

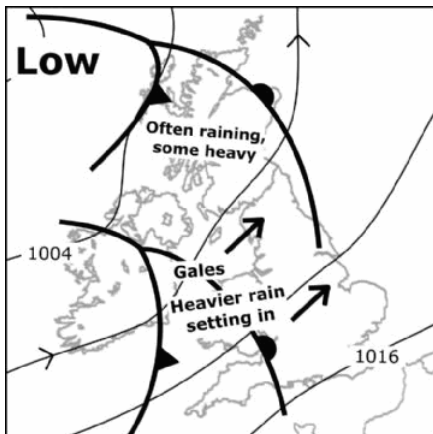
Brecon Beacons

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 Monday, 1 June, 2026



British Mountain Summary:
Based on forecast chart for noon 1 June, 2026

Rain affects all areas during the day, some heavy falls widely, most constant in Wales. Low cloud across the hills, blanketing to lower slopes in west coastal areas. South-southwest winds, varied in Scotland, but stronger England and particularly Wales, here gales over tops. Fairly mild air, but feeling cooler in wind.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Windy, up to gales on tops. Prolonged heavy rain; low cloud.

Detailed Forecast for Monday, 1 June, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 25 to 35mph, strong gusts, generally rising speeds through morning, to 40mph, gusts toward 50mph high tops afternoon, possibly briefly stronger late afternoon, then tending to drop later evening into night.
Effect of wind on you?	Challenging walking conditions all day, buffeting gusts affecting balance, more arduous conditions in afternoon on high terrain. Considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Persistent rain sets in widely heavy Patchy rain from before dawn soon becomes frequent, developing widely in morning for persistent steady rain, some prolonged heavy falls widely ongoing into afternoon and evening. Becoming very wet underfoot, streams rising rapidly, later in spate Brecon Beacons.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive, lowest southwest Cloud shrouds many hills from at least 500-600m up in the morning, a few odd breaks east-mid Wales, but filling in widely, covering hills from 300-400m up in south and west, rarely above 500-600m anywhere afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Overcast and dull. Visibility very poor in fog and rain, locally better if dry in east below cloud.
How Cold? (at 750m)	9 or 10C, rising a degree, locally to 12C Black Mountains. Feeling near to freezing in strongest wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Tuesday 2 June	Wednesday 3 June
How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 20 to 25mph, at times 30mph higher tops.	South-southwesterly 35 to 50mph, risk stronger gusts higher tops.
Effect of wind on you?	Noticeable breeze, in places affecting comfortable walking on higher terrain.	Strenuous to often arduous walking in exposure, buffeting gusts knocking you off balance. Considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Heavy locally thundery showers Showery rain on and off from dawn in west, heavier bursts passing eastwards into middle of day, some continue afternoon, risk isolated thunder. Drier near Cambrian coast afternoon, some light showers later.	Rain and drizzle persistent Rain extends in from the southwest, becoming fairly persistent, heaviest west Wales, drizzly even when heavier rain fades; occasionally easing off eastern areas.
Cloud on the hills?	Varied, then clearing tops Cloud banks most frequent over western tops in the morning, lifting toward then above many tops away from showers. Some patches likely return to western tops into evening.	Extensive Blanket low cloud across the hills, from lower slopes up furthest south and west, especially coasts, rarely above 500-600m inland, highest bases east Wales.
Chance of cloud free summits?	60%	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun, may become sunnier near west coast for a time afternoon. Visibility very good, reduced in showers.	Largely cloudy, dull, murky toward southwest in rain; hazy at best. Better visibility eastern hills below cloud.
How Cold? (at 750m)	9 to 11C. Feeling close to 0C if exposed to wind.	8C, slight rise if not in cloud. Wind chill feeling like -5C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 2 June, 2026**

An unsettled spell through early June, possibly through the first two weeks, as low pressure over the north Atlantic and southwesterly winds dominate. Periods of rain mixed with showery days widely - the most constant rain over western mountains with low cloud often shrouding the hills. Wind speed will vary, but up to gale-force for periods over the hills, mostly in Scotland by later this week. Higher pressure to the south tends to expand across and just east of Britain later in the week, bringing some drier weather, but western hills even in England and Wales may remain often misty and drizzly. Temperatures near average, cooler at times. Mid June onward shows signs of drier and warmer weather.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Sunday, 31 May, 2026

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