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Brecon Beacons

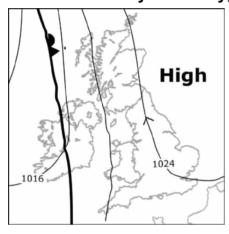




Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.

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General Summary for Friday, 25 April, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 25 April, 2025

Most mountain areas becoming fine and warm as patches of early morning low cloud disperse. However, a front approaching western Scotland will bring strengthening wind, thickening cloud and then rain to more western mountains.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Fairly light wind. Periods of sunshine; intermittently cloudy.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 25 April, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly typically 15 to 20mph, locally gusts to 30mph west Wales.	
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small; but mainly central and western hills, locally gusty both on higher and lower slopes.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Chance of the odd patch of rain late in day Small risk of isolated burst of rain toward or during evening.	
Cloud on the hills?	All or nearly all higher summits clearing	
	Generally areas of cloud after dawn, mostly east Wales, above 450m will lift and break, but may come and go above 750m.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	90% by late morning.	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Periods of sunshine - although the sun weakening from west as high level cloud thickens. Hazy, particularly east Wales.	
How Cold? (at 750m)	5C rising slowly through day.	
Freezing Level	Above the summits	

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Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 26 April	Sunday 27 April
How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly 10mph or less.	South to southwesterly, 10mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible	Negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain now and again, mainly morning. A little rain occasionally, mainly morning.	Rain unlikely
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive on higher areas, particularly morning	Mostly or all clearing
	Cloud base generally 400 to 650m morning, although tending to rise. There will be a trend toward higher bases; by afternoon, most cloud above 750m.	Fog may be widespread in some areas from lower slopes up after dawn. Will very likely all clear during morning.
Chance of cloud free summits?	10% rising to 60%	80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Occasional sun, mainly afternoon. Misty in rain, but otherwise visibility mostly excellent.	Periods of sunshine. Good visibility but a haze.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6C	7C rising to 11C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 26 April, 2025

The remnants of fronts will bring patches of rain and low cloud to most mountain areas on Saturday before tending to become confined to Scotland on Sunday (when the exact detail as yet uncertain). The rain may linger across NW Scotland into Monday before very warm dry air extends north across all mountains.

Forecast issued at 15:19 on Thursday, 24 April, 2025

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