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Contract

# Quality improvement support services for early education and childcare providers

Liverpool City Council

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### Scope

#### Reference

DN779989

## **Description**

The Council has appointed a provider of quality improvement support services to funded early education and childcare providers.

The Council currently provides early years entitlement funding to 145 private, voluntary and independent (PVI) nurseries (including those run by school academies), 97 childminders, 79 maintained schools (nursery classes and nursery schools).

Bidders were required to submit proposals for a universal and targeted offer which will provide quality improvement support for Council funded early years providers.

#### **Contract 1**

## **Supplier**

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT LIVERPOOL LIMITED

#### **Contract value**

- £1,643,028 excluding VAT
- £1,971,634 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

#### **Date signed**

31 October 2025

#### **Contract dates**

- 1 November 2025 to 31 October 2027
- Possible extension to 31 October 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

The Authority may, at its absolute discretion, extend this agreement beyond the initial term by a further period or periods of up to 24 months.

#### Main procurement category

Services

#### **Options**

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

The successful provider will be expected to show flexibility throughout the contract term to meet the needs of the early years sector and the Authority in order to best deliver the expected outcomes.

#### **CPV** classifications

• 80110000 - Pre-school education services

#### **Contract locations**

• UKD7 - Merseyside

## **Key performance indicators**

#### Name

Universal offer: PVI
Universal offer: Childminders
Universal offer: Maintained
Targeted offer: PVI
Targeted offer: Childminders
Targeted offer: Maintained

#### Other information

## Applicable trade agreements

• Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

## Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

#### **Procedure**

## **Procedure type**

Open procedure

# Special regime

Light touch

# **Supplier**

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

# **Contracting authority**

# **Liverpool City Council**

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