

# Valley Gardens Phase 3

## March 2026 Access Update

This update provides details of the latest changes to pedestrian routes as construction continues.

Arrangements are subject to change and we thank you for your understanding. Please do feel free to contact the project team if you have any questions.

## Disabled Bays Madeira Drive

There was a need to temporarily suspend some bays in Madeira Drive with this work planned for the winter period when demand is reduced. All bays are now available and there are no plans for further suspensions.

## Bus Stop R1

The new bus shelter at bus stop R1 opposite the Royal Pavillion is being installed from Monday 2 March. Pedestrians will be diverted behind the bus stop when this work is taking place.

## Pedestrian route changes

The map opposite shows the planned changes to pedestrian routes and crossing locations. This is to maintain access while safely continuing the work.

To cross at the seafront, please use Grand Junction Road next to the Royal Albion hotel.

## Castle Square

Work is due to start on the new crossing island, while it is constructed and the new kerbs are installed, the existing crossing point will be closed. Crossings are available further west. A crossing will also be provided to Steine Gardens and a pedestrian route remains available past the war memorial.

## Sealife Centre, Pier and seafront access

As work to the extended pavements outside the Sealife Centre and Pier continues, access will be maintained. The route may change depending on the working area, and it will be clearly signed.

Cyclists can continue to use the area in front of the pier, but the area is temporarily shared with pedestrians.

## Further information

If you would like more information, please see [www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/valley-gardens](http://www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/valley-gardens)

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