

# Noise barrier testing at our site on Breakspear Road South

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

You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at [hs2inhillington.co.uk](http://hs2inhillington.co.uk)

Our Community Engagement team is available to answer your questions about the project and the works in Hillingdon and Northolt. Our team would like to invite you to:

❖ **Visit the HS2 Information Hub**

Our Community Information Hub is open for drop-ins every Monday and Wednesday from 2pm to 4pm.

You can find us in the portacabin on the right of the West Ruislip Portal entrance on Ickenham Road.

❖ **Book a virtual one to one appointment**  
at [Communities@scsrailways.co.uk](mailto:Communities@scsrailways.co.uk).

## What work is taking place?

From 28 May to 27 October 2024, we will be carrying out noise barrier testing for 24 hours a day, in the area west of the HS2 bridge on Breakspear Road South and north of the Chiltern Rail bridge within our site compound.

A temporary embankment has been constructed in the area where noise barriers have been installed and the structural integrity will be tested.

The scope of the testing is to confirm that the pile foundation and the structure will not have any significant changes due to trains passing the noise barrier.

Please see the following pages that shows the location of these works.

**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](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)**

## Notification



### Duration of works

28 May to 27 October 2024

24/7

### What to expect

Additional staff on site outside of core working hours

Work lighting will be required for the safety reasons

### What we will do

Monitor our work methods and minimise disruption to residents and local community

Advise our staff to be mindful of our neighbours

Provide updates at:

**[HS2inHillingdon.co.uk](http://HS2inHillingdon.co.uk)**

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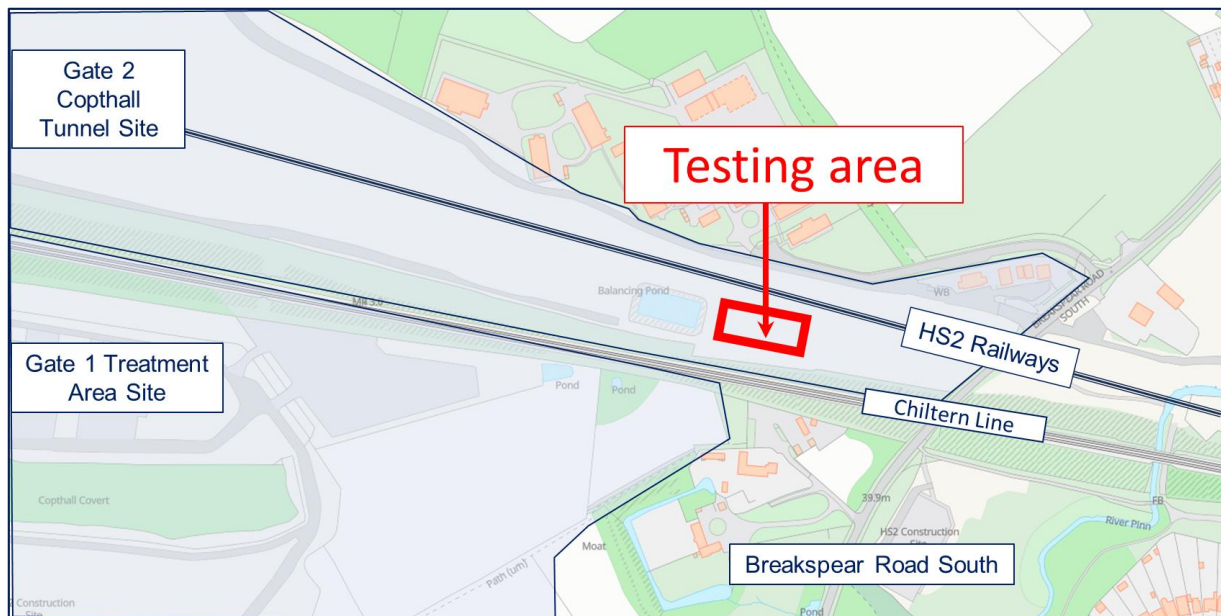
## How these works will affect you

These tests will be carried out 24 hours a day from 28 May to 27 October 2024.

The anticipated level of noise impact is minimal and will include the use of a generator which will power the instrument that will simulate the movement of the trains passing.

