

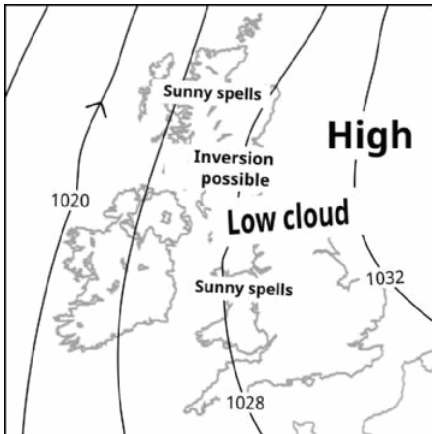
Southern Uplands

The Galloway hills eastward to the Lammermuir hills. The Cheviots (including higher hills within the adjacent Northumberland NP).



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General Summary for Thursday, 7 November, 2024



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 7 November, 2024

Another widely murky day, with hills often in or just below cloud, damp with local drizzle. Windy in Highlands, some upland gales. Best chances for sun in Snowdonia, in north Lake District and in Northwest Highlands and along Strathspey. Generally mild.

Headline for Southern Uplands

Overcast and dull, breezy winds, local drizzle

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 7 November, 2024

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly, 20-25mph east of M74, 30-35mph toward the west.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking strenuous, marked wind chill, stability potentially affected slightly. Strenuous toward Galloway.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain unlikely but damp, fine drizzle possible locally Pockets of fine drizzle alongside dry spots, drizzle most likely toward Galloway.
Cloud on the hills?	Covered extensively Hills widely covered, cloud on various levels, lowest bases near 400m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly overcast, little to no sun. Visibility mostly poor.
How Cold? (at 750m)	6 to 9C, feeling below freezing.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.

Southern Uplands - Looking Ahead

	Friday 8 November	Saturday 9 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly, mostly 15 to 25mph, in the morning perhaps 35mph Galloway.	Southeasterly, 10-15mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small, blustery and affecting comfortable walking in the west in the morning. Marked wind chill.	Small or negligible.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	Rain unlikely Odd spot of drizzle possible.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive coasts, breaks Lothians Hills covered almost top to bottom near Solway, toward Lothians and along M74 frequent breaks, most likely to the tops, may generally stay clear most of the day. Cheviots likely in cloud.	Mostly covered Highest tops may stay above the cloud in the morning, but hills generally in cloud, progressively more extensively covered.
Chance of cloud free summits?	50%	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sun not expected in the west, best chance for sunny spells Lothians and along M74, chance for glimpses of sunshine Borders. Visibility mostly poor.	Very little sun if at all appearing, mostly poor visibility due to extensive cloud and haze.
How Cold? (at 750m)	7 or 8C, warmer in sunny areas (10-12C).	5 to 10C, warmest west.
Freezing Level	Above the summits.	Above the summits.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 8 November, 2024

Southerly flow with cloudy and damp weather continues until Sunday, when a cold front from the Atlantic will bring some rain. This passes quickly and will be followed by westerlies bringing more sun beginning of next week. From Monday onward high pressure centres over the UK, sunnier and warmer conditions with hardly any rain are expected until Thursday, when another front will bring some rain and again cooler air. Unclear for next weekend, but high pressure, dry conditions are most likely.

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