

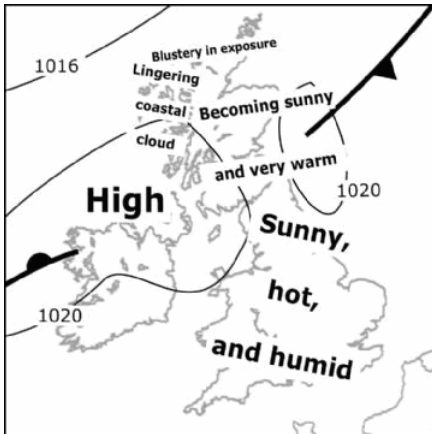
Peak District

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 Wednesday, 24 June, 2026



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 24 June, 2026

Extensive hot sunshine and unusually humid - beware sunburn and dehydration. England and Wales as well as east Scotland see early low patchy fog clearing; highest tops of east Scotland may be at or above the cloud layer at dawn. Some cloud clings to Scotland's west coast, breezy over far northern tops.

Headline for Peak District

Exceptionally hot and humid sun; some early haze

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 24 June, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Generally westerly but variable, 10mph or less.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain
Cloud on the hills?	Little if any Patchy fog in the valleys at dawn, most fog in western valleys north of Kinder Scout. Fog soon lifts after dawn and dissipates for cloud-free moors.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Nearly certain
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine. A hazy start, but visibility improves with time.
Temperature (at 600m)	20C rising toward an exceptionally hot 24 to 26C. Unusually humid.
And in the valleys	20C at dawn, rising to 29 to perhaps 31C in the afternoon.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Thursday 25 June	Friday 26 June
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	South to southeasterly between 15 and 25mph; perhaps gusty at times, reaching 30mph or higher later. Generally small, although there may be sudden buffeting at times both on higher areas and some lower slopes.	Generally south-southwesterly 10-20mph, some lighter speeds at times, but also quite gusty around showers. Fairly small at times, breezier moments over tops, and sudden buffeting gusts around showers.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Small risk thunderstorms Risk thunderstorms developing later afternoon giving locally torrential rain.	Bursts of rain/thunderstorms Risk scattered bursts of heavy rain or thunderstorms from dawn or before, some dry periods probable, but also clusters of thundery showers in the afternoon.
Cloud on the hills?	Little if any although patches may form near rain Moors extensively cloud free. Should thunderstorms occur, varied ragged patches reforming.	Largely clear Ragged patchy fog here and there at dawn soon dissipates for cloud-free moors. During and after rain, ragged patches reforming.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Periods of sunshine. Persistent haze.	Patchy sun through high cloud, perhaps more extensive sun later. Hazy early, visibility improving somewhat.
Temperature (at 600m) And in the valleys	Exceptionally warm 26 to 29C in afternoon, humid. Between 30 and possibly 35C in the afternoon, warmest temperatures toward Lancashire Pennines.	Exceptionally hot and humid 24 to 26C, may rise higher afternoon, but then cooling back towards 22C later afternoon. 20C at dawn, rising to a very hot 31C afternoon; a cooling trend through later afternoon.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 25 June, 2026**

Exceptionally warm and humid most mountain areas until later Friday; valley temperatures approaching the low-to-middle 30s in England and Wales, with hill temperatures approaching the high 20s at least. Scotland will be slightly cooler, though temperatures will still reach the low 20s on many slopes.

Scattered thunderstorms on Thursday and Friday, with a risk of extended torrential thunderstorms on Friday afternoon in northern areas. Over the weekend, progressively less warm as fronts begin to come in off the Atlantic, bringing a strengthening wind and bands of rain and low cloud, particularly affecting western mountains. Into the following week, Atlantic westerlies will dominate, with an indication of high pressure to the south producing dry and bright windows.

Forecast issued at 16:23 on Tuesday, 23 June, 2026

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