

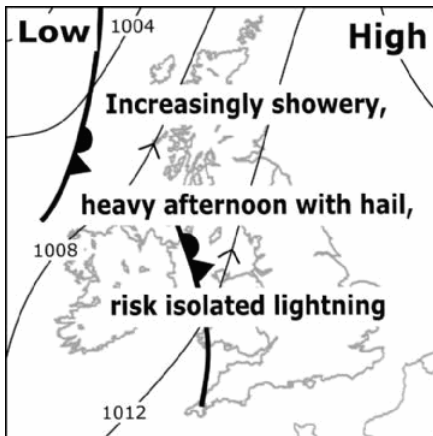
# Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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## General Summary for Monday, 13 April, 2026



### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 13 April, 2026**

Heavy showers with hail from dawn in northwest Scotland, snow falling as low as middle-slopes. Hail showers become widespread afternoon, a risk of isolating lightning. Cloud above most hills between showers. Chilly temperatures, slightly rising in sun, but suddenly chilly again around showers and also gusty.

### Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Hail showers increasingly forming, risk of lightning afternoon

## Detailed Forecast for Monday, 13 April, 2026

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	South-to-southwesterly 10 to 15mph, brief stronger gusts around showers.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Mostly small effect on walking, but feeling chilly if exposed to breeze.</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Hail showers forming increasingly</b> Showers mostly close to west coast early morning, a scattering forming inland through morning, becoming widespread into afternoon, briefly heavy with hail, also snow falling to 700-800m; risk isolated thunder & lightning. Showers may be persistent for several afternoon hours.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Often above hills</b> Patches of cloud forming around some upper slopes in the morning, mostly coastal areas in west; some patchy mist inland valleys as well. Lifting above most or all summits, but brief patches grazing upper slopes around showers. A risk of more extensive cloud on high terrain during later afternoon showers.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>70%</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Sunshine best inland in morning, then cloud building, leaving brief bursts of sun, more overcast later in the day. Visibility excellent, but briefly very poor in showers.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-1C rising to +1 or 2C by afternoon, but dropping a few degrees in showers. Wind chill feeling like -3 to -7C on tops.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	800-900m at dawn, some light frosts in sheltered inland valleys, the freezing level lifting above the summits as morning goes.

## Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	<b>Tuesday 14 April</b>	<b>Wednesday 15 April</b>
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b> <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Southerly, 10-20mph in morning, strengthening, 30-35mph afternoon into dusk, but risk 50mph tops for a time. <b>Fairly small from dawn, but likely becoming more blustery over higher terrain, arduous-to-challenging later and feeling chilly.</b>	Southerly 40-50mph; very gusty, not just high elevations, locally variable direction. Southwesterly trend later. <b>Arduous to often challenging walking with significant wind chill all day; gusts constantly affecting stability.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Rising risk of patchy rain, little until later</b> As midday approaches, an increasing chance of patchy rain, mostly light, but a heavier burst possible. Onward into evening, more persistent rain and drizzle, likely steadier rain develops western areas.	<b>Drizzle, patchy rain, more later</b> A persistent drizzle over the summits likely all day, to the middle slopes early, with patchy rain occasionally drifting from the southwest too. Rain sets in persistent and heavy for several hours later, may break late in the day.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>  <b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>Mostly clear morning, filling in later afternoon</b> Patchy cloud around some slopes early morning, local mist inland valleys at first. Likely to disperse or lift above most hills for several hours. With time afternoon, patches reforming as rain arrives, gradually filling in over high terrain into evening. <b>80%, lowering to 40% afternoon</b>	<b>Extensive, some improvement east-Wales</b> Extensive to at least middle slopes at dawn, to lower slopes or valley level facing Cardigan Bay/Llyn Peninsula. Bases lift somewhat, best Berwyn group, to 600-800m, local breaks here afternoon. Snowdonia/western slopes stay shrouded to at least 500m or lower. <b>20%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of cloud and sun, high cloud gradually builds to cover the sky. Visibility excellent, reducing if rain develops.	Bursts of sunshine breaking out on lower slopes east, little or no sun west. Largely poor visibility but locally very good where cloud base lifts.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>  <b>Freezing Level</b>	2C rising to 6C, staying lifted into night. Feeling colder later in day as wind increases. Close to freezing on highest summits, also frost inland valleys around dawn. Lifting above freezing to tops.	6 or 7C most of the day. Sudden cooling later afternoon, around 4C by evening. Feeling like -5 to -10C in direct wind. Above the summits.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 14 April, 2026**

Tuesday starts largely dry and temperatures trend milder than prior days, but rain and strengthening south-southwesterly winds return from the west later. Milder into mid-late week, but Scottish high tops above 1200m close to freezing at times. Wednesday through Friday sees unsettled conditions with showers, occasionally more persistent rain, accompanied by strong gusty winds, gales over mountains for periods, but also brighter spells between rain. With strengthening sunshine, temperatures will tend to rise several degrees during daylight, often becoming warm in the valleys; slopes north of major hill groups often milder. Higher pressure gradually builds through next weekend, bringing fewer showers and lighter winds; chilly overnight, but fairly mild spring days.

**Forecast issued at 16:20 on Sunday, 12 April, 2026**

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