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## **Catering Services OHC&AT 2026**

Orchard Hill College & Academy Trust

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### **Scope**

### **Description**

For Catering Services for Orchard Hill Academy Trust Sites - Brantridge, Carew, Dysart, Link Sites, St Philip's and Unified Academies

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

- £2,493,400 excluding VAT
- £2,992,080 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

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

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

- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

Initial contract term of 3 years with the option to extend by 2 further periods of 12 months

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 55520000 - Catering services

## **Contract locations**

- UK - United Kingdom
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## **Lot 1. Brantridge School**

### **Description**

Catering Service for Brantridge School, Staplefield Place, Staplefield, Haywards Heath RH17 6EQ Specialist primary-aged school for boys aged 6–11, focusing on SEMH and related needs. Estimated lot value based on spend over previous academic year £78,037

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £390,185 excluding VAT
- £468,222 including VAT

### **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Lot 2. Carew Academy**

### **Description**

Catering Services for Carew Academy, 33 Headley Avenue, Wallington, Surrey, SM6 8NQ Specialist academy for pupils aged 7-18 with a wide range of ability levels and additional learning needs, including complex needs. Estimated annual lot value based on last academic years spend £97,663

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £488,315 excluding VAT
- £585,978 including VAT

### **Same for all lots**

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## **Lot 3. Dysart School**

## **Description**

Catering services for Dysart School, 190 Ewell Rd, Surbiton KT6 6HL Specialist school for 180 pupils aged 4 to 19 who have a range of severe and complex learning difficulties. Estimated annual spend is based on the previous academic years spend £73,201

## **Lot value (estimated)**

- £366,005 excluding VAT
- £439,206 including VAT

## **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Lot 4. Link Schools - includes Primary and Secondary**

### **Description**

Catering services for Link Schools - Link Primary, 138 Croydon Rd, Croydon. CR0 4PG. Link Secondary 82-86 Croydon Rd, Croydon. CR0 4PD Specialising in meeting the needs of students who have Speech, Language and Communication difficulties. Estimated annual spend for this lot is calculated on the previous academic years spend - £49073

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £245,365 excluding VAT
- £294,438 including VAT

## **Same for all lots**

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## **Lot 5. St Philip's School**

### **Description**

Catering services for St Philip's School, St Philip's School, Harrow Cl, Chessington KT9 2HR Specialist school with a pupils aged 9 to 19. It serves children with complex autism and other special educational needs. Estimated annual spend for this lot is based on the previous academic years spend £60,233

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £301,165 excluding VAT
- £361,398 including VAT

## **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Lot 6. Unified Academy**

### **Description**

Catering Services for Unified Academy, Chart Ln S, Dorking RH5 4DB Boys aged 9-16 with social, emotional and mental health needs. The estimated annual spend for this lot is based on the previous academic years spend £140,473

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £702,365 excluding VAT
- £842,838 including VAT

### **Same for all lots**

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

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

**Lot 1. Brantridge School**

**Lot 2. Carew Academy**

**Lot 3. Dysart School**

**Lot 4. Link Schools - includes Primary and Secondary**

**Lot 5. St Philip's School**

**Lot 6. Unified Academy**

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

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## **Submission**

## Enquiry deadline

13 March 2026, 4:18pm

## Tender submission deadline

20 March 2026, 4:18pm

## Submission address and any special instructions

Full details about this procurement can be accessed at  
<https://portal.proquero.co.uk/Suppliers/Tenders/Details?id=1038>

## Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

## Languages that may be used for submission

English

## Award decision date (estimated)

14 May 2026

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## Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Price criteria	Price	55%

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<b>Name</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
OHC&AT Requirements & Quality	Quality	25%
Quality -Tasting	Quality	10%
Sustainability & Social Value	Quality	10%

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## **Other information**

### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

### **Justification for not publishing a preliminary market engagement notice**

Please note that OHC&AT have not issued a Preliminary Market Engagement Notice for this contract. This is due to prior understanding that this is a competitive market without any complex tender requirements.

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## **Contracting authority**

## **Orchard Hill College & Academy Trust**

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government