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WEST HILL, HITCHIN, SG5

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Property **Overview**







Property

Detached Type:

Bedrooms:

Floor Area: 1,704 ft² / 158 m²

0.11 acres Plot Area: **Council Tax:** Band E **Annual Estimate:** £2,851 Title Number: HD315549

Freehold Tenure:

Local Area

Local Authority:

Conservation Area:

Flood Risk:

Rivers & Seas

Surface Water

Hertfordshire

No

Very low

Very low

Estimated Broadband Speeds

(Standard - Superfast - Ultrafast)

15

80

1800

mb/s

mb/s

mb/s







Mobile Coverage:

(based on calls indoors)













Satellite/Fibre TV Availability:















Planning History

This Address



Planning records for: West Hill, Hitchin, SG5

Reference - 15/02859/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 09th November 2015

Description:

First floor rear extension

Reference - 04/01203/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 19th July 2004

Description:

Two storey side and single storey rear extensions.



Planning records for: 1 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 81/00702/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 12th May 1981

Description:

Construction of two rooms in new roof space by raising existing ridge line and installation of 2 dormer windows.

Planning records for: 6 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 03/01383/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 26th August 2003

Description:

Detached double garage with ancillary domestic accommodation on the first floor

Reference - 04/00085/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 23rd January 2004

Description:

Detached double garage with ancillary domestic accommodation over.

Planning records for: 7 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 03/01272/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 04th August 2003

Description:

Part two and part single storey rear and side extensions (as amended by plan no. HM03087-01 rev A received 15.01.04)



Planning records for: 8 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 18/03114/FPH

Decision: Decided

Date: 27th November 2018

Description:

Two storey side extension and single storey rear extension.

Planning records for: 9 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 86/00683/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 08th May 1986

Description:

Erection of single storey side and rear extension.

Planning records for: 10 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 25/00599/FPH

Decision: Registered

Date: 13th March 2025

Description:

Single storey extension to existing summer house and replace existing roof.

Reference - 17/00631/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 14th March 2017

Description:

Single storey rear extension (as amended by drawings NCA.228.PL005A, 006A, 007A, 008A, 009A and 010A received 12/04/2017).



Planning records for: 10 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 16/03162/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 22nd December 2016

Description:

Single storey summerhouse with hipped roof in rear garden.

Planning records for: 11 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 78/01663/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 06th November 1978

Description:

Erection of single storey side and rear extension

Planning records for: 12 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 18/01775/FPH

Decision: Decided

Date: 03rd July 2018

Description:

Single storey rear extension

Planning records for: 13 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 89/00237/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 10th February 1989

Description:

Single storey rear extension



Planning records for: 14 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 81/01284/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 24th August 1981

Description:

Erection of two storey rear extension.

Planning records for: 15A West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 19/02283/FPH

Decision: Decided

Date: 20th September 2019

Description:

Single storey rear/side extension following demolition of existing rear extension

Reference - 79/01914/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 19th November 1979

Description:

Erection of two storey side extension

Reference - 86/00218/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 19th January 1986

Description:

Erection of two storey side extension and single storey rear extension.



Planning records for: 15A West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 16/03163/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 14th December 2016

Description:

Single storey rear extension

Planning records for: 15 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 18/00250/FPH

Decision: Decided

Date: 24th January 2018

Description:

Part two storey, part single storey side and rear extensions following demolition of existing garage and conservatory.

Planning records for: 16 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 19/01668/NMA

Decision: Decided

Date: 09th July 2019

Description:

Alteration of two storey extension roof from a hip to gable, rear window replaced with double doors, insertion of roof window to rear extension; pier introduced between kitchen doors and window (as non material amendment to planning permission reference 19/00198/FPH granted 06/03/2019)

Reference - 80/00721/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 10th April 1980

Description:

Erection of two storey side extension.



