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Pipeline

Primary Phase Catering 2026

West Sussex County Council

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Scope

Reference

I-50013

Description

To provide a catering service to the primary phase schools

Total value (estimated)

- £150,000,000 excluding VAT
- £180,000,000 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 August 2026 to 31 July 2033
- Possible extension to 31 July 2036
- 10 years

Main category

Services

CPV classifications

- 55524000 - School catering services

Contract locations

- UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

27 June 2025

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Above or below total value threshold

Above or equal to threshold

Contracting authority

West Sussex County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXJW-5627-QRQR

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government