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# Early Education and Childcare Flexible Framework

**Cumbria County Council** 

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-029d55

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### Section I: Contracting authority/entity

### I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

http://www.cumbria.gov.uk/

## **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Early Education and Childcare Flexible Framework

Reference number

DN325122

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85312110 - Child daycare services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Local authorities have a legislative duty to secure free childcare places for eligible two, three and four year olds. Every child is eligible for up to 570 hours (1140 for families eligible for 30 hours free childcare per academic year over no fewer than 38 weeks and up to 52 weeks of the year.

Local Authorities have a duty to ensure that each child is able to access their free entitlement no later than the beginning of the term following the meeting of the eligibility criteria.

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: 2018/S 038-083062

### Section VII. Changes

#### VII.1.2) Text to be corrected in the original notice

Section number

VI.3

Place of text to be modified

Additional Information

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Text

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The list of placements awarded onto this contract can be found at the following link:

 $\underline{https://cumbria.gov.uk/scprocurement/tenderingandcontracts/tenderingandcontracts.asp}$