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Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

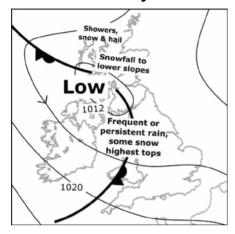
Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.





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General Summary for Tuesday, 18 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 18 November, 2025

Extensive snow Scottish Highlands, falling to lower elevations inland, later showers of snow & hail in north/west. Wind varied in Scotland, then strengthening northerlies. Rain and some snow over higher tops England and Wales plus westerlies up to gale force. Cloud covering most higher terrain.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Windy, gale-force at times. Rain frequent all day, heavy bursts.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 18 November, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly soon strengthening from 25-30mph or slightly less just before dawn, to suddenly squally 35-40mph. May moderate slightly, then during afternoon typically stronger again, often 40mph. Into night, switching northerly 40-45mph.		
Effect of wind on you?	Walking likely strenuous much of the day with considerable wind chill; conditions generally deteriorating, more difficult into night.		
How wet?	Often raining, heavy at times, some sleet high tops		
(Precipitation and its impact)	Showers starting with some sleet or briefly snow on higher tops in morning, soon merging into larger areas of rain, heavy at times, chance of hail; rain extending further inland during morning and setting in for periods.		
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive higher western areas		
	Banks of cloud covering western hills all day, bases varied in and out of rain 600-800m. Some early breaks east, particularly Berwyn group where summits clear for a few hours. Cloud fills in more widely and often as rain sets in.		
Chance of cloud free summits?	50% east morning, lowering widely to 20%		
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bright in the east in the morning, otherwise overcast most of the day. Excellent visibility at first in east, turning poor with rain, very poor on high ground.		
How Cold? (at 900m)	0 or +1C; then into night dropping to -2C. Feeling like -12C in direct wind, then into night -15C.		
Freezing Level	800-900m from dawn, slight frost some sheltered valleys. Rising just above freezing on high tops late morning onward, then into night dropping to 600m.		

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Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 19 November	Thursday 20 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Northerly 35 to 40mph, squally gusts in showers.	Northerly 35 to 40mph, squally gusts in showers, at times risk toward 50mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Often challenging walking conditions on higher exposed terrain, significant wind chill, severe in places higher up.	Continued challenging walking conditions over the mountains, significant wind chill, severe in places higher up.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Locally frequent snow and hail	Locally frequent snow and hail
	Snow and hail showers coming in frequently from the north, locally banding together to give lines of more constant precipitation, mainly Snowdon range westward. Chance of isolated lightning.	Ongoing locally very frequent snow and hail showers coming in from the north, but nearby seeing much less. Greatest risk of showers Carneddau to Snowdon range. Chance of isolated lightning.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive higher northern areas	Fairly extensive higher northern areas
	Cloud base constantly changing, but often shrouding north-facing mountains above 600-800m, some lower shafts of cloud in showers. Brief breaks higher up mostly inland, best south of Bala.	Cloud base continuing to vary, but often shrouding north-facing mountains above 600-800m, some lower shafts of cloud in showers. Brief breaks higher up mostly inland toward mid-Wales.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Brief bursts of sun, mostly inland and southwards. Visibility at times appalling when in cloud and snow, but intermittently very good.	Brief bursts of sun, mostly inland and southwards. Visibility at times appalling when in cloud and snow, but intermittently very good.
How Cold? (at 900m)	-3C. Wind chill feeling like -15C to near -20C in stronger speeds.	-3C. Wind chill feeling like -15C to near -20C in stronger speeds.
Freezing Level	600m, also frost in some inland valleys after dawn, again soon from dusk.	500-600m, but inland terrain part-frozen to lower slopes, all day out of sunlight.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 19 November, 2025

Snow lying most widely in Scottish Highlands, to lower slopes inland, some high tops elsewhere into midweek. Strong to gale force northerlies Wednesday-Thursday, bringing snow and hail showers focused on northern Scotland and onto north-facing coastal districts elsewhere. Sunnier from central Scotland southward through northern England. By Friday into next weekend, winds shift back westerly and freezing levels rise to upper slopes - some rain likely, snow on high tops at times.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Monday, 17 November, 2025

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