

Update notice about the conventional station works

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain.

Conventional station works continue

The conventional station includes a new station building and eight platforms above ground that will connect the HS2 station to the Great Western Main Line and the Elizabeth Line services.

From the week commencing 24 July 2023, we will resume ground strengthening works to support deep excavation activities for the construction of the conventional station and associated buildings.

Then the conventional station structure and walls to support the platforms will be built using concrete.

The eight platforms will be constructed in a phased approach, with platforms three to eight initially built using precast concrete pieces brought into site and lifted into place. Then the main elements of the station roof will be built. These works are expected to be complete at the end of 2025. Network Rail will then divert the existing live railway through the newly constructed platforms over a Christmas possession period, which is expected to take place in 2026. After these works, Platforms one and two and the final section of the roof structure will be constructed with all these works expected to complete in 2028.

Key Impacts

Due to the size of machines required for these works and the large vehicles required to transport them to the site, oversized deliveries will take place in the early morning to minimise disruption to traffic. These deliveries will take place intermittently.

We will continually monitor noise and dust levels throughout the works. To manage potential dust, we will be damping down (wetting the ground during excavations and the spoil will be transported onto the conveyor system. To mitigate for possible noise, we will use acoustic blankets whenever possible and all staff, operatives and contractors will be reminded through regular briefings to be respectful to the local community.

If you have a question about HS2 or our works, please contact our HS2 Helpdesk team on 08081 434 434 or email hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Notification



Duration of works

Work on the conventional station is ongoing. The working hours will be between 8am and 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 5pm on Saturdays.

What to expect

An increase in activity at the Old Oak Common Station site, including some early morning deliveries.

What we will do

We will monitor noise and dust levels by using acoustic blankets and dust suppression where possible.

Excavated spoil will be removed via the conveyor system.

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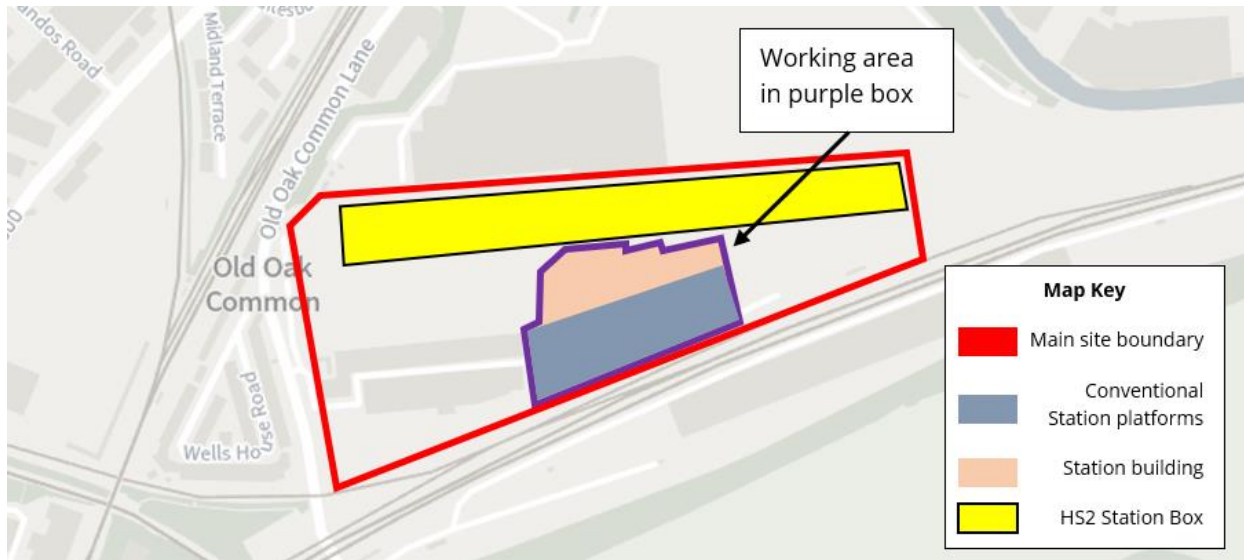
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Map of works

The approximate location of the works is shown on the map below.



Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team on **08081 434 434**

What else is happening in your area?

www.hs2.org.uk

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team

Our team is here to listen and respond to your enquiry, complaint or feedback to help us be a good neighbour.

You can contact our Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

Freephone: **08081 434 434**

Minicom: **08081 456 472**

Email: hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Keep up-to-date with your local community website

To find out more about what's happening in your area and receive regular email updates, you can sign up to our local community websites at: www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk.

About our Community and Business Funds

We are offering two funds that are available to local communities and businesses between the West Midlands and London, to help with the disruption caused by our construction work. These are the Community and Environment Fund (CEF) and the Business and Local Economy Fund (BLEF).

The CEF is designed to give communities the opportunity to share in the benefits of HS2. It is an allocated fund that communities are able to apply for, to help to support local projects that aim to improve their local area.

The BLEF is designed to support local economies that may be disrupted by the construction of HS2. BLEF grants are for local business support organisations and local authorities to help maintain business activity in local communities.

For more information about each of these funds, including how to apply, please visit: <https://www.groundwork.org.uk/hs2funds>



Keeping you informed

We are committed to keeping you informed about work on HS2. This includes ensuring you know what to expect and when to expect it, as well as how we can help you.

The Residents' Commissioner

The independent Residents' Commissioner oversees and monitors our commitments to you.

The commissioner's reports and our responses can be found at www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner

The Residents' Commissioner makes sure we fulfil the commitments in the HS2 Community Engagement Strategy (<https://bit.ly/3oOA25j>).

The Residents' Commissioner can be contacted on: residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk

Construction Commissioner

The independent Construction Commissioner regularly meets our Chief Executive Officer to raise any concerns or emerging trends across HS2.

The Construction Commissioner's role has been developed to monitor the way we manage and respond to construction complaints.

The commissioner mediates on disputes about construction, involving individuals and organisations, that we can't resolve. The commissioner advises members of the public about how to make a complaint about construction.

The Construction Commissioner can be contacted on: complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk

Property and compensation

You can find out about HS2 and properties along the route by visiting:

www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property

Find out if you can claim compensation at:

www.gov.uk/claim-compensation-if-affected-by-hs2

Holding us to account

If you are unhappy for any reason you can make a complaint by contacting the HS2 Helpdesk. For more details on our complaints process, please visit:

www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/contact-us/how-to-complain/

Contact us

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HS2 Community Engagement

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