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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.

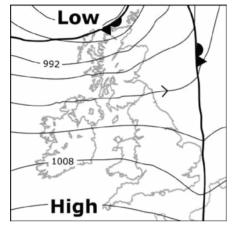




MWIS Wild Weekend - Ambleside - 25-26 October

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General Summary for Sunday, 2 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary: Based on forecast chart for noon 2 November, 2025

Showery westerly winds, reaching gale force Scottish Highlands where cold enough for snow on higher tops. The rain will be almost constant NW Highlands, whilst from southern Scotland southward, showers will become well scattered. Least windy south Wales.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Wind near gale higher slopes. Showers. Cold.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 2 November, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	West to southwesterly 30 to on higher tops sometimes 40mph.	
Effect of wind on you?	Strenuous walking - stability sometimes difficult where exposed on higher summits. Considerable wind chill.	
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Showers, mainly morning Showers, perhaps frequent on some fells for an hour or two morning. Frequently dry by afternoon.	
Cloud on the hills?	Frequently covering higher tops	
	Cloud widely covering the fells after dawn. Cloud base will rise through morning to around 750m, but temporarily lower near showers.	
Chance of cloud free summits?	Rising to 70%	
Sunshine?	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Air clarity (below cloud)	Very good visibility, although a haze particularly Yorkshire.	
How Cold? (at 700m)	4C. Will feel as cold as minus 8C directly in the wind.	
And in the valleys	4 to 5C at dawn, coolest in western dales, rising to 8 or 9C.	

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Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Monday 3 November	Tuesday 4 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Southwesterly 35 to where exposed above 600m 50mph.	South to southwesterly 35mph, but nearer 45mph on higher tops.
Effect of wind on you?	Difficult walking and significant wind chill where exposed on higher tops.	Continued arduous or difficult conditions where exposed on higher areas, where wind chill will be significant.
How wet?	Frequent rain, near constant west	Frequent or persistent rain.
(Precipitation and its impact)	Frequent or almost incessant rain, sometimes heavy; particularly western dales between Ingleton and Tebay. Last rain easternmost hills.	Rain most or all day. Breaks in the rain mostly north Pennines and more eastern dales elsewhere. Very wet underfoot and streams in spate - possible flooding western areas between Ingelton and Tebay.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive	Very extensive.
	Fog widely from lowest slopes up western dales south Tebay. Cloud base 450 to 600m N Pennines and eastern dales in Yorkshire.	Widely persistent fog above 200 to 400m western dales in Yorkshire. Elsewhere, higher cloud base, may reach 650m rarely.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Almost nil	10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Dull and misty or foggy.	Little if any sun: mostly dull and misty.
How Cold? (at 700m)	10C. Feeling below freezing in exposure to wind.	9C Will feel near freezing point directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	10C from dawn rising to 12 to locally in eastern dales 14C.	Will reach 10 to 12C, coldest western dales in Yorkshire.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 3 November, 2025

A series of deep Atlantic lows and associated fronts will continue to cross Britain over the next week to ten days. Frequently windy, and high rainfall, particularly on western mountains (rain at some stage almost daily) and cloud will frequently cover higher areas. Only rarely cold enough for snow higher mountains in Scotland.

Forecast issued at 12:35 on Saturday, 1 November, 2025

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