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Pipeline

## **Provision and Management of Creative Mentoring Service**

Derbyshire County Council

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### **Changes to notice**

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

Revised to indicate this will be a managed service and not be a framework.

### **Scope**

### **Description**

Service to provide one to one mentors to work with children and young people who are struggling to engage in education or are at risk of exclusion from their education setting.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £4,000,000 excluding VAT
- £4,800,000 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 September 2026 to 8 January 2027
- Possible extension to 8 July 2032
- 5 years, 10 months, 8 days

### **Main category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 85320000 - Social services

### **Contract locations**

- UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

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## **Participation**

## **Particular suitability**

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

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## **Submission**

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

26 February 2026

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

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

Above or equal to threshold

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## **Contracting authority**

**Derbyshire County Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PWZQ-2162-JJQL

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Region: UKF13 - South and West Derbyshire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government