

Hertfordshire Internet Connectivity Service (HICS)

The next generation connectivity service for Hertfordshire schools



HICS Network Status during the Migration Period

As the migration to the new HICS network is carried out, some of the new enhanced features will take a while to become operational, all features will be online and functional by the end of January 2018, please see below for a breakdown of these.

VRF Delivery

Available day 1:

- Curriculum VRF
- Raw VRF
- Transparent/BYOD VRF
- Migration of inter-site access (VRF Based - where it exists)

Will be available:

- Transparent/BYOD User Based Filtering
- Firewallled/unfiltered VRF
- QoS Policies

Firewall

Available day 1:

- Firewall rule migration
- Base IPS/AV/Antimalware
- Migration of inter-site access (FW based)

Will be available:

- Self Service firewall
- Individual virtual firewalls

Filtering

Available day 1:

- RM SafetyNet Filtering
- WF1-5 proxy addresses
- Transparent filtering
- Standard access to RM SafetyNet logs and reports through existing UI

Will be available:

- User Based Filtering
- Support with setting up Active Directory Sync (will be part of UBF support)

DNS & Other Services

Available day 1:

- DNS Hosting and Transition
- DNS Resolution
- NTP
- SSL Remote Access (SSLConnect)

Will be available:

- Self Service DNS
- Two factor authentication for SSL Remote Access