

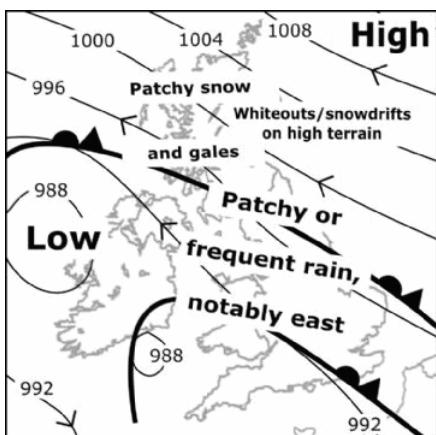
Peak District

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 Sunday, 25 January, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 25 January, 2026

Blustery for most, gales in Scotland which will be severe on high tops early. Continued snow and local whiteout conditions on high terrain in east Scotland, snowdrifts build here. Often raining over the Pennines and south Wales, more intermittent in north Wales and Lakeland (sleet or snow on high summits).

Headline for Peak District

Breezy in exposure; fog and rain, most in the east

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 25 January, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	East-to-southeasterly 30-35mph, shifting easterly with time and easing to 25-30mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Feeling blustery in the morning, particularly in exposure; feeling chilly in exposure too. Effects will ease and may locally be fairly small by dusk.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain on and off Rain and drizzle comes and goes for most of the day, though may at times be rather frequent.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive Covering higher moors much of the day above 500m, sometimes lower in south and eastern areas.
Chance of cloud free summits?	20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely cloudy, becoming hazy from the east with time. Poor visibility over many hills.
Temperature (at 600m)	1 or 2C, trending towards cooler later in the day, perhaps 0C in the north around or after dusk. Feeling like -8C in direct wind.
And in the valleys	4 or 5C, fairly steady most of the day, may begin to cool slightly from the north afternoon.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Monday 26 January	Tuesday 27 January
How windy? (On the summits)	Southeasterly 25-35mph. Strongest wind later in the day, strengthening further overnight.	Southeasterly 40-55mph, though gusty with most powerful winds reaching up to 60mph or higher.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking will be increasingly strenuous in exposure, buffeting gusts later will challenge balance. Significant wind chill.	Mobility challenged in exposure. Crouching/bracing needed for stability in powerful gusts. Severe wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Occasional light precipitation Patchy light sleet and snow may come and go at times, though extended dry periods are likely.	Snow most of the day Snow falls on the high moors most of the day, falling as sleet down into the valleys, perhaps locally as rain to the west. May ease late in the day.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive A sheet of cloud shrouds the moors down to the middle or lower eastern slopes. Best chance of higher breaks in the Lancashire Pennines, possibly near summits but only briefly.	Fairly extensive A blanket of cloud shrouds the high moors, likely all day, with bases down to the middle slopes in the east or locally lower slopes during heavier precipitation. The highest bases on westernmost slopes.
Chance of cloud free summits?	20%	20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bright skies possible on low western slopes early but soon overcast. Cloud and haze will limit visibility.	No sunshine expected. Visibility often very poor, appalling on high terrain in blowing snow.
Temperature (at 600m)	-1 or -2C. Feeling like -10C in exposure to direct wind.	About 0C. Feeling like -17 to -20C in direct wind.
And in the valleys	1 or 2C all day.	0 or 1C, a slight rise possible but may not change at all.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 26 January, 2026

An unsettled week ahead: a dominance of low pressure will bring periods of wet weather and gales (at times severe), to all areas. Winds will be predominantly east-southeasterly, particularly in Scotland, maintaining the cold air with freezing levels consistently to middle or lower slopes - wind chills will be severe. A near-term risk of flooding in the eastern highlands.

Wind direction will be more variable in England and Wales, at times shifting south-southwesterly and drawing in milder air, bringing freezing levels to upper slopes or even above the high summits.

Low cloud often covering many hills with only local sunny breaks here and there.

Forecast issued at 16:05 on Saturday, 24 January, 2026

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