

A45 footbridge installation

National Highways are upgrading the M42 junction 6 to enable better movement of traffic on and off the A45, supporting access to the airport and preparing capacity for the new HS2 station. The work includes improving pedestrian and cycle access in the local area and over the coming weeks a new footbridge across the A45 is being installed.

What's happening next?

To install the bridge a large crane will be set up on the A45 carriageway to lift and swing the structure into place. To do this safely, the A45 will be closed for one night over the weekend of **30 April to 1 May**.

To minimise disruption caused by this full road closure, work will be completed in the following phases:

- the A45 westbound carriageway will be closed between M42 junction 6 and Clock Interchange from 4pm on Saturday 30 April to 8:30am on Sunday 1 May.
- the A45 eastbound carriageway will be closed between Clock interchange and M42 junction 6 from 8:30pm on Saturday 30 April to 5:30am on Sunday 1 May.

What should motorists do?

Access to the Arden Hotel will be maintained via an entrance from the A45 slip road (before the Esso garage). Just show your room key at the closure point for access.

Exiting the Arden Hotel will be via the rear of the hotel and through Trinity Park.

When the roads are closed a clearly signed diversion route will be in place (map below). This has been agreed with Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council as the most suitable route for both the amount and type of traffic being diverted.

Delays are expected for motorists travelling along the A45 during these road closures. Please plan ahead and allow additional time for your journeys, considering alternative routes where possible.

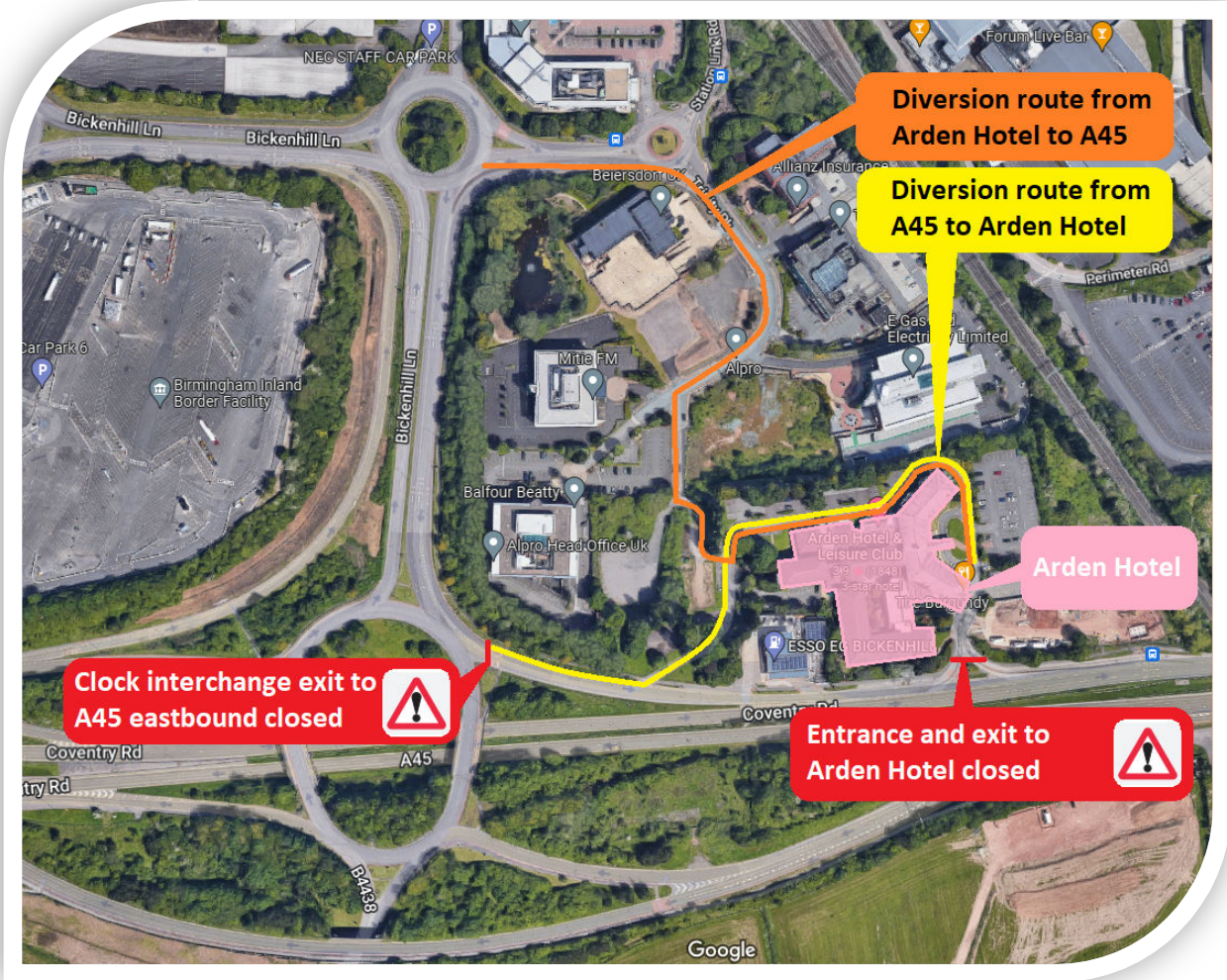
National Highways apologise in advance for any inconvenience you may experience during the upcoming work to install the footbridge. The whole team will make every effort to keep disruption to a minimum.

How can we find out more?

If you have any questions about this road closure, you can:

- email: M42Junction6@nationalhighways.co.uk
- call National Highways on: 0300 123 5000





Diversion route from Arden Hotel to A45

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Clock interchange exit to A45 eastbound closed

Entrance and exit to Arden Hotel closed