Planning records for: 16 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 19/00198/FPH

Decision: Decided

Date: 01st February 2019

Description:

Part two storey and part single rear extension following demolition of existing rear conservatory and single storey structure.

Reference - 15/01558/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 15th June 2015

Description:

Increase width of dormer on front elevation.

Planning records for: 17 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 13/01570/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 02nd July 2013

Description:

Rear roof extension to create additional second floor bedroom space, single storey side/rear extension.

Reference - 14/00151/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 20th January 2014

Description:

Single storey rear and side extension together with alterations to existing rear roof profile, insertion of two dormer windows in existing side (west) roof slope, one dormer window in existing rear slope, a third floor window in existing side (west) elevation and a third floor window in proposed rear elevation to facilitate conversion of loft space into habitable accommodation.



Planning records for: 17 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 13/02227/1PUD

Decision: Decided

Date: 13th September 2013

Description:

Alteration to existing rear roof profile, insertion of two dormer windows in existing side (west) roof slope, one dormer window in existing rear slope, a third floor window in existing side (west) elevation and a third floor window in proposed rear elevation to facilitate conversion of loft space into habitable accommodation.

Planning records for: 18 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 13/02942/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 16th December 2013

Description:

Single storey rear extension

Planning records for: 22 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 22/02519/FPH

Decision: Decided

Date: 21st September 2022

Description:

Insertion of rear dormer window and two rooflights to front roofslope to facilitate loft conversion. Insertion of two storey rear bay window following removal of existing ground floor bay window.

Reference - 23/00262/NMA

Decision: Decided

Date: 06th February 2023

Description:

Amendment of material on dormer cheeks from slate to standing seam metal cladding colour dark grey (as Non-Material Amendment relating to planning permission 22/02519/FPH granted 05.12.2022)



Planning records for: 22 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 23/00274/TPO

Decision: Decided

Date: 06th February 2023

Description:

T1 Cherry - Reduce in height by 3m. G2 2x Maple - Reduce in height by 3m. G3 5x Yews - Reduce in height by 3m. G4 3x Lime - Pollard removing 5m. T5 Horse Chestnut - Reduce back to previous reduction points removing 3m. G6 2x Silver Birch - Remove to ground level. T7 Cherry - Remove to ground level.

Planning records for: 23 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 03/00129/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 29th January 2003

Description:

Two storey rear extension and rear conservatory. Single storey side extension to existing garage.

Reference - 80/00466/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 12th March 1980

Description:

Erection of replacement garage and single storey side extension.

Planning records for: 25 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 16/01048/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 27th April 2016

Description:

Two and single storey rear extension, insertion of first floor window to front and ground floor and two first floor windows to side (east) elevation.



Planning records for: 26 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 76/01311/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 14th September 1976

Description:

Demolition of existing sheds and erection of double garage to side

Planning records for: 28 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 09/00671/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 09th April 2009

Description:

Dormer window with balcony in rear roofslope to facilitate loft conversion

Planning records for: 29 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 78/00356/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 08th March 1978

Description:

Erection of single storey rear and side extensions, front entrance porch and detached double garage (as amended on 17.4.78)

Reference - 15/03109/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 09th December 2015

Description:

First floor side and rear extension, and front porch canopy.



Planning records for: 32 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 16/00308/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 04th February 2016

Description:

Single storey rear extension (as amended by drawing 10A received 17/03/2016).

Planning records for: 34 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 79/00579/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 11th February 1979

Description:

Erection of single storey side and two storey rear extension following demolition of existing conservatory

Reference - 83/00933/1

Decision: Decided

Date: 09th June 1983

Description:

Erection of single storey rear extension

Reference - 94/01048/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 27th September 1994

Description:

Single storey side extension



Planning records for: 34 West Hill Hitchin SG5 2HZ

Reference - 10/01586/1HH

Decision: Decided

Date: 14th July 2010

Description:

