

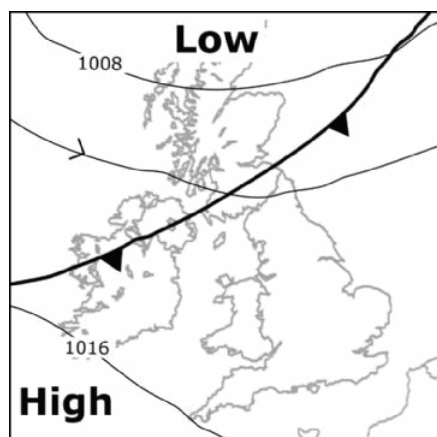
Peak District

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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A small festival BIG on adventure - Great Longstone, Peak District

General Summary for Sunday, 9 August, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 9 August, 2026

A cold front, bringing rain and low cloud will progress only slowly southeast into central Britain. To the north, drizzly showers and low cloud will affect western mountains (mainly NW Highlands) whilst to the south mostly sunny and very warm.

Headline for Peak District

Blustery; chance shower and low cloud north of Peak District.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 9 August, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Westerly 20 to sometimes 25mph particularly areas north of Manchester.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking may begin strenuous, effects easing but wind remains a nuisance in exposure.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Extensively or completely dry Peak District; chance shower toward Pendle. Chance of a little rain toward or during the evening spreading south, perhaps as far as Saddleworth.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Little if any, although later may form north from about Saddleworth Hills in Peak District cloud free - though possibly forming highest tops Saddleworth area by dusk. Further north, initially near Pendle, cloud above 300 to 450m will tend to form and extend south into the afternoon. Almost certain Peak District; dropping late in day to 40% further north
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Periods of sunshine; although mainly north of M62, cloud will come and go. Very good or excellent visibility
Temperature (at 600m) And in the valleys	15C. 15C at dawn, rising to 22C, a little lower western hills north from about M62.

Peak District - Looking Ahead

	Monday 10 August	Tuesday 11 August
How windy? (On the summits)	Northwesterly 15-20mph, dropping to very low speeds by afternoon.	Southerly 10 or 15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Becoming negligible	Mostly negligible
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain not expected	Rain not expected
Cloud on the hills?	Little or none by mid or late morning	Very unlikely
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Periods of sun - perhaps through areas of high level cloud. Excellent or increasingly superb visibility.	More or less unbroken sunshine. Excellent or superb visibility.
Temperature (at 600m)	8C, rising to 15C.	10C rising to 22C
And in the valleys	Will reach 19 to 21C by mid or late afternoon.	Rising to 27 to perhaps locally 30C by mid or late afternoon.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 10 August, 2026

Extensively fine and warm until Wednesday.

The almost completely dry and warm weather will then persist across England and Wales - although sometimes a little rain and low cloud toward Cumbria. Underfoot conditions will remain exceptionally dry.

Scotland, especially the W& NW Highlands, will have intermittent rain and low cloud - although probably still one or two fairly brief dry periods.

Forecast issued at 14:01 on Saturday, 8 August, 2026

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