

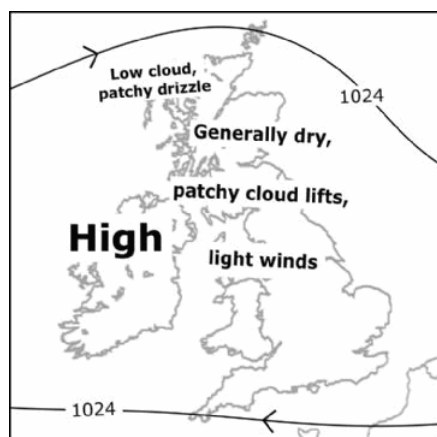
Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

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 Sunday, 23 August, 2026



British Mountain Summary:

Based on forecast chart for noon 23 August, 2026

A fine day for most places with light winds. Patchy cloud around some hill slopes early in the day will lift to leave many summits clear, but cloud banks are likely to persist on west coastal tops in Scotland, a little drizzle here in the morning, breezier too in the far northwest.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Dry, cloud soon above the hills.

Detailed Forecast for Sunday, 23 August, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Northwesterly 10mph at first, becoming variable often little wind.
Effect of wind on you?	Negligible.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected
Cloud on the hills?	Little or none Some early mist in valleys, particularly Vale of Eden, all dispersing. Patches of cloud briefly on some hill slopes, but lifting to leave all cloud above the fells.
Chance of cloud free summits?	Above 90%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Sunshine mostly early in day, fair-weather cloud fills in with time. Very good visibility.
How Cold? (at 700m)	9C rising to 14C.
And in the valleys	5C or locally cooler at dawn, rising to 18 to 20C afternoon.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Monday 24 August	Tuesday 25 August
How windy? (On the summits)	Southeast later easterly 10-15mph, rising to 20mph and becoming gustier later.	Easterly 20 to 25mph.
Effect of wind on you?	Small, but becoming noticeably breezier later.	Fairly small but feeling breezy over higher terrain, in places more noticeably gusty.
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	No rain expected	Drizzle mostly northeast Drizzle in the air, may be frequent for periods in northeast Pennine areas making it generally damp, but small amounts of rain in total. Patchier further south and west, more often dry Ingleborough area.
Cloud on the hills?	Likely none A few ragged mist patches here and there on low slopes at dawn, soon lifting and dissipating for clear fells.	Mostly eastern hills in morning Cloud banks likely drifting over higher slopes in the morning, locally to mid-heights in eastern North Pennines for a few hours, tending to thin and break up.
Chance of cloud free summits?	90%	50% rising to 80%
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Extensive sunshine, a little fair weather cloud building. Good visibility though a light haze, particularly south.	Fairly cloudy start especially east, tending to break up to give some sun. Visibility very good, but some eastern hills mistier for several hours, slight haze southern areas.
How Cold? (at 700m)	7 or 8C, rising to 14C.	9C rising to 12 to 14C, coolest eastern North Pennines.
And in the valleys	7C at dawn, rising to 18 or 19C afternoon.	10C from dawn, rising to 17 to 20C afternoon, warmest western Yorks Dales.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Monday, 24 August, 2026

A fine start to the week with high pressure nearby, but easterly breezes will tend to strengthen. Most places dry through Monday and Tuesday, but generally deteriorating from the south into midweek as low pressure moves in from the south, patchy rain will increasingly spread northward with some local stronger wind. Broadly unsettled as next weekend approaches with bands of heavy rain forming mixed with showery bursts at times, but fairly warm and somewhat humid. Wind speed and direction likely to vary considerably day-to-day.

Forecast issued at 16:00 on Saturday, 22 August, 2026

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