

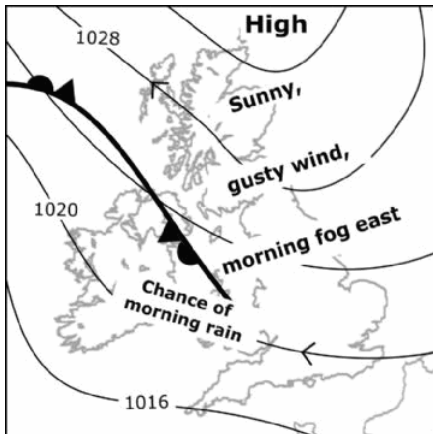
Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

The entire Yorkshire Dales National Park and North Pennines AONB, including the Three Peaks and Cross Fell, plus Howgills, also south to Forest of Bowland.



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General Summary for Friday, 4 April, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 4 April, 2025

Gusty winds across all areas, strongest in southwest Scotland. Speed increasing around dusk England and Wales. Eastern Scotland and England seeing mid-slope cloud in the morning, some rolling over tops of the Pennines. Chance of morning rain south Wales and cloudy, clearing for a mostly sunny afternoon.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Dry and mostly sunny. Gusty winds with morning mist east.

Detailed Forecast for Friday, 4 April, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 25-35mph. Gusty, with strong sudden gusts through valleys and downslope in the west. Speeds widely on the higher end around dusk.
Effect of wind on you?	Walking becoming impeded, at times strenuous. Stability affected in buffeting gusts. Significant wind chill.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No precipitation expected
Cloud on the hills?	Patchy fog east At dawn, patchy mist on lower slopes east of high terrain. Some mist may rise to higher slopes and summits but will dissipate towards midday. West largely clear.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine, some cloud banks east in the morning. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 700m)	6C, rising only slightly through the day, most notably in the west. Feeling near -2C in strong winds.
And in the valleys	2C at dawn, rising to 13 to 14C in the afternoon. Warmest in the west.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Saturday 5 April	Sunday 6 April
<p>How windy? (On the summits)</p> <p>Effect of wind on you?</p>	<p>Easterly 20-25mph, gusts 30mph in places around higher tops and downslope to west.</p> <p>Feeling chilly in exposure, locally gusts may make walking uncomfortable.</p>	<p>Southeasterly 20-30mph, sudden gusts through elevated passes and western slopes. Easing somewhat afternoon.</p> <p>Beginning to inconvenience walking with buffeting gusts, strongest of which may briefly challenge balance. Feeling chilly.</p>
<p>How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)</p>	<p>No precipitation expected</p>	<p>No precipitation expected</p>
<p>Cloud on the hills?</p> <p>Chance of cloud free summits?</p>	<p>Early cloud banks clearing</p> <p>Cloud coming in from the east may roll over the hills in the morning. Some high tops may be near/just above top of cloud layer. Slowly dispersing. Little toward westernmost areas.</p> <p>60% rising to 90%</p>	<p>Patchy morning fog east and tops</p> <p>Patchy cloud around mid-slopes and through elevated valleys in the morning. Some cloud lifting and spilling over high tops in the breeze, staying mostly clear west. Gradually dissipating to cloud free by midday.</p> <p>60%, becoming 90%</p>
<p>Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)</p>	<p>Mostly sunny, some patchy cloud. Visibility excellent, possible haze, misty for a time eastern areas.</p>	<p>Extensive sunshine, some fog in the morning in the east. Excellent visibility.</p>
<p>How Cold? (at 700m)</p> <p>And in the valleys</p>	<p>Only 2 or 3C north/east areas particularly morning, rising up to 5C in the west. Wind chill feeling like -2 to -5C.</p> <p>Slight frost sheltered valleys at dawn. Rising to 12 to 14C, warmest in west by afternoon.</p>	<p>4C rising to 6C. Feeling subzero in the wind, as cold as -3C.</p> <p>Slight frost sheltered valleys at dawn. Rising to 12 to 14C, warmest west.</p>

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Saturday, 5 April, 2025

A high pressure center lingers over Britain next week. Extensively dry and sunny, possibly warm, some high cloud coming and going. Chilly mornings in valleys, slight frost and sometimes misty, though mists will soon clear for mostly cloud-free days. Occasional cloud banks may drift into eastern areas from the North Sea, staying on low to mid slopes. Generally light or calm winds across most areas. Later in the week, some indication of a westerly breeze into Scotland which will bring back cloud and some spots of drizzle.

Forecast issued at 16:28 on Thursday, 3 April, 2025

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