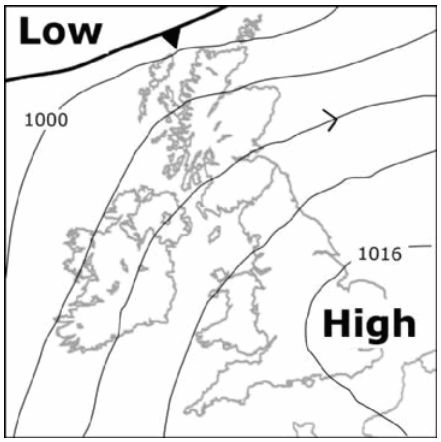
Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

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.

Evening with MWIS - Kendal - Thursday 19th November 2026
Classroom weather workshop supporting Kendal Mountain Search and Rescue Team

General Summary for Saturday, 14 November, 2026



British Mountain Summary:
Based on forecast chart for noon 14 November, 2026

Windy across higher areas, particularly so those near the north Irish Sea and Scottish Highlands (where widespread upland gales). Drizzly rain will affect some western mountains, but otherwise extensively dry. Much mountain terrain at least partly frozen, particularly morning.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Windy. Rain N Pennines, mostly clearing. Fine elsewhere.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 14 November, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	South or southwesterly between 20 and on highest tops 30mph - perhaps 35mph N Pennines.
Effect of wind on you?	**Higher up considerable wind chill and strenuous walking. Balance sometimes difficult particularly near Cross Fell (N Pennines).**
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	**Showers, sleet higher fells** Western dales south of Tebay: risk showers - perhaps frequent. Sleet higher tops. The precipitation will mostly or all die out through morning. Elsewhere; precipitation unlikely.
Cloud on the hills?	**Many western summits foggy.** Western areas south of Tebay: Low cloud probably extensive, base 450 to 600m. Elsewhere: patches on higher slopes, mainly morning, but hills intermittently or frequently cloud free.
Chance of cloud free summits?	**60%**
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patches of sunshine, although often cloudy western dales, especially south of Tebay, where also hazy. Elsewhere very good visibility.
How Cold? (at 700m)	0 rising to 2C. Will feel as cold as minus 8C directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	Widely frosty morning; by early afternoon the temperature between 6 and 8C.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 15 November	Monday 16 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Still considerable uncertainty: Southerly 20 to perhaps 40mph then a lull.	West to northwesterly; dropping from 30-40mph at dawn to 20-30mph by dusk. Generally strongest northern Pennines.
Effect of wind on you?	**Temporarily small, but zones where wind chill significant and walking difficult - these challenging conditions could set in abruptly.**	**Considerable wind chill and buffeting from lower slopes up in gusty winds. Walking sometimes difficult morning northern Pennines.**
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	**Intermittent rain** Areas of rain will circulate within general low pressure.	**Snow or hail frequently; risk thunder** Squally snow and hail showers all day, some heavy; risk lightning morning. Mostly rain below 300m. There may well be a band where for 2 or 3 hours, particularly morning, precipitation is almost constant, resulting in blizzards.
Cloud on the hills?	**Fog very likely across the mountains all day** Fog in some areas from lower slopes up, and few breaks above 600m.	**Extensive on higher areas.** Fog frequent or for several hours persistent, rarely clearing most fells above 600m. Near showers, plumes of cloud below 350m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	**30%**	**40%**
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine rare if any. Regions of very poor visibility; sometimes very good.	Occasional sunshine. Very poor visibility in snow, but intermittently good.
How Cold? (at 700m)	2 to 4C, may drop late in day	-1C. Will feel as cold as minus 12C directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	Around 6C.	Will reach around 6C, but dropping to around 3C near showers.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 15 November, 2026

On Sunday, uncertainty in forecast detail remains within a complicated area of low pressure.
Beyond, cold with higher terrain frequently or almost permanently frozen most or perhaps all next week. Wales, and perhaps N England, will see one or two incursions of much warmer air together with areas of persistent rain and snow. Some higher areas may have a considerable snow. Overall, low precipitation across Scotland, but marked exceptions: here too, where the frequently northerly wind rises over mountains (with the sea directly to the north), accumulations of snow may well be considerable.

Forecast issued at 14:13 on Friday, 13 November, 2026

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