iShare Web Map Guide



iShare can be accessed by following this link via a web browser <u>http://services.maidstone.gov.uk/maps/astun.ishare.web/mymaidstone.aspx</u>

Map Categories

If you cannot see the Map Categories overlay then you will need to click on the 'Show side panel' button, or the grey arrow in the top left hand corner.

Hide side panel Reset

Show Map	
Map Categories	
Council and Democracy	0/5
Play Areas	0/1
Heritage and Landscape	0/5
Recycling Sites	0/1
COVID-19	0/4
Dog Control PSPO	0/4
Planning	0/1

Once open, the panel will display a list of categories that are available to view.

If you wish to hide the panel, click the same button as before which now reads *'Hide side panel'*, or the same grey arrow in the corner of the map.

Click on 'Show Map' for further map options.

Choose which one you would like to view to open a different list of map layers.



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Map Categories

Clicking on the names in the list will expand or collapse the categories of data to allow the user to view the individual layers.

Use the tick boxes to the right to turn the layers on or off.

When the layers have been switched on, the legend will appear to show what format and colour the information will be displayed as on the map.

Use the 'Reset' button above the panel if you wish to clear the map of all layers quickly and start again. Go back to 'My Maps' in the tabbed list of options.

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Parking Council

Play Areas My Maps

Search for a location

Search for a location:



The search bar sits above the map. This is the gazetteer of addresses for registered properties within Maidstone Borough Council.

Click the box where it says '*Postcode/house number*' and begin typing the address.

Search results will begin to appear as you type.

If the desired result is not in the initial list, click 'Show more results'. Click 'Next' to scroll through the options.

Click on the address for the map to move.

To search for another address, click the 'Find' button.

Current address Maidstone Borough Council, Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone, Kent, ME15 6JQ Find

Navigating the map



Click on the up, down, left and right triangles at the top of the Navigation Tool to move the map up, down, left and right respectively.

You can also use the arrows on your keyboard to move around the map.

If you click on the plus + sign at the top of the vertical slider you will zoom in and clicking on the minus - sign at the bottom will zoom out.

Alternatively you can click on the slider handle in the middle and drag it up or down to zoom in and out.

You can also use the scroll bar on your mouse to zoom in and out.

The Ordnance Survey background maps will change in appearance depending on your scale or zoom level.

You can also change the maps to be in colour, black & white or show the aerial photography.



Information



Each layer that is shown on the map holds a variety of information about the area it covers.

Click any layer on the map to see a pop up window. This will show the user the layers that are associated with that area on the map, as well as the information held about it.

Please note that only the layers which have been turned on will be shown in the pop up window.

Use the scroll bars to see all the information about each individual layer at that point.

To close the window, click the small red x in the top right hand corner.