

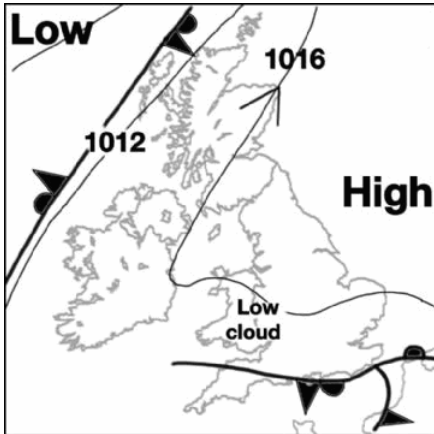
Lake District

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 Monday, 14 October, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 14 October, 2024

Sunshine and light wind on most mountain areas. However, in Wales, low cloud after overnight rain (mainly S Wales), and mist will lift only slowly from the north and west. A weakening front off the coast of NW Scotland will bring a little rain at first, and on Skye, extensive very low cloud.

Headline for Lake District

Dry; extensive sunshine. Light wind.

Detailed Forecast for Monday, 14 October, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	South or southeasterly, between 10 and 15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain not expected
Cloud on the hills?	Little if any
Chance of cloud free summits?	Almost certain
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bright sunshine and superb visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	1C; tending to rise toward 5C.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Tuesday 15 October	Wednesday 16 October
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southerly, varied speeds; typically 25 to 30mph, but nearer 40mph in some areas (mainly north of major summits). Fairly small some areas, but expect arduous walking and considerable wind chill. Sudden gusts (including on lower slopes) may knock you off	Southerly; tending to ease through day from 30 to 45mph after dawn toward 25 to 30mph by dusk. Very gusty. Considerable buffeting and wind chill where exposed. Sudden powerful gusts, sometimes on lower slopes could blow you over.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Drizzly at times, mainly south lakes South lakes: A few pockets of drizzle;. North lakes: The odd 'feel' or patch of drizzle.	Raining most or all day Frequently raining. Most breaks in the rain northern fells.
Cloud on the hills?	Persistent fog - except perhaps some northern summits Persistent fog above 400 to 650m, locally forming nearer 300m. Higher cloud bases north lakes, where breaks to 750m, perhaps occasionally higher.	Mountains persistently cloud covered Cloud base widely between 300m and 500m. In north lakes, most cloud above 600m, perhaps a few breaks to 750m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Less than 10%	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Widely dull and misty; but improving toward northern fells, where a little sun and good visibility (although hazy).	Rare sunshine coming through valleys north lakes. Frequently misty as visibility reduced by rain.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	8C; although as low as 5C in cloud. Will feel colder than freezing point directly in the wind. Above the summits	11C. Will feel close to freezing point directly in the wind. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 15 October, 2024**

Deteriorating over the next few days as wetter conditions, concentrated in most western mountains extends off the Atlantic. There will be bouts of upland gale, but only rarely on highest summits will temperatures drop below freezing point. Least rainfall is likely in the northern NW Highlands (north of Torridon).

Forecast issued at 7:29 on Monday, 14 October, 2024

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