Pitched roof with 4 no. rooflights to existing side and rear extensions

Planning records for: 2 West Hill Hitchin Hertfordshire SG5 2HZ

Reference - 19/00929/FPH

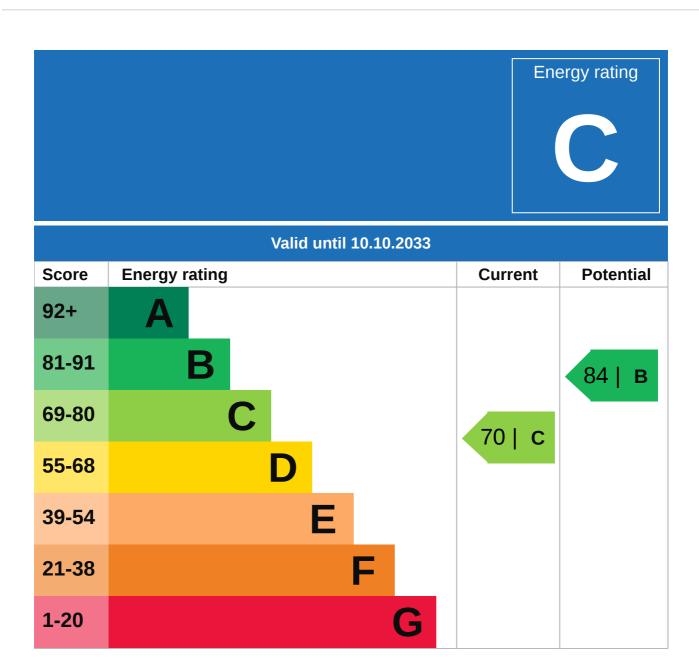
Decision: Decided

Date: 18th April 2019

Description:

Single storey side and rear extension following demolition of existing conservatory with new side and rear first floor windows.







Property

EPC - Additional Data



Additional EPC Data

Detached house **Property Type:**

No Flat Top Storey:

Top Storey: 0

Previous Extension: 0

0 **Open Fireplace:**

Walls: Solid brick as built no insulation (assumed)

Walls Energy: Very poor

Roof: Pitched 150 mm loft insulation

Roof Energy: Good

Main Heating: Boiler and radiators mains gas

Main Heating

Programmer room thermostat and TRVs **Controls:**

Hot Water System: From main system

Hot Water Energy

Efficiency:

Good

Low energy lighting in all fixed outlets Lighting:

Floors: Suspended no insulation (assumed)

Total Floor Area: 146 m^2

Material Information



Building Safety
None Specified
Accessibility / Adaptations
YES : Previous owners extended to the rear and converted the garage Bi-fold doors and double glazing - date not specified
Restrictive Covenants
None Specified
Rights of Way (Public & Private)
None Specified
Construction Type
Standard Brick



Material Information



Property Lease Information
Freehold
Listed Building Information
Not listed
Stamp Duty
Not Specified
Other
None Specified
Other
None Specified



Utilities & Services



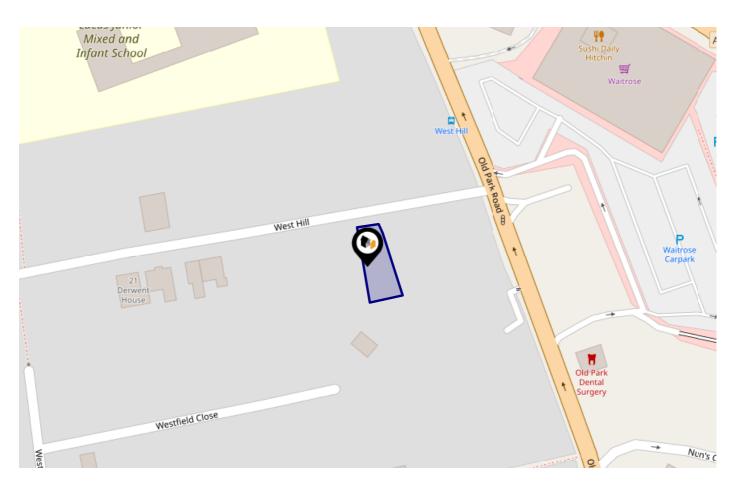
Electricity Supply
Yes - Supplier not specified
Gas Supply
Yes - Supplier not specified
Central Heating
Yes GCH
Water Supply
Yes - Mains - Supplier Not Specified
Drainage
Yes Mains