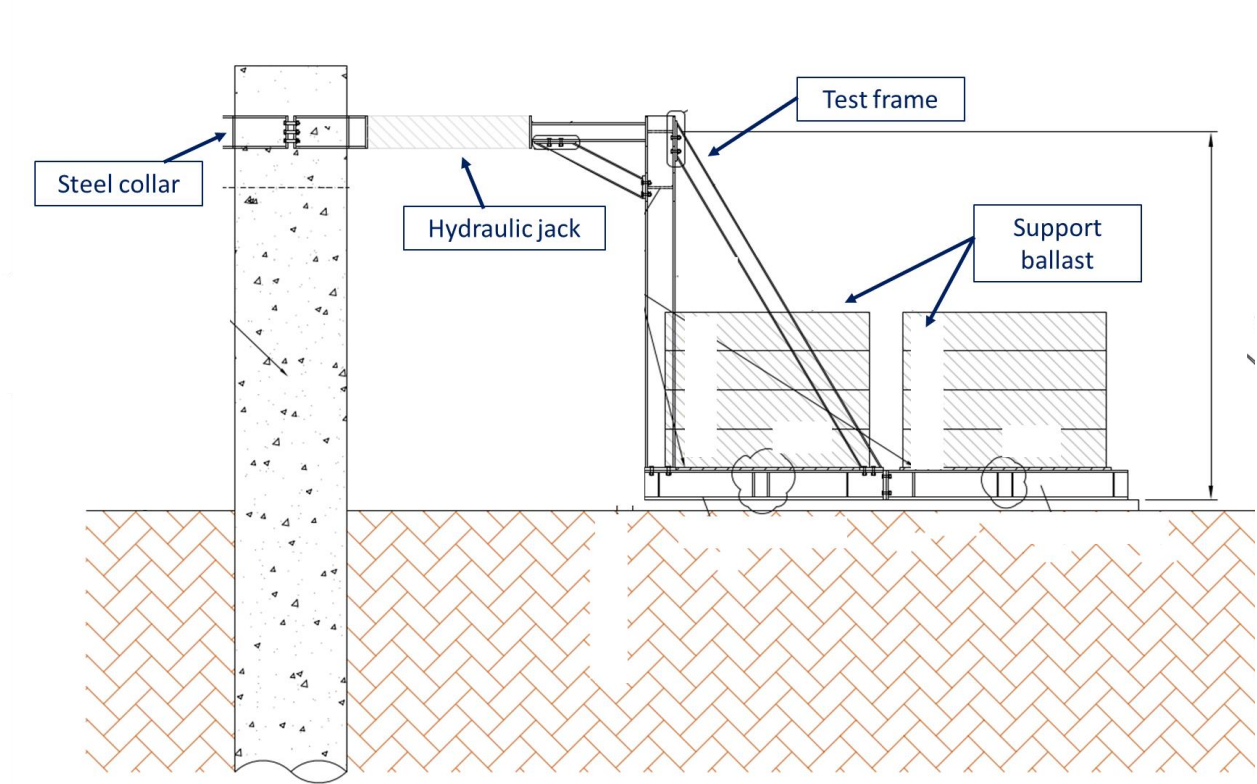
We would like to apologise for any disruption or inconvenience these works may cause. Every effort is being taken to ensure that these works are carried out in the least impactful way. We will ensure that disruption is kept to a minimum.

## Location of works



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

Example of test configuration



# 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.

## Residents' Charter and Commissioner

The Residents' Charter is our promise to communicate as clearly as we possibly can with people who live along or near the HS2 route.  
[www.gov.uk/government/publications/hs2-residents-charter](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/hs2-residents-charter)

We also have an independent Residents' Commissioner whose job is to make sure we keep to the promises we make in the Charter and to keep it under constant review. Find reports at:  
[www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner)

You can contact the Commissioner at:  
[residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk](mailto:residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk)

## Construction Commissioner

The Construction Commissioner's role is to mediate and monitor the way in which HS2 Ltd manages and responds to construction complaints. You can contact the Construction Commissioner by emailing:  
[complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk](mailto:complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk)

## Property and compensation

You can find out all about HS2 and properties along the line of route by visiting:  
[www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property)  
Find out if you're eligible for compensation at:  
[www.gov.uk/claim-compensation-if-affected-by-hs2](http://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 our HS2 Helpdesk team. For more details on our complaints process, please visit our website:  
[www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain](http://www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain)

## Contact Us

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

 Freephone **08081 434 434**

 Minicom **08081 456 472**

 Email **[hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)**

Write to:

**FREEPOST**

**HS2 Community Engagement**

Website **[www.hs2.org.uk](http://www.hs2.org.uk)**

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**[www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk](http://www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk)**

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