

## **Request**

Dear Rotherham College,

I would like some further information regarding your Waste collection services and supplier.

### **1. Contractor Details**

Please provide the name(s) of the organisation(s) currently contracted to provide waste collection and disposal services for Rotherham College, covering all waste streams (general, recycling, food waste, clinical, and hazardous waste), as of today.

### **2. Contract Dates**

Please confirm the official start date and end date of the current waste collection contract(s), including any extension options.

### **3. Service Breakdown**

Please clarify which waste streams each contractor is responsible for, and if different suppliers cover different types of waste.

### **4. Contract Value**

Please provide the annual contract value for each contractor.

### **5. Contract management contact**

The name, job title, and department of the person(s) responsible for managing the waste collection contract(s) on behalf of the College.

### **6. Future procurement plans**

Any documented plans, timelines, or schedules held by the College relating to the re-tendering or renewal of waste collection and disposal services, including:

Expected publication date of any upcoming tender notice

Expected contract award date

Expected start date of any new contract

(If no such plans are currently held, please confirm this.)

**INFORMATION PROVIDED ON ROTHERHAM COLLEGE ONLY – CLARIFICATION SOUGHT**

**Our Ref:** FOIA275

**Your Ref:** N/A

**Date:** 8<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Dear [REDACTED]

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST (FOI): “Waste Collection Services”  
ROTHERHAM COLLEGE ONLY**

Thank you for your request for information, which we have handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

Any further correspondence regarding this should be addressed to [FOI@rnngroup.ac.uk](mailto:FOI@rnngroup.ac.uk).

The RNN Group main centres of operations are located at the following sites:

Site Name	Address
Rotherham College	Eastwood Lane, Rotherham. S65 1EG
North Nottinghamshire College	Carlton Road, Worksop. S81 7HP
Dinnington Campus	SITE NO LONGER IN OPERATION*
Dearne Valley College	Wath upon Dearne, Swinton. S63 7EW
University Centre Rotherham	Doncaster Gate, Rotherham. S65 1DJ
RNN Training	Carlton Road, Worksop. S81 7HP
Idle Valley Rural Centre	North Road, Retford. DN22 8SG
Construction Centre Rotherham	Rawmarsh Road, Rotherham. S60 1RU
Skills Centre Shireoaks	SITE NO LONGER IN OPERATION*
National Fluid Power Centre	Carlton Road, Worksop. S81 7HP
Create Skills Ltd	SUBSIDIARY COMPANY CEASED TRADING*
Charnwood Training	SUBSIDIARY COMPANY CEASED TRADING*
Aston Recruitment & Training	NO LONGER OWNED BY THE RNN GROUP*
Rotherham Education Services	Eastwood Lane, Rotherham. S65 1EG
Retford Post 16 Centre	Old Hall Drive, Retford. DN22 7EA
Nottinghamshire Children & Family Partnership	PARTNERSHIP HAS CEASED*

\*Data from these sites have been re-located to other centres within the RNN Group, and if applicable, have formed part of the search for the information requested.

Attached is the information you requested.



Please note, whilst you have exercised your right to information under FOI, the RNN Group may not release some data it has on record. For example, if it contains personal details of individuals or if other exemptions apply, as detailed within the FOI legislation. See the Information Commissioners Office (ICO) website for further details as to what this means to you and the request you have made:

<https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/official-information/what-to-expect-after-making-an-information-request/>

In keeping with the spirit and effect of the FOIA, and in keeping with the RNN Group's transparency agenda, all information is assumed to be releasable to the public unless exempt. Therefore, the information released to you may now be published on the Group's website at [www.rnngroup.co.uk/IG](http://www.rnngroup.co.uk/IG) together with any related information that will provide a key to its wider context. Please note that this will not include your personal data.

Attached is Appendix A, giving contact details should you be unhappy with the service you have received from the RNN Group in regards to this FOI request.

If you have any queries about this letter then please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

***The RNN Group Information Governance and Assurance Team***

Enc/s.

## Appendix A

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request, you may make a complaint or appeal against our decision under chapter 36, part 1, section 17 (7) of the Freedom of Information Act or under chapter 12, part 6, section 165 of the Data Protection Act (Article 57(1)(f) and (2) and 77 of the General Data Protection Regulations), within 40 working days of the date of this letter.

A copy of our complaints process can be found on the RNN Group website by following the link below and selecting the Feedback and Complaints section:  
<https://www.rnngroup.co.uk/IG>

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review of your complaint, the DPA gives you the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

Please note that generally the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have first exhausted the RNN Group's own complaints procedure.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:  
Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF

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For points 1,2 and 3, please refer to table below.

**4. Contract Value**

***Please provide the annual contract value for each contractor.***

The College considers the annual contract values commercially sensitive and therefore exempt under Section 43(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, as disclosure would be likely to prejudice the commercial interests of the College and/or the suppliers concerned.

The public interest in maintaining the exemption is considered to outweigh the public interest in disclosure.

**5. Contract management contact**

***The name, job title, and department of the person(s) responsible for managing the waste collection contract(s) on behalf of the College.***

Abi Metcalfe, Director of Estates, Facilities and Health & Safety **Department:** SLT

**6. Future procurement plans**

***Any documented plans, timelines, or schedules held by the College relating to the re-tendering or renewal of waste collection and disposal services.***

The College anticipates re-tendering the general waste contract in 2027. However, no formal documented procurement timetable, tender notice date, award date, or mobilisation plan is currently held.

Type	Supplier	Percentage (RC)	Contract Details/Term
Cardboard Skip	CH Middleton	60% Rotherham	01/07/2025 - 30/06/2026
General Waste Skip	CH Middleton	60% Rotherham	01/07/2025 - 30/06/2026
Construction Waste	CH Middleton	60% Rotherham	01/07/2025 - 30/06/2026
COSHH	CH Middleton	60% Rotherham	01/07/2025 - 30/06/2026
General Waste Bin	Veolia	100% Rotherham	The College has been unable to locate a formal written contract for this service following reasonable searches of relevant records.
Food	Refood	33% Rotherham	Service provided under an informal supplier agreement; no formal written contract is held.
Hazardous waste	Balcan	33% Rotherham	Service commissioned on an ad-hoc basis as required; no formal contract is in place.
Scrap Metal	GB Metals	33% Rotherham	The College has been unable to locate a formal written contract for this service following reasonable searches of relevant records.
WEEE	We Trade Tech	33% Rotherham	No formal contract is required for this arrangement and none is held by the College.
Clinical Waste	Eden Hygiene	33% Rotherham	The College has been unable to locate a formal written contract for this service following reasonable searches of relevant records.