

Chestfield Neighbourhood Plan

The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 - Regulation 16

The Chestfield Parish Council has prepared a draft Neighbourhood Plan for the parish and we want to hear your views.

This is an important stage of the Chestfield Neighbourhood Plan as the comments you make now will be sent to an independent examiner who will examine the plan.

Information about the Neighbourhood Plan process and its key stages can be found at **www.gov.uk/guidance/neighbourhood-planning--2**

You can read the plan and supporting documents at **canterbury.gov.uk/consultations** where you can also respond to the consultation by completing the online version of this questionnaire.

Comments must be received **by 5pm on 10 June 2026**.

Please note that comments received cannot be treated as confidential as the council is required to submit them to the examiner and make them public.

Questions that must be answered are marked with an asterisk (*)

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About you

Your name: *

Business or organisation name (if applicable):

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Your address: *

Your postcode: *

Your email address:

Your telephone number:

Please tick if you would like to be notified of the next stages of the Neighbourhood Plan following this consultation

Most Neighbourhood Plan examinations do not require a public hearing. However, if the examiner decides to hold a public hearing, please indicate whether or not you would like to participate. They will then inform you if they need you to attend.

- Yes, I wish to participate in a hearing if one is arranged
- No, I do not wish to participate in a hearing if one is arranged

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the plan's overall vision?
* Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

1a. Do you have any other comments on the plan's overall vision?
If so, please write in below

2. Which part/s of the Chestfield Neighbourhood Plan would you like to comment on? * Please tick all that apply (*Please note that questions on policies related to each objective will be found within each section*)

- Spatial strategy: Please go to *Section 1*
- Housing and good design: Please go to *Section 2*
- Drainage and sewerage infrastructure: Please go to *Section 3*
- Public rights of way, promoted routes and cycleways: Please go to *Section 4*
- Unadopted roads: Please go to *Section 5*
- Biodiversity: Please go to *Section 6*
- Inclusive streetscapes and active design: Please go to *Section 7*
- Local green spaces: Please go to *Section 8*

Section 1 - Spatial strategy

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in 'Spatial Strategy'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

- 1a. Why? Please write in below

2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy S1: Spatial Strategy: Location of Development? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

- 2a. Why? Please write in below

Section 2 - Housing - including Housing Needs Survey and rural exception site(s)

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Objective 'Housing - including Housing Needs Survey and rural exception site(s)'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

1a. Why? Please write in below

2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy H1: Future Housing? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

2a. Why? Please write in below

3. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy H2: Good Quality Design? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

3a. Why? Please write in below

4. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy H3: Rural Exception Sites? *

Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

4a. Why? Please write in below

Section 3 - Drainage and sewerage infrastructure

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Objective 'Drainage and Sewerage Infrastructure'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

1a. Why? Please write in below

2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy D1 Surface Water Runoff Flood Management? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

2a. Why? Please write in below

3. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy D2 - Sustainable Drainage Systems (SuDS)? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

3a. Why? Please write in below

4. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy D3 Foul Drainage? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

4a. Why? Please write in below

5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy D4 Flood Risk? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

5a. Why? Please write in below

Section 4 - Public rights of way, promoted routes and cycleways

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Objective 'Public rights of way, promoted routes and cycleways'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

1a. Why? Please write in below

2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy C1? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

2a. Why? Please write in below

3. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy C2? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

3a. Why? Please write in below

Section 5 - Unadopted roads

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Objective 'Unadopted roads'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

1a. Why? Please write in below

2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy U2? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

2a. Why? Please write in below

Section 6 - Biodiversity policy

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Objective 'Biodiversity policy'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

1a. Why? Please write in below

2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy B1: Connectivity? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

2a. Why? Please write in below

3. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy B2: Habitat Creation? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

3a. Why? Please write in below

4. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy B3: Impacts on Wildlife? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

4a. Why? Please write in below

Section 7 - Inclusive streetscapes and active design

- 1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Objective 'Inclusive streetscapes and active design'?** * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

- 1a. Why?** Please write in below

- 2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy AD1: Inclusive Streetscapes?** * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

- 2a. Why?** Please write in below

- 3. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Policy AD2: Active Design Principles?** * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

3a. Why? Please write in below

Section 8 – Local green spaces assessment and designation

1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed approach set out in Objective 'Local green spaces assessment and designation'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

1a. Why? Please write in below

2. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS1 – Molehill Road Village Green'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

2a. Why? Please write in below

3. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS2 – Radfall Recreation Ground'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

3a. Why? Please write in below

4. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS3 – Chestfield Road Play Area and Park'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

4a. Why? Please write in below

5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS4 - Whitstable Rugby Football Club'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

5a. Why? Please write in below

6. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS5 - Chestfield Cricket Club'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

6a. Why? Please write in below

7. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS6 - St Joseph's Catholic Church lawns (front and back)? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

7a. Why? Please write in below

8. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS7 Fairlawn green'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

8a. Why? Please write in below

9. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS8 Green Leas green'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

9a. Why? Please write in below

10. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS9 Swalecliffe Brook/rear of Shepherds Walk'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

10a. Why? Please write in below

11. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS10 Grasmere Gardens'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

11a. Why? Please write in below

12. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS11 Churchwood Park, Kendal Meadow Toddler Play Area (North end)'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

12a. Why? Please write in below

13. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS12 Churchwood Park, Kendal Meadow Junior Play Area (South end)'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

13a. Why? Please write in below

14. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed designation of 'LGS13 Birkdale and Carnoustie Close community parkland'? * Please tick one box only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tend to agree | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongly disagree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neither agree nor disagree | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |

14a. Why? Please write in below

Any other comments

1. **Do you have any other comments on the Chestfield Neighbourhood Plan?** If so, please write in below