

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

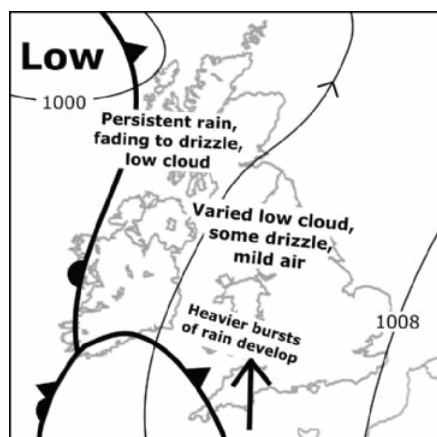
The entire Yorkshire Dales National Park and North Pennines AONB, including the Three Peaks and Cross Fell, plus Howgills, also south to Forest of Bowland.



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General Summary for Thursday, 6 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 6 November, 2025

Mild and damp southerly air - lowest cloud on south-facing hills. Morning rain and drizzle in the Highlands easing off, some rise of cloud base. Gusty in places, strongest wind western Scotland. England sees little more than patchy rain or drizzle, whilst Wales has some pulses of heavier rain moving up from the south.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Low cloud, mostly little if any rain. Light-moderate breeze.

Detailed Forecast for Thursday, 6 November, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Southerly 15 to 20mph, occasional 25mph around higher fells.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but some gustier areas making walking more uncomfortable.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Damp air, but little if any rain much of day Pockets of drizzle locally, but amounting to little most or all day. Very locally an odd pulse of rain drifting northward. Wet underfoot, streams remaining fast-flowing, some flooding.
Cloud on the hills?	Fairly extensive, lowest bases west. Extensive hill fog likely through the day. Lowest and most widespread cloud on fells toward western Dales. Local breaks inland, perhaps between cloud layers.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly overcast. Visibility rather hazy and poor at times in rain and drizzle.
How Cold? (at 700m)	12C, humid
And in the valleys	Very mild 12C or above from dawn. Lifting to a high of 15C.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Friday 7 November	Saturday 8 November
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southerly 15-20mph. Strengthening towards a gusty 25mph later in the day, turning southeasterly. Fairly small	Southerly 20 to 25mph, at times gusty 30mph around some high tops. Feeling breezy over higher terrain, but modest effect on walking; some gustier locations.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Likely dry A small chance of some light spots of rain onto western fells of Yorkshire Dales. Could be entirely dry during daylight.	Some drizzle Occasional pockets of drizzle, but very little or no rain during the day.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Fairly extensive, local improvements Likely extensive over high terrain and down to middle western slopes much of the day, lowest fog near Tebay. Bases will be higher east of high fells with an increasing chance of cloud breaks as the day goes near Teesdale. 30%	Fairly extensive, lowest morning Shrouding the fells most or all day, some different fog layers possible, including some lower slopes in the morning. Lifting a little with time, but above 600m mostly covered. Local higher breaks may form toward north/northeast. 20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Some glimpses of sun on eastern slopes later in the day, otherwise cloudy. Visibility good below cloud, some early haze.	Rare if any weak sun. Mostly misty at various levels, some improvement into afternoon.
How Cold? (at 700m) And in the valleys	9C, may reach 10C near Teesdale. 9C from dawn, rising to 11C. Temperature likely cools somewhat before sundown.	7 or 8C. Mild 10C from dawn, rising to max 13C.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Friday, 7 November, 2025

Staying mild with low cloud, drizzle and rain at times through into next week. Areas northeast of major hill groups seeing least rain and highest cloud breaks. Southerly winds of varied strengths, sometimes more blustery, approaching gale-force in exposed western areas. Some drier areas into the weekend, then a risk of heavier rain returning from the west, soonest into Wales and southwest Scotland on Sunday.

Further into next week, easterly winds are likely to develop for Scotland, bringing drier weather to the west, and potentially much colder with time. England & Wales may remain frequently wet under slow-moving low pressure.

Forecast issued at 16:31 on Wednesday, 5 November, 2025

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