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Tender

St Gregory's Catholic College - Catering Tender

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Scope

Description

St Gregory's Catholic College (Bath) is seeking a professional catering service provider to manage their student catering service at the school.

Total value (estimated)

- £1,500,000 excluding VAT
- £1,800,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 September 2026 to 31 August 2029
- Possible extension to 31 August 2031

- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

Two x one year (twelve month) extensions.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 55524000 - School catering services

Contract locations

- UKK1 - Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Bristol/Bath area

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

31 January 2026, 12:00pm

Submission type

Requests to participate

Deadline for requests to participate

6 February 2026, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://bidiful-teamportal.app/p/aceadvice.>

Once you have expressed interest you will be issued a log-in to the Bidiful Portal where you can download all documents and upload your tender response.

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Suppliers to be invited to tender

4 to 6 suppliers

Selection criteria:

Tenders are evaluated and scored. Selection will be based on the written and financial evaluation and after a moderation meeting with the client.

Award decision date (estimated)

1 June 2026

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Quality	The quality evaluation is based on the caterers response to the tender questions.	Quality	70%
Price	The caterers response to a financial submission	Price	30%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Competitive flexible procedure

Competitive flexible procedure description

The Competitive Flexible Procedure will consist of two distinct stages, allowing for an initial assessment of interested suppliers.

Suppliers will be evaluated against the specific objectives of the new contract through the following stages:

- Selection Stage and Shortlisting
- Invitation to Tender (ITT) and Shortlisting for Presentation

The evaluation of the shortlisting process will be based on the information submitted by the bidding companies. This information will be moderated following the submission of the written statements, the presentations and the checking of supplier references.

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://bidiful-teamportal.app/p/aceadvice>

The bidders are given access the ACE Bidiful Portal where they can download the specific tender documents.

Contracting authority

Saint Gregory's Catholic College

- UK Register of Learning Providers (UKPRN number): 10017344
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PTGV-7262-DLQH

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

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