

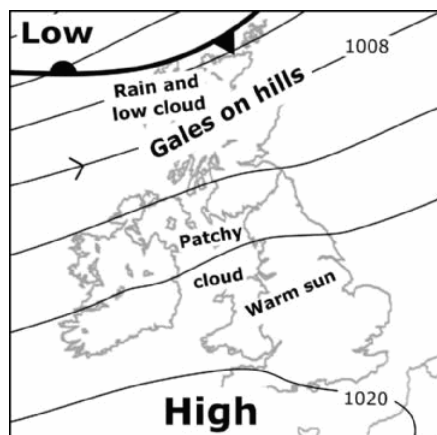
Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

The entire Yorkshire Dales National Park and North Pennines AONB, including the Three Peaks and Cross Fell, plus Howgills, also south to Forest of Bowland.



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General Summary for Friday, 8 August, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 8 August, 2025

Gale-force winds persist over higher terrain in Scotland. Rain and drizzle throughout the day toward the northwest, low cloud covering western mountains extensively; higher cloud bases eastwards. Cloud banks common on hills near the Irish Sea, clearer with more sun eastwards over England & Wales.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Blustery over fells. Largely dry, cloud base lifting.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 8 August, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	West-southwesterly 25 to 30mph, at times 35mph higher Pennines, gusts over 40mph around higher summits.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking impeded notably over tops, very blustery with frequent buffeting in exposure. Feeling chilly on high tops.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Little or no rain Small chance of local spots of light rain, otherwise dry.
Cloud on the hills?	Substantially clearing summits Fog banks over high areas from dawn with patches locally to 400-500m in western areas, notably around Three Peaks. Soon lifting and breaking off most tops, slowest to clear from Ingleborough towards Tebay.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50% rising to 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Frequent bursts of sunshine develop. Good visibility though some haze.
How Cold? (at 700m)	9C rising to 11 to 13C, warmest eastern Dales. Feeling just above freezing in the wind.
And in the valleys	10 or 11C from dawn. Rising to 17 to 19C afternoon, warmest eastern valleys.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 9 August	Sunday 10 August
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southwesterly 30 to 40mph, risk 50mph for periods on higher N Pennines. Strenuous walking on exposed higher terrain, frequent buffeting in places. Marked wind chill.	Westerly 25mph, to 30mph N Pennines for a few hours from dawn, easing and turning southwest 15mph, occasionally less. Blustery and feeling chilly early in day, becoming mostly small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain for a time Odd pockets of drizzle western Dales early morning. Risk of rain on and off for an hour or so through middle of day-afternoon as a front moves south, then fading out.	Rain not expected
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Varied patches, lowest in west Patchy cloud banks mostly over higher tops and western slopes in Yorks Dales in morning. Lifting for a time, but in rain, lowering cloud over tops mostly in western areas. Bases rising again later. 50%	Local patches clearing Patches of cloud around some slopes in western Yorks Dales in morning, lifting, but may cap Ingleborough and nearby for a few hours, breaking above the hills midday into afternoon. 70% rising above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Occasional sun, mostly eastern dales. Visibility good, but some haze west; reduced in rain for a time.	Mostly sunny. Visibility increasingly very good.
How Cold? (at 700m) And in the valleys	10 to 12C. Feeling near/just below freezing in wind. 11C at dawn, rising to 19C afternoon.	9C rising to 13C afternoon, may rise slightly higher evening onward. Feeling near freezing in wind in morning. 11C at dawn, rising to 21C afternoon.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 9 August, 2025

A mixed southwesterly weather pattern prevails. Often windy, especially Scotland. Fronts coming in from the Atlantic bringing periods of rain most frequently in west and northwest Scotland. Small amounts of rain reaching eastern Scotland, more often dry. Patchier and less frequent rain for western England and Wales - higher pressure building for periods to give drier and warmer weather here. Low cloud often shrouding western tops, sometimes to lower elevations near coasts, higher cloud bases eastwards with better breaks.

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