FAQ~~’~~s - Multiply Fund & Applications

1. There does not appear to be any additional document for the Budget, deliverables, risk register, milestones, project plan and procurement.Will this be available?*We have deliberately left these out, to allow you to choose your own forms and use whatever methodology works best for you individually. If you would like example forms, please let us know by contacting* *multiply@warwickshire.gov.uk* *.*
2. We have put in for previous tenders, can we use the same format as we have done previously, whereby we have one sheet for both finances and outputs? *Yes, as long as it is clear what is profiled, quarter by quarter.*
3. The Annex A document is PDF and does not appear to be editable. Will a spreadsheet or set off be published shortly?  *A spreadsheet will be available in due course; our IT Team are currently aware of the issue, but we wanted to ensure in the meantime, applicants still had this for point of reference. If the issue is not easily rectifiable, then we will of course email this out to applicants directly. Please email us at* *multiply@warwickshire.gov.uk* *.*

1. Is all Multiply being commissioned out or is some to be delivered by Adult Education? *Yes, all multiply activities are being commissioned out via the same open and competitive process. The amount shown on the webinar slides, is the amount available. We may receive applications from other departments within the County Council, but they will go through the same application process as external applicants and there will be appropriate separation of responsibilities put in place across the organisation, to manage those interests.*

1. Are there any indicative numbers for outputs you are looking for in total?  *No, we don’t have indicative numbers from DfE and have decided to keep things as flexible as possible in Warwickshire. It is for applicants to evidence their proposed outputs and the budget required to deliver them.*

1. Question 1d. What are the timescales (Delivery needs to end by March 2025)?’ does not have a word count. Is that correct? -  *That is correct, we felt this question would only require a brief statement or sentence to confirm the time periods projects will be working within.*

1. Are you open to any of the 10 ‘deliverables? *Yes, we are looking for a mix of projects, which will enable us to deliver across all or any of these.*

1. As a practitioner and a provider will you remember the end point of learner achievement? *The impacts are just as important as the outputs and outcomes. Additionally, the experience for the learner is equally as important, this is something both we and DfE are keen to capture. We are expecting a formal evaluation will be built into the model.*  *This is something we can share more information about, once we have it from DfE.*

1. Will you send out the definitions of outputs before tender is submitted? *Yes, as soon as we get this clarified we will share it on the Multiply webpages. We will also set up a mailing list and send out email confirmation of any updates and additions to the FAQ. Please contact us at* *mulitply@warwickshire.gov.uk* *with the subject “Mailing List” if you wish to be added to the list.*