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Planning

## Alternative Education Provision

Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council

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## Scope

## Reference

DN774567

## Description

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The tender opportunity is due to be published on Supplying the Southwest in July 2025.

To register for the market engagement event please send an email to [art.contracts@bcpcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:art.contracts@bcpcouncil.gov.uk) by Monday 9th June 2025, midday with your First and Last Name and organisation name.

Participation or non-participation in this market engagement event shall not prejudice organisations participating in any future procurement process nor is it intended that any information supplied shall place any organisation at an advantage in any forthcoming procurement process.

## **Commercial tool**

Establishes a framework

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 2 January 2026 to 1 January 2036
- 10 years

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

## **Contract locations**

- UKK24 - Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole
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## **Engagement**

### **Engagement deadline**

9 June 2025

### **Engagement process description**

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## **Participation**

## Particular suitability

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

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## Procedure

### Special regime

Light touch

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## Contracting authority

### Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHY-7342-PRHH

BCP Council Civic Centre

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United Kingdom

Email: [procurement@bcpcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@bcpcouncil.gov.uk)

Region: UKK24 - Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government