# Quick guide to maps for planning applications

A planning map is used when you're making a planning application. Location plans, site / block plans are essential items if you're submitting documents for planning permission, listed buildings, conservation area consent, prior notification applications, or land registration applications. Sometimes, planning maps are needed for connecting utilities and license applications.

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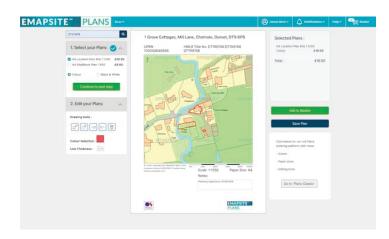
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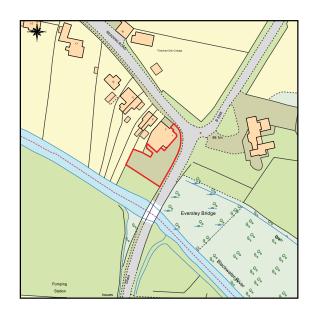
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# Quick guide to location plans

## What is a location plan?

A location plan is the 'where is it?' aspect of a planning application. Location plans explain where a development is planned and include a large area around the site. Usually, they're created at a scale of 1:1250.



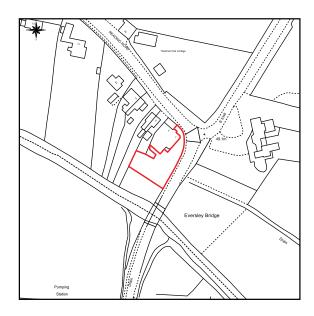
Example: Location Plan at 1:1250 Scale (4 hectare)

# What is a location plan used for?

A plan at 1:1250 scale in PDF format tailored for submitting to your local authority for a range of planning applications.

A location plan helps to explain the wider impact of a proposed development, on the area or location in question.

If a planning authority asks for both a block plan and a site plan, or a location plan and a site plan, then they're looking for two different views of the area. A location plan shows the area around the development, with details further out than the immediate boundaries.



Example: Black & White Location Plan at 1:1250 Scale (4 hectare)

### What should a location plan show?

Location plans show roads that are nearby, other buildings, and other properties and parcels of land in the area. They'll usually include the site at a scale of 1:1250 and the precise position of the building, any other structures inside the boundaries, other land owned by the same person, and details such as car parking.

## Site plans vs. Location plans vs. Floor plans

SITE / BLOCK PLANS	LOCATION PLANS	FLOOR PLANS
Site plans (also known as block plans) show the land that's involved in a planning application, and how a building relates to the physical boundary lines.	A location plan shows where you're proposing to develop land or buildings in relation to other surrounding properties and parcels of land.	A site plan is a view from above of the entire property, while a floor plan shows the building's footprint and includes the interior walls and features.

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