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Planning

## **The Seren Academy National Delivery Programme**

Llywodraeth Cymru / Welsh Government

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

C281/2025/2026

### **Description**

The Seren Academy supports the brightest learners in Wales from Year 7 to Year 13, regardless of socioeconomic background, to have the ambition, capability and curiosity to fulfil their potential and excel in their future educational goals at the highest level.

Seren is committed to a learner-centred approach, providing our brightest learners with a comprehensive hybrid programme designed to foster super-curricular engagement and cultivate independent thought, as well as the critical thinking and problem-solving skills, essential for their future success.

The programme provides extra-curricular activities for the four areas of learning: Humanities, Literacy, Languages and Communication, Mathematics and Numeracy, Science and Technology for our pre 16 learners with the addition of social sciences for post 16.

The client aims to appoint a delivery contractor to employ the delivery team and deliver a hybrid programme of information and guidance and academic challenge for our Seren learners.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £10,000,000 excluding VAT
- £12,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 August 2026 to 31 July 2027
- Possible extension to 31 July 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

Option to extend contract by three years in 12 month intervals.

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

## **Contract locations**

- UKL - Wales

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

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## **Submission**

### **Publication date of tender notice (estimated)**

2 March 2026

### **Enquiry deadline**

20 March 2026, 12:00am

### **Tender submission deadline**

27 March 2026, 12:00am

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

The tender will be hosted on eTenderWales - relevant links will be provided on the publication of the relevant UK4 Tender Notice.

## **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

## **Languages that may be used for submission**

- Welsh
- English

## **Award decision date (estimated)**

1 July 2026

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## **Other information**

### **Applicable trade agreements**

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

## **Reduced tendering period**

Yes

Qualifying planned procurement notice - minimum 10 days

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Llywodraeth Cymru / Welsh Government**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQYQ-3841-BHTP

Gwasanaethau Caffael Corfforaethol / Corporate Procurement Services

Cardiff

CF10 3NQ

United Kingdom

Email: [emily.clark002@gov.wales](mailto:emily.clark002@gov.wales)

Website: <http://gov.wales>

Region: UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

Organisation type: Public authority - central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales