

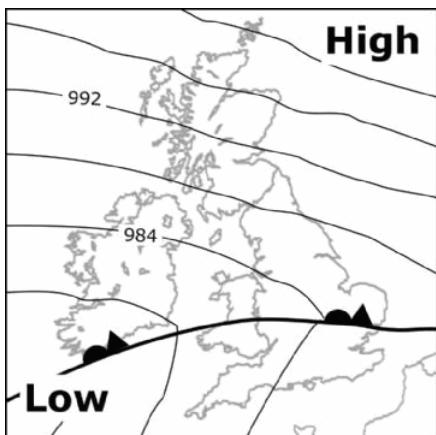
Peak District

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, 6 February, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 6 February, 2026

Widely very poor conditions on the hills: upland gales, and persistent fog and rain, or on higher areas (widely Scottish Highlands) snow. But western Scotland, mainly westernmost slopes, often dry with higher cloud base (sometimes clearing). Wales: some improvement from south during day.

Headline for Peak District

Upland gales; rain. Persistent fog.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 6 February, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 35 to 40mph, powerful gusts higher tops and edges, locally downslope on more western slopes. Will tend to ease toward 25 or 30mph through the day.
Effect of wind on you?	Challenging conditions much of the day, arduous walking, buffeting gusts knocking you off balance. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Almost constant rain Frequent or persistent rain, or sometimes sleet highest tops.
Cloud on the hills?	Persistent blanket of fog Persistent cloud, base at or below 350m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Almost nil
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Dull and murky.
Temperature (at 600m)	0 or 1C, tending rise slowly through day. Will feel as cold as -12C directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	3 or 4C.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 7 February	Sunday 8 February
How windy? (On the summits)	South-easterly 15 to 25mph	Southerly typically 15 to 20mph possibly 25mph at times.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small	Mostly small
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Mostly dry, risk showery bursts later. Any early spots of rain from dawn fading, to leave dry conditions mostly. Later in the day, most likely after dark, risk of bursts of rain moving in from the south.	Rain now and again Rain and drizzle on and off - may not amount to a great deal in total.
Cloud on the hills?	Covering hills widely Widespread fog above 200 to 450m, although may improve on more western slopes - 450 to perhaps 600m - afternoon.	All or nearly all fells persistently covered. Persistent fog above 300, later 400 or 500m most of region, but by afternoon perhaps breaks to 600m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Less than 10%	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	No sun expected. Murky over higher terrain, and a general haze.	Widely dull, misty or murky.
Temperature (at 600m)	1C lifting to 4C	4C
And in the valleys	6C	Reaching 8C in the afternoon.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 7 February, 2026

Overall little change in conditions over the coming week: the mountains extensively foggy, precipitation from time to time (although lower total rainfall in eastern Scotland and Wales than recently) and often strong southeast or easterly wind. However, a slight rise in temperature will result in thawing of lying snow from southern Scotland southwards and some thawing up to around 900, sometimes 1050m Scottish Highlands - although the chance of the return of low freezing level toward the middle of next week.

Forecast issued at 12:26 on Thursday, 5 February, 2026

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