

# **London Borough of Bromley**

### Schedule 4

**SERVICE LEVELS AND KPIS** 

#### 1. Contract Monitoring Arrangements

- 1.1 The Service Provider's performance in relation to the delivery of their obligations as identified in the Specification (Schedule 1) will be monitored through a series of Service Levels and Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) which are set out in this document.
- 1.2 The Service Levels and KPIs will be monitored by the Council by their Client Unit.
- 1.3 NOT USED.
- 1.4 The Service Provider will report against Service Levels and KPIs according to the frequency identified in this document. This will either be:
  - Monthly
  - Quarterly
  - Annually
- 1.5 In accordance with the contract terms, the Service Provider's Contract Manager or nominated representative will meet with the Client Unit on a monthly basis to review performance and discuss any opportunities or challenges affecting the contract.

### Scrutiny by elected members

- 1.6 In addition to reporting on the Service Levels and KPIs identified in this document, the Service Provider will also be required to report to the Council's relevant Committees on a biannual basis:
  - The Service Provider will be required to present a progress report and their Service Plans for the following year in Quarter 3 of the financial year.
  - The Service Provider will be required to present their annual report including a summary of their full year performance for the previous year in Quarter 1 of the financial year.
- 1.7 For the sake of clarity, the Service Provider will be expected to attend these meetings, (if requested), present their performance data and/or Service Plans and other associated documents and respond to questions from elected members. The Service Provider's Contract Manager, or if appropriate, Director, may be summoned to attend a member meeting and to report on their performance at any time.

#### 2. Payment Mechanism

- 2.1 The Service Provider's annual price for the delivery of this contract is set out in the Pricing Document (Schedule 2). This annual price is fixed, except where it might be amended from time to time in accordance with the Change Control Procedure (Schedule 5) or as otherwise allowed for in the contract terms, and as it is adjusted annually to reflect inflationary increases in line with the Consumer Price Index.
- 2.2 The Council will pay the Service Provider the fixed price on a monthly basis in arrears. The fixed price will commence on the date on which the service is transferred (the contract Commencement Date).
- 2.3 The monthly payment of the fixed price will be calculated by dividing the

annual contract price by 12. The Service Provider shall invoice the Council for payment in accordance with procedures established in the contract terms.

#### 3. Performance Management System

- 3.1 The Service Provider's performance will be measured against the Service Levels and KPIs identified at paragraph 4 of this document, as varied from time to time in accordance with the contract terms.
- 3.2 Within ten (10) business days following the end of each month, the Service Provider shall submit to the Council a report containing, in respect of the month just ended, the following information:
  - A summary assessment of all applicable Service Levels and KPIs
  - The resultant financial consequence based on the points system expounded below
  - A progress assessment of Service Levels and KPIs not monitored during that month where this is requested
- 3.3 The Council shall notify the Service Provider in writing within ten (10) Business Days of receipt by the Council of the relevant monthly report from the Service Provider if there is any part of that report which the Council (acting reasonably and without delay) dispute.
- 3.4 The Council and the Service Provider shall use all reasonable endeavours to resolve any dispute that arises in this respect. Should it not be possible to resolve the dispute before the end of the month following the month that the report relates to, they should make use of the dispute resolution procedures set out in the contract terms.

#### Performance Adjustment Points

- 3.5 The Council will monitor the Service Provider's performance in relation to the Service Levels and KPIs through a points based system. Performance Adjustment Points will be accrued by the Service Provider where they fail to meet the required Service Level or do not perform to the level identified by the KPI. The number of points accrued will depend on the level of and impact of the failure and is identified in the Service Level and KPIs set out at paragraph 4.
- 3.6 The Service Provider will not accrue Performance Adjustment Points where the performance failure is due to force majeure as defined in the contract terms, or where non- performance is reasonably defined as being caused by the actions or omissions of a third party and which are outside the control of the Service Provider and which are not the responsibility of the Service Provider under this contract. These circumstances should be appropriately evidenced to the Client Unit where a failure to perform results. The Council expect that when such circumstances apply, the Service Provider will use their reasonable endeavours to continue delivering the service through appropriate means.
- 3.7 The Service Provider will comply with the monitoring arrangements set out below. The Service Provider will provide monthly progress reports relating to all Service Levels and KPIs for each borough, and will report on their overall performance relating to the service level of KPI on a monthly, quarterly or annual basis depending on the monitoring frequency identified.

- 3.8 The KPIs have been given a priority rating that applies as follows:
  - Priority A
  - Priority B
  - Priority C

The number of Performance Adjustment Points accrued for non-performance relating to each Service Level or KPI reflects the priority assigned by the Council to these performance areas. For example, Priority A items accrue a greater number of points where non-performance occurs than Priority C items. This is because they are deemed to have a greater impact on service levels experienced by service users.

