

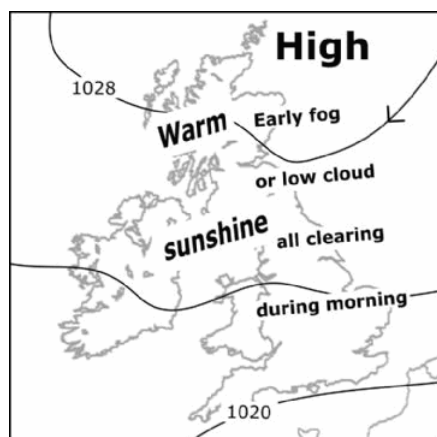
Peak District

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, 15 July, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 15 July, 2026

Warm across the hills with strong sunshine. Fog for lower eastern areas from dawn - Scottish hills above the fog, whilst low cloud banks drift onto hill slopes over Pennines for a few hours. Easterly breeze, strongest for south Pennines & Wales. Extremely dry ground, beware of fire.

Headline for Peak District

Early fog / low cloud clears for warm sunshine. Gusty breeze.

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 15 July, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 15 to 20mph, some gusty spots 25mph around tops and edges, locally downslope to west in morning.
Effect of wind on you?	Feeling breezy over the hills, fairly small effect on walking, but some more notable gusty areas mainly early in day.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills?	Early fog banks on hill slopes clearing From dawn, some fog over higher moors mainly eastern areas above 400-500m, some patches on sheltered lower slopes; highest ground at 600m may be briefly near top of the layer; soon all thinning and dispersing in morning.
Chance of cloud free summits?	60% at first becoming 100%.
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Early fog banks, then strong sunshine all day, a little thin fair-weather cloud. Visibility excellent, some early haze.
Temperature (at 600m)	10 to 13C from dawn (coolest if in cloud), rising to 20C afternoon.
And in the valleys	13C at dawn, rising to 24 to 27C afternoon, warmest western valleys.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Thursday 16 July	Friday 17 July
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly, later northeasterly; 10 to 15mph, occasional gusts 20mph early in day.	North to northeasterly 10 to 15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small.	Small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills?	Soon clear Early patchy cloud banks may drift over the moors from dawn, soon thinning and dispersing.	Hills clear Any early patchy mist around hill slopes soon clearing.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Soon practically certain	Practically certain
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine over the hills dawn til dusk, occasional thin high cloud. Visibility very good, slight haze possible.	Sunshine, patchy fair-weather cloud and thin high cloud. Visibility very good, slight low-level haze.
Temperature (at 600m)	14C from dawn, rising to 20C.	14C rising to 18C afternoon.
And in the valleys	13C at dawn, rising to 25 to 27C afternoon, warmest southwestern valleys.	13C from dawn, rising to 23 to 25C afternoon, warmest toward west.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 16 July, 2026

Settled summer weather continues into the weekend and next week as high pressure dominates. Warm temperatures on the hills in midweek will trend cooler from the north from Friday into the weekend, dropping below 10C on summits for periods, mainly Scottish mountains. Most persistently cooler in the north where some cloud will be drawn over the tops at times, occasional light showery rain. Otherwise generally ongoing dry weather, with good amounts of sun and many hill tops often clear of cloud. Continuing very high risk of fire with extremely dry ground conditions. A change of weather pattern late in the month brings scope for rain and thundery showers.

Forecast issued at 16:28 on Tuesday, 14 July, 2026

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