

Southeastern Highlands

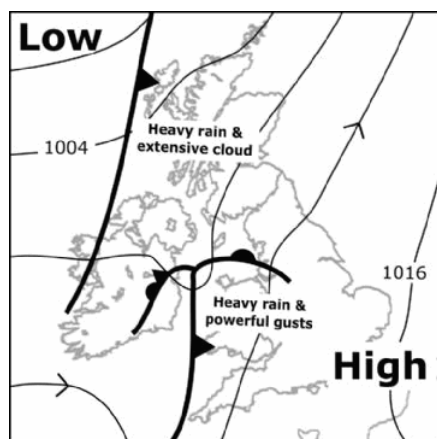
The southern Highlands as far west as the Callander area and north to Loch Erich, Drumochter and summits near Glenshee ski-centre (summits within the historic county of Perthshire). Also Ochils and Angus hills.



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General Summary for Sunday, 27 September, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 27 September, 2026

Southerly winds up to gale-force on high terrain, including a swathe of particularly powerful winds and gusts moving across England & Wales during the day. Rain generally sets in from the west with some heavy falls, a band of more intense rain for a time. Cloud increasingly covering many hills.

Headline for Southeastern Highlands

Upland gales, rain develops heavier from southwest.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 27 September, 2026

How windy? (On the Munros)	Southerly 40-50mph, strong gusts over high tops. Only later lessening, shifting southwesterly 30-40mph into evening.
Effect of wind on you?	Challenging conditions most of the day, notable effort to maintain balance in exposure; significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Increasingly heavy rain develops A little patchy rain near and west of A9 to start, amounting to little. Rain becomes more frequent, heavy bursts forming, a swathe of steady heavy rain sets in from southwest in afternoon.
Cloud on the hills?	Variable, filling in afternoon Cloud banks come and go above 700-800m, some more extensive moments early, but tending to lift and break up somewhat. Through afternoon, lowering to more broadly shroud high terrain, more extensive towards 700m at least as rain becomes heavy.
Chance of cloud free Munros?	60%, later lowering to 20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchy sunshine, trending cloudier through afternoon. Very good visibility, later deteriorating on high terrain.
How Cold? (at 900m)	7 or 8C most of the day, later cooling towards 6C. Feeling below 0C in direct wind.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Southeastern Highlands - Looking Ahead

	Monday 28 September	Tuesday 29 September
How windy? (On the Munros) Effect of wind on you?	Southwesterly 20 to 25mph, tending to lessen in afternoon. Feeling breezy and quite cool over high terrain, but fairly small effect on walking.	Southeasterly 35 to 50mph, may rise further during day with turbulent gusts toward north of major summits. Challenging walking conditions on exposed terrain, but sudden buffeting also to some lower elevations.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain unlikely Small chance an odd brief showers mainly hills near Callander.	Drizzle, rain likely developing Drizzle where in cloud and spots of rain from time to time, likely to develop further into steadier rain mainly afternoon into evening.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free Munros?	Patches lift and clear Some cloud banks in the morning mainly on south-facing slopes in the central highlands, plus local mist in some glens around dawn. Lifting or dispersing to leave the mountains generally clear. 70%	Forming increasingly Patchy cloud on southern slopes developing into more extensive banks across many hills, likely becoming blanket low cloud, with best of any breaks on north-facing slopes toward Loch Tay. 30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine and patchy fair-weather cloud, locally more cloud in west for a time. Visibility excellent.	Any early weak sun giving way to cloudy and dull conditions, visibility becoming poor over many hills, hazy lower down.
How Cold? (at 900m) Freezing Level	4C rising 7 or 8C. Feeling like -2C in the wind in the morning. Above the summits. Local pockets of slight frost at dawn in sheltered glens and some corries.	6C rising to 10C, increasingly humid; may rise slightly more by evening onward. Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 28 September, 2026

A changeable prospect during the week ahead. A better day on Monday as higher pressure expands in from the south, but showers and brisk winds continue toward northwest Scotland. Strong southeasterly winds by Tuesday, widely gales on mountains with turbulent downslope gusts toward the west; a risk of rain developing from the south during the day, becoming heavy later. Blustery south-southwesterlies into Wednesday and Thursday, showery in the west. Higher pressure tends to expand further north again into early October. Mostly mild temperatures.

Forecast issued at 16:30 on Saturday, 26 September, 2026

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