- 3.9 Some Service Levels and KPIs are identified as being self-monitoring; the Service Provider will be responsible for reporting any failure to perform to the required level to the Council's Client Unit during the month in which the non-performance occurred. Where the Service Provider fails to report non-performance, they will accrue double the number of Performance Adjustment Points assigned for failure to meet that service level of KPI for non-performance. The Council's Client Unit reserves the right to make announced and unannounced inspections and to assign points where non-performance of a Service Level or KPI is identified.
- When the Council's Client Unit become aware of a failure to meet a Service Level or KPI, whether through self-monitoring reports from the Service Provider of via any other means, they will issue with Service Provider with a Monitoring Notice. The Monitoring Notice will set out incident of nonperformance, the number of Performance Adjustment Points being assigned, and a timeframe for rectification if the Service Provider has not already rectified the issue of non-performance. Where the Service Provider is issued with a Monitoring Notice for their non-performance and fails to implement changes to effect improvement within the rectification period identified in the Monitoring Notice, the Service Provider will be issued with a second Monitoring Notice and a charge of 5 Performance Adjustment Points additionally. Where the Service Provider still does not rectify the issue with their performance within the period identified in the second Monitoring Notice. a third and final Monitoring Notice will be issued and a charge of 10 Performance Adjustment Points will be made. If the Service Provider fails to rectify the issue with their performance within the timeframe specified within the third Monitoring Notice the Council may, at its sole discretion, issue a default notice. In the event that there is a substantial issue of nonperformance or under-performance by the Service Provider, the Council reserves the right to issue a default notice without instigating the Monitoring Notice procedure set out above.
- 3.11 The Service Provider will accrue points cumulatively on a monthly basis. There will be an initial bedding in period of six months from the date of contract commencement during which performance against Service Levels and KPIs will be monitored but non-performance will not accumulate Performance Adjustment Points. After the expiry of the six month bedding in period, the Service Provider will accrue points cumulatively on a monthly basis. For the sake of clarity, on the 1st calendar day of each month, the number of points will revert to zero. Prior to the end of the bedding in period, and at the beginning of every Contract Year thereafter, the parties shall meet to review the

Service Levels and KPIs and agree any changes reasonably required by either party.

- 3.12 The Service Provider will be issued with a financial sanction for every point that they accrue in a calendar month. 1 point is valued at 0.001% of the annual Contract Price (excluding, for the avoidance of doubt, any One-off Costs) (as inflated in accordance with the contract terms). For example, based on a £3m annual contract value, 1 point equates to £30. However, where a Monitoring Notice which identifies a rectification period is issued and additional points are issued for continued non- performance, as set out in 3.10, these points may continue across calendar months. The value of the points accrued over a contractual year will not exceed 10% of the annual Contract Price (excluding, for the avoidance of doubt, any One-off Costs)and the Council may terminate the contract if the Service Provider accrues 10,000 points in one year, as set out in the contract terms.
- 3.13 The financial consequence of incurring Performance Adjustment Points will be deducted from the monthly invoice for the relevant Council. A worked example is included at **Appendix A**.
- 3.14 Default Notices will be issued to the Service Provider in accordance with the contract terms when:
  - The Service Provider fails to comply with the terms of the contract and this failure is not considered to be fundamental, and can be rectified.
  - The Council becomes aware that the Service Provider has failed to notify it of a failure to meet a Service Level or KPI identified in
  - paragraph 4 (and accrues additional Performance Adjustment Points as established in 3.10)
  - The Service Provider's performance against the KPIs demonstrates significant or consistent underperformance or non-performance.
- 3.15 Where a Default Notice is issued, the Service Provider will acknowledge receipt within 1 working day. The Service Provider will provide the Client Unit with a full plan for rectification for approval by the Client Unit, within the timescale specified within the Default Notice. Once agreed by the Client Unit, the Service Provider will implement the rectification plan within the agreed timescale.

### 4. Service Levels and Key Performance Indicators

- 4.1 Service Levels and Key Performance Indicators for the contract for the provision of Library Services are set out below. These are linked to the requirements set out in the Specification through the Specification Reference and Service Area/Output. Monitoring arrangements, including monitoring frequency for each Service Level or KPI are established.
- 4.2 Where the Service Level or KPI refers to a full day or half day, these have the following meanings:
  - Where the Service Level or KPI is monitored within opening hours:
  - Half day: up to 3 hours 29 minutes
  - Full day: 3 hours 30 minutes or more
  - Where the Service Level or KPI is monitored over a 24 hour period:
  - Half day: up to 11 hours 59 minutes
  - o Full day: 12 hours 24 hours

SERVICE LEVEL/I	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 1				
Reference	1.1	Service Area / Output	Opening Hours		
Service Levels/KPIs		Libraries are open for the Minimum Opening Hours, except where planned closures are agreed at least 28 days in advance with the Client Unit in writing.			
Monitoring Arrangements	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		d will report any unplanned on a monthly basis. The Client of the latest version of these Service Provider must provide king day.  nould be notified immediately hen formally in writing within 24 d closures occur. This includes y closure or any other kind of hing hours. For the avoidance ure is defined as failure to open cidents in which there are II library services as outlined in		
Monitoring freque	ency	Monthly			
Priority Rating		A			
Sanction	Where a library fails to open in accordance with the agree Minimum Opening Hours, except where planned closure are agreed, the Service Provider will accept the following Performance Adjustment Points:  10 minutes - 2 hours 59 minutes - 15 Performance Adjustment Points  3 hours - 5 hours 59 minutes - 30 Performance Adjustment Points		except where planned closures by ider will accept the following points:  nutes - 15 Performance		

