

## Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 08 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 09 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 08 Nov 2023 at 02:11

**Confidence:** High confidence for a band of rain passing northeast Wednesday, otherwise sunny spells and showers. Rain and showers falling as snow over high ground.

**Headline for Wednesday 08 Nov 2023:** Early rain soon clearing then dry with sunny spells becoming cloudy with the possibility of a few showers in the afternoon.

### Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 08 Nov 2023

**Blizzards**  
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent snow**  
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**  
No Likelihood

**Gales**  
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**  
Low Likelihood

**Poor visibility**  
Medium Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**  
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**  
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**  
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Cloudy	Sunny	Sunny	Cloudy	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
30%	00%	00%	40%	30%	30%

### Forecast for Wednesday 08 Nov 2023

**Weather:** Outbreaks of rain continue north overnight. Early cloud and rain will soon clear with the morning soon becoming dry with sunny spells. Cloud will increase during the afternoon with a few showers possible later.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m:** 60% increasing 30% in the afternoon.

**Low cloud and visibility:** Extensive cloud above 400-600m at first will lift and break, becoming patchy above 700-900m by midday. Afternoon cloud becomes broken, lowering to 400-600m in showers at times.

**Forecast for Wednesday 08 Nov 2023**

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)			Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
<b>600</b>	42/57 W	35/48 W	26/36 W	28/38 SW	28/40 SW	24/34 SW	26/38 SW
<b>300</b>	22/40 W	14/29 W	14/25 W	15/27 SW	13/26 SW	10/20 SW	12/24 SW
<b>Valley</b>	19/39 W	13/30 W	13/26 SW	12/25 SW	12/27 SW	10/23 SW	12/25 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
<b>600</b>	5/-2	2/-5	3/-3	4/-3	2/-5	1/-5	1/-6
<b>300</b>	8/3	5/0	6/2	6/2	4/-0	4/0	3/-1
<b>Valley</b>	9/5	6/2	7/4	8/4	5/1	4/1	4/0
<b>Freezing Level*</b>	1600m	800m	800m	1000m	900m	800m	800m

\*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

**Meteorologist's View**

Low cloud, outbreaks of rain and a brief spell of gales make navigation at height difficult in the early morning. The day will feel very cold at height.

**Forecast for Thursday 09 Nov 2023**

**Weather:** The early morning and evening will be dry with sunny spells, scattered showers will build for a time around midday.

**Maximum wind:** West 30-35mph gust 45mph.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m:** 60%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Cloud will be broken above 400-600m with the visibility good.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius rising plus 8 Celsius  
**At 700m:** Plus 3 Celsius  
**Freezing level:** Above the summits