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# **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.

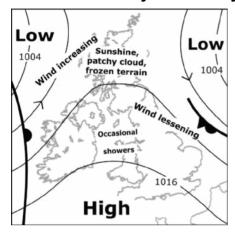




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# General Summary for Sunday, 30 November, 2025



# British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 30 November, 2025

A fine day for many places, sunshine and broken cloud. Much terrain frozen in the Highlands, where a lull in wind, later strengthening southerlies in west. Strong northwesterlies for England and Wales tend to drop. Some local showers move inland from the Irish Sea. Deteriorating all areas into night.

### **Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines**

Chilly wind eases; increases into night. Mostly sunny.

# Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 30 November, 2025

| How windy? (On the summits)  Effect of wind on you? | Northwesterly 25 to 30mph at first, or stronger before dawn, easing gradually, turning westerly 15mph afternoon. Increasing into night southerly 40-50mph.  Considerable wind chill and buffeting in exposure early in day, lessening into afternoon.  Deteriorating into night. |  |
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| How wet?<br>(Precipitation and its<br>impact)       | Largely dry lcy patches, a dusting of fresh snow on some tops. Chance of a brief shower coming in from west, mainly afternoon around Three Peaks.  |  |
| Cloud on the hills?  Chance of cloud free summits?  | Mostly clear  Early cloud patches mostly northern areas tending to break up from most hills.  Late in day, patches returning onto tops in Ingleborough area.   |  |
| Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)                 | Patchwork of cloud and sun. Visibility excellent.  |  |
| How Cold? (at 700m)                                 | 0 or -1C, small variation with height in the morning. Rising into night. Feeling near -10C if exposed to strongest wind at first.  |  |
| And in the valleys                                  | Near freezing from dawn, rising to max 3 or 4C early afternoon. Then rising during night up to 7C.   |  |

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### Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

|   | Monday 1 December   | Tuesday 2 December  |
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| How windy? (On the summits)               | Some uncertainty: Southerly 35 to 50mph, may vary during day, possibly briefly lower speeds, mainly N Pennines in   | Southwesterly 20 to 25mph, at times 30mph higher North Pennines.  |
| Effect of wind on you?                    | Expect challenging conditions most of the day, walking often difficult on higher terrain; significant wind chill.   | Breezy over the fells, blustery on higher exposed tops, starting to affect comfortable walking. Noticeable wind chill.  |
| How wet?                                  | Persistent often heavy rain west  | Rare showers mostly west  |
| (Precipitation and its impact)            | Rain may rarely cease across the region, sustained heavy falls particularly western Yorks Dales. Occasionally intensity may ease, perhaps easing off toward northeast. Breaking up into showers into night. | Much of the region often dry. Local showers may feed inland from Morecambe Bay into the westernmost Dales around the Howgills, brief hail. Fast-flowing streams after previous rain.                  |
| Cloud on the hills?                       | Most persistent west, higher northeast  | Varied cloud, mostly western Dales  |
|   | Shrouding higher terrain most of day, lowest cloud base western Yorks Dales up to Tebay, often to mid-slopes. Some breaks above 700m northeastern Pennines, but extensively lowering in rain.               | Banks of cloud most frequent western areas up to Tebay, but varied low cloud may be more widespread for a time in morning. Lifting above 600-700m, but may linger around Howgills. Clearer northeast. |
| Chance of cloud free summits?             | 20%   | 30% western dales, to 60% northeast.  |
| Sunshine?<br>Air clarity (below<br>cloud) | Largely overcast, dull in rain. Often poor visibility in west, widely in rain, locally better at times in east.   | Occasional sun mostly eastern dales. Visibility very good.  |
| How Cold? (at<br>700m)                    | 4C rising to 7C. Wind chill feeling like -7 to -10C in exposure on higher tops.   | 3C.<br>Wind chill feeling like -5C.   |
| And in the valleys                        | 6C at dawn, rising to 10C.  | 5C from dawn, up to 7 or 8C afternoon.  |

# **Planning Outlook**

## All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 1 December, 2025

Areas of low pressure circulating to the west and north will dominate the weather pattern in the week ahead, bringing generally unsettled weather. Southwesterly air and briefly milder into Monday, with rain for most places at times, but prolonged heavier rain for England and Wales. Then typically cooler with showery conditions - higher mountains near or just below freezing point likely for the remainder of the week - some snow on tops, occasional hail. Wind speed likely to vary, some squally gusty spells, but also some lulls possible during the week.

## Forecast issued at 16:30 on Saturday, 29 November, 2025

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