

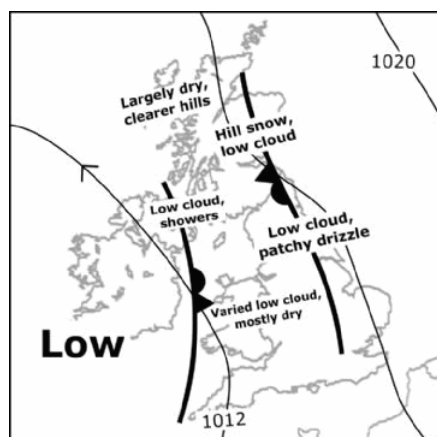
Peak District

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, 17 January, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 17 January, 2026

A slow-moving area of snowfall in central-eastern Highlands, may be often patchy and light, but risk locally more persistent, low cloud extensive. Clearer northwest coasts of Scotland. Low cloud much of northern England, some early rain and hill snow. Drier for Wales with varied low cloud. Light-moderate SE'ly winds.

Headline for Peak District

Murky, hill fog widely, a little drizzle. Light-moderate breeze.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 17 January, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Southeasterly 15 to 20mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but a marked chill where exposed to the strongest breeze.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Damp air, some early light rain Some steady drizzle or light rain around dawn, but moving away northward. Then occasional spots of drizzle possible, but negligible amounts.
Cloud on the hills?	Low cloud fairly extensive Rather misty and murky conditions with banks of low cloud at varying heights. Best breaks generally where between cloud layers and toward the west, may improve a little from south during afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly overcast with areas of mist and murk, becoming a little brighter later.
Temperature (at 600m)	3C. Feeling like -3C directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	2 or 3C at dawn, lifting to 6C.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 18 January	Monday 19 January
How windy? (On the summits)	East to southeasterly 15 to 20mph, gusty in places around some edges.	Southeasterly 20mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but expect noticeable chill factor in exposure on tops.	Small effect on walking, but noticeable chill on higher terrain.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Drizzle, some light rain Feeling damp in the air in low cloud / fog. Risk more persistent drizzly rain moving in from south during the daytime, some steadier light rain possibly develops.	Rain and drizzle Generally damp all day, frequent drizzle, some steadier rain for periods.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive low cloud Likely foggy across the hills from low to mid-slopes upward across the tops all day. Local breaks may form with higher cloud base toward Manchester area.	Extensive Low cloud shrouding the hills widely, foggy from many mid-slopes upward. Chance of rising a little from south in afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	10%	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely overcast and dull, misty from low-mid slopes upward.	Overcast and dull, poor visibility over hills, hazey lower down.
Temperature (at 600m)	3C. Feeling like -3C directly in the wind.	4 or 5C. Feeling like -3C directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	4 to 6C, small variation night into day.	5C from dawn, small rise to 7C.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 18 January, 2026

A slow-moving weather pattern onward into early next week with chilly air in place across the British Isles, mountains staying near to freezing point in Scotland, typically just above freezing to high tops in England and Wales for a few days. Some weak fronts try to push in from the west bringing occasional rain and hill snow, amounts generally small. High pressure around Scandinavia is likely to dominate the patterns into the later stages of January, with colder air trying to push in from the east, much mountain terrain will be frozen. Occasional snow likely, generally driest in the northwest.

Forecast issued at 16:27 on Friday, 16 January, 2026

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