Flood Risk

Rivers & Seas - Flood Risk



This map shows the chance of flooding from rivers and / or the sea, taking into account flood defences and their condition.



Risk Rating: Very low

The map does not contain sufficient information for it to be used to determine flood risk to individual properties, but it does give you an indication of whether your area may be affected by surface water flooding at this risk level.

- **High Risk -** an area which has a chance of flooding of greater than 1 in 30 (3.3%) in any one year.
- **Medium Risk** an area which has a chance of flooding of greater than 1 in 100 (1.0%) in any one year.
- **Low Risk -** an area which has a chance of flooding of greater than 1 in 1000 (0.25%) in any one year.
- Very Low Risk an area in which the risk is below 1 in 1000 (0.25%) in any one year.

Chance of flooding to the following depths at this property:

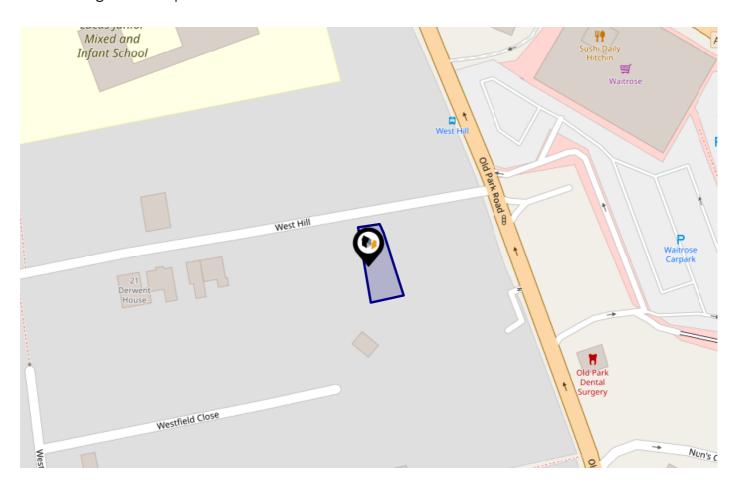




Rivers & Seas - Climate Change



This map shows the future chance of flooding from rivers and / or the sea **between 2036 and 2069**, taking into account flood defences and their condition. The government climate change models cannot predict exactly when the chance of flooding will go up. It could happen at any time during the time period.



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Chance of flooding to the following depths at this property:



Conservation Areas



This map displays nearby official conservation areas. Every local authority in England has at least one conservation area. Most are designated by the Council as the local planning authority, though Historic England and the Secretary of State also have the power to create them.



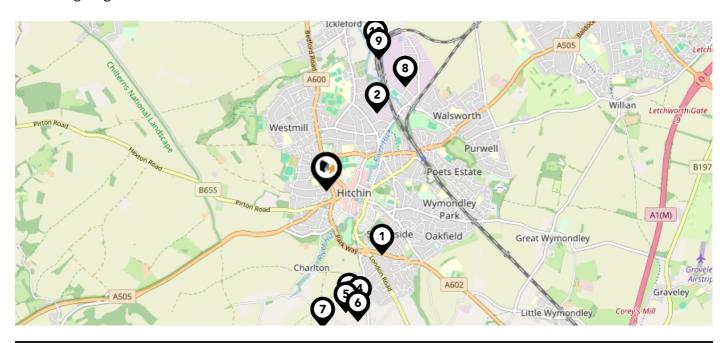
Nearby Conservation Areas		
1	Butts Close, Hitchin	
2	Hitchin	
3	Hitchin Hill Path	
4	Hitchin Railway and Ransom's Recreation Ground	
5	Charlton	
6	Gosmore	
7	Ickleford	
8	St Ippolyts	
9	Great Wymondley	
10	Pirton	

Maps

Landfill Sites



This map displays the location of known landfill sites. Historic sites are where there is no environmental permit in force. Active sites are currently authorised by the Environment Agency under Environmental Permitting Regulations.



