

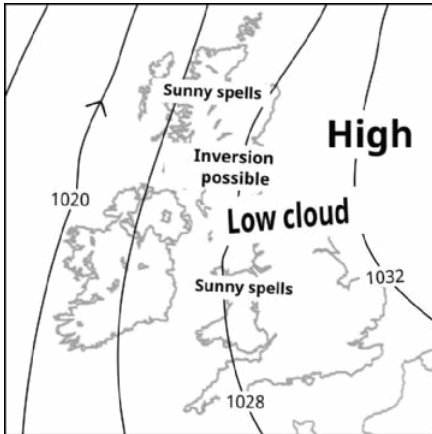
Lake District

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 Thursday, 7 November, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 7 November, 2024

Another widely murky day, with hills often in or just below cloud, damp with local drizzle. Windy in Highlands, some upland gales. Best chances for sun in Snowdonia, in north Lake District and in Northwest Highlands and along Strathspey. Generally mild.

Headline for Lake District

Overcast and dull in the south, some sun in the north, dry

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 7 November, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly, 20 to 30mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking strenuous, marked wind chill, balance and stability affected on exposed ridges.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain unlikely but damp, fine drizzle possible locally Low risk brief drizzle south Lakes.
Cloud on the hills?	Covered extensively Hills widely covered, perhaps down to lowest slopes, fog in the morning possible in the valleys. Highest tops may poke out of the cloud. Best chance for breaks northern Lakes.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly overcast, little to no sun. Chance for clearing in north Lakes. Visibility mostly poor, at times good in the north.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6 to 9C south to north, feeling below freezing in wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Friday 8 November	Saturday 9 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly, mostly 15 to 25mph, in the morning perhaps 30-35mph on tops.	Southeasterly, 10-15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small, affecting balance comfortable walking in the morning. Marked wind chill.	Small or negligible.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	Rain unlikely
Cloud on the hills?	Partly covered south Lakes Low cloud southern Lakes, around 600m, may in places extend much lower. Northern fells often clear.	Mostly covered Hills widely in cloud or just below it, bases between 500 and 800m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Little or no sun south Lakes, here murky, longer sunny spells north of Dunmail Raise. Even with clearances hazy.	Very little sun if at all appearing, mostly poor visibility due to extensive cloud and haze.
How Cold? (at 750m)	5 to 9C, warmest in the north	7C
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 8 November, 2024

Southerly flow with cloudy and damp weather continues until Sunday, when a cold front from the Atlantic will bring some rain. This passes quickly and will be followed by westerlies bringing more sun beginning of next week. From Monday onward high pressure centres over the UK, sunnier and warmer conditions with hardly any rain are expected until Thursday, when another front will bring some rain and again cooler air. Unclear for next weekend, but high pressure, dry conditions are most likely.

Forecast issued at 15:35 on Wednesday, 6 November, 2024

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