

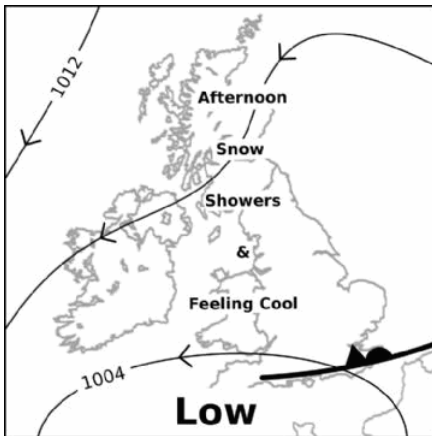
Brecon Beacons

Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.



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General Summary for Friday, 26 April, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 26 April, 2024

Light winds but cool or cold feeling across the UK. Any morning cloud will break and lift above summits, but may temporarily re-form during any afternoon showers. Showers on high ground will fall as snow flurries or hail in many regions. Patchwork of sunshine.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Light rain mainly morning

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 26 April, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	Light winds, 5 to perhaps 15mph. Variable direction but tending to be easterly or southeasterly. 20mph in the evening.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible or small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Light rain gradually fizzling out Light rain or above 600m snow, on and of, particularly Cambrian Mountains and Preseli until mid or late morning. Slowly the precipitation will fizzle out, leaving a scattering of showers (hail higher tops) afternoon and evening..
Cloud on the hills?	Lifting above most tops Any morning hill fog will lift and clear summits. Patches of cloud re-forming on higher slopes, especially during and after showers. Bases rising in the afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Widespread sunshine in morning become patchy as clouds form in the afternoon. Good visibility; hazy near south coast.
How Cold? (at 750m)	2C rising towards 5C. Feeling as cold as -5C in the wind at times.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 27 April	Sunday 28 April
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Easterly 15 to 25mph. Walking just beginning to be impacted and may feel uncomfortable for some. Marked wind chill in the morning.	Most likely light with variable direction. Risk 10 to 25mph with direction changing from northeasterly to northwesterly through day. Likely mostly small, comfort of walking may be affected at times.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk of light showers. Mostly dry through the day. Risk of light showers in the afternoon. Risk of more organised rain in the morning and then again overnight.	Risk of occasional showers Light showers possible on and off through the day, but more frequent in the afternoon. Small risk of persistent heavy rain.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Morning cloud clearing Many summit shrouded at first, slowly lifting and breaking through the day. Some patches may reform during and after showers. 50%	Higher ground soon cloud free Any fragments of cloud in the morning on higher slopes and summits soon disappearing. Risk of widespread low cloud forming if rain moves in. 70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchy sunshine at times, but may often feel overcast. Good visibility.	Soon widespread sunshine through thin, high cloud. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	Around freezing in the morning, when it may as cold as -10C in the wind. Rising to 5C in the afternoon. 700 to 800m in the morning but soon above the summits.	2C in morning. Rising to 5 to 7C. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 27 April, 2024**

Cool and intermittently showery weather with mostly light winds over the weekend and the early part of next week. Small chance of a small region of low pressure bringing heavy rain on Sunday, but it is increasingly likely this will be over the North Sea. Indications of drier and slightly warmer weather from mid-week onwards.

Forecast issued at 7:29 on Friday, 26 April, 2024

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