RFP 270001727 - Coolidge ISD

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Close Date:
12/1/2026 10:00:00 AM CST

Q&A Close Date:
10/27/2026 10:00:00 AM CST

Bid Criteria

Purchasing decisions will be based on the following criteria:

Criteria	Points
Price of Eligible service/product	25
Reputation of vendor and vendor's service/product	20
Service/product meets school needs	20
Quality of vendor's service/product	15
Past relationship with vendor	15
Total long term cost to the school	5

RFP Requirements

Addendum #2: (10/27/2026) The Q&A for this RFP has closed and the final Q&A transcript has been uploaded into EPC as of **10/27/2026**.

Addendum #1: (10/21/2026) The Q&A close date for this RFP has been extended from **10/21/2026 @ 10:00 AM CST** to **10/27/2026 @ 10:00 AM CST** and the close date for this RFP has been extended from **11/18/2026 @ 10:00 AM CST** to **12/1/2026 @ 10:00 AM CST.**

All proposals need to be submitted through this system to be accepted. No phone calls concerning this application will be accepted. All communication about this RFP will only be provided via the Q&A section of this RFP in which questions and answers will be posted publicly. Responses received after the stated deadline may be deemed non-responsive. All vendors must comply with Texas Education Agency Financial Accountability Guidelines found in Module 5: Purchasing.

Specific Requirements:

- All proposals should be received by the Bid Close Date. Any offer, modification, revision, or withdrawal of an offer received after this Close Date may not be considered unless it is determined that an untimely submission was due to circumstances beyond the vendors control, a consideration of the offer would be in the best interest of the applicant, or the offer is the only proposal received.
- For all of the items/services listed in this Request for Proposal, please consider services that are equivalent, more/less in quantity, better and/or more cost effective when submitting proposals.
- If installation is requested, then installation must be included with the equipment and/or service requested. Otherwise, the bid may be considered non-responsive.
- All equipment on this request is for owned equipment. Unless otherwise stated, any leased equipment responses may be deemed non-responsive.
- In the event that no bids are received in a certain service category, we may solicit cost-effective bids after the Bid Close Date.

- If special construction charges apply, please include the option for installment payments of up to 4 years for the applicants non-discounted share.
- All contracts are contingent upon funding by the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of the Universal Services Administrative Company (USAC) unless otherwise agreed upon by district.
- All pricing provided in the proposal should be in accordance with the Lowest Corresponding Price rule.
- Service providers may include contingency fees in their bid responses if they deem it a necessary item and the fees are reasonable and a regular business practice. These fees should be included based on the situation/circumstances to provide the service/products. These charges should be separate from any other charges and clearly listed in the proposal. The fees will only be paid if the service/products are completed.
- Proposers should separate the cost of eligible services/products from non-eligible services/products and clearly indicate this separation on the proposal.
- When Software and Licenses are requested, Proposer should identify if it is a Managed License or Internal Connections.
- Proposer must be in good standing with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and does not have a red-light status. If there is a red-light status, the contract will become null and void without penalty to the applicant.
- Proposers will be held responsible for complying with all E-Rate program rules. No gifts shall be offered or accepted by the applicant at any time.
- All submitted bids should include contracts and the contracts should also include the option for voluntary extensions unless they are month to month services.
- Submitted bids should include scalability of bandwidth during the terms of the contract.
- A manufacturer's multi-year warranty for a period up to three years that is provided as an integral part of an eligible component, without a separately identifiable cost, may be included in the cost of the component.

Requested Services and/or Equipment

Internal Connections

Function	Mfg or Equivalent	Model	Quantity	Unit	Install & Config	Campus
Switches, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	USW-Pro-Max-48-PoE	4	Each	Yes	District Wide
Approximately (4) or more Ubiquiti USW-Pro-Max-48-PoE switches or equivalent and all relevant components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for Coolidge ISD.						
Switches, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	USW-Pro-Max-24-PoE	4	Each	Yes	District Wide
Approximately (4) or more Ubiquiti USW-Pro-Max-24-PoE switches or equivalent and all relevant components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for Coolidge ISD.						
Switches, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	10GB Multimode Fiber Modules	16	Each	Yes	District Wide
Approximately (4) or more Ubiquiti 10GB Multimode Fiber Modules or equivalent and all relevant components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for Coolidge ISD.						
Cabling & All Related Components	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	Multimode Fiber Cables	24	Feet	Yes	District Wide
Approximately 8 or more 3-foot Ubiquiti or equivalent multimode fiber cables (approximately 24 feet total) for Coolidge ISD.						

Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections

Function	Manufacturer	Install & Config	Quantity	Support Hours	Campus
Software & Licenses - Switches	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	No	24	0.00	District Wide
Software and licenses supporting all relevant components requested used to distribute high-speed broadband throughout school buildings.					

Locations

DMARC?	Name	Address
Yes	Coolidge Elementary	1002 Kirven Street Coolidge, TX 76635
No	Coolidge Jr-Sr High School	1002 Kirven Street Coolidge, TX 76635

Additional Information

RFP Q&A

Thank you for the opportunity. A few questions to price the install accurately: (1) Are the eight switches replacing existing switches one for one in the same racks? How many network closets are there, and is there rack space and a power outlet (or existing UPS) for each new switch? (2) For the 16 10G multimode modules: is the existing fiber between closets multimode with LC connectors already terminated and tested, or should the bid include new fiber patching or termination? (3) Is there an existing UniFi controller or Cloud Gateway the new switches should be adopted into, and should the current VLANs and port settings be copied over as is? (4) Should the work be scheduled outside school hours, and is there a required completion date? (5) Should the old switches be removed and left with the district, or removed and recycled by the vendor? (6) Will the district use SPI or BEAR for invoicing? (7) Is a site visit possible before the bid date?

asked on 10/15/2026 7:26:39 PM by DKInfraEdge LLC

(1) Are the eight switches replacing existing switches one for one in the same racks? How many network closets are there, and is there rack space and a power outlet (or existing UPS) for each new switch? Yes, they are one-for-one, same racks, 3 closets. (2) For the 16 10G multimode modules: is the existing fiber between closets multimode with LC connectors already terminated and tested, or should the bid include new fiber patching or termination? Should include new fiber patching (3) Is there an existing UniFi controller or Cloud Gateway the new switches should be adopted into, and should the current VLANs and port settings be copied over as is? Yes, there is a gateway in place, and VLANs and port settings should be copied over (4) Should the work be scheduled outside school hours, and is there a required completion date? Yes, ideally outside of school hours. I don't have a specific completion date. (5) Should the old switches be removed and left with the district, or removed and recycled by the vendor? It would be best to have the vendor recycle them, but it doesn't have to be that way. (6) Will the district use SPI or BEAR for invoicing? SPI (7) Is a site visit possible before the bid date? No

Attachments

There are no attachments.