

Winston Hills Public School

Works notification | 8 August 2025

Dear staff, parents, carers and neighbours,

We wish to advise that we will be replacing the existing fence and installing new security fencing along Junction Road, Hillcrest Avenue, and the boundary between Timbergetters Reserve and Winston Hills Public School.

The NSW Department of Education can fence off school properties as indicated in the [Inclosed Lands Protection Act 1901 \(ILP Act\)](#). Winston Hills Public School is 'inclosed land' for the purposes of the ILP Act.

By securing the gates and restricting access, we will be providing greater safety and security for our students, staff and the wider community.

Work has started and is expected to finish by the end of September 2025. Weather permitting, work hours will be between 7.30 am to 5.00 pm weekdays, in line with NSW Environment Protection Authority guidelines.

Works involve:

- replacing sections of the existing mesh fence with new open tubular black steel security fence with a spear top, along the Junction Road boundary
- installing a new open tubular black steel security fence with a spear top along the boundary between Timbergetters Reserve and the school, and along Hillcrest Avenue
- installing an electronic access gate at the front of the school along Hillcrest Avenue
- installing permanent closed-circuit TV (CCTV) camera above 2 new electronic pedestrian gates on Hillcrest Avenue. The purpose of these cameras is to monitor entry into the school premises and add a level of security for students and staff. The CCTV will be operational in 6 weeks after fence installation is finished.

For more information on CCTV including how the department uses footage, privacy laws and record keeping, please visit the department's [CCTV – use of closed circuit cameras page](#).

If you have any feedback about this planned work, please contact us on 1300 482 651 or schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au.

Please note our community phone and email are staffed from Monday to Friday between 9 am and 5 pm.

We appreciate there may be some inconvenience caused by these changes. We understand the importance of maintaining positive relationships with our neighbours and seek to balance that with the safety and wellbeing of the school and local community.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.



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