

OTAIHANGA LEVEL CROSSING WORKS

26 December 2025 to Monday 5 Jan 2026

Dear neighbour,

This Christmas we will be doing essential maintenance and renewal work on the Otaihanga Road level crossing. This is an important part of keeping our Wellington Metro railway up-to-date and reliable.

What's happening?

- Installing a new concrete level crossing at **Otaihanga Road** level crossing.

When?

- Work begins **Friday 26 December** and will continue through to **Monday 5 January 2026**.
- Day and night work – we will have people **working around the clock** from 6.00am Friday morning through to early Monday morning 5 January.

What you will see and hear

- Excavation work, frequent truck movements and a crane lifting in the concrete slabs.
- Noise from the excavation work and machinery.
- A **full road closure** at the level crossing with traffic management and detours in place. **See detours over page.**

We will do our best to keep our noise and disruption to a minimum. We apologise in advance for any inconvenience our work may cause.

Trains replaced by buses

Train services over Christmas and New Year from 26 December through to 12 January will be replaced with buses. This gives our people full and safe access to the lines to get some of the bigger jobs done with no trains running. If you are a regular commuter, thanks for your patience. We try to get as much maintenance done as possible over long weekends and holidays when there are less people needing to use public transport.

For more information about bus replacement visit metlink.co.nz/plan-ahead.

If you have any questions about the work, email us at contactus@kiwirail.co.nz

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