

Brecon Beacons

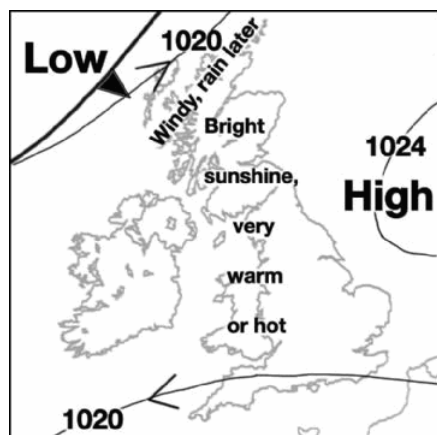
Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales, including highest point in Preseli Hills.



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General Summary for Thursday, 11 August, 2022



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 11 August, 2022

A front will continue to meander off NW Scotland, continuing to bring gusty winds and later in the day rain (mainly near the coast north from Skye). Elsewhere, very warm or hot and sunny. Beware of dehydration and sunburn and of widely exceptionally dry conditions underfoot.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Little wind. Afternoon temperature widely 30C valleys.

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 11 August, 2022

How windy? (On the summits)	Variable or easterly, 10mph or less.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain
Cloud on the hills?	Not expected
Chance of cloud free summits?	100%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Unbroken sunshine. Hazy morning, but improving, particularly west Wales as visibility becomes mostly excellent.
How Cold? (at 750m)	Will rise to around 24C by mid afternoon. - very warm indeed. (Hot valleys where temperatures widely above 30C)
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Friday 12 August	Saturday 13 August
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 10 to perhaps 15mph higher tops Brecon Beacons,	Easterly 10mph to occasionally 20mph - the strongest winds may be on lower slopes.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible	Small or negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain not expected	No rain
Cloud on the hills?	Not expected The hills cloud free, but risk fog in some valleys temporarily after dawn.	Not expected Rare patches of fog from valleys upward after dawn, but this soon dispersing.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive or unbroken sunshine. Soon good visibility although a haze, particularly morning.	Extensive or unbroken sunshine. Good visibility although hazy.
How Cold? (at 750m)	Will reach typically 23C in the afternoon - very warm or hot.	Unusually warm: near 23C from midday.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 12 August, 2022

The very warm or hot weather with extensive sunshine will last through the weekend, albeit on Sunday cloud will build, with risk of bursts of rain, possibly thunder later. The NW Highlands will often be cloudy and until the weekend less hot. Away from the W & NW Highlands, terrain is very dry or exceptionally dry - significant risk of fire. Indications are of it being less hot next week, with rain (including thunderstorms) from time to time within a general area of low pressure that will envelop Britain.

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