

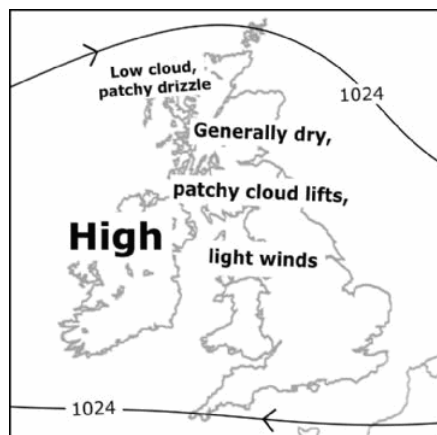
Southern Uplands

The Galloway hills eastward to the Lammermuir hills. The Cheviots (including higher hills within the adjacent Northumberland NP).



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General Summary for Sunday, 23 August, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 23 August, 2026

A fine day for most places with light winds. Patchy cloud around some hill slopes early in the day will lift to leave many summits clear, but cloud banks are likely to persist on west coastal tops in Scotland, a little drizzle here in the morning, breezier too in the far northwest.

Headline for Southern Uplands

Patchy cloud lifts above tops; generally dry.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 23 August, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Northwesterly 10mph at first, becoming variable 5 to 10mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Little or none Small chance of an isolated light shower toward the east late in the day.
Cloud on the hills?	Lifting above summits Cloud banks early in the day mostly north and western areas, may drift over some tops for a few hours but tending to lift to largely clear above the summits by midday.
Chance of cloud free summits?	60% rising above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchwork of cloud and sun, clouding over inland; later sunnier west coast areas. Very good visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	9C rising to 13C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Southern Uplands - Looking Ahead

	Monday 24 August	Tuesday 25 August
How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly trending southeasterly, 10-15mph, strengthening slightly west.	Easterly 15 to 25mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small.	Fairly small, but feeling breezy over higher terrain and gusty in places.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	Drizzle mostly east Drizzle in the air, may be frequent for periods in areas east of the M74 corridor making it generally damp, but small amounts of rain in total. Patchier westwards, more often dry Galloway.
Cloud on the hills?	Little expected Scattered banks of mist around dawn, mostly lower slopes and into some valleys. Lifting through morning to clear the summits.	Mostly eastern hills in the morning Varied cloud banks from lower slopes upward in the morning, most extensive eastern areas. Breaks forming and the base tending to rise, some patches may come and go on The Cheviot all day.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%	30% rising to 60% east, or 80% west.
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine, some fair weather cloud building. Good visibility, a light haze arriving from the south.	Fairly cloudy, may break up a little to give some sun, best in west; thin high cloud. Visibility very good below cloud, but some hills mistier for several hours.
How Cold? (at 750m)	8C rising to 12 or 13C.	9C rising to 11 to 13C, coolest Cheviots.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 24 August, 2026

A fine start to the week with high pressure nearby, but easterly breezes will tend to strengthen. Most places dry through Monday and Tuesday, but generally deteriorating from the south into midweek as low pressure moves in from the south, patchy rain will increasingly spread northward with some local stronger wind. Broadly unsettled as next weekend approaches with bands of heavy rain forming mixed with showery bursts at times, but fairly warm and somewhat humid. Wind speed and direction likely to vary considerably day-to-day.

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