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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

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

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

27 June 2025

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## **Procedure**

### **Special regime**

Light touch

### **Above or below total value threshold**

Above or equal to threshold

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## **Contracting authority**

### **West Sussex County Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXJW-5627-QRQR

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Region: UKJ27 - West Sussex (South West)

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government