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 2			
Specification Reference	1.2	Service Area / Output	Frontline Services
Service Levels/KPIs		The Service Provider will collect and provide to the Client Unit the following statistical indicators, including total figures and breakdowns by library branch Number of visits Number of issues Number of active users Number of new members Number of transactions through self-service technology Response time for requests Benchmarking the Council's relative position in relation to other London boroughs in relation to the above statistics	
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will submit a quarterly update on these statistics that have been collected for each of the areas, except where these statistics are collected less frequently in line with CIPFA best practice. The Client Unit will use this update to assess progress.  The Council expect that the Service Provider will drive for continuous monthly improvement but accepts that this may be affected by regional or national trends that are outside the control of the Service Provider and therefore the Service Provider will not incur financial sanctions in relation to statistical improvement. The Client Unit and Council will however use this data to inform their overall assessment of the Service Provider's performance and to analyse how improvements may be made.  In the event that the Service Provider is able to increase annual performance in either or both of the following indicators by a minimum of 1%, a credit will be made to the Service Provider to the value of 30 Performance Adjustment Points:  Number of visits	
Monitoring frequ	ency	Number of issues Quarterly	
Priority Rating		С	
Sanction		The Service Provider will accept 5 Performance Adjustment Points for each business day late that these statistics are provided after the specified deadline.	

SERVICE LEVEL	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 3			
Specification Reference	1.2	Service Area / Output Frontline Services		
Service Levels/KPIs		The Service Provider will measure customer satisfaction through: participation in the CIPFA Plus and CIPFA Children's Plus surveys (or any equivalent or replacement surveys or schemes) An annual customer satisfaction survey to be carried out in all libraries and Local Studies Centres that will provide a clear indication of customer satisfaction by a wide range of customers from a variety of ages and backgrounds Evaluation of events and activities in libraries		
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will keep a record of the evaluation feedback and outcome of customer satisfaction surveys and will provide copies to the Client Unit on the working day following any request.  The Service Provider will supply an annual report on customer satisfaction levels.  The Client Unit and Council will use this data to inform their overall assessment of the Service Provider's performance		
Monitoring frequ	ency	and to analyse how improve Annually		
Priority Rating		С		
Sanction		The Service Provider will ac Adjustment Points for non-p 5 Performance Adjustment P annual customer satisfaction	Points for each day late that the report, based on the results of ction survey, is provided to the Points for a decrease in e than 5% as an average of ual customer satisfaction  Points for a decrease in e than 20% in any  Points for a decrease in more than 5% in any  CIPFA Plus survey or	

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI:	4		
Specification   1.3	Service Area / Output	Back Office and Strategic	
<b>Reference</b> and 2.1		Management	
Service Levels/KPIs	aim to increase use of libra	The Service Provider will produce development plans that aim to increase use of libraries and in particular to achieve increases in the number of visitors to libraries and the number of stock issues.	
	implementation plan for targ number and range of activit accordance with the progra		
	Stock and Reader Developm Information and Learning	nent	
Monitoring Arrangements	All plans will be agreed annually with the Client Unit to the timetable specified. Quarterly progress reports against annual aims identified in these plans will be submitted to the Client Unit for review. Any proposed amendments to the aims/actions for the following quarters, including the programme of activities, should be submitted as part of this report and must be agreed by the Client Unit.  Amendments should be based on clear evidence of a change in local need.		
	The reports should demonstrate the percentage of activities identified in the service plans that were delivered in that quarter against the programme.		
Monitoring frequency	7. 5 .	with an annual assessment	
Priority Rating	A		
Sanction  90% of annual aims/actions identified for come each quarter in each plan should be delivered (unless the Client Unit agree in writing that an removed or transferred to another quarter). To include 100% of priority 1 items as identified in The following number of Performance Adjustment will be received by the Service Provider for the of actions performed in accordance with the tax		chould be delivered each quarter to be in writing that an aim can be unother quarter). This must teems as identified in the plans. The provider for the percentage	
	90% - 100%: 0 Performan	ce Adjustment Points	
	76% - 90%: 45 Performance Adjustment Points		
	51% - 75%: 60 Performar	•	
	26% - 50%: 100 Performa	•	
	0% - 25%: 200 Performance Adjustment Points		
	For every incomplete Prior	rity 1: 10 Performance	
	Adjustment Points per iten	n (additionally)	

