

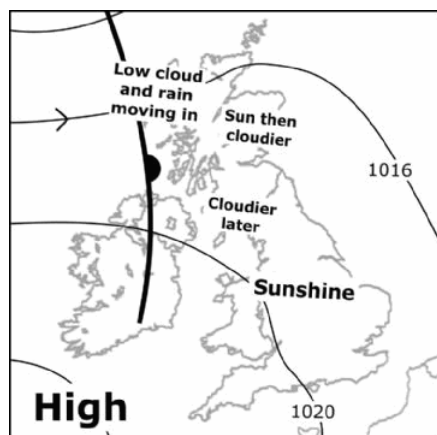
Lake District

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General Summary for Tuesday, 8 July, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 8 July, 2025

A bright and sunny morning particularly in the east, then thickening cloud will lower across Scottish mountains from the west, with rain and drizzle developing, persistent in west; wind also increasing. England & Wales sees sunshine then high cloud, lowering onto tops by evening with a little rain arriving.

Headline for Lake District

Moderate breeze. Sun and high cloud, some rain later.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 8 July, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Northwest then westerly 15-20mph, easing for a time during morning, then increasing again later in daytime, to 25mph up to dusk.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, becoming noticeably breezier later.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	A little rain by evening A little drizzly rain late in the day, moving in from the west.
Cloud on the hills?	Tops largely clear until late Cloud caps over high fells, mostly northwestern areas early morning. Lifting to clear most fells by midday. As evening approaches, patches intermittently return to tops, tending to fill in across most high terrain.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Above 90%, reducing to 70% late
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Morning sunshine gradually weakened by building high cloud, quite cloudy later. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	7C rising to 12C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 9 July	Thursday 10 July
How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 15 to 20mph, occasional 25mph on highest tops early morning.	West to southwesterly 15-20mph, to gusty 25mph around some tops, mainly north Lakes.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small.	Fairly small, but may start to affect ease of walking where exposed on tops.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Drizzly rain mostly morning Drizzle or patchy light rain in the morning. Tending to fade, but leaving fine drizzle where in cloud in west, making rock surfaces slippery.	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive, some improvement Shrouding fells widely in morning, bases 400-600m, lowest in west, to some lower slopes near coast for a time. Base rising a little, breaks forming soonest in east, but likely to linger over higher western fells.	Low cloud tending to break up Covering many fells early morning, to lower elevations for a time in west and south Lakes. Cloud base rising and breaks forming increasingly, eastern fells clearing. Patches may linger toward west.
Chance of cloud free summits?	10% rising to 40%	20% rising to 50% west, 80% east.
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely cloudy, glimpses of sun developing mostly east/southeastern areas. Misty especially coastal hills in morning; visibility becoming good below cloud.	Largely cloudy morning, misty in places. Some sun breaking through. Visibility increasingly very good.
How Cold? (at 750m)	11C rising to 14C afternoon, humid.	13C rising to 17C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 9 July, 2025

A humid southwesterly wind during midweek produces extensive low cloud across west and northwest Scotland with some drizzly rain. Drier with sun and broken cloud in eastern Scotland, improving in southern areas. High pressure expanding over England and Wales brings more sunshine and draws in increasingly very warm air again in the later part of this week; higher temperatures and more sunshine extending into Scotland with time. A fine and very warm weekend in prospect, low risk of thundery showers forming toward the west. Cooler with a greater risk of showers early next week.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Monday, 7 July, 2025

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