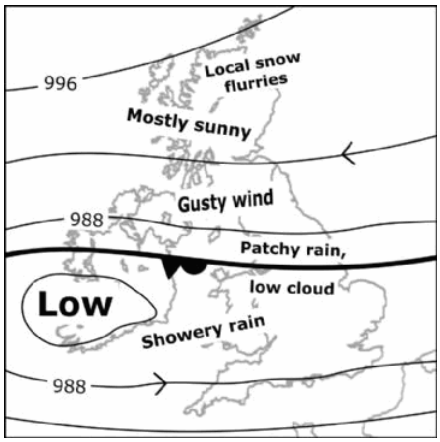
Peak District

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 Thursday, 19 November, 2026



British Mountain Summary:
Based on forecast chart for noon 19 November, 2026

Chilly but fine for much of the Highlands, local snow showers moving inland from the Moray Firth. Brisk easterly winds for Scotland and northern England. Murky with rain over the Pennines, snow higher tops, drier for Lake District. Low cloud for east Wales, clearer west; showery in south Wales.

Headline for Peak District

Cloudy with fog over hills, often damp, increasing wind.

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 19 November, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 20 to 25mph, tending to increase a little during day, gusty around some high tops and edges.
Effect of wind on you?	**Starting to affect ease of walking on some high terrain. Considerable wind chill.**
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	**Drizzle and rain on and off** Patchy light rain, and drizzle fairly widely, but more frequent or persistent rain in places for a few hours, particularly more eastern areas.
Cloud on the hills?	**Fairly extensive, breaks west** Cloud banks likely cover higher moors fairly widely much of the day above 400-500m, lowest in east, better breaks to upper slopes in west.
Chance of cloud free summits?	**20%**
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Overcast and dull overall, rare glimpses of sun west. Hazy, often poor visibility higher areas.
Temperature (at 600m)	3 or 4C. Feeling like -7C directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	5C from dawn, some cooler pockets. Rising to max 8C afternoon.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Friday 20 November	Saturday 21 November
How windy? (On the summits) **Effect of wind on you?**	Easterly 20-25mph in the morning, easing a little to 15-20mph during afternoon, turning north-northeasterly. **Fairly small effect on walking, though feeling breezy and distinctly chilly on exposed high terrain.**	Variable direction below 10mph. Later rising east-southeasterly 15-20mph, may rise further after dark. **Mostly small, but feeling more noticeably chilly in exposure later as wind strengthens.**
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	**Precipitation rare if any** Chance of an odd light shower, mainly toward the east and south of the region, of sleet on higher tops, but more likely dry.	**No precipitation expected**
Cloud on the hills? **Chance of cloud free summits?**	**Little if any** Patchy cloud early in the day around some slopes, but soon dispersing for clear hills. **90%**	**None expected** **Above 90%**
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sun breaking through as high cloud thins. Visibility excellent.	Sunshine and some thin high cloud which may build from the southwest. Visibility excellent. Patchy fog in valleys.
Temperature (at 600m) **And in the valleys**	2C. Feeling like -5C in exposure to wind. Possible slight frost particularly northern valleys early morning. Rising to max 6C.	1 or 2C. Frost widely in valleys in morning, all day in some places out of sunlight. Rising to max 6C.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 20 November, 2026

Staying below freezing over Scottish mountains into the weekend and next week, varying around freezing for tops in northern England, at times milder for Wales. Frost common into valleys and glens. A few snow showers in northeastern Scotland on Friday, otherwise plenty of dry weather and sunshine into the weekend; patchy fog on some low ground. A risk of rain moving into Wales into Sunday, may fall as snow on hills. Light winds for most places on Saturday, then stronger east-southeasterlies on Sunday, which may bring cloud onto some eastern hills. Next week sees weather systems pushing in from the Atlantic with some strong winds, rain and hill snow in the outlook.

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