Nearby Landfill Sites				
1	Eynesford Court-Hitchin, Hertfordshire	Historic Landfill		
2	Ickleford-Near Hitchin, Hertfordshire	Historic Landfill		
3	Maydencroft Manor-Gosmore, Hitchin	Historic Landfill		
4	Maydencroft Manor-Gosmore, Hitchin	Historic Landfill		
5	Maydencroft Manor-Gosmore, Hitchin	Historic Landfill		
6	Maydencroft Manor-Gosmore, Hitchin	Historic Landfill		
7	Maydencroft Manor-Gosmore, Hitchin	Historic Landfill		
8	Wallace Way-Hitchin, Hertfordshire	Historic Landfill		
9	Cadwell Lane-Hitchin, Hertfordshire	Historic Landfill		
10	Land off Cadwell lane-Hitchin, Hertfordshire	Historic Landfill		

Maps Coal Mining



This map displays nearby coal mine entrances and their classifications.



Mine Entry

- × Adit
- X Gutter Pit
- × Shaft

The Coal Authority has records of over 175,000 mine entries within the UK captured in the National Coal Mining database, derived from sources including abandonment plans, geological and topographical plans.

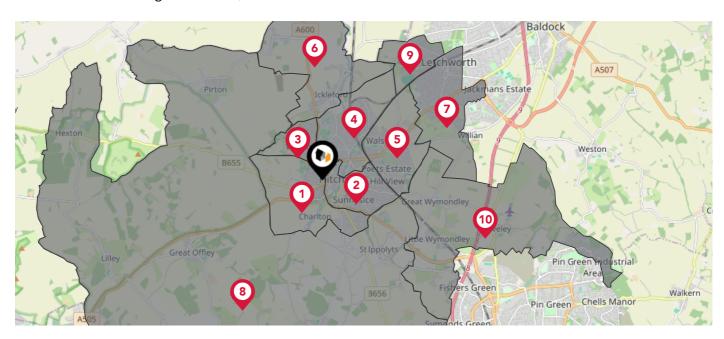
Coal mining activity is recorded as far back as the 13th century, but prior to 1872 there was no requirement to deposit abandonment plans. It is therefore believed there may be many unrecorded mine entries of which the Authority has no information or knowledge. These entries do not, therefore, appear within the Authority's national dataset as shown on this map.



Council Wards



The UK is divided into wards that are used for local elections to elect local government councillors. Sometimes these are known as 'electoral divisions'. Population counts can vary substantially between wards, but the national average is about 5,500



Nearby Council Wards			
1	Hitchin Priory Ward		
2	Hitchin Highbury Ward		
3	Hitchin Oughton Ward		
4	Hitchin Bearton Ward		
5	Hitchin Walsworth Ward		
6	Cadwell Ward		
7	Letchworth South West Ward		
3	Hitchwood, Offa and Hoo Ward		
9	Letchworth Wilbury Ward		
10	Chesfield Ward		