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 5				
Specification	1.3	Service Area / Output	Back Office	
Reference				
Service Levels/KPIs		The Service Provider provides 24/7 access to web services, except where services are suspended for planned maintenance or as required and as agreed with the Client Unit in writing 24 hours prior to the event. Web services are deemed to include (but are not limited to) the public interfaces with the Library Management System and Archives Management System.		
Arrangements  The Service Provider will maintain record of the availa of web services and will notify the Client Unit of any fatto meet the required service level. Any unplanned outsing should be reported to the Council's Client Unit in writing and within 24 hours of the unplanned outage having occurred.		tify the Client Unit of any failure level. Any unplanned outage ouncil's Client Unit in writing		
Monitoring frequ	iency	Monthly		
Priority Rating		Α		
Sanction		services are suspended as	t available 24/7, except where agreed with the Client Unit in Service Provider will accept Adjustment Points for	
		1 hour – 2hours 59 minutes: 5 Performance Adjustment Points		
		3 hours – 5 hours 59 minutes: 15 Performance Adjustment Points		
		6 hours – 11 hours 59 min Adjustment Points	utes: 20 Performance	

SERVICE LEVEL	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 6				
Specification Reference	1.3	Service Area / Output	Back Office		
Service Levels/M	(PIs	Public IT facilities (such as People's Network terminals, public wifi and self-service kiosks) are working and available for use during Minimum Opening Hours except where planned maintenance is agreed at least 24 hours in advance with the Client Unit.			
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will notify the Council of any failure to make public IT facilities available during library opening hours. The Service Provider will log all IT issues, including any loss of availability. The Client Unit may request the latest version of these logs at any time and the Service Provider must provide it no later than the next working day.  When notifying the Client Unit of any loss of service availability, the Service Provider will provide information relating to: The reason for the lack of availability The number of sites affected The quantity of time for which facilities are not available The number of People's Network or self-service terminals affected (if applicable) What action was taken to resolve the issue and what action the Service Provider will take to prevent a similar occurrence in the future.			
Monitoring frequency		Monthly			
<b>Priority Rating</b>		A			
	·	For each site affected, the fear of Performance Adjustment Position For every full business day (one month period) that public available in one library, for a reasons established in paragonal receive 10 points per library. For every full business day the Public Network terminal that the Service Provider will receive available.  Alternatively, for every full business day the Service Provider will receive not available.	or 2 half business days within a c wifi is consistently not ny reason other than the graph 3.6, the Service Provider ary affected hat there is more than one is not available (per library), eive 1 point for each terminal usiness day (or 2 half business ork terminals are unavailable		

 or every full business day (or 2 half days) that selfservice equipment is not available in one library (including community managed libraries with selfservice kiosks), for any reason other than the reasons established in paragraph 3.6, the Service Provider will receive 10 points per library affected

Please note that the above penalties are **not** applied where the Service Provider is accrues points in conjunction with KPI 1 (library closures).

SERVICE LEVEL	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 7			
Specification Reference	1.3	Service Area / Output	Back Office	
Service Levels/KPIs		The Service Provider will develop a Marketing Plan for the Council's Library Service which is approved by the Client Unit in accordance with the Specification. Actions identified in the Marketing Plan are delivered in accordance with the submitted programme. The Marketing Plan will clarify the marketing channels to be used and will specify how quality marketing outputs will be achieved.		
Monitoring Arrangements		Quarterly progress reports against actions identified in the marketing plans are submitted to the Client Unit for review. Any proposed amendments to the actions for the following quarters should be submitted as part of this report and must be agreed by the Client Unit. Amendments should be based on clear evidence of changing circumstances.  The report should demonstrate the percentage of activities identified in the Marketing Plans that were delivered in that quarter against the programme.		
Monitoring frequ	ency	Quarterly		
Priority Rating (		С		
Sanction		At least 90% of actions identified should be delivered each quarter to the agreed quality output standard (unless the Client Unit agree in writing that an action can be removed or transferred to another quarter). Performance Adjustment Points will be accrued by the Service Provider for the percentage of actions delivered in accordance with the table below:  90% - 100%: 0 Performance Adjustment Points 76% - 90%: 5 Performance Adjustment Points 51% - 75%: 10 Performance Adjustment Points 26% - 50%: 25 Performance Adjustment Points 0% - 25%: 50 Performance Adjustment Points		

SERVICE LEVEL/	9	
Specification Reference	Service Area / Output Local Studies and Archives	
Service Levels/KP	Local Studies and Archives services are available to the public during library opening hours, except where planned closures are agreed in writing and at least 28 days in advance with the Client Unit.  Online Local Studies and Archives services are updated and available 24/7 except where they are suspended for planned maintenance or as required and is agreed at least 24 hours in advance by the Client Unit.	
Monitoring Arrangements	The Service Provider will maintain a record of the availability of Local Studies and Archives Services (both in Libraries and online) and will notify the Client Unit of any failure to meet the required service level within 24 hours.  The Client Unit may request the latest version of these records at any time and the Service Provider must provide it on the next working day.	
Monitoring freque	Monthly	
Priority Rating	A	
Performance Adjustment Points	Where online Local Studies and Archive services are not available, the Service Provider will receive the following Performance Adjustment Points:  1 hour – 2hours 59 minutes: 5 Performance Adjustment Points  3 hours – 5 hours 59 minutes: 15 Performance Adjustment Points  6 hours – 11 hours 59 minutes: 20 Performance Adjustment Points  12 hours – 24 hours: 30 Performance Adjustment Points  Where Local Studies and Archive Centres are not available to the public during library opening hours, the Service Provider will receive the following Performance Adjustment Points:  10 minutes - 2 hours 59 minutes: 5 Performance Adjustment Points  3 hours – 5 hours 59 minutes: 15 Performance Adjustment Points  6 hours – a full day for that library: 30 Performance Adjustment Points	nt

