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Peak District

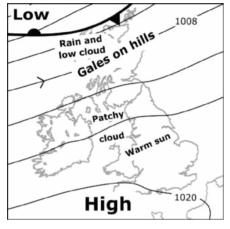




The southernmost Pennines, covering the entire Peak District National Park, also extending north to hills accessed from Hebden Bridge, and including the hills immediately north of Manchester.

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General Summary for Friday, 8 August, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 8 August, 2025

Gale-force winds persist over higher terrain in Scotland. Rain and drizzle throughout the day toward the northwest, low cloud covering western mountains extensively; higher cloud bases eastwards. Cloud banks common on hills near the Irish Sea, clearer with more sun eastwards over England & Wales.

Headline for Peak District

Breezy on hills. Dry, cloud soon above tops, warm.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 8 August, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	West-southwesterly 20-25mph, in places reaching 30mph over high edges toward the north, particularly later.		
Effect of wind on you?	Ease of walking starting to be affected, becoming impeded over tops. Feeling cool on high tops.		
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected		
Cloud on the hills?	Soon clearing tops		
	Patches of cloud across high terrain at dawn with patches lower most notably toward west. Soon breaking and lifting off summits.		
Chance of cloud free summits?	Soon above 90%		
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Frequent bursts of sunshine, thin high cloud slightly weakening sun for a time. Good visibility though some haze.		
Temperature (at 600m)	12C rising to 15C. Feeling like 5 to 8C in the wind.		
And in the valleys	12 or 13C from dawn, rising to 19C afternoon.		

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Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 9 August	Sunday 10 August
How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 25 to 35mph, at times 40mph highest tops and edges.	West turning southwest later southerly, 20mph at first, easing to 10mph or less.
Effect of wind on you?	Strenuous walking on exposed higher terrain, buffeting gusts near some edges. Feeling cool.	Mostly small
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Little or no rain Patchy light rain may move onto western hills near/north of Manchester for a time into afternoon.	Rain not expected
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly little	Little or none
	Any early mist patches soon dispersing. Local cloud banks may cap high western slopes around rain.	Any early patches of cloud briefly on western slopes soon lifting above the hills.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%	Soon above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of sun and cloud, thickening to cover sky for a time into afternoon. Visibility good, some distant haze.	Mostly sunny. Visibility increasingly very good.
Temperature (at 600m)	12 to 15C. Feeling like 3 to 5C in the wind.	11C rising to 16C afternoon; little change evening into night.
And in the valleys	12C at dawn, rising to 21C afternoon.	12C at dawn, rising to 22C afternoon.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 9 August, 2025

A mixed southwesterly weather pattern prevails. Often windy, especially Scotland. Fronts coming in from the Atlantic bringing periods of rain most frequently in west and northwest Scotland. Small amounts of rain reaching eastern Scotland, more often dry. Patchier and less frequent rain for western England and Wales - higher pressure building for periods to give drier and warmer weather here. Low cloud often shrouding western tops, sometimes to lower elevations near coasts, higher cloud bases eastwards with better breaks.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Thursday, 7 August, 2025

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