

Local History

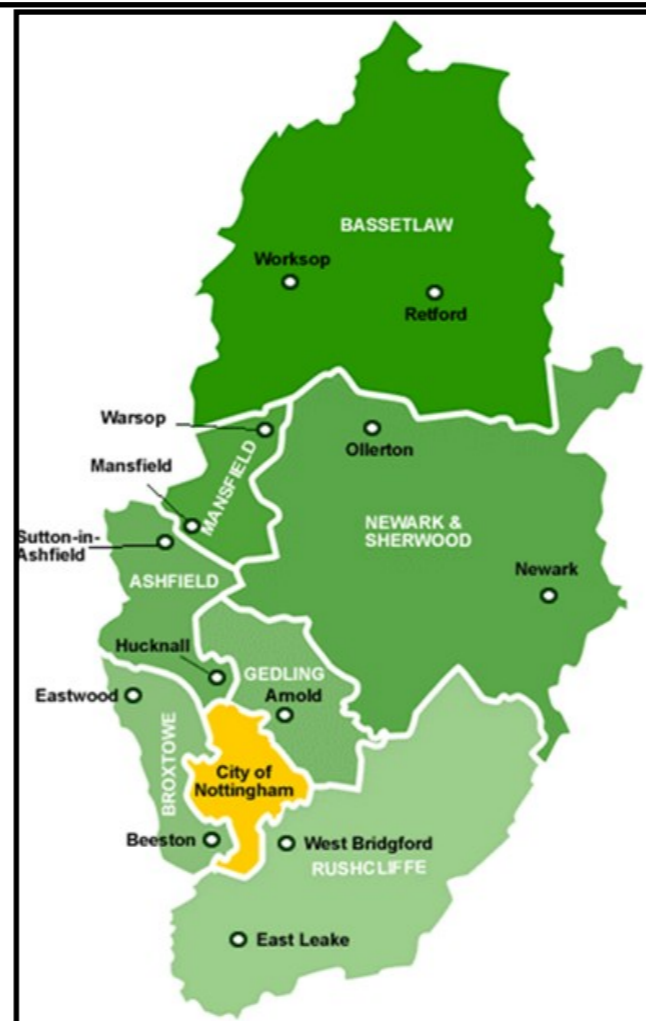
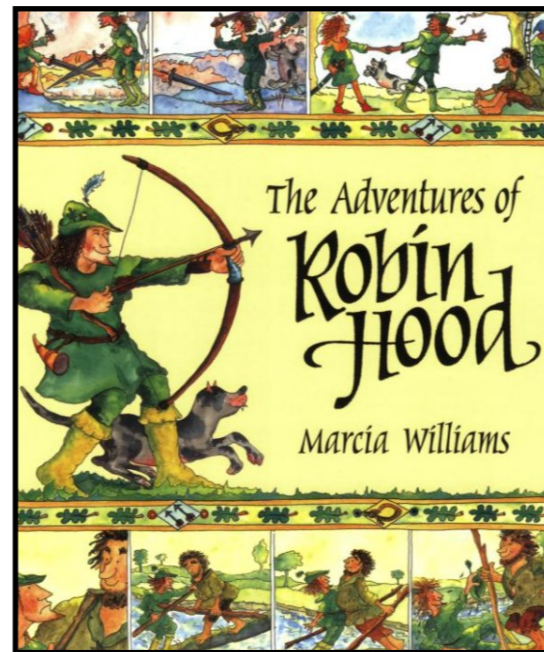
Why should we preserve our locality?

Vocabulary

Building	A structure with a roof and walls, such as a house or factory.
Local	A particular region or part
Protected	Preserved from harm, especially by means of formal or legal measures
Campaign	Work in an organised and active way towards a particular goal
Nottinghamshire	A county in the Midlands of England famous for its coal mining industry.
Listed Building	A protected building which is celebrated because of its special architectural and historic interest.



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Key knowledge

Nottinghamshire

Nottinghamshire is a county in the East Midlands region of England, bordering South Yorkshire to the north-west, Lincolnshire to the east, Leicestershire to the south, and Derbyshire to the west. Within the Nottinghamshire county lies a town named Mansfield.

Mansfield is a large market town. The town lies in the Maun Valley, 12 miles north of Nottingham, and is near Sutton-in-Ashfield. Most of the 106,556 population live in the town itself (including Mansfield Woodhouse).

Mansfield is the one local authority in Nottinghamshire with a publicly elected mayor.

Listed Buildings

Listed buildings have been placed on the National Heritage List for England.

The older a building is, the more likely it is to be listed. Usually, a building needs to be at least 30 years old to be listed.

All buildings built before 1700, and most of those built between 1700 and 1840 which are close to their original design and condition, are listed.

Anyone can nominate a building to be listed, and this nomination goes to Historic England for consideration.