, and breaks to 700m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Almost nil
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine not expected. Visibility often poor, particularly west and south Cumbria.
How Cold? (at 750m)	7C
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 15 September	Sunday 16 September
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	West backing southwesterly 20-25mph. Will begin to strengthen in the evening. Fairly small.	Southwesterly 45mph at dawn. Will ease during morning (perhaps fairly quickly) to typically 30mph. Walking arduous on higher areas; particularly morning.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk rain toward evening Substantially dry although threat of rain toward evening, then a wet night.	Drizzly rain on and off Rain and drizzle on and off, mostly south Lakes and western fells elsewhere. Total rainfall very small north Lakes.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Shrouding higher tops occasionally Cloud base likely to rise during morning, with cloud confined to or above the highest summits, probably for much of the day. However, during the afternoon, particularly on western fells and across south Lakes, cloud base may gradually drop. 50%	Very extensive Cloud across the hills all day. The fog often above 400m south Lakes (including Pennines south of Kirkby Stephen) and western fells elsewhere. Cloud base typically 650m elsewhere. 10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine in and out - most sun north lakes. Overall extensive high level cloud. Very good or excellent visibility.	Little or no sun. Hazy.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	7C. Above the summits. Risk slight frost in some valleys at dawn.	9C. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 15 September, 2018**

Frequently windy, wet with extensive low cloud, with the worst conditions focussed on western mountains - for the next week to ten days. Risk around Tuesday of stormy very wet weather although the timing and track of the worst conditions is very uncertain.

Forecast issued at 14:45 on Thursday, 13 September, 2018

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