

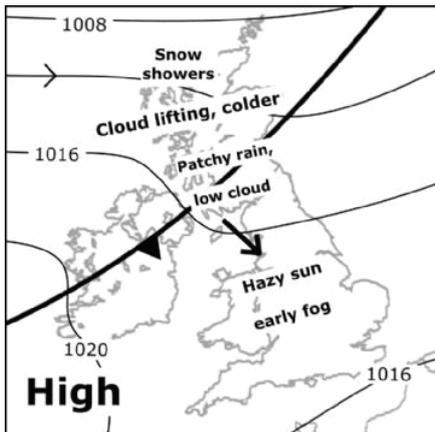
# Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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## General Summary for Sunday, 22 March, 2026



### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 22 March, 2026**

A band of patchy rain and low cloud moves southeastwards, improving with rising cloud bases across the Highlands, but brisk winds and below freezing on higher terrain - snow showers mostly in northwest. England & Wales start with low-level fog, hazy sun then cloud lowering, a little rain develops.

### Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Low-level fog clears, weak sun then cloudier, local rain spots.

## Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 22 March, 2026

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Westerly or variable, 15mph or less in morning, particularly toward mid-Wales. Increasing into afternoon, northwesterly 15-20mph, northerly 20-25mph up to dusk.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Fairly small, but feeling breezier with time.
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>A little rain afternoon</b> A few spots of rain as high cloud thickens, mainly into the afternoon, may become drizzly over coastal hills for an hour or so afternoon.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Early fog clearing, later cloud some tops</b> Some areas of fog in valleys and lower hill slopes in the morning, briefly drifting upslope, but clearing. Occasional cloud caps drift over higher tops in northwest, filling in later afternoon on west and northern tops above 700m.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>90%, dropping later to 40%</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Mostly sunny start, weakening sun as high cloud thickens from northwest, becoming more overcast with time. Visibility good, but some haze; reduced if rain occurs locally later.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	5 or 6C, dropping later, after dark to 1 or 2C. Feeling like 0C during day as breeze freshens.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Above the summits. Slight frost inland valleys at dawn.

## Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Monday 23 March	Tuesday 24 March
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b> <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Variable becoming SW'ly, 10-15mph or less in morning, tending to strengthen to 25-30mph, after dark 40mph+. <b>Fairly small up to early afternoon, but becoming more blustery, likely to deteriorate into evening to gales on tops.</b>	Southwesterly 45 to 60mph, risk 70mph higher mountains for a few hours during day. <b>Difficult conditions across the mountains, any mobility challenging in exposure. Significant wind chill.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Precipitation not expected</b>	<b>Drizzly rain, later heavier</b> Rain on and off at least, more persistent western hills, mixed with drizzle. With time, increasingly setting in for steadier and heavier rain, perhaps only later afternoon. Finishing as snow on tops into evening.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Little if any</b>	<b>Extensive</b> Shrouding the hills widely, from lower elevations upward near west coast. Higher bases mostly above 600m northeastern areas from Ogwen valley.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>20%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine tending to weaken as high cloud thickens, may become obscured afternoon. Visibility excellent.	Generally cloudy, some brighter moments mainly morning and in east Wales. Visibility good if dry below cloud, becoming poor then very poor later in rain.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b> <b>Freezing Level</b>	0C rising to 4C by late afternoon. As wind increases, chill factor later feeling like -5C in exposure. Close to freezing above 800m, plus frost inland valleys around dawn. Lifting above freezing to tops by middle of day.	4C in morning, lowering later in day to 0C. Feeling like -12 to -15C in the wind. Above the summits, then later afternoon dropping onto tops, 800m by dusk, then 600m after dark.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 23 March, 2026**

A fine start to the week for many places, but strengthening winds and a spell of heavy rain arriving from the northwest during Monday advances southwards into Tuesday. Cold, wintry conditions follow across the mountains into midweek, falling sub-zero across all hills of Britain above 600-700 m later Tuesday into Wednesday. Significant chill factor from gale force west then northwesterly winds. Showery hail and snow falling toward lower elevations. High pressure to the southwest then likely rebuilds to settle things again toward next weekend and temperatures will tend to recover. A mixed west to southwesterly flow likely continues to bring more changeable conditions to west and northwest Scotland.

**Forecast issued at 16:00 on Saturday, 21 March, 2026**

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