

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 02 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 03 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 01 Jul 2021 at 17:00 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for Friday. High for more changeable weather to develop from Saturday onwards, low for daily detail of showers.

Headline for Friday 02 Jul 2021: Most ranges dry with plenty of sunshine.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 02 Jul 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
							
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Friday 02 Jul 2021

Weather: Most ranges will have a dry and sunny day, some high cloud spilling across from the east later. Very small chance of an isolated shower across the south of the region from mid-afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90%

Visibility: Generally good with summits expected to be clear. Some thin low cloud below 200 metres possible across the far east first thing in the morning.

Forecast for Friday 02 Jul 2021

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	10/13 E	7/9 E	8/11 E	8/12 SE	6/10 SE	7/12 W	6/10 N	6/8 NE	6/8 SE
900	10/13 E	7/9 E	8/11 E	8/12 SE	6/10 SE	7/12 W	6/10 N	5/7 NE	6/7 SE
600	9/11 E	6/8 E	7/10 E	7/10 SE	5/9 SE	6/10 W	6/9 N	4/6 NE	4/6 SE
300	7/11 E	5/7 E	6/9 E	6/9 SE	4/9 SE	4/9 W	4/7 N	2/6 E	2/5 SE
Glen	7/9 E	6/7 E	4/6 E	5/9 SE	4/8 W	6/11 W	3/7 W	2/4 SE	2/3 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	9/7	8/7	8/6	9/7	12/10	12/11	12/10	10/9	9/8
900	9/7	9/7	8/6	10/8	12/11	13/12	12/11	11/10	10/8
600	11/9	10/9	10/9	12/11	15/14	16/14	14/14	13/12	11/11
300	11/9	9/8	10/9	15/14	18/17	19/18	17/16	14/14	13/13
Glen	13/12	12/10	13/13	17/16	19/19	20/19	18/17	15/16	14/14
Freezing Level*	1900m	1900m	1900m	2200m	2100m	2300m	2400m	2400m	2400m

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

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

This is likely to be the last widely fine day across the area for a while. Risk of sunburn and dehydration on long treks.

Forecast for Saturday 03 Jul 2021

Weather: Dry, bright start. Cloudier weather with scattered showers will develop from late morning onwards, perhaps with odd heavy shower breaking out.

Maximum wind: Southerly 20 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70%

Visibility: Generally good. Some patchy cloud down to 700 metres in any heavier showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 10 rising to 21 Celsius

At 800m: Plus 11 Celsius

Freezing level: Above summits