

## *The Town of Ludlow*



Our engaged and enthusiastic children are drawn mainly from the beautiful and historic town of Ludlow and its rural surroundings. Most children walk to school, which is itself a blessing, and can do so knowing that it is a safe, caring community, that has its children at its heart, with many activities for its young people, especially in terms of sport and the arts.

Ludlow is a small, market town at the centre of magnificent, unspoilt hill country. From its ancient Castle to its peaceful back streets,

exploring Ludlow is a real pleasure. A lively friendly feel combines with over 900 years of history; with many cafes, bars, shops and fascinating architecture and greenery all round, a visit to Ludlow will not disappoint. Ludlow's daily life is considerably enriched throughout the year by a series of festivals, fairs and carnivals, many set against the backdrop of Ludlow Castle. One of Ludlow's strengths is its wide and varied range of individual shops, mostly independently owned, including traditional family businesses where shopping for food, clothing, crafts, gifts, antiques, art, books and many specialist products is an enjoyable voyage of discovery.

There are currently several restaurants in or near Ludlow with entries in the current Michelin Guide. And this statistic is not just confined to Michelin. The AA Restaurant Guild and the Which? Good Food Guide show the same conclusions. Ludlow offers a wide variety of restaurants, cafes, and pub food, afternoon teas as well as foreign cuisine from India, China, Thailand and Japan.



Ludlow and the surrounding south Shropshire countryside is an ideal cycling and walking area. The beautiful hilly countryside which includes the Shropshire Hills Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty has many quiet country lanes, forest areas and planned routes to suit cyclists and walkers of all abilities.

For further information regarding Ludlow, why not visit [Ludlow.org.uk](http://Ludlow.org.uk), or, even better, visit the town yourself.