

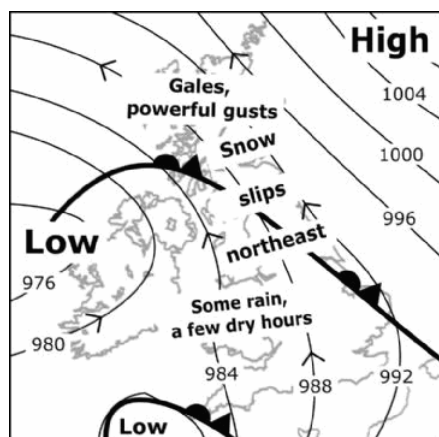
Peak District

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, 30 January, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 30 January, 2026

Gales for northern England and Scotland all day with powerful gusts over tops and downslope to the northwest. Several hours of snow in these regions as well, passing from west-to-east with time, the snow level lifting to mid-slopes; northwest Scotland mostly dry and bright. Blustery in Wales, most of the rain south/east.

Headline for Peak District

Blustery, easing; morning snow, breaking and turning to rain

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 30 January, 2026

How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southeasterly 35 to 40mph, gusty in places around higher tops and edges. Trending towards 25-30mph with time, though may strengthening again on southern hills after dark. Blustery in exposure, particularly early when walking will be strenuous with buffeting gusts challenging stability. Considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Early hill snow on high terrain into patchy rain Frequent or persistent snow for several morning hours, falling as sleet/rain below 500m, a few heavy falls are possible. Trending patchier and turning to rain with time, to only spots of drizzle later in the day.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Extensive Blanket low cloud across the hills, from many mid-elevations upward. Higher bases locally toward the northwest but unlikely to clear summits. 10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Overcast and dull or murky, poor visibility across the hills, very poor early on high terrain during snowfalls.
Temperature (at 600m) And in the valleys	0 or +1C to start the day, steadily lifting to 3C. Wind chill feeling like -8C. +1C from dawn, though may be at freezing point in northern valleys. Rising up to 5C afternoon, locally higher southwest of Kinder Scout.

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All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 31 January, 2026

Unsettled this weekend: often cloudy and patchy rain for most. Variable winds cause rapid local changes in cloud amounts, rain, and impact on walking. The freezing level may lift somewhat, isolating snowfalls to higher Scottish terrain. In the coming week, periods of precipitation and wind will affect most mountains at least every few days. Scottish Munros generally below freezing point, with snow cover and drifts most substantial from the Cairngorms to central and southern Highlands, some additional falls in the week ahead (with continued flooding risk too); much less precipitation northwestward. Hills in England and Wales may see a period of freezing levels above the summits as a southerly flow brings slightly milder air to the country. An indication of colder easterlies in February, though detail is very uncertain.

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