

Lake District National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 04 May 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 05 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 04 May 2024 at 03:58

Confidence: High confidence for an unsettled few days, but low confidence for exact details. Likely cloudier Saturday and Sunday, sunny spells and showers Monday and Tuesday, more settled Wednesday.

Headline for Saturday 04 May 2024: Widespread low cloud, outbreaks of rain.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 04 May 2024

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

High Likelihood

Thunderstorms

Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
			FOG	FOG	FOG
Heavy Rain	Light rain	Drizzle	Fog	Fog	Fog
Precipitation probability					
80%	60%	50%	30%	20%	20%

Forecast for Saturday 04 May 2024

Weather: Widespread low cloud across the park with outbreaks of rain at times, these potentially heavy for a time in the morning. Becoming generally drier towards the evening, but plenty of low cloud still remaining.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Close to zero throughout.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread and extensive low cloud to 450-600m, lowering to 300m or less at times, with poor visibilities in hill fog or outbreaks of rain and drizzle.

Forecast for Saturday 04 May 2024

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
900	11/13 S	15/20 S	18/24 SW	19/25 SW	18/24 SW	16/21 S	15/19 S
600	14/18 SW	15/21 S	19/26 SW	20/26 SW	17/23 SW	16/22 S	14/19 S
300	8/13 S	10/17 S	13/21 S	12/21 S	10/18 S	9/16 S	7/14 S
Valley	3/7 S	6/11 S	9/17 SW	10/18 SW	9/16 S	7/14 S	6/11 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/3	6/2	6/1	6/1	5/1	5/0	5/1
600	7/4	8/4	8/3	7/3	7/3	7/3	6/3
300	9/7	9/6	9/6	9/6	8/6	8/6	8/6
Valley	10/10	10/9	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/9
Freezing Level*	2400m	2400m	2400m	2300m	2300m	2200m	2200m

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

Meteorologist's View

A dull, damp day with rain perhaps persistent for a time, so good waterproofs required.

Forecast for Sunday 05 May 2024

Weather: Extensive low cloud in the morning with outbreaks of rain or drizzle. Becoming drier and brighter in the afternoon and evening.

Maximum wind: Light southerlies, gusts 10-15mph on the summits.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Close to zero rising to 75% by evening

Low cloud and visibility: Periods or persistent cloud 450-600m at first, with patches below, gradually becoming more occasional above 600-750m through the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 rising to plus 14 Celsius.

At 800m: Plus 4 to plus 6 Celsius.

Freezing level: Well above summits.

Ground Conditions Supplement

No recent ground conditions report available.

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