

Rouse Hill Public School

Works notification | 24 November 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

Our school community has been deeply impacted by the tragic loss of one of our students.

The health, safety and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities. The NSW Department of Education has worked with The Hills Shire Council and Transport for NSW to improve pedestrian safety around the school by:

- establishing a 40 km/h speed limit zone at the back of the school
- securing an additional supervisor at the second pedestrian crossing by the roundabout
- streamlining buses to better service the school community.

Safety upgrades planned for the Clower Avenue entrance

We would like to thank the community for their proactive road safety suggestions and for working with the school.

Your feedback has helped inform the following safety enhancements to improve visibility for drivers and pedestrians entering and exiting the school:

- installing convex mirrors on either side of the school carpark driveway to increase driver visibility.
- installing raised road markings at the driveway entry and exit to encourage safe driving.
- moving a section of the existing fence next to the driveway further back from Clower Avenue to increase visibility for drivers.
- installing Transport for NSW-approved fencing next to the pedestrian crossing to encourage appropriate use of the kiss and drop zone.
- installing new sandstone seating blocks at the kiss and drop zone to help separate students from traffic.
- installing additional bollards at the driveway point to direct pedestrians and cyclists along the footpath.
- painting “Walking Only” signs on the footpath approaching the carpark driveway.

Please refer to the image overleaf for the location of these enhancements.

Next steps

Work will begin Tuesday 25 November 2025 and end during the upcoming summer holiday period.

Construction will take place between 7 am and 6 pm, Monday to Friday and 8 am and 1 pm on Saturdays. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays.

If you have any questions, please contact us via the details below.



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Traffic control at community centre carpark

Earlier this month your school principal, Mr Robert Jarvis, notified parents and carers that four traffic controllers have been stationed to supervise children arriving and leaving school each day. Two controllers are positioned on the school carpark driveway while the other two are on the community centre carpark driveway.

In agreement with The Hills Shire Council, the traffic controllers are directing cars to move on and not allow them to enter the community centre carpark when it is full or congested. When cars leave the carpark and parking spaces become available, the controllers then allow cars to enter.

We remind all drivers to be respectful towards the traffic controllers. They are there to ensure the safety of students and the efficient flow of cars during high traffic times.

Please remember that the community centre carpark is not a school carpark. The kiss and drop zone is located at the front of the school on Clower Avenue. Alternatively, parents and carers may choose to park in one of the surrounding streets and walk to the school.



Location of road safety enhancements at Rouse Hill Public School

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- new fencing along Kiss and Drop boundary
- relocation of existing fence
- new convex mirrors
- raised road markings

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation during this important work.

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