



Castle Cary and Ansford

Let us know your views!

Castle Cary and Ansford should be identified as a **Market Town** because:

- ✓ It provides extensive services and a cultural centre with public facilities (sports centre, library, doctors' surgery) serving the town and a wide range of surrounding villages
- ✓ It has a secondary school serving the town and a big rural catchment area
- ✓ It is a strong employment centre with a range of employers and an industrial estate
- ✓ It has a mainline railway station and a range of transport links locally, to London and the South West

CURRENT ISSUES

- Traffic and parking congestion
- Needs more family and young people's housing
- Growth needed to maintain vital services.
- Needs more job opportunities

STRENGTHS

- Good range of shops and services
- Attractive, historical centre draws in visitors
- High quality landscape
- Strong employment centre
- Well connected by road and rail

Vision for 2026:

- Up to 500 new homes (238 of these already allocated).
- Growth will protect the shopping centre and facilities.
- Job opportunities will be increased by the development of new employment land of up to 3 hectares.

Do you agree that Castle Cary and Ansford is a Market Town?

Do you agree with the level and type of growth being planned?

Have we got this right? Have we got this wrong? If so, please tell us why.

We need your views

