

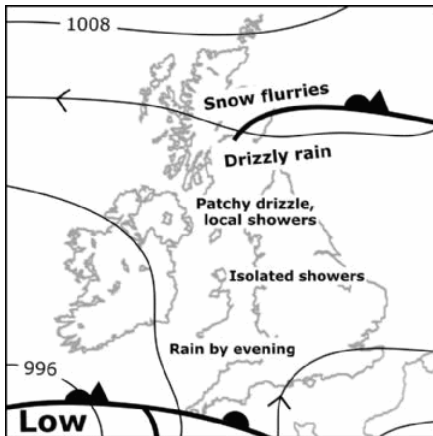
Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.



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General Summary for Tuesday, 2 April, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 2 April, 2024

Low cloud, rain, drizzle and hill snow most persistent in the eastern Highlands. Some cloud breaks toward the west coast. Chilly easterly winds over the mountains. Cloud lifting and often dry for northern England and Wales. Rain moves into the far south later in the day.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Wind fairly light. Often dry, cloud lifting.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 2 April, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwest turning gradually during day to southeasterly by evening, speeds varied, 10 to 25mph, tending to increase further toward dusk, to 35mph into night.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but feeling cool if exposed to breeze on tops. Becoming more blustery later in the daytime.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Small amounts rain likely Patchy rain or drizzle, perhaps a local shower by afternoon. Periods of rain developing into the night.
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly higher tops, some breaks Banks of cloud covering higher slopes in the morning, tending to rise and break toward tops, best in north around Carneddau.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly cloudy, glimpses of sun. Visibility good whilst dry.
How Cold? (at 900m)	3C, locally 5C by afternoon in north. Wind chill feeling sub-zero in the breeze on tops.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 3 April	Thursday 4 April
How windy? (On the summits)	Variable then southwest later westerly, 15 to 30mph.	South to southwesterly, 10 to 25mph.
Effect of wind on you?	At times fairly small, but risk blustery for periods over higher terrain, giving marked wind chill.	At times small, but may become blustery for periods on high tops.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain or showers on and off Rain or drizzle from dawn, tending to fade for a time. A scattering of showers then forming, passing eastwards. Perhaps a window of drier weather developing, but further rain then likely into night.	Showery, rain later Rain on and off, showery bursts possible with hail for a time, may fade out. Later in the day, risk of more persistent rain setting in from the southwest.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive Shrouding higher summits most or all day, for periods down to mid-slopes in west coastal areas. Bases tending to lift in afternoon. Highest breaks northeast from Ogwen valley.	Varied, mostly higher tops Banks of cloud covering the hills in the morning, may persist for several hours. Tending to rise to upper slopes with some breaks forming, likely best on Carneddau.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%	40%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly cloudy. Visibility good for periods, but reduced in rain.	Fairly cloudy, glimpses of sun, visibility often good.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	3 to 5C. Feeling sub-zero if exposed to wind on tops, risk nearer -5C in stronger speeds. Above the summits.	1 to 3C. Feeling like -7C if exposed to stronger winds in morning. May be close to freezing on higher tops above 900m in morning. Lifting above all summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 3 April, 2024**

Complex areas of low pressure continue to circulate over Britain. Chilly easterly winds for Scotland through midweek, eventually turning southwesterly by the weekend with a rise of temperature by this stage. Risk of widespread upland gales Friday into the weekend. The western Highlands will generally see least precipitation and best cloud breaks. Eastern Scottish hills plus much of England and Wales more often affected by low cloud and periods of rain or hill snow. Fresh snow accumulations over the Highlands. England and especially Wales typically above freezing to tops.

Forecast issued at 7:05 on Tuesday, 2 April, 2024

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