

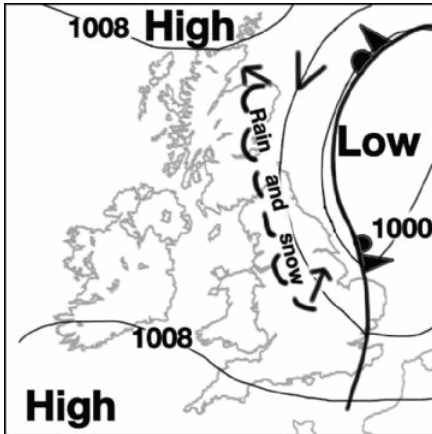
# Lake District

The entire Lake District National Park, taking in all major summits, including Scafell, Helvellyn, Skiddaw, the Langdales and Old Man of Coniston.



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## General Summary for Sunday, 28 April, 2024



### British Mountain Summary:

#### Based on forecast chart for noon 28 April, 2024

Extensive precipitation (of snow high areas) will move northwards across eastern and central Britain (exact western edge uncertain), but will also pivot so as to clear eastwards across England whilst advancing westward across northern Scotland. Extensively dry with very clear air further west.

### Headline for Lake District

Extensively dry; very clear air, but threat rain Borders, mainly east

## Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 28 April, 2024

<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>	North slowly backing toward westerly; 15, perhaps occasionally 20mph.
<b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Small.
<b>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</b>	<b>A few hail flurries</b> A few hail flurries, mainly afternoon. Low risk of rain temporarily, or above 750m sleet or snow easternmost fells.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>	<b>Summits extensively cloud free</b> Summits often cloud free. Risk of patches on higher areas temporarily near precipitation.
<b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>90%</b>
<b>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</b>	Little or no sun although bursts of sun will begin to come through from west later in day. Excellent or superb visibility, but poor where precipitation develops.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>	0C after dawn but extensively 4C by mid afternoon. Will drop back to 1C in precipitation.
<b>Freezing Level</b>	Widely near or below freezing point valleys up at dawn. By mid to late morning, summits above freezing point.

**Lake District - Looking Ahead**

	<b>Monday 29 April</b>	<b>Tuesday 30 April</b>
<b>How windy? (On the summits)</b>  <b>Effect of wind on you?</b>	Southerly between 20 and 30mph; although may reach 35mph for periods.  <b>Will impede ease of walking widely, locally giving considerable buffeting and wind chill.</b>	South to southeasterly speeds may well vary: typically 25mph, but for periods 35mph particularly southern and western fells.  <b>Will impede ease of walking on higher areas at times.</b>
<b>How wet?</b> (Precipitation and its impact)	<b>Rain occasionally</b> Bursts of showery rain on and off; the rain most extensive south lakes.	<b>Rain occasionally</b> Frequently dry, particularly northeastern fells. Nevertheless, bursts of showery rain from time to time, most often on southwestern fells.
<b>Cloud on the hills?</b>  <b>Chance of cloud free summits?</b>	<b>Extensive, particularly as rain becomes widespread</b> South lakes: Fog on higher areas much of the day, perhaps sometimes forming on lower slopes, particularly in rain. North lakes: Summits may well be free of cloud, but in rain higher slopes may become covered.  <b>30%</b>	<b>Patches on higher slopes, mainly south lakes</b> Fragments on higher slopes, mainly south lakes, where possibly persistent for a few hours (in and after rain), but overall the summits often cloud free  <b>70%</b>
<b>Sunshine?</b> Air clarity (below cloud)	Weak sunshine occasionally, generally through layers of high level cloud. Very good or excellent visibility but deteriorating to become poor in rain.	Occasional sun, mainly northeast lakes, through layers of high level cloud. Good visibility although a haze.
<b>How Cold? (at 750m)</b>  <b>Freezing Level</b>	2C rising to 5C.  Above the summits.	5 rising to 9C  Above the summits,

**Planning Outlook**

**All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 29 April, 2024**

Much less cold next week with freezing levels above the mountains. Rain from time to time, particularly Wales - some of the rain heavy and thundery in character. Wind direction predominantly easterly, resulting in frequent low cloud on more eastern mountains, with highest cloud base often near the west coast.

**Forecast issued at 14:08 on Saturday, 27 April, 2024**

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