

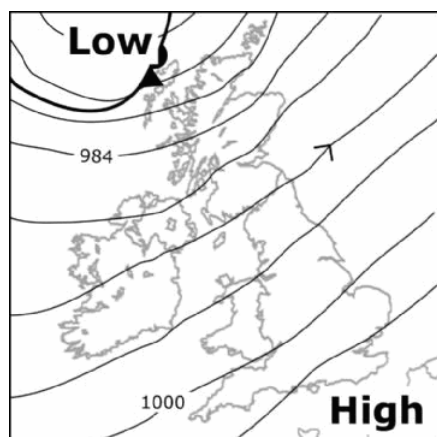
Peak District

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 Monday, 12 January, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 12 January, 2026

Extensive upland gales, although storm force at first N Scotland. Bands of showers, of hail, and snow higher areas, will merge to give periods of almost constant precipitation on many western mountains. Small risk thunder. Driest conditions will be on easternmost mountains and S Wales.

Headline for Peak District

Near gale force upland wind. showers.

Detailed Forecast for Monday, 12 January, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 35mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Strenuous walking widely, arduous over exposed higher moors. Considerable wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Showers Showers, perhaps frequent over an hour or two.
Cloud on the hills?	Sometimes on high tops Will come and go over higher moors, most cloud above 500-600m, although patches below 400m near showers.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun. Visibility fairly good, though some haze.
Temperature (at 600m)	5 or 6C. Will feel as cold as -8C where exposed to the wind.
And in the valleys	Mild from dawn, small variation night and day, typically 10C.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Tuesday 13 January	Wednesday 14 January
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Generally south or southwesterly 30 to 40mph. Walking on higher areas may well be arduous most or all day and wind chill considerable.	West backing southerly around 25mph before later in day possibly strengthening toward 40mph. Fairly small most or all day.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain may become incessant Rain may well fall most or all day after a dry start.	Risk of snow and hail showers Risk occasional showers giving hail and snow, although rain lowest slopes. Small threat precipitation setting in late in day.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Blanket of low cloud probable Cloud may well fill in or have filled in across the hills, and persist all day. 20%	Confined to or just above higher summits Cloud may sometimes form below 450m western dales north from Saddleworth, but but cloud base generally rising to 600m. 60%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine not expected. Widely misty or murky in rain.	Occasional sunshine. Visibility often very good.
Temperature (at 600m) And in the valleys	6C Between 7 and 9C	0C Will reach around 5C.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Tuesday, 13 January, 2026**

High rainfall and intermittently windy across most mountains over the next week or more as a series of Atlantic lows cross Britain. With uncertainty in the tracks of some lows, Tuesday's forecast remains very uncertain - but by Wednesday a transient weak ridge of high pressure will bring a brief improvement. Higher summits sometimes below freezing point S Scotland southwards: snow may accumulate on highest summits. Mostly below freezing Scottish Highlands enabling snow to accumulate widely.

Forecast issued at 13:43 on Sunday, 11 January, 2026

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