

Brecon Beacons

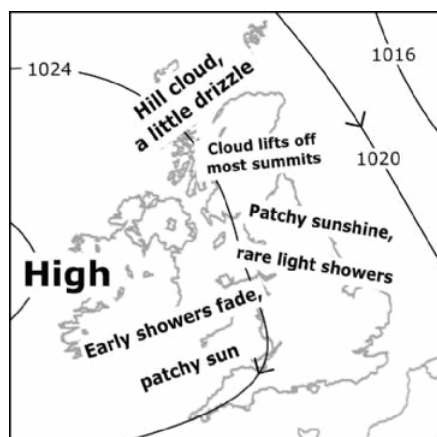
Includes all higher summits in the southern half of Wales: the Bannau Brycheiniog / Brecon Beacons National Park, southern Cambrian Mountains and highest Preseli hills.



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General Summary for Saturday, 22 August, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 22 August, 2026

Cloud clings to northwest Scotland slopes, a little drizzle. Cloud clears most other Munros, varied banks over highest summits. Rare showers in England but most hills dry, morning cloud lifting off summits with patchy sunshine. Early showers in north and west Wales will clear for patchy sun as well.

Headline for Brecon Beacons

Showers mostly west, fading for clear hills and patchy sun

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 22 August, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Northerly 5-15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Few scattered showers, mostly west; fading Some showers will primarily affect westernmost hills early in the day, an odd heavy bursts possible. Further east, showers will be rare, and rain entirely fades with time.
Cloud on the hills?	Little expected Patchy cloud here and there in the morning at varied height, the most cloud over the coastal Cambrians which may extensively shroud the tops early in the day. Lifting and breaking as morning goes to clear the summits.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sun to start, a patchwork of fair weather cloud builds with time. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	8C rising to 12C, or warmer on hills near Brynmawr.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Brecon Beacons - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 23 August	Monday 24 August
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Variable less than 10mph, some upslope breezes forming. Negligible.	East-southeasterly 15-25mph, a general trend towards higher speeds, further rising overnight. Fairly small, but quite blustery on summits at times.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Little or none A little patchy cloud on low slopes around dawn, soon lifting and dissipating for clear hills. 90%	Any cloud unlikely A few rare mist patches just at dawn, soon dissipating. Above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine, scattered fair weather cloud building. Excellent visibility.	Sunny to start, high cloud building and may well thicken to weaken or shroud the sun. Good visibility, though a morning haze.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	9C rising to 14 or 15C. Above the summits.	11C rising to 15 or 16C. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 23 August, 2026

A core of high pressure drifts over the country on Sunday, bringing light and varied wind, dry weather, and minimal hill cloud fairly widely. Northwest Scotland will see a westerly breeze with a little drizzle and lingering hill cloud. It will feel warm in England and Wales in the sunshine, but fair weather cloud will tend to build in the afternoon. Monday is settled too, but high pressure slips away to the northwest, facilitating a southeasterly wind into Wales, later more widely. Tuesday sees a return of low pressure from the south: temperatures will rise and patchy rain will increasingly spread northward with some local stronger wind. Conditions likely continue to unsettle as next weekend approaches with bands of heavy rain forming, varied conditions continuing through the weekend, and likely staying warm and somewhat humid.

Forecast issued at 15:54 on Friday, 21 August, 2026

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