

Criteria for Towns and Villages

Socio – Economic

Population
Unemployment levels
Urban/rural

Facilities

Local secondary schools
Cultural
Library
Leisure Centres
Youth centres
Railway station/main line
CCTV

Hospitality

Trade
Restaurant numbers/fast food outlets
Night time economy

Travel

Public transport
Personal transport
Traffic flows

The group also considered issues such as whether or not the town/village was a tourist destination, dormitory town or market town.