

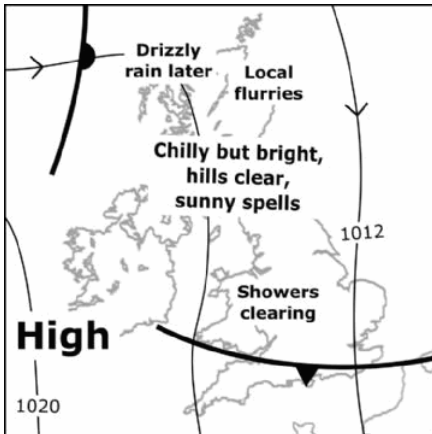
# Southeastern Highlands

The southern Highlands as far west as the Callander area and north to Loch Ericht, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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## General Summary for Monday, 11 May, 2026



### British Mountain Summary:

**Based on forecast chart for noon 11 May, 2026**

Cold northerly breezes, but a bright day with broken cloud lifting above the mountains and some sun. Scattered showers with snow flurries on hills. A band of showers moves south over Wales in the morning. Later in the day, westerly winds increase and cloud thickens in western Scotland with drizzly rain arriving.

### Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Cold, largely dry. Windier later, some rain into night.

## Detailed Forecast for Monday, 11 May, 2026

<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	North-northwesterly 15-20mph, occasionally less; turning westerly, tending to increase to 25-30mph up to dusk, reaching 40mph with stronger gusts into night.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Fairly small for several hours, but distinctly chilly over the mountains. Likely becoming more blustery into evening, deteriorating into night.</b>
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>Rare flurries; rain into night</b> Largely dry, isolated snow flurries falling to some lower elevations in morning, mostly in eastern areas, fading. From dusk, patchy drizzly rain preceded by snow flurries on tops moving in from west, more persistent into night in west.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Mostly little, lifting</b> Broken cloud drifting over higher slopes in morning, mostly above 1000m, then most or all cloud above tops by middle of day onward. Into night, lowering onto tops from the west.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>90%</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Patchy sunshine. High cloud thickening later from west. Visibility excellent.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	-3C early morning, rising to +3C afternoon, or slightly milder into night. Feeling colder as wind increases.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	600m, or lower in east around dawn, gradually rising, toward 1200m or above afternoon, then into night lifting further above highest tops.

## Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	<b>Tuesday 12 May</b>	<b>Wednesday 13 May</b>
<b>How windy? (On the Munros)</b>	Westerly 30 to 45mph, squally gusts around showers.	North to northwesterly 25mph, at times 30mph higher tops, tending to increase later in day.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	<b>Frequent buffeting across the hills, challenging walking at times in exposure. Significant wind chill.</b>	<b>Significant wind chill, blustery on high terrain, may start to affect comfortable walking in exposure, buffeting gusts.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Showery, hail and snow on tops</b> A band of rain clears southeast at dawn, then a scattering of showers becoming more frequent, some heavy, snow falling at times to 800m, also hail to lower slopes. Risk of isolated thunder and lightning.	<b>Showery, hail and hill snow</b> Scattered showers in the morning, but becoming increasingly widespread, heavy bursts with hail, risk isolated thunder; snow often falling on the Munros, at times down to 700m.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Varied on tops, lifting higher with breaks</b> Cloud frequently changing, mostly above 900-1000m, and tending to rise higher in afternoon, with time only occasionally capping tops.	<b>Varying on higher tops</b> Some patches of cloud around upper slopes in the morning, but mostly lifting toward or above many summits. Around showers will vary, ragged patches to 600m, but breaking above tops for periods.
<b>Chance of cloud free Munros?</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>50%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Brief bursts of sun. Visibility often very good, but intermittently very poor during showers.	Brief bursts of sun and intermittently excellent visibility, but suddenly appalling where in cloud, snow or hail.
<b>How Cold? (at 900m)</b>	1 to 3C. Feeling like -10 to -15C directly in the wind on tops.	0C rising to 3C. Wind chill feeling like -10C, nearer -13C higher summits.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	1000 to 1200m or slightly higher in afternoon.	900m early morning, rising to 1200m or above into afternoon, but lowering slightly in showers.

**Planning Outlook****All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 12 May, 2026**

Notably chilly for mid-May across the hills this week as air from the north-northwest prevails. Frequently near or below freezing over Scottish Munros, and at times dropping to freezing on high tops in England and Wales. Wind speed will vary, but increasing at times to gale force on hills, giving significant chill factor. Broadly showery, heavy bursts with hail and thunder in places, also often falling as snow on higher mountains, at least in Scotland, intermittently elsewhere. Some more persistent precipitation especially northwest Scotland. Also some drier windows - varying locally day-to-day - away from showers cloud will lift above hills and visibility will be very good. Less windy and fewer showers suggested by next weekend into early next week.

**Forecast issued at 16:28 on Sunday, 10 May, 2026**

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