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Tender

CN250572 Bikeability Training

Kent County Council

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Scope

Description

Bikeability is the nationally approved cycle training scheme, which is predominantly aimed at school children and offered in every local Council area across England. The delivery of this training has, for many years, been subsidised by a Dept for Transport (DfT) grant, which was allocated to local authorities and school sports partnerships (SGOs).

Bikeability, along with all other DfT Active Travel investment, is now part of the Active Travel England (ATE) portfolio.

ATE's long term aim is for half of all journeys to towns and cities to be walked or cycled by 2030. ATE's remit, and direction, is clearly to support local councils in their active travel ambition and delivery, including training children and adults to cycle safely, and cycle more. The Bikeability Training will be delivered by registered Bikeability Trust suppliers in accordance with the national standard 'Bikeability Delivery Guide' across Kent schools.

Therefore, the Council requires a multi-lot contract split across 8 districts. The lots are split into the following 8 districts:

- Lot 1 - Herne Bay & Whitstable

- Lot 2 - Mid Kent
- Lot 3 - Canterbury
- Lot 4 - Dover
- Lot 5 - Maidstone
- Lot 6 - Swale
- Lot 7 – Gravesham
- Lot 8 – West Kent

Please note that the "Lot Value" specified within this notice is the total funding allocation for the contract (including all extensions). The annual funding allocation for each area has been provided within the procurement documents.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

<https://www.kentbusinessportal.org.uk/tenders/UK-UK-Maidstone:-Education-and-training-services./D2GT9382RD>

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Total value (estimated)

- £885,956 excluding VAT
- £1,063,147.20 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services

Contract locations

- UKJ4 - Kent

Not the same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

Lot 1. Herne Bay & Whitstable

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 1 - Herne Bay & Whitstable can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £82,540 excluding VAT
- £99,048 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

A 12 month extension option is available.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2. Mid Kent

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 2 - Mid Kent can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £170,400 excluding VAT
- £204,480 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027

- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

A 12 month extension option is available.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3. Canterbury

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 3 - Canterbury can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £101,600 excluding VAT
- £121,920 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028

- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

A 12 month extension option is available.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 4. Dover

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 4 - Dover can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £69,440 excluding VAT
- £83,328 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

A 12 month extension option is available.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 5. Maidstone

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 5 - Maidstone can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £145,200 excluding VAT
- £174,240 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

Further Information regarding contract lotting can be found within the procurement documents.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 6. Swale

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 6 - Swale can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £134,376 excluding VAT
- £161,251.20 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

A 12 month extension option is available.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 7. Gravesham

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 7 - Gravesham can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £130,400 excluding VAT
- £156,480 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

A 12 month extension option is available.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 8. West Kent

Description

Further Information regarding Lot 8 - West Kent can be found within the procurement documents.

Lot value (estimated)

- £52,000 excluding VAT
- £62,400 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2027
- Possible extension to 30 April 2028
- 2 years

Description of possible extension:

A 12 month extension option is available.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Participation

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Herne Bay & Whitstable

Lot 2. Mid Kent

Lot 3. Canterbury

Lot 4. Dover

Lot 5. Maidstone

Lot 6. Swale

Lot 7. Gravesham

Lot 8. West Kent

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

6 March 2026, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

16 March 2026, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://www.kentbusinessportal.org.uk/>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

15 April 2026

Award criteria

Name	Type
Criterion 1	Quality

Weighting description

Quality is not the only criteria and all award criterion are stated within the procurement documents.

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Kent County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLDL-8938-YGYW

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