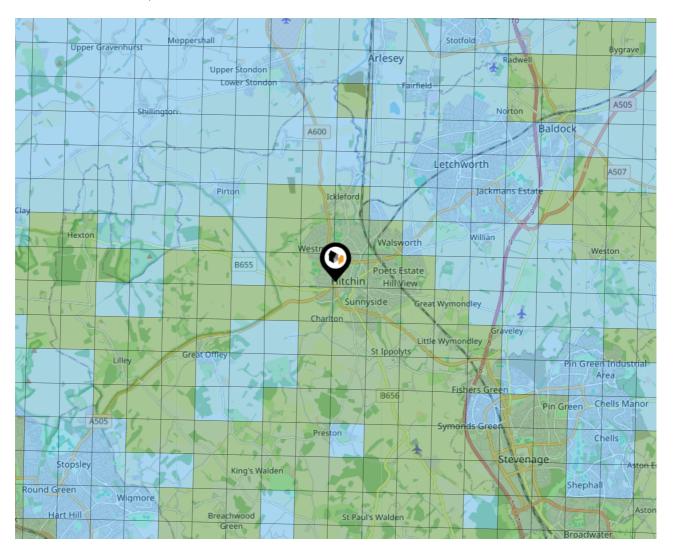
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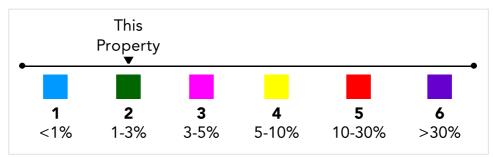
Radon Gas



What is Radon?

Radon is a natural radioactive gas, which enters buildings from the ground. Exposure to high concentrations increases the risk of lung cancer. The UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) recommends that radon levels should be reduced in homes where the annual average is at or above 200 becquerels per cubic metre (200 Bq/m3).







Environment

Soils & Clay



Ground Composition for this Address (Surrounding square kilometer zone around property)

Carbon Content: HIGH Soil Texture: CHALKY CLAY TO CHALKY

Parent Material Grain: ARGILLIC LOAM

Soil Group: MEDIUM TO LIGHT(SILTY) Soil Depth: DEEP-INTERMEDIATE

TO HEAVY



Primary Classifications (Most Common Clay Types)

C/M Claystone / Mudstone

FPC,S Floodplain Clay, Sand / Gravel

FC,S Fluvial Clays & Silts

FC,S,G Fluvial Clays, Silts, Sands & Gravel

PM/EC Prequaternary Marine / Estuarine Clay / Silt

QM/EC Quaternary Marine / Estuarine Clay / Silt

RC Residual Clay

RC/LL Residual Clay & Loamy Loess

RC,S River Clay & Silt

RC,FS Riverine Clay & Floodplain Sands and Gravel
RC,FL Riverine Clay & Fluvial Sands and Gravel

TC Terrace Clay

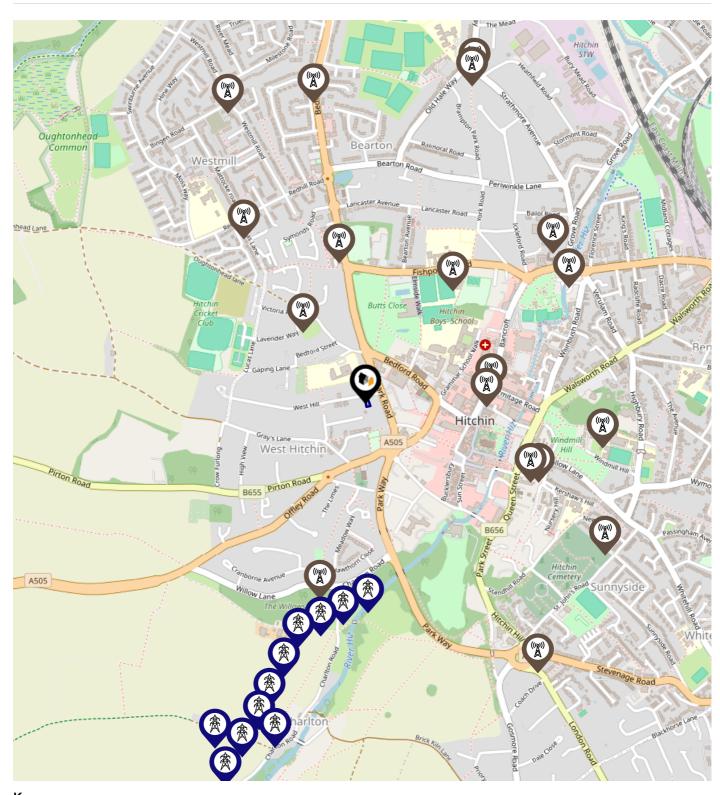
TC/LL Terrace Clay & Loamy Loess



Local Area

Masts & Pylons





Key:

