

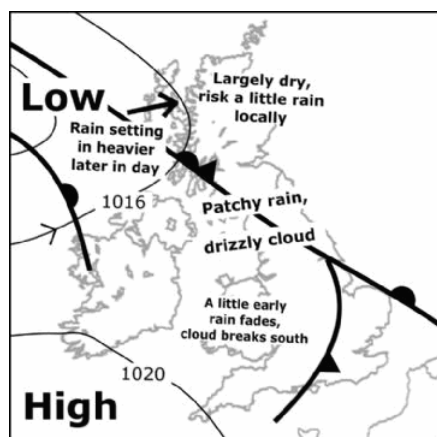
Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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



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General Summary for Monday, 17 August, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 17 August, 2026

Much of the Highlands largely dry well into the afternoon with light winds, but some local patchy light rain and varied cloud. Rain develops from the west later, setting in heavy into evening. England and Wales sees patchy rain, drizzle and low cloud, though mid & south Wales tends to improve.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Some light rain, low cloud, improving. Light-moderate breeze.

Detailed Forecast for Monday, 17 August, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 15-20mph in morning, often 20mph high tops at first; easing a little to 10-15mph middle of day, then rising later in day, to 25mph by dusk, 35mph into night.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but later in day feeling breezier and may start to affect ease of walking toward sunset.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	A little rain on and off, then heavy rain into night Patchy light rain and drizzle in the morning and early afternoon, mostly small amounts, but hills nearer coasts may be often damp. May fade for a few hours afternoon, then into evening increasing risk steadier rain developing from northwest, but perhaps dusk onward before setting in - likely persistent heavy rain onward into night.
Cloud on the hills?	Lowest in morning, may persist high tops, breaks form inland Fairly extensive cloud across the hills in morning above 500-700m, lowest toward northwest. Tending to rise with some breaks forming afternoon, mainly inland, higher western tops often capped. Lowering widely into evening.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30% rising to 50%, or 70% east
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely cloudy, some weak sun occasionally through high cloud afternoon. Visibility varying, at times very good inland, but poorer around rain locally.
How Cold? (at 900m)	10C rising to if 13C out of cloud.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Tuesday 18 August	Wednesday 19 August
How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 20 to 30mph.	Southwesterly 20 to 30mph, may tend to increase later in day to often 30-35mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Affecting comfortable walking on higher terrain, at times more strenuous in exposure. Marked wind chill.	Breezy over high terrain, affecting comfortable walking at times, risk buffeting more often later; feeling rather cool.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	A few showers Heavy rain from overnight clears southward around dawn, leaving showery rain continuing on and off for a few hours, becoming scattered showers.	Showers Showery rain most frequent in western areas in the morning, but scattered mostly brief bursts of rain passing eastwards during the day. Later a chance of more prolonged rain developing in the west.
Cloud on the hills?	Early low cloud, may not clear west Blanket cloud across hills from dawn, base tending to lift but likely to cap higher slopes much of day toward west; breaks east.	Lifting with breaks toward tops Covering many western tops above 600-800m in the morning; base tending to rise, breaks forming toward upper slopes, but patches may come and go on tops.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30% west rising to 60% inland	60%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Cloud breaks to give sunny spells. Visibility improving to be very good.	Sun mostly east in the morning, otherwise often cloudy; some sun later near coast. Visibility mostly very good.
How Cold? (at 900m)	9 or 10C, trending cooler later in day. Feeling near to freezing in the wind.	7 to 9C, coolest west, little change all day. Feeling near freezing directly in the wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 18 August, 2026**

Rain spreads to most places on Monday night as a frontal system moves eastward. Low pressure to the north will gradually drift south to envelop most of Britain into midweek, bringing showery conditions widely, some more organised bands of rain at times. Some heavy and thundery downpours forming, mostly into the afternoons in the second half of this week, becoming focused further south with time. Fresh westerly winds turning northerly and temperature lowering later in the week, dropping close to freezing on high Scottish tops by Friday and frost may occur in Highland glens over a couple of nights. Drier weather is likely by the weekend as higher pressure builds.

Forecast issued at 15:56 on Sunday, 16 August, 2026

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