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#### Tender

# DfE Registered Alternative Education Provision Flexible Purchasing System (FPS

Liverpool City Council

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# Section I: Contracting authority

# I.1) Name and addresses

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#### NUTS code

UKD72 - Liverpool

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.liverpool.gov.uk

Buyer's address

http://www.liverpool.gov.uk

# **I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=9a8e325a-fcdfeb11-810d-005056b64545

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=9a8e325a-fcdfeb11-810d-005056b64545

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

# I.5) Main activity

General public services

# Section II: Object

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

# II.1.1) Title

DfE Registered Alternative Education Provision Flexible Purchasing System (FPS

Reference number

#### DN555486

## II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80000000 - Education and training services

# II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

## II.1.4) Short description

The aim of the project is to create the FPS and identify Providers who can deliver excellent alternative provision for the education of pupils at key stage 3, 4 and 5 by offering a flexible response to those not placed in a mainstream or special school.

## II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £11,950,000

# II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

# **II.2) Description**

# II.2.1) Title

Alternative Education

Lot No

1

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80100000 Primary education services
- 80200000 Secondary education services
- 80300000 Higher education services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD72 - Liverpool

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Alternative Education Provision to:

• Provide pupils with a rigorous and high-quality alternative to a mainstream curriculum

• Offer pupils who have previously not thrived in the mainstream system a creative and engaging opportunity to re-join the world of education

• Support and raise the attainment of all pupils to ensure that they achieve at the highest level possible

- Raise the aspirations of pupils
- Support pupils to successful transition to post-16 education, employment, or training

• Provide a tailored education programme for each young person and personal guidance and support

• Offer pupils the opportunity for formal accreditation in several subject areas

• Offer access in the wider curriculum to a range of enrichment activities such as arts, sports, PSHE, work-related learning

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

## 60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

## II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

## II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# **II.2) Description**

#### II.2.1) Title

Alternative Education via Online Learning

Lot No

2

## II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80100000 Primary education services
- 80200000 Secondary education services
- 80300000 Higher education services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD72 - Liverpool

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Online Learning Programmes to:

- Provide a tailored education programme for pupils and personal guidance and support
- Offer the opportunity for externally accredited qualifications in several subject areas

• Be regularly reviewed with the aspiration of pupils transitioning to full time in school provision as soon as possible.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

## II.2.11) Information about options

**Options: No** 

## II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# **II.2) Description**

## II.2.1) Title

Alternative Education for pupils with an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP)

Lot No

3

## II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80100000 Primary education services
- 80200000 Secondary education services
- 80300000 Higher education services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD72 - Liverpool

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

To provide an alternative approach to learning for pupils with an EHCP in key stages 3-5.

Education Programmes to:

- Enable the LA to secure the SEN provision described in the EHCP
- Provide flexible and bespoke provision that is suitable for the young person

• Provide a tailored education programme for each pupil, with personal guidance and support

• Offer the opportunity for externally accredited qualifications in several subject areas

• Be regularly reviewed following the statutory guidance in relation to the annual review of EHCP

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

## II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

#### 60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

## II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

#### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# **II.2) Description**

#### II.2.1) Title

Alternative Education Provision - For pupils with an Education, Health, and Care Plan (EHCP) Delivered Online

Lot No

ЗA

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80100000 Primary education services
- 80200000 Secondary education services
- 80300000 Higher education services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD72 - Liverpool

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

To provide an alternative approach to learning for pupils with an EHCP in key stages 3-5.

Education Programme to:

• Enable the LA to secure the SEN provision described in the EHCP

• Provide flexible and bespoke online learning provision that is suitable for the young person

• Provide a tailored education programme for each pupil, with personal guidance and support

• Offer the opportunity for externally accredited qualifications in several subject areas

• Be regularly reviewed following the statutory guidance in relation to the annual review of EHCP and with the aspiration of pupils transitioning to full time in school provision as soon as possible.

## II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

# II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

## II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

## II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

## II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Additional Support Services

Lot No

4

## II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80100000 Primary education services
- 80200000 Secondary education services
- 80300000 Higher education services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD72 - Liverpool

# II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Some pupils placed or being considered for a place in alternative education may require support in addition to the services provided by Lots 1, 2, 3 and 3A. Liverpool City Council therefore intends to utilise the FPS to commission additional support services which can supplement the provision provided within Lots 1, 2, 3 or 3A or as standalone support for pupils in specific circumstances.

- 1:1 staffing
- 2:1 staffing
- Assessment, advice and training from an educational psychologist
- Assessment, advice and training from a speech and language therapist
- Assessment, advice and training from a specialist sensory occupational therapist
- Counselling

• Tuition on a one-to-one basis, delivered in the home and likely to be for 1-3 hours per day, subject to provision requirements including as part of an engagement offer, prior to a young person attending school on site

• Tuition on a one-to-one basis or in small groups (maximum group size of 3 pupils) face to face at an appropriate, agreed setting for 1 to 3 hours per day

## II.2.5) Award criteria

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## II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

#### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# **Section IV. Procedure**

# **IV.1) Description**

## IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

## IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

# IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

18 March 2022

Local time

4:00pm

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

18 March 2022

Local time

4:00pm

# Section VI. Complementary information

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

The Strand

London

WC1A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

## VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Cabinet Office

70 Whitehall

London

SW1A 2AS

Country

United Kingdom