Power Pylons

Communication Masts



Maps

Listed Buildings



This map displays nearby listed buildings and protected structures, as well as their listed tier and distance from the target property...



Listed B	uildings in the local district	Grade	Distance
	1102159 - Number 42 (lewesford House) And Front Gate And Railings To Number 42	Grade II	0.1 miles
m ²	1173822 - Number 43 (elm Lodge) And Front Railings To Number 43	Grade II	0.1 miles
(m) 3	1102179 - Hitchin Museum	Grade II	0.1 miles
(m) ⁽⁴⁾	1347586 - Number 41 (former Coach House To Number 42)	Grade II	0.1 miles
(m) (5)	1102184 - Entrance Block At North Hertfordshire And South Bedfordshire Hospital	Grade II	0.1 miles
6	1102117 - Gateway To Baptist Chapel	Grade II	0.1 miles
(m) ⁽⁷⁾	1394494 - Town Hall	Grade II	0.2 miles
(m) ⁽⁸⁾	1102214 - 6-8, Bancroft	Grade II	0.2 miles
(m) 9	1102122 - 81 And 82, Tilehouse Street	Grade II	0.2 miles
(m)	1102157 - 29, Tilehouse Street	Grade II	0.2 miles

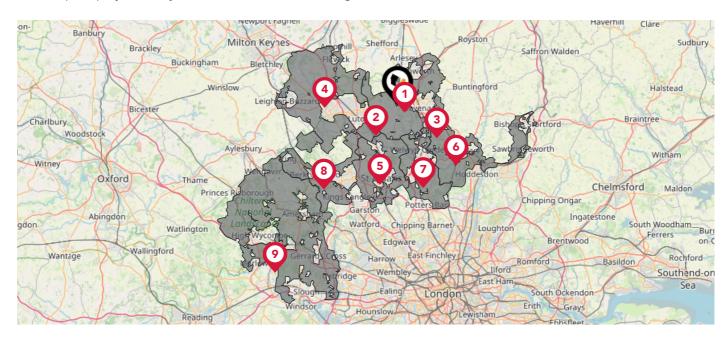


Maps

Green Belt



This map displays nearby areas that have been designated as Green Belt...



Nearby Green Belt Land				
1	London Green Belt - North Hertfordshire			
2	London Green Belt - Luton			
3	London Green Belt - Stevenage			
4	London Green Belt - Central Bedfordshire			
5	London Green Belt - St Albans			
6	London Green Belt - East Hertfordshire			
7	London Green Belt - Welwyn Hatfield			
3	London Green Belt - Dacorum			
9	London Green Belt - Buckinghamshire			

Schools





		Nursery	Primary	Secondary	College	Private
1	Samuel Lucas Junior Mixed and Infant School Ofsted Rating: Outstanding Pupils: 420 Distance:0.16		\checkmark			
2	Hitchin Boys' School Ofsted Rating: Outstanding Pupils: 1317 Distance:0.25			\checkmark		
3	Wilshere-Dacre Junior Academy Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 267 Distance: 0.33		\checkmark			
4	York Road Nursery School Ofsted Rating: Outstanding Pupils: 107 Distance:0.51	V				
5	Highbury Infant School and Nursery Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 204 Distance: 0.54		\checkmark			
6	Oughton Primary and Nursery School Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 218 Distance: 0.57					
7	Hitchin Girls' School Ofsted Rating: Outstanding Pupils: 1355 Distance:0.62			∀		
8	St Andrew's Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School, Hitchin Ofsted Rating: Outstanding Pupils: 252 Distance:0.82					

