

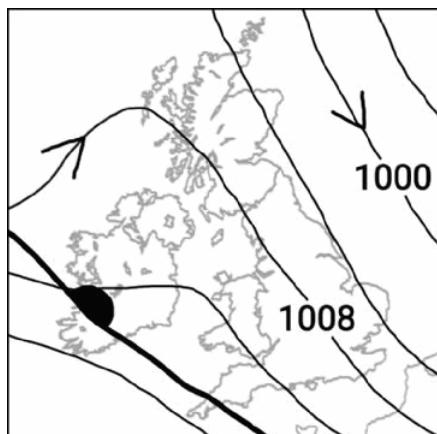
Lake District

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, 27 October, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 27 October, 2025

Scotland: Cold north-west winds and snow showers easing. Mostly dry with sunny periods. Rain/snow moving in from west into night.
 England/Wales: Early showers easing, giving plenty sunshine.
 Patchy rain and low cloud moving into Wales later.

Headline for Lake District

Cold, windy start. Improving conditions with sunshine. Rain moving in evening.

Detailed Forecast for Monday, 27 October, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Northwesterly 25-35mph at first, strongest in south. Easing down and backing westerly by late morning 15 to 20mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Very blustery start with significant wind chill. Conditions easing.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Occasional showers morning Occasional showers post dawn, of sleet highest fells. Rain returning from west in the night.
Cloud on the hills?	Odd patches over high tops north and west Foggy over high terrain with banks to middle slopes nearest to the Solway. Cloud will lift and break for largely clear fells. Cloud caps may at times drift over Skiddaw southwestward towards Pillar and Scafell group.
Chance of cloud free summits?	80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny well into the day, some high cloud building afternoon. Very good visibility.
How Cold? (at 750m)	3C. Feeling like -5C in the wind.
Freezing Level	Around 1000m, may drop slightly lower at times.

Lake District - Looking Ahead

	Tuesday 28 October	Wednesday 29 October
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Westerly 30 to 50mph Arduous or difficult conditions with significant wind chill/buffeting. Strongest winds not necessarily on highest slopes.	Low confidence in detail: West to southwesterly 15 to 30mph, risk of increasing to 40-45mph later in the day. Blustery for periods. Marked wind chill and buffeting. Potential core of stronger winds and arduous conditions later.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Patchy rain Patches of rain and drizzle, mainly coming and going as showers, but perhaps a band of more persistent drizzly rain for a time early in the day.	Morning rain, mostly dry afternoon. Rain through the morning, may well be heavy or torrential for a time. This frontal rain will tend to clear south into the afternoon to leave mostly dry conditions.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Fairly extensive upper slopes Cloud is expected to be fairly extensive across upper slopes above 700m, with patches at times down to 500m or so. 30%	Extensive at first, lifting to tops afternoon. Cloud fairly extensive across upper slopes in morning rain. As rain clears, bases will lift and break to become confined to the tops or above. 20% lifting to 60%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	A little patchy sun, mainly in the east. Visibility good, but poor in rain.	Overcast start, but on passage of rain, brighter skies with patchwork of sun into afternoon. Poor in early rain, becoming very good.
How Cold? (at 750m) Freezing Level	7C, but feeling closer to -5C in the strongest winds. Above the summits	5C Above the summits

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 28 October, 2025**

Still chilly conditions through mid-week with frontal zones edging in with rain followed by showers Wednesday. Still falling as snow over higher terrain in Scottish Highlands.

Winds shifting more southerly later in the week and into the weekend, bringing a further rise in temperature and a risk of deep low pressure systems drawing bands of rain northwards with swathes of gales or severe gales. Next week may see very unsettled conditions with frequent lows bringing strong winds and rain; largest totals western mountains. Occasional snow highest tops of Scotland where freeze-thaw cycles will prevail.

Forecast issued at 7:31 on Monday, 27 October, 2025

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