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Tender

Skills Bootcamp - Wave 6

Borough Council of Calderdale

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Scope

Reference

YORtender ID 102350

Description

The Borough Council of Calderdale invites you to submit a Quote for the provision of short-term training courses (Skills Bootcamps) resulting in formal qualifications and employment opportunities for the unemployed and underemployed, including guaranteed interviews, employment support, and active engagement with local employers.

Skills Bootcamps are currently delivered by the West Yorkshire Combined Authority (WYCA) as part of the Skills Connect programme from the Department for Education (DfE). Skills Connect is a fully funded, non-accredited adult training programme run by WYCA. It offers flexible courses equivalent to Level 2 and above and has been developed to address employer skills shortages within the region. It allows individuals to access higher-level employment opportunities or progression within their current employment.

In Wave 6, WYCA has created the opportunity for Local Authorities (LAs) to manage borough-level programmes of activity. This allows the Council to tailor local delivery more

precisely to meet local needs and opportunities in support of the Council's Inclusive Economy Strategy and the Employment and Skills Framework. The resource represents a significant investment across all three of the Council's priorities: reducing inequalities, supporting thriving towns, and promoting climate action. The resource will support the Council's borough-wide Vision 2034, particularly helping the Council become more resilient, talented, and enterprising. It will be deployed in a way that invests in those places and business sectors where people and businesses most need support.

Total value (estimated)

- £360,000 excluding VAT
- £432,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 15 September 2025 to 30 September 2026
- 1 year, 16 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 85000000 - Health and social work services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

Contract locations

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees
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Lot 1. Green Skills

Description

Green Skills (12 Learners).

Lot value (estimated)

- £54,000 excluding VAT
- £64,800 including VAT

Same for all lots

CPV classifications, contract locations and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2. Health and Social Care

Description

Health and Social Care (24 Learners).

Lot value (estimated)

- £108,000 excluding VAT
- £129,600 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 3. Creative Digital

Description

Creative Digital (12 Learners).

Lot value (estimated)

- £54,000 excluding VAT
- £64,800 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 4. Early Years

Description

Early Years (12 Learners).

Lot value (estimated)

- £54,000 excluding VAT
- £64,800 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 5. Welding and Fabrication

Description

Welding and Fabrication (12 Learners).

Lot value (estimated)

- £54,000 excluding VAT
- £64,800 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 6. Civil Engineering

Description

Civil Engineering (8 Learners).

Lot value (estimated)

- £36,000 excluding VAT
- £43,200 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Participation

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Green Skills

Lot 2. Health and Social Care

Lot 3. Creative Digital

Lot 4. Early Years

Lot 5. Welding and Fabrication

Lot 6. Civil Engineering

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

21 August 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

28 August 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://yortender.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/viewtransaction.asp?TID=102350>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

As available funding is strictly tied to achieved targets, all Quotes will be evaluated based entirely on the quality of the submission with no consideration given to how cheaply works can be delivered. As such, the Quote submission will be evaluated for quality only, i.e. with quality representing 100% and price representing 0% of the evaluation criteria.

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Special regime

Light touch

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://yortender.eu-supply.com/app/rfq/viewtransaction.asp?TID=102350>

Technical specifications to be met

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Contracting authority

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