Schools





		Nursery	Primary	Secondary	College	Private
9	Strathmore Infant and Nursery School Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 199 Distance: 0.86		✓			
10	Whitehill Junior School Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 240 Distance: 0.88		\checkmark			
11	The Priory School Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 1231 Distance:0.91			\checkmark		
12	Our Lady Catholic Primary School Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 154 Distance:1.05		✓			
13	William Ransom Primary School Ofsted Rating: Outstanding Pupils: 422 Distance:1.07		✓			
14	Kingshott School Ofsted Rating: Not Rated Pupils: 400 Distance:1.32			\checkmark		
1 5	Highover Junior Mixed and Infant School Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 428 Distance: 1.39		✓			
16)	Mary Exton Primary School Ofsted Rating: Good Pupils: 181 Distance:1.41		✓			

Transport (National)





National Rail Stations

Pin	Name	Distance
•	Hitchin Rail Station	0.91 miles
2	Letchworth Rail Station	3.13 miles
3	Stevenage Rail Station	4.65 miles



Trunk Roads/Motorways

Pin	Name	Distance
1	A1(M) J8	3.09 miles
2	A1(M) J9	3.54 miles
3	A1(M) J7	5.4 miles
4	A1(M) J10	5.5 miles
5	A1(M) J6	8.99 miles



Airports/Helipads

Pin	Name	Distance
1	Luton Airport	6.21 miles
2	Heathrow Airport	33.64 miles
3	Stansted Airport	23.67 miles
4	Silvertown	34.01 miles



Transport (Local)





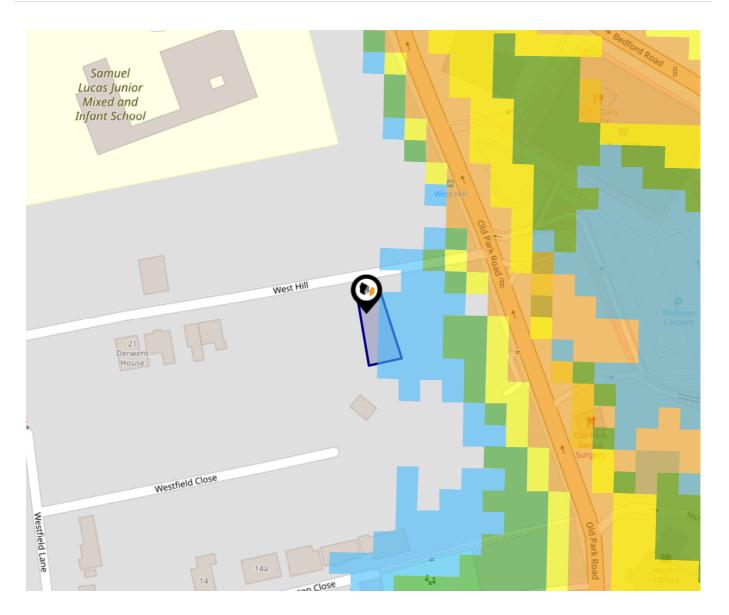
Bus Stops/Stations

Pin	Name	Distance
(West Hill	0.04 miles
2	Waitrose	0.11 miles
3	Grammar School Walk	0.14 miles
4	Moormead Close	0.3 miles
5	Bancroft	0.26 miles

Local Area

Road Noise





This data indicates the level of noise according to the strategic noise mapping of road sources within areas with a population of at least 100,000 people (agglomerations) and along major traffic routes. This indicates a 24 hour annual average noise level with separate weightings for the evening and night periods.

Noise levels are modelled on a 10m grid at a receptor height of 4m above ground, polygons are then produced by merging neighbouring cells within the following noise classes:

75.0+ dB

70.0-74.9 dB

65.0-69.9 dB

60.0-64.9 dB

55.0-59.9 dB

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