

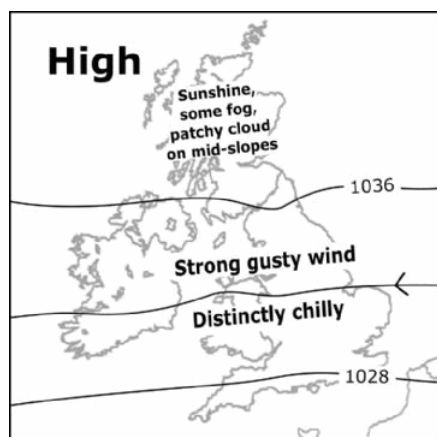
Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Includes all summits in the the northern half of Wales from Pumlumon northwards.



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General Summary for Friday, 26 December, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 26 December, 2025

Generally dry, apart from chance of odd light showers eastern Scotland. Sunshine over most Scottish mountains - the tops warmer than glens above an inversion; patchy low-level fog or cloud banks some slopes. Easterly winds remain strong and gusty England and Wales, feeling bitterly cold in exposure despite plenty of sun.

Headline for Eryri / Snowdonia National Park

Strong and gusty wind, feeling cold. Hills mostly clear with sun.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 26 December, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 30 to 35mph, stronger gusts over 40mph around some tops and high passes; locally also gusty downslope west of high tops.
Effect of wind on you?	Strenuous walking with significant wind chill in exposure over high terrain, in places buffeting gusts affecting balance, not just on highest terrain.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Dry all day
Cloud on the hills?	Little if any Rare brief patches around some higher slopes above 700m, but most mountains generally free of cloud.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny, some thin patchy cloud. Visibility good, but distant slight haze.
How Cold? (at 900m)	0 or -1C, small variation with height. Feeling like -10 to -15C directly in the wind.
Freezing Level	Near freezing all elevations from dawn, staying mostly sub-zero above 600m, but above freezing some western slopes.

	Saturday 27 December	Sunday 28 December
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 30 to 40mph, very gusty around some tops, high passes and downslope toward the west.	Easterly 15 to 25mph, some stronger gusts possible around higher mountains.
Effect of wind on you?	Affecting comfortable walking and balance over tops and ridges, sudden buffeting gusts in places; considerable wind chill.	Fairly small, but noticeably blustery and gusty around exposed tops and ridges, giving marked wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rare if any light rain Largely dry; chance of an odd brief spot of light rain mainly eastern hills.	Dry all day
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly high tops toward north/east Some cloud banks mostly above 700m and in areas from Carneddau to hills near Bala; patchier westwards, often clearing. Highest tops may be near top of cloud layer.	Patches some upper slopes Thin banks of cloud grazing higher slopes above 700m, mainly Carneddau and high tops near Bala, well broken westwards. Highest tops near or above this cloud.
Chance of cloud free summits?	60% north/east, 80% near west coast.	70%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Fairly cloudy, but some sun mainly toward west. Visibility very good.	Sun best toward west coast, broken cloud and sun elsewhere. Visibility very good, some distant haze.
How Cold? (at 900m)	1 to 3C, but slightly warmer on highest summits and some western slopes. Feeling like -10C directly in the wind.	0 or -1C. Feeling like -8C directly in the wind.
Freezing Level	Some terrain partly frozen; close to freezing some upper slopes and patchy slight frost in sheltered valleys in morning.	Near or just below freezing above 700m, also frost some sheltered valleys in morning.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 27 December, 2025

Dry weather continues into the weekend as a strong area of high pressure resides near or north of Scotland. Inversion conditions Scottish mountains, high tops generally above freezing and above most patchy cloud, some frost and fog in glens. Gusty east-northeasterly wind increasing for Scotland by Saturday, easing again for Sunday. Strong and gusty winds prevail for England and Wales, often cloudy, a little light rain occasionally Pennines; some sun toward west.

Forecast issued at 16:21 on Thursday, 25 December, 2025

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