

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

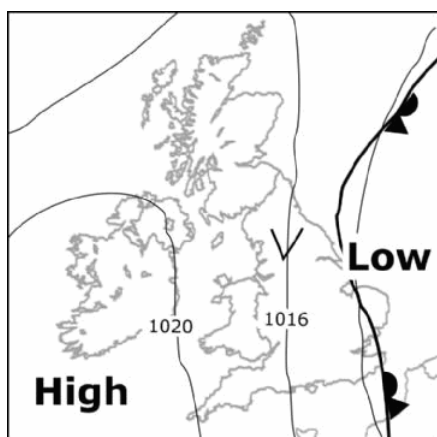
The entire Yorkshire Dales National Park and North Pennines AONB, including the Three Peaks and Cross Fell, plus Howgills, also south to Forest of Bowland.



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General Summary for Tuesday, 25 November, 2025



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 25 November, 2025

Higher areas, mainly Scottish Highlands frozen, and frost some valleys at first.

Otherwise, benign as from the west the northerly wind drops and snow and hail showers become isolated.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 25 November, 2025

How windy? (On the summits)	Northerly 25mph at first. Gradually easing to 15mph through the day.
Effect of wind on you?	Becoming small - though notable wind chill in the morning.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Precipitation very unlikely Risk of a few brief showers, probably confined to morning across more eastern dales..
Cloud on the hills?	Mostly or all clearing Patches covering highest slopes at times but most summits extensively cloud free, particularly afternoon.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Greater than 90% by midday
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Bright sunshine. Excellent visibility.
How Cold? (at 700m)	1C
And in the valleys	Will rise to 4 to 6C early afternoon. Frost many valleys morning.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 26 November	Thursday 27 November
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southwesterly strengthening through morning to 35 to on higher tops 45mph. Soon extensively difficult walking where exposed with sudden gusts and significant wind chill.	South to southwesterly, strengthening through morning and with height to 45-50mph where exposed on higher tops. Significant wind chill and walking difficult. Where exposed on highest fells, general mobility becoming a struggle.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain on and off, mainly afternoon Rain and drizzle gradually spreading east, most likely later morning or middle of day. Total rain widely small, but most persistent more western areas between Tebay and Ingleton.	Rain and drizzle on and off Pulses of rain and drizzle, although intermittently dry. The most persistent rain will be on western fells between Ingleton and Tebay.
Cloud on the hills? Chance of cloud free summits?	Fells filling in with fog; lowest base west Some higher slopes probably initially cloud free. Will deteriorate, across western fells between Tebay and Ingleton, cloud widely below 300-450m. Elsewhere, slowly filling in across higher slopes, typically 500 to 700m afternoon. Dropping to 20%	Mountains persistently foggy. Persistent cloud from 300 to 450m although on western fells between Ingleton and Tebay cloud rarely above 300m. Breaks to 650m N Pennines and southern Yorkshire dales. Less than 10%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Glimpses of weak sunshine lower slopes Northern Pennines and eastern dales in Yorkshire. Becoming extensively dull and misty as visibility drops in rain.	Rare glimpses of weak sun lower slopes northern Pennines and southern Yorkshire dales. Visibility often poor, hazy at best.
How Cold? (at 700m) And in the valleys	2C rising to 5C through daylight. Will feel as cold as minus 10C directly in the wind. Widespread frost at first, as low as minus 3C; but rising through daylight to around 5 or 6C.	8C. Will feel as cold as minus 5C directly in the wind. Around 11C

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 26 November, 2025

A long series of Atlantic lows passing north of or across Britain will bring high rainfall to western mountains together with frequent upland gales (sometimes storm force) and low cloud. Temperatures on higher tops sometimes below freezing point, particularly at the weekend in Scotland, but elsewhere fresh snow transient.

Forecast issued at 12:16 on Monday, 24 November, 2025

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