

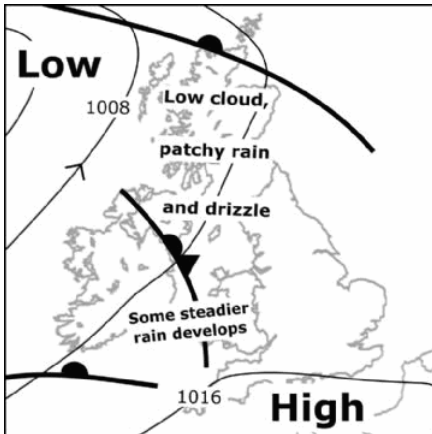
Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

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, 16 June, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 16 June, 2026

Damp southerly air will cloak many hills in low cloud, plus drizzle or a little rain. Highest cloud bases and best chance for breaks further northward. Moderate winds, more blustery near west coasts, strengthening for Wales where frequent rain arriving.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Increasing breeze. Low cloud, a little drizzle, then rain later.

Detailed Forecast for Tuesday, 16 June, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	South trending southwesterly, 15mph in morning, gradually rising, reaching 20-25mph afternoon-evening, some stronger gusts high tops late in day.
Effect of wind on you?	Fairly small, but increasingly blustery, ease of walking widely impacted later with a chilly feeling.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Some drizzle, rain mainly evening Overnight rain fading up to dawn, some local drizzle may linger, but often dry well into the afternoon. Later in day, patchy rain develops from southwest, some pulses of heavier rain extend northeast during evening over an hour or so.
Cloud on the hills?	Extensive morning, some breaks for a time afternoon Extensive to at least middle slopes from dawn, to the lower slopes near and south of Tebay. A rising tendency towards 700m, some local higher breaks form midday/afternoon, mainly north and east areas, but returning more extensively later from southwest.
Chance of cloud free summits?	30%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Mostly cloudy, a few brighter moments afternoon, mainly toward east and north. Very good visibility where out of cloud.
How Cold? (at 700m)	10C rising to 12 or 13C; slightly cooler toward evening. Feeling like 5C in strongest direct wind.
And in the valleys	11C at dawn, rising to 18C, local 20C eastern Dales, quite humid.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Wednesday 17 June	Thursday 18 June
How windy? (On the summits) Effect of wind on you?	Southwesterly 25 to 30mph, some stronger gusts around high tops, more often over higher North Pennines. Blustery over the fells, strenuous walking in exposure on higher slopes, more frequent buffeting North Pennines.	South-southwesterly 20 to 30mph, tending to strengthen, risk later 35-40mph, or stronger into night, at least N Pennines. Starting to affect comfortable walking over higher exposed tops, increasing buffeting may become more challenging later.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	Rain frequent west, then fading A mix of rain, drizzle and some showery moments; the most frequent rain typically western Yorks Dales up to Tebay, risk persistently wet over several hours. Tending to fade through afternoon.	Rain and drizzle, most in west Generally damp western Yorks Dales NP much of day, some steadier pulses of rain. Patchier smaller amounts north and eastward, but damp within cloud.
Cloud on the hills?	Lowest and most persistent west Blanket cloud across the fells around rain, from low-mid slopes upward western Yorks Dales and Howgills. Tending to rise afternoon, but often capping western tops. Lifting above 600m north/east, some breaks.	Fairly extensive, lowest west Shrouding Three Peaks to Howgills most or all day, often to mid-slopes. Higher cloud base 600m or higher north from Kirkby Stephen, local breaks toward east.
Chance of cloud free summits?	20% west, rising to 50% north/east	20%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Largely cloudy, some sun may break through afternoon. Hazy or misty around rain in west, then visibility improves later to be very good.	Largely cloudy, dull west, brighter east. Misty western dales, better visibility below cloud toward north and east.
How Cold? (at 700m) And in the valleys	10 or 11C, little change all day. Feeling near to freezing directly in wind. 12C at dawn, rising to 18C afternoon.	10 to 12C, locally rising to 14C out of cloud eastern areas. Feeling near 0C in stronger wind high 13C at dawn, rising to 17 to 20C, warmest eastern dales, rather humid.

Planning Outlook**All mountain areas of Britain from Wednesday, 17 June, 2026**

Humid southwesterly winds continue to prevail later this week, likely reaching gale-force over hills for a period Thursday into Friday, soonest in Wales. Periods of rain, some heavy, mixed with drizzle and low cloud most persistent in the west. More uncertainty of day-to-day detail in the extended range, but in general a variable southwesterly pattern continues; rain and low cloud common in western Scotland into next week. Some warmer days, drier more often England and Wales.

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