

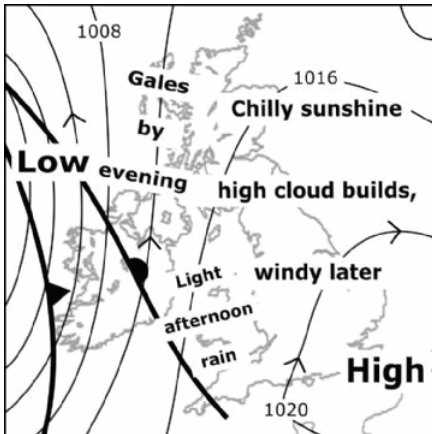
# Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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



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## General Summary for Friday, 10 April, 2026



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 10 April, 2026

A few morning snow flurries in west Scotland, then dry and sunny for most. Cloudier in Wales, some light afternoon rain; high cloud gradually weakening the sun more widely. Wind strengthens from the west afternoon, most notably in Scotland where reaching gale-force in exposure by evening, severe in west around dusk.

### Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Increasingly windy, gales later; afternoon light rain, cloud lowers.

## Detailed Forecast for Friday, 10 April, 2026

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Westerly 10-15mph at dawn, briefly less. Shifting southerly during morning and strengthening, to 30-40mph during afternoon, strongest in west, 50mph by dusk, 60mph for a few hours after dark, moderating a little then overnight.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Mostly small in morning, but with time becoming increasingly blustery in exposure, strenuous conditions with notable wind chill developing later afternoon, further deteriorating to become difficult during evening.</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Some patchy rain afternoon</b> The morning and early afternoon are likely entirely dry. During afternoon, patchy rain, a mix of drizzle and some steadier rain in west; snowflakes on high terrain, mostly light in nature. Heavier rain in west into night.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Clear through morning, returning to high terrain at times afternoon</b> Patchy cloud on higher terrain in the morning, most facing Cardigan Bay/Llyn Peninsula. Cloud soon lifts and breaks after sunrise, clear hills into early afternoon, then banks returning to the summits in afternoon rain, may lower towards 600-700m in heavier moments, variable into dusk.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>90%, lowering to 50%</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Largely cloudy, some weak sun through high cloud with occasional brighter moments, but trending more widely cloudy with time. Very good visibility, a light early haze; poorer later where rain develops.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-1C much of the morning, rising to +1C afternoon, staying lifted into night and may rise a few degrees further for a few hours. Later, feeling like -10 to -15C in wind.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	700-800m at dawn, slowly lifting to the high summits in the afternoon, lifting off the summits for several overnight hours.

**Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead**

	<b>Saturday 11 April</b>	<b>Sunday 12 April</b>
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	Southwesterly 25-30mph, gradually strengthening, 40-50mph by dusk.	South to southwesterly, uncertainty about peak speeds, likely varying 30 to 40mph, risk 50mph for a time higher tops.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Fairly small at dawn, blustery in exposure, increasingly challenging conditions through afternoon and wind chill setting in.</b>	<b>Expect blustery conditions, risk often arduous walking on tops, squally gusts affecting balance. Considerable wind chill.</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Snow showers, risk hail</b> Showers stream in from the west throughout the day, snow to 500m, some hail mixed in as well. Frequency will vary, with more persistent showers but also drier times.	<b>Heavy showers, hail, snow</b> Broadly showery, locally more frequent precipitation for periods, mostly toward west in morning; heavy bursts with hail, snow at times falling toward 600m, risk of isolated thunder.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Mostly passing caps on high terrain</b>  Variable cloud mostly above 700m in the morning, may be briefly more extensive at dawn, but bases lifting through the morning, breaks forming off the tops, perhaps for extended periods, but occasionally returning to the summits in showers.	<b>Varying on high tops</b>  Most cloud often confined above 700-800m, clearing tops periodically, but briefly lower patches around 600m in showers, most frequent in west in morning.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>Rising to 60%</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Bursts of sunshine, some extended periods of sun. Variable visibility, often very good but poor in showers.	Brief moments of bright sunshine. Visibility changing suddenly from very good to very poor or briefly appalling in showers.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-1 or 0C, may rise slightly. Later, feeling like -15C in direct wind.	1 or 2C. Wind chill feeling like -8 to -12C.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	800-900m, some variability, and tending to rise slightly.	1000m or above.

**Planning Outlook**

**All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 11 April, 2026**

Showers and sunshine this weekend, windy with gales at times, and cool temperatures bringing snowflakes to some middle slopes. Variable weather regimes next week: Atlantic west-southwesterly winds likely dominant, with low pressure to the northwest of the country, bringing cloud, rain, and mild temperatures, often followed by sun, showers, and cooler temperatures; rain will be increasingly common to the high Munros, but the snowfall level will lower too during periods of cooler weather, and perhaps to high Lakeland fells, though any snow unlikely to accumulate here.

Next weekend, indications of high pressure increasingly building, bringing drier and brighter conditions with mild days, though the risk remains of occasional rain and cooler temperatures, notably in Scotland.

**Forecast issued at 15:50 on Thursday, 9 April, 2026**

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