SERVICE LEVEL	./KPI: 1	0	
Specification Reference	1.4	Service Area / Output	Local Studies and Archives
Service Levels/K	(PIs	The Service Provider will ha	ave full Archive Service
		Accreditation standard as detailed in the Specification.	
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will provide annual evidence of their accredited status.	
The Service Provider will notify the Counci within 24 hours of a failure to meet this requirement will provide the Client Unit with a written st proposed action to achieve accreditation with their timescales for doing so. They will provide the proport monthly until they are awarded accreditation.		to meet this requirement and with a written statement on their accreditation which will include b. They will provide an update	
Monitoring frequ	iency	Annually	
Priority Rating		В	
Performance Adjustment Points		150 Performance Adjustme further 5 Performance Adjustme that it continues to be withouthere is clear evidence that solely due to the actions of	ne Service Provider receiving ont Points, and thereafter a stment Points for every month out accreditation, except where accreditation has been delayed

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 11				
Specification Reference	1.4	Service Area / Output	Service Area / Output Local Studies and Archives	
Service Levels/KPIs		The Service Provider will develop Local Studies and Archives Plan which will be agreed with the Client Unit in accordance with the Specification. The Service Provider will deliver the actions identified in this plan.		
Monitoring Arrangements		Quarterly progress reports against actions identified in the Local Studies and Archives Plan are submitted to the Client Unit for review. Any proposed amendments to the actions for the following quarters should be submitted as part of this report and must be agreed by the Client Unit. Amendments should be based on clear evidence of changing local need.  The report should demonstrate the percentage of activities identified in the Plan that were delivered in that quarter against the programme.		
Monitoring frequ	ency	Quarterly		
Priority Rating		В		
Performance Adjustment Poin	ts	At least 90% of actions identified should be delivered ead quarter. This must include 100% of priority 1 items as identified in the plans. Performance Adjustment Points to be accrued by the Service Provider for the percentage of actions delivered in accordance with the table below:  91% - 100%: 0 Performance Adjustment Points  76% - 90%: 20 Performance Adjustment Points  51% - 75%: 40 Performance Adjustment Points  26% - 50%: 60 Performance Adjustment Points  0% - 25%: 100 Performance Adjustment Points  For each incomplete Priority 1: 5 Performance  Adjustment Points item (additionally)		

SERVICE LEVEL	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 12			
Specification Reference	1.4	Service Area / Output	Local Studies and Archives – Bromley Museum Exhibitions and Collections	
Service Levels/KPIs		The Service Provider will have Museum Accreditation as detailed in the Specification.		
Monitoring Arrangements			otify the Council's Client Unit to meet this requirement and with a written statement on their accreditation which will include of they will provide an update	
Monitoring frequ	iency	Annually		
<b>Priority Rating</b>		A		
Performance Adjustment Points Adjustment Points Any failur the Speci receiving thereafter every mo except who been delabody not a		the Specification will result in receiving 150 Performance thereafter a further 5 Performance every month that it continue	Adjustment Points, and mance Adjustment Points for es to be without accreditation, evidence that accreditation has the actions of the awarding	

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 1	3	
Specification Reference	1.5	Service Area / Output	Home Library Service
Service Levels/KPIs		The Service Provider will deliver the Home Library Service to ensure that:  A user should not wait more than one month from the date of their registration for an initial visit from the Home Library Service  All beneficiaries of the service receive monthly visits.	
Monitoring Arrangements  The Service Provider will report monthly on:  New registered users for the Home Library Service, including date of registration  The date that newly registered users receive their first Total number of users of the Home Library Service  Number of users who received a monthly visit from the Home Library Service.		Home Library Service, ed users receive their first visit Home Library Service	
Monitoring frequ	iency	Monthly	
<b>Priority Rating</b>		A	
Performance Adjustment Points			oints for the percentage of sit will apply: ce Adjustment Points ce Adjustment Points
		0% - 25%: 150 Performance Adjustment Points	

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 14			
Specification Reference		Service Area / Output	NOT USED

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 15			
Specification Reference		Service Area / Output	NOT USED

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 16			
Specification Reference		Service Area / Output	NOT USED

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 17		
Specification Reference	_ ' _	

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 18			
Specification Reference		Service Area / Output	NOT USED

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 1	9		
Specification Reference	2.1	Service Area / Output	Service Management	
Service Levels/K	_	The Service Provider will pr	oduce:	
		Library Strategies		
		Medium Term Priorities		
		Annual Service Plans		
		in accordance with section 2.1 of the Specification. These documents should be produced to a good standard and submitted to the Council in accordance with the identified timescales.		
Monitoring		The Service Provider will submit the relevant documents to		
Arrangements		the Client Unit within the specified timeframe.		
Monitoring frequency  Quinquennially, annually, or as agreed between the		r as agreed between the		
		Service Provider and the Client Unit depending on the		
		document.		
Priority Rating		В		
Performance		The Service Provider will accept 2 Performance Adjustment		
Adjustment Poin	ıts	Points for every business day that the documents are		
	submitted after the specified deadlines, including any			
			Unit for re-drafting of documents	
		that do not meet the require	ed quality standards.	

SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 20			
Specification 2 Reference	Service Area / Output Customer Service and Complaints		
Service Levels/KPI	Complaints are dealt with in accordance with timeframes identified in the Service Provider's tender submission.		
	98% of complaints that are received are responded to and resolved to the Council's satisfaction within the specified timescales.		
Monitoring Arrangements	The Service Provider will maintain a log of all complaints received and a separate log of all comments received by the public. The Service Provider will log the stage at which each complaint in the Complaints Log is within their complaints resolution process.  Where a complaint has been through all stages in the Service Provider's complaint's resolution process, but has not been resolved and has therefore been referred to the Council, there complaints will be treated as unresolved until the Client Unit advise the Service Provider that they have been resolved.  The Service Provider will submit a monthly report which summarises feedback from customers and which includes the main complaints received. The Client Unit may request the latest version of the complaints log and comments log		
	and the Service Provider must provide it on the next business day.		
Monitoring frequer	Monthly		
Priority Rating	A		
Performance Adjustment Points	At least 98% of complaints should be responded to within the specified timeframe. The Service Provider will receive the following number Performance Adjustment Points for the percentage of complaints responded to within the specified timeframes:  98% - 100%: 0 Performance Adjustment Points 76% – 97%: 10 Performance Adjustment Points 51% - 75%: 20 Performance Adjustment Points 26% - 50%: 50 Performance Adjustment Points 0% - 25%: 75 Performance Adjustment Points		

SERVICE LEVEL	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 21			
Specification Reference	2.5	Service Area / Output	Library Management System and Archives Management System	
Service Levels/KPIs		The Library Management System and Archive Management System are available for staff and back office transactions during the Minimum Opening Hours, except where there is planned outage which is agreed with the Client Unit at least 24 hours in advance.		
Monitoring Arrangements	nitoring The Service Provider will maintain record of the availabil		fy the Client Unit of any failure e level. The Client Unit must be ersion of these records at any ler must provide it no later than uld be reported to the Council's relephone or by email and	
Monitoring frequ	ency	Monthly		
Priority Rating		Α		
Performance Adjustment Poin	its	Where the systems are not available within the Minimum Opening Hours except where services are suspended as agreed with the Client Unit in writing and in advance, the Service Provider will accept the following Performance Adjustment Points:  1 hour – 3 hours 29 minutes: 5 Performance Adjustment Points  3 hours 30 minutes – 6 hours 59 minutes: 10 Performance Adjustment Points  Full day (7 hours or more): 20 Performance Adjustment Points		

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 2	2	
Specification Reference	2.6	Service Area / Output	Stock Purchasing
Service Levels/KPIs  The Service Provider will produce an annual Stock Plan which demonstrates how they will deliver the Stock Policy for the relevant year. This plan should identify the budge for stock purchasing, the Service Provider's intended providers, the timeframe for the supply chain to get stock libraries and make it shelf ready, and their specification for stock purchasing, based on clear evidence that identifies how the stock purchase will meet the needs of service users.		ey will deliver the Stock Policy s plan should identify the budget ervice Provider's intended r the supply chain to get stock to eady, and their specification for clear evidence that identifies	
Arrangements  The Service Provider will provide a monthly update on annual Stock Plan, indicating how it is delivering the implementation of the Stock Policy including the amount that they have spent on stock, the quantity of items purchased, what they have purchased and how they have purchased it.		ng how it is delivering the k Policy including the amount ck, the quantity of items	
Monitoring frequ	iency	Monthly	
<b>Priority Rating</b>		В	
Performance Adjustment Poir	nts	Where the Service Provider deviates from the Stock Plan without the prior written consent of the Client Unit, the Service Provider will incur 10 Performance Adjustment Points for each deviation.	

SERVICE LEVEL	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 23		
Specification Reference	2.8	Service Area / Output	Business Continuity
Service Levels/KPIs  The Service Provider shall update their Business Conting Plan on an annual basis or when required by any significant change that impacts on operations, and supply a copy to Client Unit.		when required by any significant	
<b>Monitoring Arrangements</b> The Service Provider will provide the Client Unit with an electronic copy of their Business Continuity Plan by the agreed submission date.			
Monitoring frequ	ency	Annually	
<b>Priority Rating</b>	Rating C		
Performance Adjustment Poin	its	The Service Provider will receive 5 Performance Adjustment Points for every week that the plan is not submitted after the specified deadline.	

