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Hampstead Road bridge construction – October 2026 to 2031

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Location

Hampstead Road bridge

Duration

Saturday 17 October 2026 to
December 2031

What we are doing

We are extending Hampstead Road bridge to pass over the extended cutting created for the HS2 railway. We are building a temporary road alongside to maintain traffic flow while we extend Hampstead Road bridge

What to expect

Works done in phases with three 4-week road closures over this period
Temporary relocation of bus stop near Ampthill Square Estate
Footpath and lane closures
Traffic maintained in both directions

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. Should you have any questions or concerns about our works you can contact us by:



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Construction of temporary road and Hampstead Road bridge extension

We need to extend Hampstead Road bridge to pass over the newly excavated and extended railway cutting. We'll build a temporary road to the east of Hampstead Road, over the area known as Zone 5 for an uninterrupted traffic flow on Hampstead Road while we extend the bridge. We will carry out these works in phases until 2031.

The first phase will start from **17 October 2026** to **January 2027**. We will close Hampstead Road for **four weeks** from **January** to **February 2027**. We are looking at options to reduce the duration and impact of the closure. We will provide details of the closure closer to the time, including traffic and bus diversion routes.

After the first full closure, we will need to close Hampstead Road on two more occasions for approximately four weeks each. The table below shows our phases of works to build the temporary road and Hampstead Road bridge extension.

Phase	Activity	Date
0	Mobilisation and site set up in Zone 5	June to October 2026
1	Temporary road construction, traffic switched to northbound lane	October 2026 to January 2027
2	First 4-week closure (duration to be confirmed)	January to February 2027
3	Temporary road in use while constructing the northbound bridge deck	February 2027 to November 2028
4	Second 4-week closure to tie-in northbound carriageway to existing road	December 2028 to January 2029
5	Removal of temporary road with traffic on northbound bridge deck	January to April 2029
6	Southbound bridge deck construction	April 2029 to May 2030
7	Third 4-week closure to connect northbound and southbound bridge decks	June to July 2030
8a	Base slab construction under the bridge	July 2030 to December 2031
8b	Finishing works	June 2030 to December 2031

Please follow this [link](#) for more information.

Additional information – Phase 1

Bus stop relocation

Before we build the temporary road we'll move out the existing hoarding on Hampstead Road. We will remove Bus Stop W on Hampstead Road and temporarily relocate it close to Ampthill Square Estate. We may need to suspend the relocated bus stop at times during our works. We will close the southbound footpath and divert pedestrians along the northbound footpath on Hampstead Road. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

