

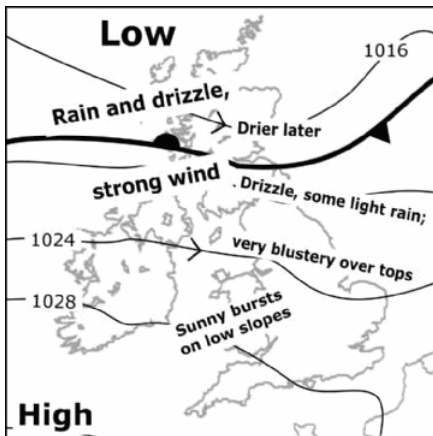
Brecon Beacons

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 Saturday, 4 July, 2026



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 4 July, 2026

Rain sweeps east through Scotland, persistent for several hours; easing afternoon but staying drizzly and dull west. Mild but feeling chilly in strong wind. Lakeland and Pennines very windy and drizzly with hill cloud. Drier in Wales, sunny breaks on low slopes. Warm Wales and England though notable wind chill.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Early hill cloud rises to/above summits; gusts over tops

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 4 July, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 20 to 25mph; some variability, perhaps lower speeds at times, but also strong gusts over high tops, particularly early in the day.
Effect of wind on you?	Starting to make walking uncomfortable on higher exposed terrain, buffeting gusts in places on tops.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Substantially dry A little fine drizzle on high terrain in the early hours, most notably over the Cambrians, this soon easing for dry hills.
Cloud on the hills?	Lifting to intermittent banks over summits Banks of cloud, possibly blanket low cloud western Brecon Beacons to west Cambrians above 500-600m in the morning. Higher bases to the east, and a lifting trend with time, intermittent banks over tops, mostly west; eastern slopes perhaps largely clear afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Rising to 60%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely cloudy and misty in the morning, lingering in the west; sunny bursts breaking out with time, best on low slopes where visibility becomes very good.
How Cold? (at 750m)	13C rising to 15C afternoon, or locally 16C easternmost hills. Feeling like 4 to 7C in direct wind on tops.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 5 July	Monday 6 July
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Westerly 15-25mph, notable gustiness on higher terrain; may trend towards lower speeds. Fairly small but some nuisance gusts on high terrain.	Westerly 15-20mph, notable gustiness on higher terrain, to 25mph or briefly stronger. Fairly small but nuisance gusts on high terrain.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	Any rain unlikely Small chance of an odd spot of light drizzly rain, but probably entirely dry.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Early cloud substantially clears Variable ribbons of cloud above the middle slopes in the morning, most extensive banks on coastal Cambrian slopes. East summits may be between/above cloud layer. A lifting trend and mostly breaking up, small chance of a few thin banks drifting over high tops. Rising to 80%	Varied banks upper terrain Variable banks of cloud above the middle slopes in the morning, most extensive towards Cambrians. Summits may be between/above cloud layer. A lifting trend and largely breaking for clear hills, though variable banks drifting over high summits from time to time. 70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Regular bursts of sunshine, more extensive later, but weakened by high cloud. Very good visibility.	Regular bursts of sunshine, more extensive later, but weakened by high cloud. Very good visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	11 or 12C, rising to 16C. Little change with added height, and perhaps warmer south and east. Above the summits.	11 or 12C, rising to 16 or 17C, and possibly warmer southeasternmost slopes. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 5 July, 2026**

Rain, drizzle and low cloud persist over western hills from Lake District northward through the weekend and into early next week. Temperatures near average, but feeling cool in exposure to wind on tops, quite strong and gusty in the north. Northeast areas are drier with higher cloud bases but patchy rain reaches here too. Higher pressure south maintains drier conditions in Wales and the south Pennines but cloud and some drizzle will affect high western slopes from time to time ; lighter wind here, but nuisance gusts in exposure. A drier and warmer window builds into the middle of next week: very warm in England and Wales, spells of sunshine spread northward, and lighter wind. Some showers and patchy rain continue through late week and next weekend, though detail is uncertain and more often dry.

Forecast issued at 15:59 on Friday, 3 July, 2026

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