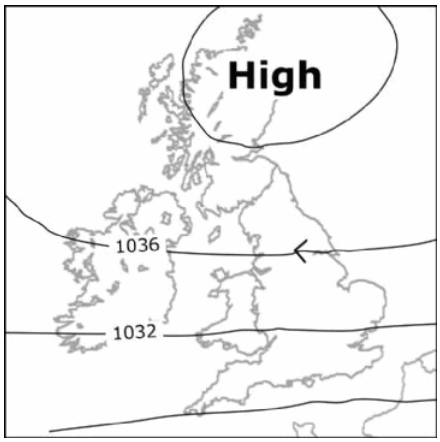
Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

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 Wednesday, 4 November, 2026



British Mountain Summary:
Based on forecast chart for noon 4 November, 2026

High pressure will remain centred near N Scotland. Areas of cloud, and here and there (mainly N England) a little rain will circulate around the high - sometimes the top of the cloud below higher summits in Scotland. Gusty winds Wales, progressively light wind north into Scotland.

Headline for Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines

Mostly cloudy; a little light rain.

Detailed Forecast for Wednesday, 4 November, 2026

How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly, typically 20-25mph, but 30mph locally and in places gusty, around higher fells and passes - also here and there sudden gusts lower slopes west of major ridges and summits.
Effect of wind on you?	**Affecting ease of walking on exposed higher slopes, gusts affecting balance in places. Marked wind chill.**
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	**Damping of light rain now and again** Showery but mostly light rain from time to time; total rainfall small - particularly on more western hills.
Cloud on the hills?	**Cloud base varying, lowest cloud generally confined to eastern slopes.** Particularly near rain, cloud base sometimes below 450m, mainly or only more eastern dales. More widely cloud base above 700 or 800m.
Chance of cloud free summits?	**60%**
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Little or no sunshine, except possibly northern Pennines, where cloud may have cleared for a few hours. Visibility very good or excellent.
How Cold? (at 700m)	5C. Feeling as cold as minus 4C directly in the wind.
And in the valleys	6C from dawn, rising to 9 to 11C afternoon, coolest in east.

Yorkshire Dales & North Pennines - Looking Ahead

	Thursday 5 November	Friday 6 November
How windy? (On the summits)	Easterly 30 to on higher tops 40mph, gusty in places higher tops and locally downslope to west of major summits.	Easterly, 20mph or in morning perhaps 25mph some higher areas. Will tend to ease through day.
Effect of wind on you?	**Affecting ease of walking on higher terrain, sudden buffeting in places including to some lower elevations; marked wind chill.**	**Fairly small though locally gusty some western slopes (not necessarily confined to higher slopes). Notable wind chill.**
How wet? (Precipitation and its impact)	**A little rain east** Spots of rain and drizzle mostly eastern Pennines, perhaps locally a band of more frequent light rain for a time, but very little toward most western dales.	**Pockets of rain.** Damp weather with pockets of light or very light rain will come and go particularly above more eastern dales.
Cloud on the hills?	**Extensive higher slopes, particularly above eastern dales** Cloud persistent higher slopes, most extensive morning above more eastern dales, base 500-700m. More broken westwards where will tend to clear more often with time.	**Extensive, particularly more eastern hills** Broadly, cloud base will rise westwards and through the day. Particularly in rain, pockets of or extensive cloud lower slopes eastern dales base 300-450m by midday. Cloud mostly above 650m western hills.
Chance of cloud free summits?	**50%**	**40%**
Sunshine? Air clarity (below cloud)	Patchy sunshine best toward western dales; mostly cloudy eastern hills.. Visibility very good out of cloud.	Occasional or only rare glimpses of sunshine. The air generally very clear, though misty in rain
How Cold? (at 700m)	3 or 4C. Feeling like -5 to -8C directly in the wind.	3C. Will feel as cold as minus 5C directly in wind.
And in the valleys	5C at dawn, rising to 9 or 10C afternoon.	8 to 10C early afternoon.

Planning Outlook

All mountain areas of Britain from Thursday, 5 November, 2026

High pressure will be the main influence through the next week, particularly in Scotland where extensively dry and wind often light. Over England and Wales, the weekend may be 'disappointing' as after a little rain, low cloud and mist may well predominate under light wind. Nevertheless some mountains may clear.

Forecast issued at 7:31 on Wednesday, 4 November, 2026

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