

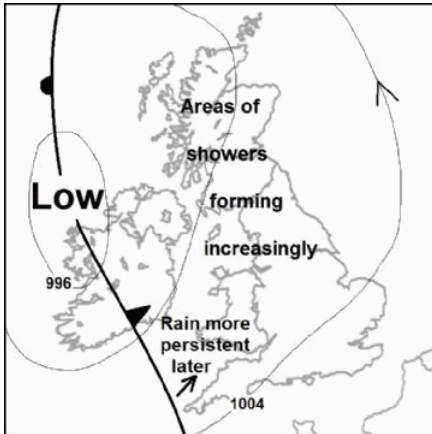
Lake District

The entire Lake District National Park, taking in all major summits, including Scafell, Helvellyn, Skiddaw, the Langdales and Old Man of Coniston. Also includes the Howgill Fells east of Kendal (the NW extension of Yorks Dales).



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General Summary for Friday, 24 June, 2022



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 24 June, 2022

Localised showers in the morning, but many places will be dry for a few hours. Showers forming more widely by afternoon, some heavy with hail and thunder, but some places missing them completely. More constant rain moves into Wales later where southerly winds may touch gale force on tops. Quite warm and feeling humid.

Headline for Lake District

Risk local thundery showers. Lowest cloud south and west.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 24 June, 2022

<p>How windy? (On the summits)</p>	<p>Southerly or variable, 10 to 20mph or sometimes less. Tending to increase toward evening.</p>
<p>Effect of wind on you?</p>	<p>Mostly small, but sudden gusts may form around bursts of rain.</p>
<p>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</p>	<p>Local thundery downpours forming Chance of bursts of rain locally from early morning, but forming mostly as the day progresses. By afternoon into evening, showers forming more widely, but hit and miss - scattered heavy downpours, risk hail and thunder.</p>
<p>Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?</p>	<p>Most persistent south/west, breaks elsewhere away from showers. Varied cloud conditions: Banks of cloud at various levels from dawn, lifting toward higher tops with breaks forming north and east from about Borrowdale. Southern fells may hold cloud banks all day. Lowering more extensively around showers, patches to some lower slopes. 30% south/west Lakes; 60% north/east.</p>
<p>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</p>	<p>Sun fairly weak due to layers of high cloud, becoming overcast. Visibility good, slight haze, reducing where rain develops and murky if it sets in.</p>
<p>How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level</p>	<p>11C rising to 14C, feeling humid. Above the summits.</p>

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 25 June	Sunday 26 June
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southerly, 20 to 25mph, but gusty 30-35mph in places around higher fells, particularly western areas. Blustery on tops. Expect gusty conditions at times and may often impede walking where exposed on summits and ridges.	Southerly 30 to 40mph, may reach 50mph with stronger gusts for a time on higher fells. Arduous walking conditions much of the day on higher fells; at times general mobility difficult. Considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Risk heavy downpours forming Patchy rain possible from dawn, but several hours largely dry. Showers forming increasingly afternoon, may merge to become frequent rain southern fells. Some heavy bursts, chance of hail and isolated thunder.	Showery Bursts of rain on and off, risk merging to become more constant rain for periods during the day. Heavier bursts may contain hail, chance of isolated thunder.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Forming and lowering around showers A few patches around hills early morning, generally dispersing. Then most cloud above the hills, but forming around higher tops during and after showers, may fill in over southern fells, patches to lower slopes in heavy rain. 70%	Often covering higher tops Cloud bases varied, but often shrouding most higher fells. Will lower extensively if rain sets in, with patches from lower slopes upward toward south and west. Best breaks typically toward north Lakes. 30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine mostly morning before cloud builds and tends to fill in. Coasts sunnier toward evening. Visibility often very good, but reduced where rain occurs.	Glimpses of sun, but mostly cloudy. Visibility sometimes good, but distant haze; reduced around rain, sometimes poor.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	6C rising to 10C. Above the summits.	7 to 10C. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 25 June, 2022**

Unsettled for several days through the weekend into early next week as a slow-moving area of low pressure affects Britain. Conditions will vary day-to-day, locally escaping dry some days, but expect some areas of persistent rain mixed with heavy or sometimes thundery showers almost anywhere. Wind speed also varied, mostly south or southwesterly, strengthening at times, may reach gale force on the high tops into next week. Feeling warm where sunshine develops, but cool in cloud and rain. Cloud will come and go on the hills, but lowering extensively during rain.

Forecast issued at 16:38 on Thursday, 23 June, 2022

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