

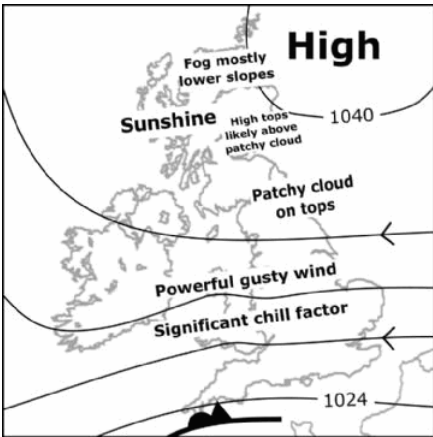
Lake District

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 Thursday, 25 December, 2025



British Mountain Summary:
Based on forecast chart for noon 25 December, 2025

Dry with sunshine best in west and northern Scotland, high terrain warmer than many lower slopes, local low-level fog. High summits SE Highlands likely just above patchy cloud. Mostly cloudy Pennines, grazing tops, clearer westward across the Lakes. Gusty easterly winds, strongest further south, gale-force in Wales.

Headline for Lake District
Strong and gusty wind, cold. Sun and some patchy cloud.

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 25 December, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 25-30mph, gusty over the high tops, 35mph or briefly stronger in places, particularly near high passes.
Effect of wind on you?	Comfort of walking affected in exposure, strongest gusts over high tops challenge balance, sudden buffeting some passes and mid-slopes. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Dry all day
Cloud on the hills?	Patchy cloud mainly eastern tops A few patches at various middle and upper elevations on eastern fells mostly in the morning, locally Blencathra at times. Often clear fells much of central, west and southern Lakeland, brief patches.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny west, broken cloud and sunny periods eastern areas. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	-1 or 0C, though a degree or two warmer on westernmost fells; little change with added height up to highest summits. Feeling like -10C in direct wind.
Freezing Level	Poorly defined, mostly middle and upper eastern slopes though variable, likely milder west of high tops.

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 26 December, 2025

*** Wishing you a very happy Christmas and New Year from all the team at MWIS ***

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