

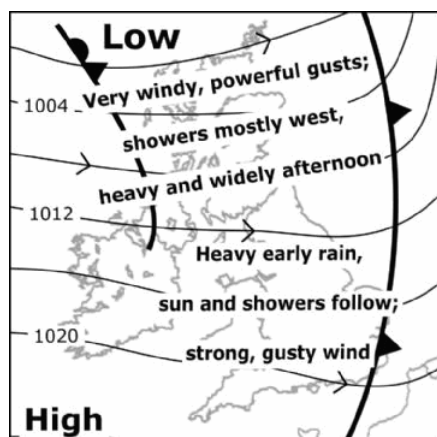
Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

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



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General Summary for Tuesday, 13 October, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 13 October, 2026

Heavy rain over England and Wales at dawn clears eastward, followed by showers, sun breaks, and cooler temperatures. Showers soon frequent west Scotland, clustering for sustained heavy rain/hail, sweeping east across Scotland afternoon. Widely windy, powerful gusts around rain.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Early rain clears, showers follow but fade with time; windy

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 13 October, 2026

How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	West-southwesterly 40-45mph just around dawn, tending to lessen as the day goes, finishing near 30-35mph, may further lessen into night. Always a risk of powerful gusts returning. Challenging to start with powerful gusts making stability a constant challenge. Effects will lessen, though walking likely stays strenuous in exposure during daylight. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Early rain then showers, easing Heavy rain around dawn clears away eastwards in morning, leaving a brief drier window. Some showers will drift onto the hills from the west, may be frequent at first, but tending to ease with time.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Often capping highest tops, variably lowering, notably west Extensive around and just after dawn, breaking into varied cloud banks, lifting toward upper slopes and clearing some high tops for a time well inland; patches often cap higher tops in Snowdon group and near coast. Varied lower banks towards 600m west, but a breaking trend with time. 30%, later starting to rise
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Some sun breaking through occasionally, best in the east. More often cloudy west, but breaks tending for form with time. Visibility good as rain clears, but some haze in west, reduced further in showers.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	Mild 12C overnight but dropping to 8C as dawn breaks, further lowering during the day to finish around 7C. Feeling later like -6C in stronger wind. Above the summits.

Eryri / Snowdonia National Park - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 14 October	Thursday 15 October
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southwesterly, in range 30 to 50mph, notable increase with height; sustained speeds locally 55-60mph afternoon. Strenuous walking even on lower hills, gusts knocking you off balance, increasingly difficult on high terrain.	Southwesterly in the range of 35-50mph, will vary somewhat, sometimes suddenly strengthening with powerful gusts. Strenuous walking in exposure, buffeting gusts and risk of sudden deteriorating conditions; considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	A little rain west Spots of rain in the wind, frequently damp around cloud over west hills near towards coasts, drier further east and northeast.	Drizzle, rain later Drizzly on high tops, generally damp air on high terrain facing the Llyn Peninsula. A band of rain will arrive from the northwest afternoon, though timing is uncertain and a drier window before arrival is possible.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Most persistent west coast hills Banks of cloud clinging to western hills much of day above 600-700m, lowest near west coast. Near/north from Ogwen valley, the cloud base higher, often above 800m with breaks. Also clearer east Wales. 20% west, 40% north, 60% east.	Fairly extensive, chance a clear window High tops and slopes towards Cardigan Bay in cloud above 800m much of the day, more broadly to 500-600m in morning. A window of higher cloud bases for a few afternoon hours, some northeast summits clearing, but returning extensively evening/night. 30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of weak sun mostly north and eastern areas. Hazy, visibility better further east.	Bursts of sun to the north and east, some windows of good visibility but some haze. Visibility more often poor towards Cardigan Bay.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	6C rising to 8C. Feeling like -5C directly in the wind. Above the summits.	A mild 9 or 10C. Feeling near or below 0C in strongest direct wind. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 14 October, 2026

Southwesterly gales strengthen to become severe on the mountains into Wednesday, moderating into Thursday. Cloudy with some drizzle on western hills, a band of more extensive heavier rain passing southeastwards Wednesday into Thursday as well. Starting on the milder side, but fresher air arrives behind the band of rain Thursday into Friday, sun breaking out with a few showers - Scottish high summits may drop back close to freezing with some snow falling on higher tops. Indications of higher pressure building on Friday and into the weekend, bringing a window of more settled weather and scope for local inversion conditions on high terrain. Clear night skies allow for chilly mornings, some ground frosts likely, and may remain quite blustery south Pennines and Wales.

Forecast issued at 16:13 on Monday, 12 October, 2026

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