

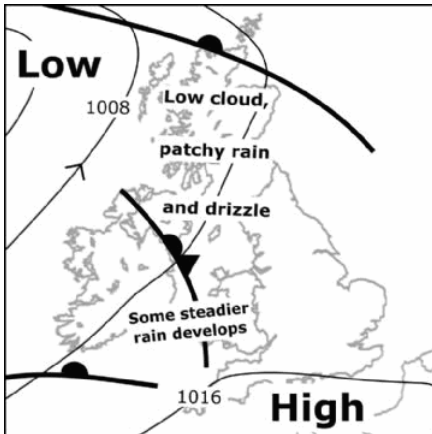
Peak District

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 Tuesday, 16 June, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 16 June, 2026

Damp southerly air will cloak many hills in low cloud, plus drizzle or a little rain. Highest cloud bases and best chance for breaks further northward. Moderate winds, more blustery near west coasts, strengthening for Wales where frequent rain arriving.

Headline for Peak District

Increasing breeze. Dry, cloud lifts; some rain later.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 16 June, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 15mph early, gradually rising, reaching 25mph afternoon-evening, gusts 30mph late in day.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but increasingly blustery, strenuous walking over tops by late in day.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Substantially dry, then patchy rain later Substantially dry well into afternoon then patchy rain extends in from the southwest, some pulses of steadier rain mainly toward the northwest, or more widely late evening into night.
Cloud on the hills?	Lifting to or above summits for several hours Extensive to at least middle slopes for a few early hours, a lifting tendency, bases grazing the summits and likely several hours of often above the summits. Later, cloud returns extensively to high terrain.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30% rising to 70% afternoon
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly cloudy, a few brighter moments afternoon. Very good visibility as cloud breaks.
Temperature (at 600m)	11C rising up to 14C; slightly cooler toward evening. Later feeling near 5C in exposure to wind.
And in the valleys	12C at dawn, rising to 20C, quite humid.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 17 June	Thursday 18 June
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southwesterly 25mph, some stronger gusts around higher tops and some edges. Blustery over the hills, making walking uncomfortable in places where exposed on higher terrain.	South-southwesterly 20 to 25mph, tending to strengthen, later 30mph over high tops. Starting to affect comfortable walking over higher exposed tops, may become more blustery later.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Intermittent rain Patchy rain and drizzle, some showery moments occasionally; the most frequent rain generally western areas. Tending to clear later in day to odd light showers.	Drizzle and patchy rain Rain and drizzle most frequent northwestern Peak District to Lancashire Pennines, risk generally damp all day. Smaller patchier amounts east and south.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Most extensive in rain, lowest west Covering higher moors during rain, to 400m or locally lower at times in westernmost areas in the morning. Tending to rise during afternoon, may lift from many hills, but risk lingering over west of Kinder and Bleaklow to 500m. 50%	Most low cloud northwest Some varied cloud covering higher slopes, most often in areas toward northwest, above 400-500m, sometimes lower in rain. More often above 500-600m south & east. 30% northwest, to 60% south & east.
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely cloudy, some sun may break through later afternoon. Visibility good where dry, later very good, but hazier for periods in rain.	Largely cloudy, dull near and north of Manchester, brighter southeastward. Visibility good below cloud.
Temperature (at 600m) And in the valleys	12C rising to 15C afternoon. Feeling like 5C directly in wind. 13C at dawn, rising to 19C afternoon.	12C rising to 16C. Feeling like 6 to 8C directly in wind on tops. 14C at dawn, rising to 21C, rather humid.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 17 June, 2026**

Humid southwesterly winds continue to prevail later this week, likely reaching gale-force over hills for a period Thursday into Friday, soonest in Wales. Periods of rain, some heavy, mixed with drizzle and low cloud most persistent in the west. More uncertainty of day-to-day detail in the extended range, but in general a variable southwesterly pattern continues; rain and low cloud common in western Scotland into next week. Some warmer days, drier more often England and Wales.

Forecast issued at 16:28 on Monday, 15 June, 2026

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