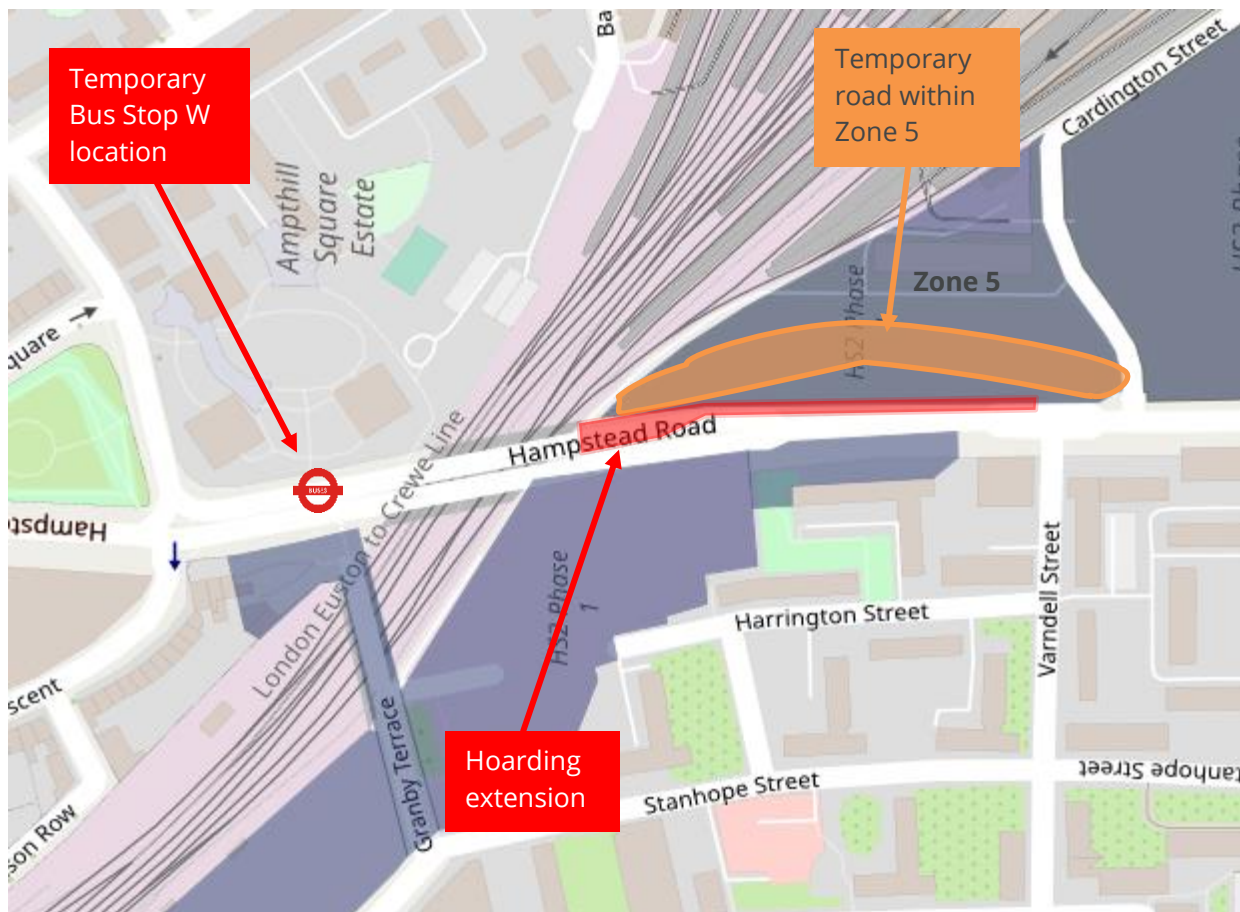
Temporary road construction

During the construction of the temporary road we will install sheet piles, drainage, street lighting, kerbs and footpaths before laying the tarmac surface of the temporary road. We will then install hoardings either side of the road. We expect some of these works to be noisy at times. We will monitor our works closely to ensure we are working within approved noise and vibration limits.

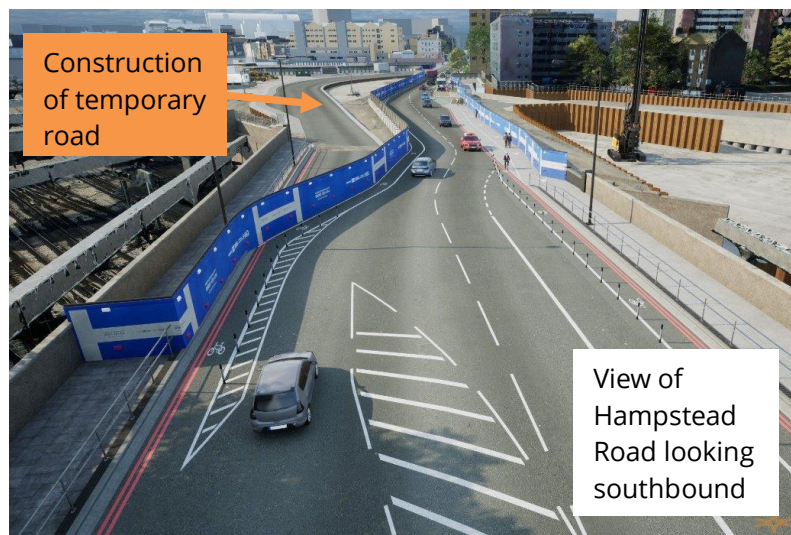
As we build the temporary road two lanes will remain open on Hampstead Road, allowing traffic to flow in both directions to reduce the impact on road users. Segregated cycle lanes will be open in both directions and pedestrians will use the northbound footpath.

Map of works

The map below shows the location of the temporary road, extended hoarding, and the temporary Bus Stop W location.



Images of phase 1 traffic layout on Hampstead Road



Engagement events

We are holding a drop-in event at Euston Community Hub. North Gower Street NW1 2LY, on **Thursday 22 October** from **5pm to 7pm** where we will provide more information about Hampstead Road bridge works and answer any questions you may have.

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