Request

Sent: 23 October 2026 10:54
To: RNN FOI/EIR <foi@rnngroup.co.uk>
Subject: Freedom of Information request - Agency Spend 2025/2026

Dear Rotherham College,

Can you please provide your total agency spend, broken down by agency, department and temporary or permanent for the 2025/26 academic year.

Can you confirm if you use a PSL or Managed Service, and if so, when the agreement up for renewal?

Our Ref: FOIA281

Your Ref: [redacted]

Date: 4th November 2026

Dear [redacted]

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST (FOI): Agency Spend 2025/2026

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.

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 and below is the information you requested.

Information relating to individual agency suppliers and the expenditure attributable to those suppliers is withheld under Section 43(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Disclosure would be likely to prejudice the commercial

interests of both the Group and the suppliers by revealing commercially sensitive information about supplier relationships and the value of services procured. Having considered the public interest test, the Group considers that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosure.

The Group does not record agency expenditure separately by temporary and permanent placements.

The Group uses a PSL, which is due for renewal in April 2027.

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 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

	2025 -26
Description	Actual
Non-Teaching agency/RNN training Sales	-
Non-Teaching agency/FLEX Dearne Valley	-
Non-Teaching agency/FLEX North Notts	-
Non-Teaching agency/FLEX Rotherham College	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Dinnington Refectory	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Computing	-
Non-Teaching Agency/Hair & Beauty Therapy	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Engineering	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Construction	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Health	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Animal Care & Landbase	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Foundation	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Business & Accountancy	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Public Services	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Travel & Retail	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Hospitality	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Distance Learning	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Employability	-
Non-teaching agency staff/ADDITION LEARNING SUPP	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Dinnington Campus	-
Non-teaching agency staff/NNC bdu admin	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Health & Safety delive	-
Non-teaching agency staff/AM2 Testing	3,180.50
Non-teaching agency staff/NURSERY (DINNINGTON)	-
Non-teaching agency staff/NURSERY (WORKSOP)	-
Non-teaching agency staff/NNC MAIN SITE	4,963.30
Non-teaching agency staff/TRAIN TO GAIN	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DFE Work Placement Pil	-
Non-teaching agency staff/SRB6 MOVE 04/05	-
Non-teaching agency staff/NEIGHBOURHOOD RENEWAL	-
Non-teaching agency staff/UK ONLINE	-
Non-teaching agency staff/ACADEMY SKILLS FOR THE	-
Non-teaching agency staff/E-LEARN2WORK	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DWP WORK PROGRAMME	-
Non-teaching agency staff/CoVE CATERING & HOSPIT	-
Non-teaching agency staff/CoVE INDIVIDUAL COURSE	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Surestart Newark & She	-
Non-teaching agency staff/S81 Restaurant	-
Non-teaching agency staff/WHARNCLIFFE	-
Non-teaching agency staff/EWOOD REFECTORY	-
Non-teaching agency staff/WENTWORTH SHOP	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF PRODUCTION ART	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF ELECTRICAL & S	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF MECHANICAL ENG	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF CONSTRUCTION	-

Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF HEALTH	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF BUSINESS & MAN	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF COMPUTING	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF HUMANITIES & L	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF SCIENCE & MATH	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF LITERACY & NUM	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF FOUNDATION PRO	-
Non-teaching agency staff/ALS Rotherham	3,096.80
Non-teaching agency staff/ALS Dinnington	-
Non-teaching agency staff/ALS Dearne Valley Coll	-
Non-teaching agency staff/ALS NNC	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF CEDR - LR	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF CEDR - ALR	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF LAND BASED	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF PREPARATION FO	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF FOUNDATIONS FO	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DEPT OF TEACHER EDUCAT	-
Non-teaching agency staff/FLEXIBILITY	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Dept of Skills & Emplo	-
Non-teaching agency staff/School links	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DISTANCE LEARNING	-
Non-teaching agency staff/BUS TRAINING DELIVERY	-
Non-teaching agency staff/14-19 DEVELOPMENT	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Bids & Contracts	-
Non-teaching agency staff/STUDENT SERVICES	1,542.24
Non-teaching agency staff/EXAMINATIONS	-
Non-teaching agency staff/BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT	-
Non-teaching agency staff/RNN Training Projects	-
Non-teaching agency staff/LIBRARY SERVICE	72,213.41
Non-teaching agency staff/REPROGRAPHICS	-
Non-teaching agency staff/GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	2,409.74
Non-teaching agency staff/FINANCE	21,398.67
Non-teaching agency staff/MIS	9,984.18
Non-teaching agency staff/Executive	3,515.04
Non-teaching agency staff/MARKETING	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Senior Leadership Team	-
Non-Teaching Agency Staff/IT SERVICES	60,965.30
Non-teaching agency staff/Information Governance	-
Non-teaching agency staff/EWOOD BUILDING	-
Non-teaching agency staff/CTON BUILDING	-
Non-teaching agency staff/COLLEGE QUALITY	-
Non-teaching agency staff/HUMAN RESOURCES	4,791.60
Non-teaching agency staff/PAYROLL	-
Non-teaching agency staff/CENTRAL SERVICES UNIT	-
Non-teaching agency staff/CORPORATE GOVERNANCE	-
Non-teaching agency/HEALTH & SAFETY	-
Non-teaching agency staff/RECRUITMENT EVENT	-
Non-teaching agency staff/TSS NETWORK	-

