

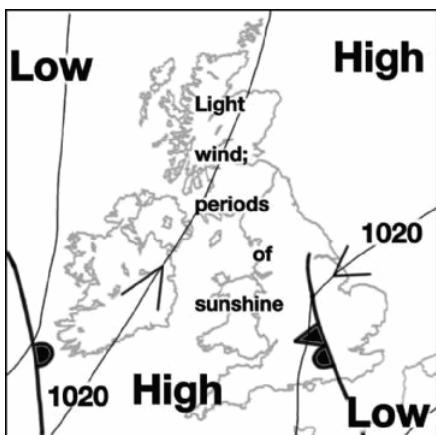
Lake District

The entire Lake District National Park, taking in all major summits, including Scafell, Helvellyn, Skiddaw, the Langdales and Old Man of Coniston.



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General Summary for Saturday, 15 April, 2023



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 15 April, 2023

Very little wind and bright sunshine will become extensive - aware of sunburn. However, cloud will come and go, mainly more eastern mountains and there may be an isolated shower. Turning cloudy from the west evening.

Headline for Lake District

Bright sunshine; very clear air.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 15 April, 2023

How windy? (On the summits)	Post dawn: Northerly 15mph. By midday: variable in direction 10mph or less. In evening southerly 10mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Extensively negligible.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain not expected
Cloud on the hills?	All clearing by late morning Cloud likely to shroud some higher slopes intermittently from dawn, but as cloud base rises mid to late morning, summits will clear.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Almost certain from late morning
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Cloud breaking up to give periods of sunshine, but turning cloudy from west evening. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	1 rising to 5C
Freezing Level	Soon lifting above the summits. Frost many valleys at dawn.

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 16 April	Monday 17 April
How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly 10 to 15mph.	South or southeasterly 10mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible	Negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Little or no rain Substantially or completely dry but a little light rain here and there.	Chance of a drizzle shower Little or no rain, although patches fine drizzle where in cloud and possibly the odd patch of steadier drizzly rain for half an hour or so.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive, but will tend to break up, particularly north Lakes. From dawn fog extensive or soon extensive across the hills. The cloud base will tend to rise later morning onwards; by mid afternoon, most summits in north lakes cloud free, but south lakes uncertain, fog may persist above 400 to 650m.	Very extensive before gradually lifting to clear most summits Varied from dawn when extensive fog from lower slopes up, but breaks to 750m, mainly north lakes. Will improve; by mid afternoon cloud base locally 500m, but mostly 750m S Lakes and mostly above the summits elsewhere.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50%	50%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Cloud thinning to give patches of sun; perhaps becoming extensive north lakes. Very good visibility although slight haze.	Occasional sunshine, although cloud may break up toward evening. Excellent visibility, although misty where drizzly.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6C	8C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits, although slight frost some valleys at dawn.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 16 April, 2023

Pressure will continue to rise over the next few days as a large high becomes established, centred over Scandinavia. This will result in extensive dry, and often warm weather (particularly western mountains). However, a 'pool' of colder air will move westwards next Wednesday and Thursday, before temperatures rise again. What rain there is, is most likely in England and also Wales, where risk highest.

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