SERVICE LEVEL	SERVICE LEVEL/KPI: 24		
Specification Reference	2.9	Service Area / Output	Mobilisation and Exit Planning
Service Levels/K	Pls	The Service Provider shall update their Exit Plan on an annual basis and supply a copy to the Client Unit.	
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will provide the Client Unit with an electronic copy of their Exit Plan by the stated date.	
Monitoring frequency		Annually	
Priority Rating		С	
Performance Adjustment Poin	formance The Service Provider will receive 5 Performance Adjustn		

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 2	5					
Specification Reference	3.3 and 3.10	Service Area / Output	Cleaning and Housekeeping				
Service Levels/K	(PIs	The level of cleanliness must be visibly acceptable: Floors should be litter and dust free, and free from spillages, spoilages, stains and scuff marks. Furniture, fixtures and fittings should be mark, stain, graffiti and smear free and should have a polished appearance. Walls should be kept mark and stain free Windows and glass partitions should be cleaned so that there are no marks or smears Chewing gum should be removed from floors, fixtures and fittings Toilets should be cleaned appropriately and with germicidal detergent solutions. Waste bins and containers should be regularly emptied and disposal should be hygienic. Kitchen areas should be cleaned so that all dirt, debris, spillages, grease and timescale is removed using appropriate agents.					
Monitoring Arrangements		The Client Unit reserve the right to inspect the libraries at any moment in time and without giving notice, but will undertake a quarterly check of cleanliness at each library via a planned monitoring tour. The Client Unit anticipate spot check libraries in response to complaints and reserve the right to undertake mystery shopper exercises in this respect.  The Service Provider will keep a daily log of any issues with cleanliness and the cleaning undertaken, including the period within which issues were rectified which must be available to the Client Unit within 24 hours of their request.  The Service Provider will maintain up to date risk assessments, including COSHH sheets relating to cleaning and make these available to the Client Unit(s) within 24 hours of their request					

Monitoring frequency	Quarterly
Priority Rating	В
Performance Adjustment Points	Where the level of cleanliness is deemed to be unsatisfactory at a library, the Service Provider will accept 30 Performance Adjustment Points in relation to any issue that is not resolved in the specified rectification period as detailed in the Monitoring Notice issued.
	The Service Provider will accept an additional sanction of 30 Performance Adjustment Points where any service area (including toilets, kitchen facilities, or significant public space) is not available due to the level of cleanliness.
	The Service Provider will accept a sanction of 30 Performance Adjustment Points if they do not maintain up to date risk assessments or COSHH sheets relating to cleaning.

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 2	7						
Specification	3.1	Service Area / Output	Building maintenance					
Reference	and 3.8							
Service Levels/K		The Service Provider will maintain library properties and undertake reactive and planned maintenance in accordance with the leases on these properties						
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will keep a record of all planned and reactive maintenance, including servicing of equipment. The Client Unit(s) may request this information at any time and it will be supplied no later than the next working day.						
Monitoring frequ	ency	Quarterly						
<b>Priority Rating</b>		В						
Performance Adjustment Poin	its	maintain the properties in a leases. (Please note that this sanction does not repla the Council's right to take a There will be a sanction who toilets, kitchen facilities, or savailable due to failure of the properties; the Service I	substantial incident of failure to ccordance with the terms of the ce the lease terms in relation to ction relating to maintenance) ere any service area (including significant public space) is not be Service Provider to maintain Provider will accrue an endiustment Points in relation olived in the specified					

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 2	8				
Specification Reference	2.4	Service Area / Output	Staff management			
Service Levels/K	Pls	The Service Provider will train and manage staff, including the application of disciplinary procedures, in accordance with the Specification and the contract terms.				
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will maintain a record of all staff training and all disciplinary action taken against staff.  The Client Unit(s) may request this information at any time and it is to be provided no later than the next working day.				
Monitoring frequ	ency	Monthly				
<b>Priority Rating</b>		C				
Performance Adjustment Poin	its	Adjustment Points for each has failed to properly train	will accept 10 Performance in identified incident in which it or manage staff, as set out in PI is in addition to the contract			

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 2	9					
Specification Reference	2.7	Service Area / Output	Managing the Council's reputation				
Service Levels/K	Pls	The Service Provider will manage the Council's reputation in accordance with the Specification					
Monitoring Arrangements		The Service Provider will liaise with the Client Unit regarding all external communications.					
		The Service Provider will main libraries.	anage the display of materials				
		in accordance with the duty					
		reputation and in accordance with its policy on social media use (which is to be agreed annually with the Client Unit)					
Monitoring frequ	ency	Monthly					
Priority Rating		A					
Performance Adjustment Poin	its	The Service Provider will accept 30 Performance Adjustment Points for each incident in which it engages in external communications (including entering into discussions with the press) without the prior consent of the Client Unit.					
		The Service Provider will accept 15 Performance Adjustment Points for each incident of misuse of social media by staff or other representatives of the Service Provider, in accordance with its policy on social media.					
		The Service Provider will accept 15 Performance Adjustment Points for each incident of the display of materials in a library that is outside of the agreed notice display policy and that is deemed to pose a reputational					

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 3	0						
Specification Reference	N/A	Service Area / Output	Responding to information requests					
Service Levels/K	Pls	The Service Provider will respond to information requests by the Client Unit as set out in this document						
Monitoring Arrangements		Where a deadline for respo in the log document (i.e. ad not recorded as standard m the Service Provider will ag	aintain a log of information it, including response times.  Inding to a request is not set out hoc requests for information ionitoring), the Client Unit and ree a deadline for providing the in 1 working day of the request					
Monitoring frequ	ency	Monthly						
Priority Rating		C						
Performance Adjustment Poin	its	The Service Provider will accept 5 Performance Adjustment Points for each day that it is late in providing information requested by the Client Unit.						

