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#### **Planning**

# **Multiply: Adult Numeracy Skills Development**

Oxfordshire County Council

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Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-030782

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-040d1a

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.oxfordshire.gov.uk

Buyer's address

http://www.oxfordshire.gov.uk

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

www.procontract.due-north.com

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

## I.5) Main activity

General public services

## **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Multiply: Adult Numeracy Skills Development

Reference number

DN695348

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80212000 - Vocational secondary education services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

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- Multiply is a 3-year programme was launched by the DfE in April 2022. Delays in procuring services mean that we are looking for a Provider to administer and deliver Multiply for the remainder of Year 2 (April 2023 March 2024), and then for Year 3 (April 2024 March 2025).
- Oxfordshire County Council will remain the Multiply grant recipient and retain responsibility for compliance with the conditions of grant, including financial assurance and reporting to the Department for Education.

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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## II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

29 February 2024

## **Section IV. Procedure**

## **IV.1) Description**

### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No