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Campaign to Protect  
Rural England  
Gloucestershire

# CPRE Gloucestershire Awards



## Categories and criteria information

The following information must be read prior to submitting a nomination. Reference to this information sheet will be required when completing our online nomination form.

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## Award categories

Our Awards scheme includes four entry categories. Nominated projects must fall into at least one of these categories. A single nomination may cover multiple categories:

- A. Well-considered buildings; new restored or converted
- B. Innovative use of natural resources, including land and water
- C. Projects developed by or for the local community
- D. Projects responding to the challenge of climate change

Please note that there is not a dedicated Award for each category - multiple projects may be recognised within the same category in the year.

## Award criteria

### General criteria

The following general criteria applies to all four categories listed above:

- All projects considered for an Award should involved improvements to the rural environment, whether natural or built
- Projects should demonstrate sustainability in their construction, use and management
- Projects should be visible from public places

Innovation in achieving these criteria will be particularly welcome. Public, private, commercial and partnership projects are welcome.

### Category-specific criteria

#### A: Well-considered buildings

- New buildings must be appropriate to their setting
- Restoration projects must respect the integrity of the original building
- Building conservation projects must demonstrate sensitivity to historical practice in design and construction

**B: Innovative use of natural resources** - the project must involve one or more of the following:

- Enhanced biodiversity
- Improved public access whilst safeguarding the natural environment
- Improvement in appearance of the locality
- Increased learning opportunities

**C: Projects developed by or for the local community**

- Wide community involvement
- Improvement to the provision of facilities for the community

**D: Projects responding to the challenge of climate change**

- Projects helping to reduce greenhouse gas emissions
- Projects reflecting the need to adapt to climate change impacts