

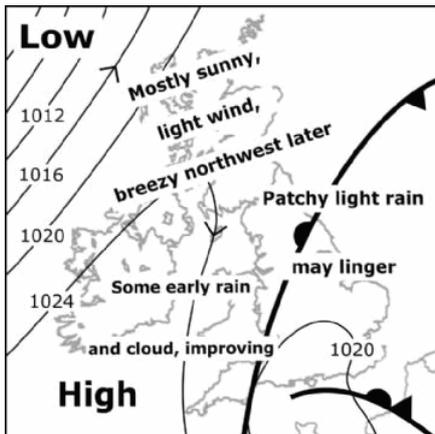
# Brecon Beacons

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, 6 March, 2026



### British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 6 March, 2026

A dry and sunny day for the Highlands and Galloway with early mist banks dispersing. Southerly winds strengthening in northwest later. England and Wales: Colder; patchy precipitation, snow to lower slopes N England, eases into afternoon, but still with extensive low cloud over hills, clearer breaks forming west coast.

### Headline for Brecon Beacons

Patchy rain at first, but easing. Hill fog extensive, clearing west coast PM.

## Detailed Forecast for Friday, 6 March, 2026

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	North-northeasterly 25-30mph from dawn, highest toward west coast. Gradually easing, to 15mph or less, direction becoming variable.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Walking inconvenienced in the morning toward west coast and feeling cold, effects soon becoming small.</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Some patchy rain morning eases.</b> Patches of rain from overnight continue into the morning, but tending to dry up through the day from the west.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Extensive, but clearing afternoon west.</b> From dawn, cloud may be extensive above 500m, lower patches probable too. A chance of improvement from the west, bases lifting somewhat with higher breaks, highest bases to the south/west of high tops, though eastern hills will struggle to clear.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>30%, but rising to 70% toward west coast afternoon.</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Mostly cloudy, sun likely to break through toward west coast. Rather murky with poor visibility where in low cloud or in early precipitation. May become very good from west coast.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>	1 or 2C, highest temperatures east, and rising overnight.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	700-800m, though may just be touching summits in the east at first. Lifting later, above the summits overnight.

## Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	<b>Saturday 7 March</b>	<b>Sunday 8 March</b>
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Southeasterly 15 to 20mph, local gusty spots around higher tops.	Southerly 15 to 25mph
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Fairly small.</b>	<b>Mostly small</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Precipitation unlikely</b>	Risk of a little rain, mainly toward western mountains.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Lifting from hills</b>  Some patchy cloud on hills or mist in valleys at first, likely to all disperse or lift above the hills.	<b>Will cover western tops</b>  Uncertain detail, but cloud banks may cover higher terrain, mostly toward west coast.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>30% west coast, 70% elsewhere.</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Cloud breaking to give occasional sun. Visibility very good, may be hazy lower down.	Broken cloud, giving a little patchy sun here and there. Dense haze.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>	5 or 6C, slight rise into afternoon.	6C
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Patchy slight frost in valleys at dawn, otherwise above freezing to tops.	Above the summits, but slight frost some inland valleys at dawn.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 7 March, 2026**

More cloud by Sunday as weak fronts encroach in from the west, some drizzly rain moving into parts of Scotland, hazy elsewhere. Patchy rain likely in the west at least early in the new week, likely dropping back just below freezing on the Munros for a time with some snowfall on higher areas. Winds fairly light early week, then a risk of strengthening southwesterly later in the week; changeable weather conditions with spells of rain coming in from the Atlantic. Remaining old snow cover on Scottish mountains stays largely consolidated with little change, only very patchy snow remains around highest tops in England and Wales.

**Forecast issued at 16:37 on Thursday, 5 March, 2026**

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