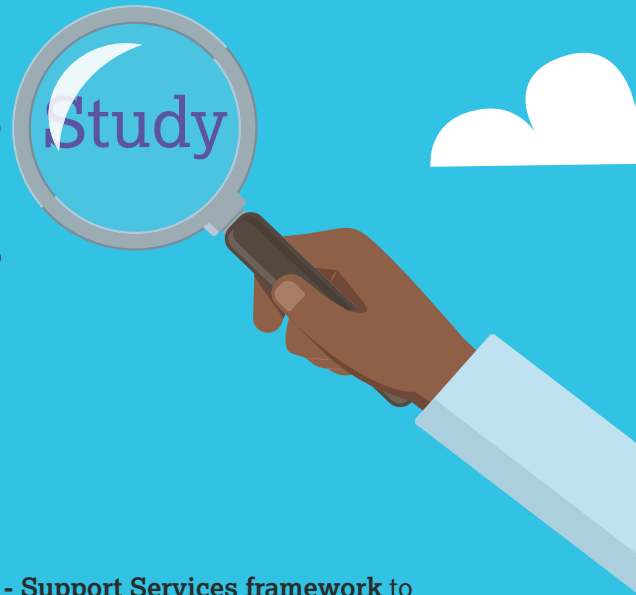


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# Contracts for Schools Case Study

## The Deepings School



### Relationship with YPO

We contacted YPO to use the **Building in Use - Support Services framework** to help us renew our cleaning contract. This was the first occasion we had used a YPO framework.

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### Challenge

During the pandemic, our existing cleaning contract was overdue for renewal, and we needed to ensure that we ran a compliant procurement exercise as quickly as possible.

Our school takes pride in high cleaning standards and we wanted to maintain this, particularly in line with the additional Covid-19 risk assessments that were in place at the time of the tender.





## Solution

By using the YPO framework, our tender was seen by a number of cleaning providers, and it enabled us to choose the best-suited solution for our school.

The template document provided by YPO also simplified the process and made it much easier for us to navigate the further competition efficiently and with confidence.



“ Using the YPO framework was a very positive experience. ”

## Experience

We were provided with high-quality, easy-to-use documentation and our YPO Procurement Project Advisor, was a fantastic help throughout the process.

Our dedicated procurement project advisor was always available, offering great advice and guidance, such as helping us ensure we filled out the documentation correctly and ensure that it was appropriate for our specific circumstances and requirements. They coordinated the entire process end to end and were extremely helpful and supportive all the way through.



## Result

We successfully appointed a new cleaning contractor quickly and with ease, whilst ensuring we complied with procurement obligations. The framework we used was appropriate, met our specific needs and the helpful YPO team guided us through what could have been a complicated procurement process from beginning to end.

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