

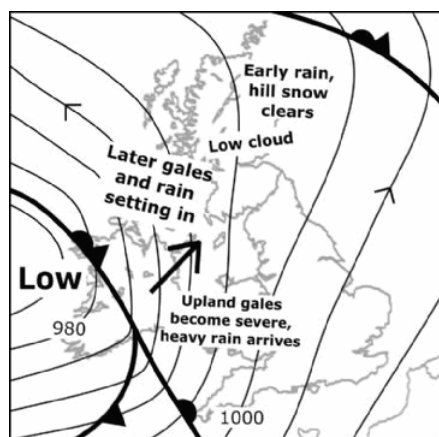
Peak District

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, 5 December, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 5 December, 2025

South-southeasterly winds strengthen, reaching gale-force afternoon many areas, sooner Wales, here becoming severe. Some rain / hill snow NE Scotland fades, patchy rain west coasts, otherwise dry, then rain sweeps in from southwest later, snow inland mountains into evening. Best cloud breaks NW Scotland.

Headline for Peak District

Windy, gales develop later. Cloud banks lift. Rain later.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 5 December, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly 25-30mph, trending southeasterly and rising to 35-40mph afternoon, further deteriorating soon after dark 50mph. Then starting to drop further into night.
Effect of wind on you?	Comfortable walking affected from dawn, blustery in exposure. Deteriorating into night. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Many areas dry before late afternoon rain An odd pocket of drizzle, but most hills substantially dry most of daylight. Rain arrives from the west later afternoon, spreading widely and setting in heavy for a few hours into evening and first part of night.
Cloud on the hills?	Clearing tops for a time, deteriorating later Cloud banks cover the high tops in the morning with lower patches, mostly on western slopes. A rising trend, clearing many summits for several hours, then returning to summits again from dusk as rain arrives.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Rising to 70% for several hours
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	A bright sunrise in the east, soon overcast, high cloud thickening to cover the sky. Good visibility but a haze.
Temperature (at 600m)	3C; rising several degrees after dark. Feeling like -8 to -10C in the wind.
And in the valleys	A light frost in most valleys at dawn, slowly rising to 5C then rapidly higher after dark.

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 6 December, 2025

Generally unsettled through the weekend and into next week with areas of low pressure circulating near to the British Isles. Day-to-day detail will be uncertain even in short-range as complex systems move around slowly - a series of frontal systems bringing spells of rain and some high-level snow, mixed with showers with hail mostly near western coasts. Temperatures often on the milder side compared to recently, with typically only higher tops in the Highlands intermittently just below freezing point, expect periods of thawing up to these tops. Wind speeds will also vary, often south to southwesterlies, at times reaching gale force on tops, but intermittent lulls.

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