Non-teaching agency/Learner Recruitment	49,323.87
Non-teaching agency staff/DVC Sports	-
Non-teaching agency staff/CRECHE COSTS	-
Non-Teaching Agency	-
Non-teaching agency staff/MANVERS BOAT CLUB	-
Non-teaching agency staff/Corporate Finance	-
Non-teaching agency staff/ESTATES	65,758.59
Non-teaching agency staff/UNIT 1 - RAWMARSH ROAD	-
Non-teaching agency staff/UNIT 3 RAWMARSH RD	-
Non-teaching agency staff/WENTWORTH BUILDING	-
Non-teaching agency staff/UNIT 2 RAWMARSH RD	-
Non-teaching agency staff/HE HUB	-
Non-teaching agency staff/DVC Estates- General	2,616.37
Non-teaching agency staff/UCR	-
Non-teaching agency staff/COVID-19 Testing Fund	-
Non-teaching agency staff/INTERNATIONAL	-
Non-teaching agency staff/POT (CENTRAL USE ONLY)	-
Independent Tutoring/RNN Training - Delivery	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/North Notts Art & Des	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/Rotherham Art & Desig	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/Rotherham Performing	-
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Independent Tutoring Staff/Computing	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/Hair & Beauty Therapy	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/Engineering	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/Construction	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/Business & Accountanc	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/Distance Learning	-
Independent Tutoring Staff/TRAIN TO GAIN	-
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Independent Tutoring Staff/ALS Rotherham	-
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Independent Tutoring Staff/DISTANCE LEARNING	-
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Independent Tutoring Staff/BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT	-
Teaching agency staff/ER -Hair & Beauty Therapy	-
Teaching agency staff/ER -Engineering	195,581.28
Teaching agency staff/ER -Construction	195,340.00
Teaching agency staff/ER -Health	-
Teaching agency staff/ER -Animal Care & Landbase	-
Teaching agency staff/ER -Business & Accountancy	-
Teaching agency staff/ER -Sport & Public Service	-
Teaching agency staff/ER -Hospitality	-
Teaching agency staff/ER - English & Maths	1,632.62
Teaching agency staff/RNN Training - Delivery	6,026.02
Teaching agency staff/HAIR/BEAUTY RVC	-
Teaching agency staff/Rotherham Digital	10,362.00
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Teaching agency staff/Dearne Valley Engineering	150,679.31
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Teaching agency staff/Dinnington Health	-
Teaching agency staff/Dearne Valley Health	2,100.00
Teaching agency staff/North Notts Health	-
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Teaching agency staff/ER - Noth Notts Childcare	12,336.57
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Teaching agency staff/Dearne Valley Animal Care	109,930.99
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Teaching agency/Rotherham Hospitality	21,707.76
Teaching agency staff/Rotherham Accountancy	37,284.88
Teaching agency staff/Rotherham Transition	1,174.20

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Teaching agency staff/NEIGHBOURHOOD RENEWAL FUND	-
Teaching agency staff/UK ONLINE	-
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Teaching agency staff/LOCAL AUTHORITY	-
Teaching agency staff/AIM HIGHER	-
Teaching agency staff/ESF 10/11 AR Contract	-

Teaching agency staff/DWP WORK PROGRAMME	-
Teaching agency staff/CoVE INDIVIDUAL COURSES	-
Contracted Tuition Service/Surestart Bassetlaw	-
Teaching agency staff/Surestart Newark & Sherwoo	-
Teaching agency staff/SHORT COURSES	-
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Teaching agency staff/DEPT OF LITERACY & NUMERAC	-
Teaching agency staff/DEPT OF FOUNDATION PROG	-
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Teaching agency staff/WBL CONSTRUCTION	-
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Teaching agency staff/WBL ENGINEERING	-
Teaching agency staff/WBL MOTOR VEHICLES	-
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Teaching agency staff/DEPT OF FOUNDATIONS FOR LE	-
Teaching agency staff/ENGLISH AND MATHS	-
Teaching agency staff/DEPT OF TEACHER EDUCATION	-
Teaching agency staff/COLLABORATION FOR THE FUTU	-
Teaching agency staff/RETENTION & ACHIEVEMENT 04	-
Teaching agency staff/14-19 TRANSITION & PROGRES	-
Teaching agency staff/DISTANCE LEARNING	-
Teaching agency staff/COUNSELLING	-
Teaching agency staff/ENGLISH	-
Teaching agency staff/MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES	-
Teaching agency staff/PLASTERING	-
Teaching agency staff/CREATIVE STUDIES	-

Teaching agency staff/FACULTY - PROFESSIONAL STU	-
Teaching agency staff/SKILLS FOR LIFE	-
Teaching agency staff/BUS TRAINING DELIVERY	-
Teaching agency staff/14-19 DEVELOPMENT	-
Teaching agency staff/Bids & Contracts	-
Teaching agency staff/STUDENT SERVICES	-
Teaching agency staff/EXAMINATIONS	-
Teaching agency staff/BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT	-
Teaching agency staff/RNN Training Projects	-
Teaching agency staff/LIBRARY SERVICE	55,455.00
Teaching agency staff/Apprenticeship Recruitment	-
Teaching agency staff/FINANCE	-
Teaching agency staff/MIS	-
Teaching agency staff/HUMAN RESOURCES	-
Teaching agency staff/DVC Sports	-
Teaching agency staff/Manvers Diner	-
Teaching agency staff/GRIFFIN GRILL	-
Teaching agency staff/Manvers Boat Club	-
Teaching agency staff/ROOM HIRE BUS SVS	-
Teaching agency staff/HE Support	-
Teaching agency staff/STAFF DEV SHORT COURSE	-
Teaching agency staff/Corporate Finance	-
Teaching agency staff/ESTATES	-
Teaching agency staff/INTERNATIONAL	-
Teaching agency staff/POT (CENTRAL USE ONLY)	-
Agency staffing costs	1,713,024.87
	4,622,918.52