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Contract

## **Provision of home to college bus passes to college students**

St Helens College

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### **Scope**

### **Description**

St Helens College and Knowsley College provide bus passes to students to allow them to commute to College and any work placement activities.

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## **Contract 1. Provision of home to college public transport bus passes to college students**

### **Supplier**

- ARRIVA MERSEYSIDE LIMITED

### **Contract value**

- £1,169,000 excluding VAT
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Above the relevant threshold

### **Date signed**

4 August 2025

### **Contract dates**

- 1 September 2025 to 20 July 2026
- 10 months, 20 days

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **Options**

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

Additional passes dependant on student demand

### **CPV classifications**

- 60100000 - Road transport services

### **Contract locations**

- UKD71 - East Merseyside

### **Justification for not setting key performance indicators**

Not applicable

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### **Other information**

#### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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### **Procedure**

#### **Procedure type**

Direct award

#### **Direct award justification**

Single supplier - technical reasons

Supplier holds the bus franchise for the surrounding area.

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## Supplier

### **ARRIVA MERSEYSIDE LIMITED**

- Companies House: 01990871
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNVM-8592-TQLX

1 Admiral Way

Sunderland

SR3 3XP

United Kingdom

Email: [marshalla@arrivanw.co.uk](mailto:marshalla@arrivanw.co.uk)

Website: <https://www.arrivagroup.com/>

Region: UKC23 - Sunderland

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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## Contracting authority

### St Helens College

- UK Register of Learning Providers (UKPRN number): 10006174
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPLZ-2597-YGWD

Water Street

St Helens

WA10 1PP

United Kingdom

Email: [procurement@sthelens.ac.uk](mailto:procurement@sthelens.ac.uk)

Region: UKD71 - East Merseyside

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government