

Pimperne Neighbourhood Plan

Landscape and Natural/Historic Environment Summary

Q1 Landmarks which contribute to the character/identity of the Parish

Church	78	63%
Anvil	41	33%
Area outside church	32	26%
Pimperne Long Barrow	24	20%
Village shop	21	17%
Farquarson Arms	19	15%
Stream	19	15%
Willow trees	13	11%
Village Hall	12	10%
Old flint buildings	12	10%
Stone cross	11	9%

Those with less than 9% noted in Appendix A

Q2 Possible use of the present school field for recreation

Village fete	25	20%
Seating area	21	17%
Children's play equipment	17	14%
Village functions	16	13%
Nature reserve	11	9%
Open field	10	8%
Tennis Courts	10	8%
Sporting events	9	7%
Family play area	9	7%
Picnic Area	7	6%

Those with less than 6% noted in Appendix B

Q3 Green spaces deemed important

Not specific	30	24%
School field	27	22%
Field behind church	20	16%
Stud Farm walk	9	7%
Sports Field	7	6%

Those with less than 6% noted in Appendix C

Q4 Areas for Tree Planting

School Field	26	21%
No more trees	15	12%
Anywhere	14	11%
New school area	12	10%

Those with less than 10% noted in Appendix D

Q5 If available would you use an allotment

Yes	22	19%
No	97	79%
Other		2%

Q6 Natural Environment, how important are the following

	Very		A little		Not at all	
Pimperne stream	102	83%	16	13%	1	<1%
Willows	89	72%	21	17%	7	6%
Footpaths	116	94%	5	4%		
Hedgerows	111	90%	7	6%	1	<1%
Existing woodland	116	94%	5	4%		
Uninterrupted views	116	94%	6	5%	1	<1%

Appendix A - Landmarks with less than 9%

New school, Manor House, Church Rd, The Old Rectory	9	7%
Old school, Sports Field, Pimperne Wood	7	6%
School field	6	5%
Walks	5	3%
Cricket pavilion	4	3%
Manor Farm Close, Thatched buildings, Churchyard,		
Old Bakery, playgrounds, old walls, Stud Farm	3	2%
Fairfield House, Old Chapel, countryside, views,		
Red telephone box, lanes, play park bridge over A354	2	2%

Less than 1%: Copper beech tree, Old school for pre/school, Field above church, Water Tower, Five ways, Plaques on buildings, Ryland room, Paul Baker lane, Berkley House, Footpaths, Arlecks lane, Reading room, Old forge, Down Rd, Church Tower

Appendix B - School field use with less than 6%

Shrub or Flower beds/garden	6	5%
Toilets, Allotments, outdoor gym	5	4%
Sports/clubs, car boot sales	4	3%
Trees planted, dog free	3	2%
No building, Memorial park, Boundary trees, Football pitch, Pre-school	2	2%

Less than 1%: Pre-school in old school, Walking area, Open air cinema, B.B.Qs, Allow camping, Hire out for events, Allow dogs, Running track, Church fete, Street parties, Rounders pitch, Build homes, Preserve old tennis court, Maze, Flower show, Solar farm for village, Bowling green (English), Bowling green (French), Multi use, No building

Appendix C – Green spaces deemed important with less than 6%

Church yard, Play areas	5	4%
Pimperne wood	4	3%
Field to R.H. side Manor Close, N.E. of Franwell Ind. Estate, Alongside A354	3	2%
Footpaths	2	1%

Less than 1%: Fields by Old Bakery Close, None all built on, Play area by village Hall, St. Peters Close green, Letton Park, Newfields, End of Chapel Lane, Stream, Portman Rd. Green, Arleck's Lane, Church Rd. to New School

Appendix D – Areas for tree planting with less than 10%

Down Rd., Along Salisbury Rd	3	2%
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Sports Field, Portman Rd., Outside church	2	1%
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Less than 1%: Around new water pump, St Peters Close, 50 Salisbury Rd., By side Roads, Arlecks Lane, Blandford by-pass, Stourpaine Cross Roads, Large play areas, Only replace dead trees, Estate, Church Road, Manor Farm dairy