

## Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 05 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 06 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 05 Apr 2023 at 03:07

**Confidence:** Medium.

**Headline for Wednesday 05 Apr 2023:** Low cloud and rain, improving later in the day.

### Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 05 Apr 2023

**Blizzards**

No Likelihood

**Gales**

No Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**

No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent snow**

No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**

No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**

Low Likelihood

**Storm force winds**







No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**

High 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
					
Drizzle	Fog	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
70%	40%	60%	50%	30%	10%

### Forecast for Wednesday 05 Apr 2023

**Weather:** Low cloud and rain, heavy at times around the middle of the day. Clearing to the east later in the afternoon or early evening.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m:** 20%, improving to 70% in the evening.

**Low cloud and visibility:** Widespread low cloud, base 100-300m, lifting to 400-700m by early afternoon, and moderate visibility in association with the rain. Then good in the evening.

**Forecast for Wednesday 05 Apr 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>	21/28 SW	17/24 SW	14/20 SW	15/22 W	15/22 NW	14/21 NW	15/23 NW
<b>300</b>	7/15 SW	7/14 SW	8/13 SW	6/13 W	7/14 NW	8/15 NW	9/17 NW
<b>Valley</b>	5/13 S	5/10 S	6/12 SW	5/13 W	6/14 NW	7/15 NW	8/15 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
<b>600</b>	7/2	7/3	8/5	8/4	7/4	6/2	5/0
<b>300</b>	8/6	8/6	10/8	10/9	9/8	8/6	7/4
<b>Valley</b>	8/7	9/8	10/9	11/10	10/9	9/7	8/6
<b>Freezing Level*</b>	2100m	2200m	2100m	1800m	1600m	1500m	1300m

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

**Meteorologist's View**

Some uncertainty on how quickly conditions will improve.

**Forecast for Thursday 06 Apr 2023**

**Weather:** A mix of sunny spells and a few scattered showers on Thursday.

**Maximum wind:** Generally light, westerly 10-15 mph gusting 20-25 mph for a time during the afternoon.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m:** 90%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Slight reductions in visibility in any showers with scattered low cloud, base 700-800m. Otherwise good.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 4 rising to plus 10 Celsius.  
**At 700m:** Plus 3-5 Celsius, falling to plus 1 Celsius.  
**Freezing level:** 1200m falling to 800m through the day.