SERVICE LEVEL	/KPI: 3	1							
Specification	N/A	Service Area / Output	Quality Systems						
Reference									
Service Levels/K	Pls	The Service Provider will implement the quality systems as							
		set out in their submitted method statement(s).							
Monitoring		The Service Provider will pr	rovide evidence that it has						
Arrangements		implemented its quality systems including the provision of							
		any certificates of accredita	<u> </u>						
		,							
		The Client Unit may audit the quality systems upon giving							
		reasonable notice in writing.							
Monitoring frequ	iency	Annually							
<b>Priority Rating</b>		В							
Performance		The Service Provider will accept 50 Performance Adjustment							
Adjustment Poin	ıts	Points for each instance tha	at they fail to follow the agreed						
		processes and strategies in implementing their quality							
		systems.							

# Appendix 2

# Bromley Library branch Activity attendance (April – June 2018)

[April]		ВНІ	BEC	BAS	CEN	СНІ	HAY	мот	ORP	PEN	PWO	SHO	scu	SPC	www	Total
Childrens Brents									l							
Regular																
(Chatterbooks, Craft sessions,	No. of Events	12	13	12	11	12	9	20	9	12	14	10	12	16	16	178
Legodub, etc.)	Total No. of Attendees	84	300	76	253	180	93	136	188	100	156	97	77	99	188	2,027
Che-off or Seesonal (World Book Day,	No. of Events	5		9	2	2	5	1			5		1		7	37
Halloween, etc)	Total No. of Attendees	36		51	42	10	55	15			21		4		112	346
Adults Brents																
Regular (Readinggroups,	No. of Events	8	16	2	7	3	2	5	5	4	7	4	2	3	3	71
Knit and Knatter, etc.)	Total No. of Attendees	74	32	11	38	30	23	64	124	16	32	37	13	26	58	578
One-off or Sessonal	No. of Events	o			0		1	O							0	1
	Total No. of Attendees	0			0		1	0							0	1
Totals:	No. of Events	25	29	23	20	17	17	26	14	16	26	14	15	19	26	287
	Total No. of Attendees	194	332	138	333	220	172	215	312	116	209	134	94	125	358	2,952
[May]		BHI	BBC	BAS	CEN	СНІ	HAY	MOT	CRP	PEN	PWO	SHO	sœu	SPC	ww	Total
Childrens Brents																
Regular (Chatterbooks, Chaft sessions,	Na. of Events	16	19	10	18	19	12	19	15	14	21	14	15	16	28	236
Legodub, etc.)	Total No. of Attendees	83	316	54	467	457	129	140	389	114	239	132	92	117	328	3,057
One-off or Sessonal (World Book Day,	No. of Events	2		2	1	1	1	3		1	13			2	4	30
Halloween, etc)	Total No. of Attendees	16		13	40	11	11	42		11	39			11	40	234
Adults Brents																
Regular (Readinggroups,	No. of Events	9	8	2	8	3	2	5	5	4	8	4	2	5	3	68
Knit and Knatter, etc.)	Total No. of Attendees	75	27	14	37	37	23	53	134	21	51	47	10	44	61	634
One-off or Seasonal	No. of Events	٥	1		0					1	2			1	0	5
dedicional description	Total No. of Attendees	٥	26		o					4	4			1	0	35
Totals:	No. of Brents	27	28	14	27	23	15	27	20	20	44	18	17	24	35	339
	Total No. of Attendees	174	369	81	544	505	163	235	523	150	333	179	102	173	429	3,960
[June]		BHI	BBC	BAS	ŒN	сні	HAY	мот	ORP	PEN	PWO	SHO	sau	SPC	www	Total
Childrens Brents																
Regular (Chatterbooks,	No. of Events	17	21	14	18	27	14	27	15	4	17	19	16	20	26	255
Craft sessions, Legodub, etc.)	Total No. of Attendees	109	465	120	485	367	110	234	371	20	206	190	138	168	330	3,313
One-off or Seasonal (Mortol Book Day,	Na. of Events	1	2	2	0	1	2	3	1		5			1	1	19
Halloween, etc)	Total No. of Attendees	6	20	32	0	30	16	24	12		69			2	15	226
Adults Brents																
Regular (Readinggroups,	No. of Events	7	7	3	8	3	2	6	5	4	8	6	1	3	3	66
Knit and Knatter, etc)	Total No. of Attendees	74	28	16	31	40	21	57	148	20	40	55	8	26	38	602
One-off or Sessonal	No. of Events	2	1		0	1					1				0	5
	Total No. of Attendees	11	7		0	13					4				0	35
Totals:	No. of Brents	27	31	19	26	32	18	36	21	8	31	25	17	24	30	345
	Total No. of Attendees	200	520	168	516	450	147	315	531	40	319	245	146	196	383	4,176