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Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

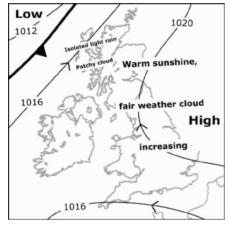




The entire Yorkshire Dales National Park and North Pennines AONB, including the Three Peaks and Cross Fell, plus Howgills, also south to Forest of Bowland.

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General Summary for Saturday, 10 May, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 10 May, 2025

Moderate breezes across Scotland. Variable cloud banks in west Scotland with local light showers onto northwest coasts. East Scotland, England, and Wales will be mostly sunny with a patchwork of high cloud building. Feeling warm in afternoon sunlight. Winds increase in England and Wales somewhat as dusk approaches.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Dry and sunny, feeling warm; patchy high cloud building.

Detailed Forecast for Saturday, 10 May, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly 15-20mph. Sudden increase around and after dusk up to 25-30mph and shifting southeasterly.	
Effect of wind on you?	Mostly small, becoming uncomfortable after dusk.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain	
Cloud on the hills?	Not expected	
Chance of cloud free summits?	Nearly certain	
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Strong sunshine, a patchwork of cloud building after noon. Visibility excellent; possible slight haze early in day.	
How Cold? (at 700m)	7C from dawn, rising to 14C afternoon.	
And in the valleys	5C or locally cooler at dawn. Rising toward 18C during afternoon.	

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Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Sunday 11 May	Monday 12 May
How windy? (On the summits)	Southeasterly 15-20mph. Shifting easterly and approaching 25mph around dusk.	Easterly 20-25mph. Notable gusts over high terrain, risk up to 30mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, comfortable walking affected in higher winds towards dusk. Some afternoon gusts over high terrain.	Walking starting to be impeded, gusts may briefly challenge stability.
How wet?	Rain unlikely	Spots of rain
(Precipitation and its impact)		Spots of rain develop after dawn, chance of frequent rain for a few hours in the middle of the day.
Cloud on the hills?	Not expected	Little or none
		A few local tops in cloud at dawn, bases soon lifting off hills. Some bases may briefly touch the highest tops if rain develops.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Nearly certain	90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly sunny, some high cloud around. A patchwork of fair weather cloud builds after noon. Visibility excellent, some haze early.	Glimpses of sun, becoming more frequent late in the day. Good visibility, some haze east.
How Cold? (at 700m)	10C rising to 15C. Locally warmer spots on western slopes	10 or 11C, rising to 13C. Easternmost slopes may see little rise through the day.
And in the valleys	5C at dawn, cooler in sheltered areas. rising to 18 to 20C.	6C at dawn, some locally cooler sheltered valleys. Rising to 18C.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Sunday, 11 May, 2025

Low pressure south and west of the British Isles will facilitate bursts of rain, possible thunderstorms, into Wales into early next week, some may reach into northwest England and west Scotland. The continental wind track and high pressure to the east will keep most cloud above the summits, with eastern areas often sunny. Generally settled conditions prevail mid-late week into next weekend as high pressure reestablishes just north of the British Isles. A mix of cloud and sun with light winds, generally easterly though variable. Slight frosts at dawn in sheltered spots, mostly warm by day. Very dry ground conditions, beware high risk of fire.

Forecast issued at 16:26 on Friday, 9 May, 2025

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