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Peak District

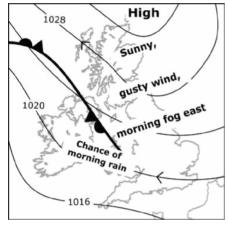




The southernmost Pennines, covering the entire Peak District National Park, also extending north to hills accessed from Hebden Bridge, and including the hills immediately north of Manchester.

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General Summary for Friday, 4 April, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 4 April, 2025

Gusty winds across all areas, strongest in southwest Scotland.
Speed increasing around dusk England and Wales. Eastern
Scotland and England seeing mid-slope cloud in the morning, some
rolling over tops of the Pennines. Chance of morning rain south
Wales and cloudy, clearing for a mostly sunny afternoon.

Headline for Peak District

Dry and mostly sunny. Gusty winds with morning mist east.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 4 April, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 25-35mph. Gusty, with strong sudden gusts through valleys and downslope in the west. Speeds widely on the higher end around dusk.	
Effect of wind on you?	Walking becoming impeded, at times strenuous. Stability affected in buffeting gusts. Feeling chilly.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No precipitation expected	
Cloud on the hills?	Patchy fog east	
	At dawn, patchy mist on eastern slopes. Some mist may rise to higher slopes and summits but will dissipate towards midday. West largely clear.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine, some cloud banks east in the morning. Excellent visibility, a light haze.	
Temperature (at 600m)	7C, rising to 10C. Feeling near freezing in strongest wind.	
And in the valleys	4C at dawn, rising to 16 to 17C in the afternoon. Warmest in the west.	

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Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 5 April	Sunday 6 April
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 20-30mph. Gusty over high tops and edges and down western slopes.	Southeasterly 20-30mph, strong sudden gusts down western slopes. Easing somewhat in the afternoon.
Effect of wind on you?	Feeling chilly in exposure, locally gusts may make walking uncomfortable.	Beginning to inconvenience walking with buffeting gusts, strongest of which may briefly challenge balance. Feeling chilly.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No precipitation expected	No precipitation expected
Cloud on the hills?	Early cloud banks clearing	Patchy morning fog
	Cloud coming in from the east may roll over the hills in the morning, mainly eastern moors. Likely lifting above the hills or largely dispersing.	A bank of cloud covering the hills, down to some lower slopes in the east at dawn. Soon thinning and breaking up through morning for a cloud free day.
Chance of cloud free summits?	70% rising to 90%	50%, becoming 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny, some patchy cloud. Visibility excellent, possible haze, misty for a time eastern areas.	Morning fog clears for extensive sun after noon. Excellent visibility.
Temperature (at 600m)	Only 3 or 4C eastern moors in morning, up rising to 6 or 7C in west. Wind chill feeling like 0 to -3C.	3C rising to 7C Feeling subzero in the wind for most of the day.
And in the valleys	Slight frost sheltered valleys at dawn. Rising to 12 to 14C, warmest in west by afternoon.	Slight frost sheltered valleys at dawn. Rising to 13 to 15C, warmest west.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 5 April, 2025

A high pressure center lingers over Britain next week. Extensively dry and sunny, possibly warm, some high cloud coming and going. Chilly mornings in valleys, slight frost and sometimes misty, though mists will soon clear for mostly cloud-free days. Occasional cloud banks may drift into eastern areas from the North Sea, staying on low to mid slopes. Generally light or calm winds across most areas. Later in the week, some indication of a westerly breeze into Scotland which will bring back cloud and some spots of drizzle.

Forecast issued at 16:28 on Thursday, 3 April, 2025

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