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Peak District

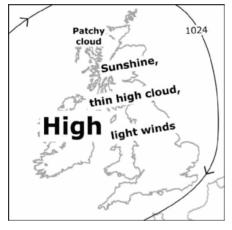




The southernmost Pennines, covering the entire Peak District National Park, also extending north to hills accessed from Hebden Bridge, and including the hills immediately north of Manchester.

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General Summary for Tuesday, 6 May, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 6 May, 2025

Fine with strong sunshine for most places, beware sunburn. A little fair-weather cloud into the afternoon. Warming up after a chilly start with frost. Cloud banks affect west coastal mountains north from Mull in the morning, tending to lift and thin with time. Light winds overall.

Headline for Peak District

Mostly sunny, light breezes.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 6 May, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	North to northeasterly 10mph or less, occasional 15mph early morning.	
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain	
Cloud on the hills?	Not expected	
Chance of cloud free summits?	Practically certain	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive or unbroken sunshine. A little fair-weather cloud by afternoon. Excellent visibility, although slight haze in morning.	
Temperature (at 600m)	5C at dawn; rising as high as 12C afternoon.	
And in the valleys	At dawn slight frost some valleys. Will rise to around 16C in the afternoon.	

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Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 7 May	Thursday 9 May
		Thursday 8 May
How windy? (On the summits)	Northeasterly 10-15mph, increasing afternoon to 20mph, possibly 25mph by evening on exposed higher areas.	Easterly 20mph, in places gusty 25mph; tending to ease to 15mph afternoon.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but feeling increasingly chilly as the breeze freshens.	Fairly small, but feeling chilly on exposed high terrain, especially morning.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain	Rain not expected
Cloud on the hills?	Not expected	Little if any
		Patches of cloud may briefly graze some higher moors early morning, soon all lifting above the hills.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Above 90%	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sun and high cloud, patchy fair-weather cloud filling in for periods afternoon. Visibility excellent.	Broken cloud and sun, cloudier skies for periods. Visibility excellent.
Temperature (at 600m)	5C at dawn, rising to 11C afternoon, though eastern moors slightly cooler, later in the breeze feeling like 4C.	4C rising to 10C afternoon. Feeling below freezing in the wind in morning.
And in the valleys	Slight frost at dawn in valleys and some sheltered higher terrain. Rising to 14 to 16C afternoon.	Slight frost in shelter at dawn, mainly toward west. Rising to 13 to 16C afternoon, warmest in west.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 7 May, 2025

A quiet spell of weather as high pressure continues to dominate over the British Isles this week and very possibly well into next week too. Generally dry conditions, low risk of an isolated afternoon shower. Winds mostly light, direction variable. Chilly nights with frost in valleys and sheltered higher terrain. Becoming pleasantly warm into the afternoons. Sunshine and variable cloud, at times covering the sky, but generally above the mountain tops with excellent visibility. Very dry ground conditions, beware high risk of fire.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Monday, 5 May, 2025

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