

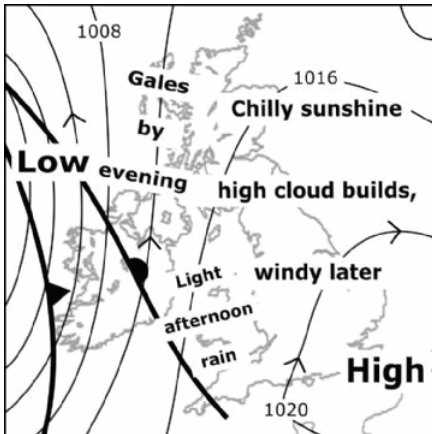
Peak District

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, 10 April, 2026



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 10 April, 2026

A few morning snow flurries in west Scotland, then dry and sunny for most. Cloudier in Wales, some light afternoon rain; high cloud gradually weakening the sun more widely. Wind strengthens from the west afternoon, most notably in Scotland where reaching gale-force in exposure by evening, severe in west around dusk.

Headline for Peak District

Sunshine increasingly weakened by high cloud; breezier later

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 10 April, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 15-20mph at dawn. Easing through morning, 10-15mph and shifting southerly around midday, restrengthening afternoon to around 20-25mph evening, significantly deteriorating to 40-50mph after dark.
Effect of wind on you?	Small most or all of daylight. Becoming blustery over the summits into evening, further deteriorating through dusk into night.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Any rain unlikely A small chance of some patchy light rain for a few hours around dusk, but may stay entirely dry.
Cloud on the hills?	Little or none At dawn, some patchy mist here and there, this soon lifting and dissipating after dawn for cloud-free moors.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Rising to above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Weak sunshine through high cloud, some brighter moments at times but the sun increasingly weakened later in the day. Very good visibility, a light early haze.
Temperature (at 600m)	0C at dawn, rising to 4 or 5C. Temperatures only slightly lower into night, and may rise again for a few overnight hours, but feeling below freezing in wind.
And in the valleys	3C at dawn, lifting to 9 or 10C afternoon.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 11 April	Sunday 12 April
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southwesterly 20-25mph, shifting southerly later in the day and strengthening, 30-40mph by dusk. Fairly small but blustery in exposure, later becoming strenuous as evening approaches.	Southwesterly, uncertainty about peak speeds, likely varying 20 to 30mph, risk 40mph for a time high tops. Expect blustery conditions, risk more strenuous walking in places higher up with marked wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Scattered showers, easing Rain from dawn, snow from about 500m upward, trending patchy and breaking into scattered showers. The showers will ease through afternoon, a dry window likely into evening.	Increasingly heavy showers, hail Scattered showers most common on western hills in morning, but increasingly widely with time; heavy bursts with hail, possible snow briefly around 600m, risk of isolated thunder.
Cloud on the hills?	Early cloud clearing summits through morning May be fairly extensive over high terrain at dawn with banks to some lower slopes. Bases lifting to high terrain through morning, beginning to break off the summits by midday, for clear summits afternoon.	Largely clear, briefly on tops Much cloud often above the hills, but patches around 600m around showers, briefly lower in morning in western areas.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30% rising to 90%	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bursts of sun breaking out, increasingly extensive into later afternoon. Visibility soon very good, briefly deteriorating in showers.	Intermittent bright sunshine, sunniest toward east in the morning. Visibility changing suddenly from very good to briefly very poor in showers.
Temperature (at 600m) And in the valleys	2C rising to 4C. 4C at dawn, rising to 8C.	3 to 5C. Wind chill feeling like -4 to -7C. 5C from dawn, rising to 11C afternoon.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 11 April, 2026

Showers and sunshine this weekend, windy with gales at times, and cool temperatures bringing snowflakes to some middle slopes. Variable weather regimes next week: Atlantic west-southwesterly winds likely dominant, with low pressure to the northwest of the country, bringing cloud, rain, and mild temperatures, often followed by sun, showers, and cooler temperatures; rain will be increasingly common to the high Munros, but the snowfall level will lower too during periods of cooler weather, and perhaps to high Lakeland fells, though any snow unlikely to accumulate here.

Next weekend, indications of high pressure increasingly building, bringing drier and brighter conditions with mild days, though the risk remains of occasional rain and cooler temperatures, notably in Scotland.

Forecast issued at 15:50 on Thursday, 9 April, 2026

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