

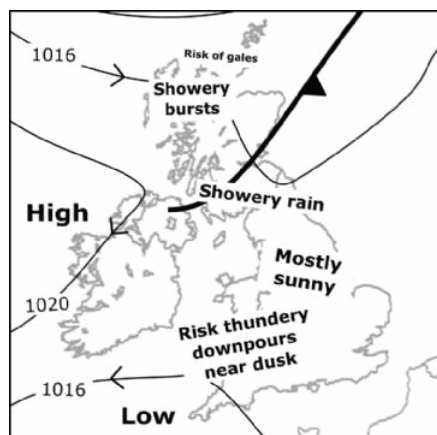
Peak District

The southernmost Pennines, covering the entire Peak District National Park, also extending north to hills accessed from Hebden Bridge, and including the hills immediately north of Manchester.



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General Summary for Thursday, 1 May, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 1 May, 2025

Showery bursts and breezy in Scotland, notably west and northwest; risk of gales in the far north. Fells of northern England largely cloud-free with an odd spot of rain. Mostly sunny with gentler winds central and south Pennines. High cloud over clear mountains building in Wales with risk of thundery downpours evening into night.

Headline for Peak District

Dry and sunny; feeling very warm

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 1 May, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 10-20mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Most or all day dry Toward evening, chance of localized bursts of light rain drifting in from the south.
Cloud on the hills?	No cloud expected
Chance of cloud free summits?	Practically certain
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine in the morning, some patchy cloud building in the afternoon. Good visibility but hazy.
Temperature (at 600m)	15C rising to 18C.
And in the valleys	11C at dawn, rising to 23C.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Friday 2 May	Saturday 3 May
How windy? (On the summits)	Variable or northwesterly, 10-15mph or less.	Northwesterly 15-20mph. Gradually shifting northeasterly through the day. Some gusts.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible	Mostly small, some uncomfortable gusts.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	Little if any Small chance of isolated showery rain in the afternoon
Cloud on the hills?	Lifting and clearing Possible varied cloud banks over hills from dawn into early morning, lifting generally above the hills by late morning onward.	No cloud expected
Chance of cloud free summits?	70%	Nearly certain
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Some sun breaking through as high cloud thins and disperses. Visibility becoming excellent, but may be hazy for several hours.	Sunny in the morning, a patchwork of fair weather cloud building in. Visibility excellent.
Temperature (at 600m)	7C rising to 12C.	7 or 8C, rising to 12C. Returning to around 9C as dusk approaches, further deteriorating into the night.
And in the valleys	7 to 10C at dawn, rising to 18C.	5C at dawn, rising to 15 or 16C

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 2 May, 2025

Northerly winds will facilitate cold temperatures over the weekend; freezing levels will drop to mid-slopes for much of the Highlands by Sunday, further extending into England and Wales into the early week. Bursts of showers will accompany this transition, mainly in the north, then fading into only light showers here and there, falling as snow flurries on high terrain. Further into next week, risk spells of chilly and strong west-northwesterly winds particularly for the Highlands, some showery days; freezing level will vary. Very dry ground in places with fire risk.

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