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Planning

Alternate Education Provision - Market Engagement

The North Yorkshire Council

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Scope

Reference

369-NYC-Alternate Provision

Description

The Authority requires alternative education for children and young people up to the age of 25, including those with an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP) and those in the care of the Local Authority. Alternative education may be used for a wide variety of purposes to better meet the diverse needs of young people whose needs might not be met in mainstream school settings, ensuring they receive appropriate support and opportunities to succeed. With a plan to reintegrate into school. Preparation for Adulthood is at the heart of this framework, ensuring that learners are equipped with the skills and knowledge necessary for their future. Learners with SEND may or may not be working at age-related expectations, which will be communicated at the time of referral.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £36,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 July 2026 to 1 July 2030
- 4 years, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 80100000 - Primary education services
- 80200000 - Secondary education services
- 80300000 - Higher education services

Contract locations

- UKE2 - North Yorkshire

Engagement

Engagement deadline

16 August 2025

Engagement process description

https://uk.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/rwlenrance_s.asp?PID=96204&B=

Participation

Particular suitability

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

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

1 February 2026

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

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