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## **North Northamptonshire Council - Early Years Suite Apprenticeship Programme**

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

NNC00000667

### **Description**

North Northamptonshire Council - Early Years Suite Apprenticeship Programme

The Council is seeking one suitably qualified and experienced Supplier to provide the following apprenticeship programme as a suite:

- Early Years Practitioner Level 2 (ST0888)
- Early Years Educator Level 3 (ST0135)
- Early Years Lead Practitioner Level 5 (ST0551)

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £240,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 5 January 2026 to 4 January 2030
- Possible extension to 2 July 2032
- 6 years, 5 months, 29 days

Description of possible extension:

To allow apprentices to complete their apprenticeship training and EPA period if they have enrolled towards the end of the initial 4 year contract term.

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 80000000 - Education and training services

## **Contract locations**

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

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## Participation

### Particular suitability

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

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## Submission

### Enquiry deadline

5 November 2025, 12:00pm

### Tender submission deadline

13 November 2025, 12:00pm

### Submission address and any special instructions

This procurement opportunity has been published via NNC's procurement portal In-Tend. Please access it via the following link;

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/nnc>

The tender reference for this opportunity is NNC00000667

### Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

## **Award criteria**

Evaluation criteria questions will be used for quality, price and social value. Supplier bids will be evaluated and scored. The weightings are 90% quality and 10% Price.

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Below threshold - open competition

### **Special regime**

Light touch

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## **Contracting authority**

### **North Northamptonshire Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQCM-5634-HGCN

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government