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Peak District

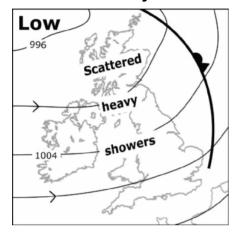
The southernmost Pennines, covering the entire Peak District National Park, also extending north to hills accessed from Hebden Bridge, and including the hills immediately north of Manchester.





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General Summary for Saturday, 13 September, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 13 September, 2025

Showery south-westerly airflow across the mountains. Most frequent showers western hills, where they will band into prolonged rain for a time with heavy or even torrential bursts. Scattered heavy showers spreading to eastern mountains too. Risk of thunder. Cloud shrouding western hills, occasional further east.

Headline for Peak District

Blustery and cool. Cloud mostly above tops, despite heavy showers; risk thunder.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 13 September, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 20 to 25mph, at times 30mph higher exposed tops. Blustery over higher exposed terrain, in places may affect ease of walking. Marked wind chill.	
Effect of wind on you?		
How wet?	Scattered showers, some heavy	
(Precipitation and its impact)	Dry at times, especially early in the morning, but clusters of showery rain spreading from the southwest.	
	Local heavy bursts, risk of hail and thunder.	
Cloud on the hills?	Most cloud above tops	
	Occasional patches of cloud drifting onto higher moors, mostly western areas in the morning and in rain.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%	
Sunshine?	Glimpses of sun mostly morning in east.	
Air clarity (below cloud)	Visibility often very good, reduced briefly in showers.	
Temperature (at	7 to 9C.	
600m)	Feeling near-freezing on tops directly in the wind.	
And in the valleys	8C or locally cooler at dawn in east; rising to 14C afternoon.	

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Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 14 September	Monday 15 September
How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly backing south-easterly 15 to 25mph, increasingly lifting to 30 to 40mph through the course of the afternoon.	West to southwesterly, in the range 30 to 50mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Blustery start, but then becoming arduous into the afternoon with considerable buffeting and wind chill.	Be prepared for arduous or difficult conditions much of the day, with considerable wind chill and buffeting.
How wet?	Wet for much of the day	Scattered showers
(Precipitation and its impact)	After a dry start, rain will set in from the southwest, initially light but will become heavier through the day. Scope for some torrential bursts later in the afternoon.	Scattered showers will move through the area, some may well be heavy, but moving through quickly in the strong winds.
Cloud on the hills?	Forming over tops in the rain	Covering tops at times.
	Hills may be clear for a time early on, but soon as rain develops, cloud will widely form over the tops.	Cloud will cap tops occasionally, most likely in the morning, but periods where hill tops become clear.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Lowering to 30% in rain.	60%
Sunshine?	Soon overcast.	Patches of sun at times, but often cloudy.
Air clarity (below cloud)	Visibility very good at first, becoming poor in rain.	Visibility very good, but lowering in showers.
Temperature (at 600m)	8C later 10C	9C
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Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 14 September, 2025

Staying unsettled and cyclonic through into next week with temperatures staying on the cool side, often feeling below freezing in exposure to wind on higher terrain.

During Sunday and into Monday, a deeper Atlantic low is expected to move in, bringing more extensive heavy rain northwards and gales - the strongest wind probably focused on England & Wales. Some improvement expected for a time into middle of next week, but the longer range outlook into late September remains unsettled.

Forecast issued at 16:29 on Friday, 12 September, 2025

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