

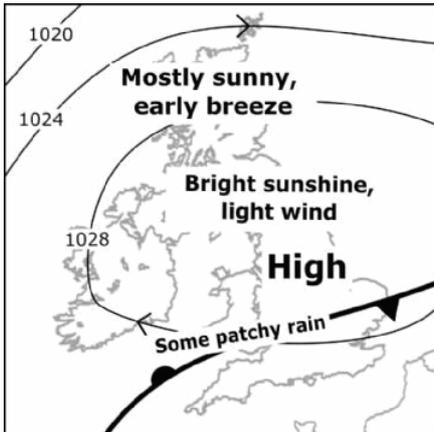
Southeastern Highlands

The southern Highlands as far west as the Callander area and north to Loch Ericht, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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General Summary for Tuesday, 3 March, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 3 March, 2026

A breezy start in Scotland, particularly in the north, the wind easing to fairly small effects; light wind England and Wales. Dry and sunny for most hills, chilly temperatures. Some light rain affecting south Wales through the day, the associated cloud drifting into north Wales and the south Pennines with time.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

An early breeze, easing; mostly sunny, particularly inland

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 3 March, 2026

How windy? (On the Munros)	West-to-northwesterly 25-30mph from dawn, soon shifting westerly, easing to 15mph or often less and possibly a lull around Callander. A southwesterly shift late in the day.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small, though the breeze may impede walking on high terrain in the north early in the day.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Precipitation not expected
Cloud on the hills?	Little if any Rare if any fragments of cloud, or mist lower down at first, all clearing.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely sunny, at times weakened by variable high cloud. Visibility excellent.
How Cold? (at 900m)	-1C rising to +2C or locally 3C in strongest sun exposure.
Freezing Level	800m plus frost in most glens and sheltered lower slopes from dawn, rising to 1100-1200m afternoon.

Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 4 March	Thursday 5 March
How windy? (On the Munros) Effect of wind on you?	Southerly 25 to 40mph, very gusty in places around higher tops and locally downslope toward north. Strenuous walking and balance affected on exposed ridges, more challenging in places. Significant wind chill.	South-southwesterly 35-45mph, with strong gusts early. Easing slightly with time, 30-35mph into evening. Walking strenuous-to-arduous in exposure most of the day with significant wind chill. Strong buffeting gusts early in the day.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Some light patchy rain A little fine drizzle possible around cloud, then some patchy rain drifting from the south for several hours, though generally light in nature.	Drizzle early, more rain with time Some fine drizzle in cloud on high terrain from before dawn (starting damp on exposed rocks), then rain arriving from the west, though often light with dry breaks. Turning to snow on tops with time.
Cloud on the hills?	Risk persistent on many tops Cloud banks may widely cover many hills above 700-800m, particularly south-facing slopes. Some breaks forming mainly north of major hill groups.	Fairly extensive, Cloud shrouds most terrain above 500-600m from dawn. A small lifting trend with breaks is possible for a few hours, some banks at variable heights (breaks between layers of cloud), but then becomes more extensive through afternoon.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	30%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of sun mostly on northern aspects, but largely cloudy, some haze, but visibility fairly good out of cloud.	Some glimpses of weak sun here and there but largely cloudy. Variable visibility though often poor due to fog, rain, and haze to the east.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	1 or 2C, rising a degree. Directly in the wind feeling like -10C. Patchy frost in glens and sheltered higher areas from dawn, thawing largely above the summits, locally freezing highest tops.	3C lowering to 1C. Feeling like -8 to -10C in the wind. Above the summits, lowering late in the day to high summits.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 4 March, 2026**

Varying conditions over the next couple of weeks as areas of high pressure build across the British Isles then slip eastwards. Some dry and bright days with light winds mixed with periods of strengthening southerly winds bringing occasional rain coming in from the west - Thursday this week sees rain move increasingly onto northwestern hills. Temperatures will vary, often lifting just above freezing to higher tops, but occasionally dropping back below freezing - chillier air briefly later this week. Some frosts into valleys during clear-sky nights. Remaining old snow cover on Scottish mountains stays largely consolidated with little change, only patchy around highest tops in England and Wales with little impact on walking.

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