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Award

Catering Services

Telford College

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Scope

Reference

TND-2025-0002

Description

Telford College is inviting tenders for the provision of Catering Services across its main Wellington Campus and the forthcoming Sixth Form site located in Telford town centre. The College is seeking an innovative catering partner to deliver high-quality, affordable, and inclusive food and beverage services that enhance the student and staff experience.

Contract 1. Catering Services

Supplier

- CATER LINK LIMITED

Contract value

- £4,130,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

12 December 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

12 December 2025

Standstill period

- End: 23 December 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

31 January 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 August 2026 to 31 July 2031
- Possible extension to 31 July 2033
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

subject to contractual performance, KPI/SLA and overall organisation satisfaction

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 55300000 - Restaurant and food-serving services
- 55500000 - Canteen and catering services

Contract locations

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London
- UKJ - South East (England)

- UKK - South West (England)

Information about tenders

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

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Supplier

CATER LINK LIMITED

- Companies House: 03732298
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PWPW-6942-JXBP

300 Thames Valley Park Drive

Reading

RG6 1PT

United Kingdom

Email: sales@caterlinkltd.co.uk

Website: <https://caterlinkltd.co.uk/>

Region: UKJ11 - Berkshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. Catering Services

Contracting authority

Telford College

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXDN-9724-GHRL

Haybridge Road

Telford

TF1 2NP

United Kingdom

Email: procurement@emcassociates.co.uk

Region: UKG21 - Telford and Wrekin

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government