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# Local Heritage Listing Project

We are the Greater Manchester Archaeological Advisory Service (or GMAAS) and we work with local councils in Greater Manchester to help protect archaeological sites, historic landscapes and buildings.

We are currently running the Greater Manchester Local Heritage List Project, where we identify and make a list of the heritage assets (old buildings, landscapes and archaeological sites) that matter to local people. When these things have been added to **the local list**, the council has more power to protect them from demolition or bad development schemes.

To qualify to be entered onto **the local list** the heritage asset cannot already be a listed building, registered park or garden or scheduled monument and has to meet at least one of the following criteria:

- The heritage asset is linked to an important local historic person or event.
- The heritage asset can tell us something about how the local area developed in the past.
- The heritage asset still has a lot of its original parts such as windows, doors and decorative details.
- The heritage asset is important to the local community because it has been used by them for years.
- The heritage asset is linked to other historic places and together these historic things form a group (like a group of farm buildings and a farmhouse or a large mill and all of the mill workers housing that surrounds it).
- The asset stands out from other things on the street and is a landmark.

We are asking local residents in your borough to nominate the heritage assets that matter to them, and we want to know what you think. We are asking this question....

***“Which heritage assets matter to you and why?”***

You can choose how you give us your opinion. Fill in a field investigation form or carry out one of the heritage challenges. Ask your teacher to send your work to us at [i.f.miller@salford.ac.uk](mailto:i.f.miller@salford.ac.uk).



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