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# **Brecon Beacons**

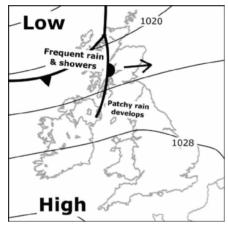




Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.

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# General Summary for Thursday, 3 July, 2025



# British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 3 July, 2025

Southwesterly winds strengthen; showery rain becomes increasingly widespread across the Highlands, more frequent rain in western areas. Patchy rain reaches Cumbria with time as cloud thickens. Wales and south Pennines stay dry with a good deal of sunshine.

#### **Headline for Brecon Beacons**

Light-moderate breeze. Fine with sunshine.

### Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 3 July, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 10 to 15mph, tending to strengthen.		
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small		
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain not expected		
Cloud on the hills?	Little if any		
	Rare if any brief patches on tops in morning.		
Chance of cloud free summits?	Above 90%		
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of cloud and sun, becoming sunnier west Wales afternoon; thin high cloud may start to push in later. Visibility excellent.		
How Cold? (at 750m)	9C rising to 12C east and southern hills.		
Freezing Level	Above the summits		

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#### **Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead**

	Friday 4 July	Saturday 5 July
How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 20 to 30mph, speeds likely increasing during day, later may approach 40mph on higher tops.	Southwesterly 25 to 40mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Increasingly strenuous walking conditions over exposed terrain.  Marked wind chill.	Very blustery over the mountains, frequent buffeting on high tops, challenging balance where exposed; feeling cool.
How wet?	Rain unlikely until late	Frequent showery rain
(Precipitation and its impact)	Dry most of daytime, but toward evening increasing risk of rain and drizzle moving in from the west.	Rain on and off much of the day, at times more persistent rain, particularly west Wales. Some heavier showery bursts.
Cloud on the hills?	Little if any	Extensive, base rising
	Patches on some western slopes in the morning, but most cloud above the hills.	Shrouding the mountains widely in morning above 400-600m, lifting gradually mostly above 700-800m, some breaks in east.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%	20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Occasional sun best in east, high cloud thickening with time. Visibility very good.	Largely cloudy, brief moments of sun. Visibility at times very good, but poor during rain.
How Cold? (at 750m)	10 to 12C, highest toward east. Later feeling near freezing in the wind.	10 to 12C, may drop slightly later. Feeling near freezing directly in the wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits

### **Planning Outlook**

## All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 4 July, 2025

Friday brings sustained heavy rain to western Scotland, rain extending further south with time; gales over the mountains, severe on Scotlish tops. The weekend stays unsettled, windy and rather cool with low pressure bringing heavy showery rain widely, risk isolated thunder. Next week maintains a mixed westerly regime with greatest risk of rain toward northwest Scotland, drier and warmer further south and east.

### Forecast issued at 16:00 on Wednesday, 2 July, 2025

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