

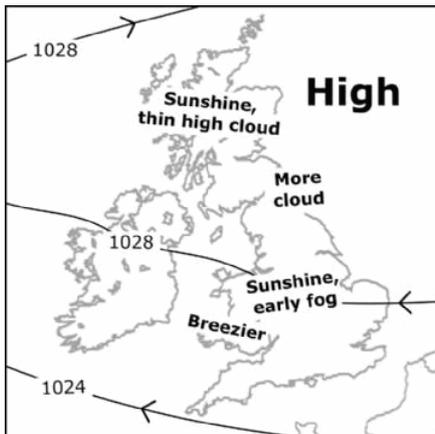
# Brecon Beacons

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, 19 March, 2026



### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 19 March, 2026**

Dry overall, clear hills and sunny, thin high cloud for Scotland. A zone of cloudier skies and some varied fog from the Borders to northeast Pennines. Warmer further southwards, sunny but hazy views, some early valley fog in Wales & Peak District. Light winds for most places, breezier in south Wales.

### Headline for Brecon Beacons

Sun and haze. Gusty breeze around hills.

## Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 19 March, 2026

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	East-southeasterly 10-15mph; at times approaching a gusty 20mph, particularly in the morning and more southern areas.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Some inconvenient gusts around a few slopes but otherwise small effects.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>No precipitation expected</b>
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Early valley fog dissipates for clear hills</b> Patches of fog in sheltered valleys in the morning, most common in eastern areas. Fog begins to lift upslope after sunrise, soon dissipating for cloud-free hills.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>Above 90%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine. Good visibility but hazy, particularly east hills.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>	9 to 11C, mildest in the far west; much warmer than valleys early in day. Feeling like 3C if exposed to breeze.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits. Possibly pockets of frost some valleys at first.

## Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Friday 20 March	Saturday 21 March
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Easterly 10 to 15mph, some gustier spots may develop.	Variable or easterly 10-15mph.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Small.</b>	<b>Small.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Precipitation not expected</b>	<b>Precipitation not expected</b>
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Mostly little</b>  Patchy fog in valleys from dawn, possible patchy cloud forming around some hill slopes for a time, mostly eastern areas, but tending to lift above tops or largely disperse into middle of day.	<b>Early low-level fog clearing</b>  Fog mostly confined to valleys in the morning, some patches briefly rising upslope, otherwise the mountains clear.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>90%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Sun and thin cloud. Visibility very good, some haze lower down.	Mostly sunny, thin high cloud. Hazy views.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>	Around 6C, some cooler spots at first, then some slightly warmer spots by afternoon.	7C, rising slightly into afternoon.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits, but slight frost in valleys and some sheltered higher areas at dawn.	Above the summits, but patchy frost in valleys and sheltered higher areas around dawn.

## Planning Outlook

### All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 20 March, 2026

High pressure stays nearby toward the weekend, although retreats to allow west-southwesterly winds to move into Scotland, bringing more cloud to the northwest and some drizzle on Saturday, though most places remain dry. By Sunday, stronger westerly winds and a front passing eastwards with a spell of rain followed by lowering temperatures and showers with snow and hail over the hills in Scotland. A chilly start to the new week, near or below freezing over higher mountains, particularly Scotland. Changeable westerlies during next week, windy for all at times, showery conditions most common in western Scotland. High pressure to the south may rebuild to settle things again.

### Forecast issued at 16:15 on Wednesday, 18 March, 2026

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