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Award

Award for Supply and Distribution of Fruit & Veg, Dairy, and Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks to University of York

University Of York (Pelican)

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Scope

Reference

UOY001

Description

This is the Supply and Distribution of Fruit & Veg, Dairy, and Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks to University of York

Lot 1. Fruit & Vegetables

Description

Fruit & Vegetables products

Lot 2. Dairy

Description

Dairy products

Lot 3. Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks

Description

Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks products

Contract 1. Fruit & Vegetables

Lots

Lot 1. Fruit & Vegetables

Supplier

- Country Fresh Foods

Contract value

- £246,668 excluding VAT
- £246,668 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

12 November 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

12 November 2025

Standstill period

- End: 21 November 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

24 November 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 12 January 2026 to 12 January 2028
- Possible extension to 12 January 2029
- 3 years, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Optional 12 month extension with agreement from client and supplier

Main procurement category

Goods

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

additional products being added by agreement between the Client and the Supplier with regards to price and specification or products being removed at the discretion of the Client.

CPV classifications

- 15300000 - Fruit, vegetables and related products
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Contract 2. Dairy

Lots

Lot 2. Dairy

Supplier

- Creed Foodservice

Contract value

- £150,909 excluding VAT
- £150,909 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

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Goods

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The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

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CPV classifications

- 15500000 - Dairy products
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Contract 3. Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks

Lots

Lot 3. Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks

Supplier

- Creed Foodservice

Contract value

- £202,456 excluding VAT
- £238,793 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

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Optional 12 month extension with agreement from client and supplier

Main procurement category

Goods

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CPV classifications

- 15980000 - Non-alcoholic beverages
 - 15820000 - Rusks and biscuits; preserved pastry goods and cakes
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Information about tenders

Lot 1. Fruit & Vegetables

- 7 tenders received
 - 7 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 2 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
 - 1 supplier awarded contracts
 - 6 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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Lot 2. Dairy

- 9 tenders received
 - 9 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 4 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
 - 1 supplier awarded contracts
 - 8 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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Lot 3. Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks

- 5 tenders received
- 5 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 0 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 4 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Suppliers

Country Fresh Foods

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNPR-8158-WTPP

Unit A&B Holbrook Enterprise Centre, Enterprise Way

Sheffield

S20 3GH

United Kingdom

Email: graham@countryfreshfoods.co.uk

Region: UKE32 - Sheffield

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. Fruit & Vegetables

Creed Foodservice

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLRQ-8269-MWQZ

Staverton Technology Park Cheltenham Road

Cheltenham

GL51 6TQ

United Kingdom

Email: nathanielchatwin@creedfoodservice.uk

Region: UKK13 - Gloucestershire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 2. Dairy

Contract 3. Snacks, Confectionary, Soft Drinks

Contracting authority

University Of York (Pelican)

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PRDQ-5539-WTHX

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKE21 - York

Organisation type: Public undertaking (commercial organisation subject to public authority oversight)