



ZAMBIA EDUCATIONAL PUBLISHING HOUSE

INVITATION FOR BIDS

TENDER FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF PRINTING FORM 1 AND FORM 2 COURSE BOOKS FOR ZEPH BOOKSTORES AND SYLLABI MATERIALS FOR GRADES 4-6 TENDER NO. ZEPH/PRINTING SERVICES/ONB/02/2025

The Zambia Educational Publishing House (ZEPH) is a statutory body established by the Act of Parliament Cap 237 of the Laws of Zambia with the mandate of publishing, printing and distributing school textbooks and other educational materials and resources.

ZEPH invites citizens and **local bidders only** to participate in the tender for

printing of course books for ZEPH book stores and Syllabi materials for Grades 4-6 under the categories listed in the table below:

Please note that the printing of these books **MAY INCLUDE PRINTING THE SAME BOOKS IN BRAILLE WHICH INCLUDES TRANSCRIBING AND PRINTING.**

LOTS	QTY	PRINTING SERVICES	EXTENT	SPECIFICATIONS
LOT 1		1 (Learners') 1 (Teachers')		Cover Board and Finish: 240 – 250gsm UV Teachers' Books
		2 (Learners') 2 Teachers')		
LOT 2		1 (Learners') 1 (Teachers')		
		150,000 books Form 2 Part 2 (Learners') 3,800 books Form 2 Part 2 (Teachers')		
LOT 3		Form 1 (Learners') 3,800 books Form 1 (Teachers')	144 168	
		150,000 books Form 2 (Learners') 3,800 books Form 2 Teachers')	166 168	
LOT 4		60,000 books Form 1 (Learners') 1,555 books Form 1 (Teachers')	96 81	
		books Form 2 (Learners') 1,555 books Form 2 (Teachers')	105 51	
		55,000 books Form 1 (Learners') 1,555 books Form 1 (Teachers')	168 111	

LOT 7		1 (Learners') 1 (Teachers')		- Inside Paper text: 140 – - Cover Board Quality: 230 gsm – 300 gsm Gloss - Size: 11.5" x 11"
		2 (Learners') 2 Teachers')	194	
LOT 8		(Learners') books Form 1 (Teachers')	144 168	
		0 books Form 2 (Learners') Teachers')	166 168	
		0 books Form 1 (Learners')	96	
		books Form 1 (Teachers')	81	
		books Form 2 (Learners') books Form 2 (Teachers')	105 51	
		books Form 1 (Learners') books Form 1 (Teachers')	133 107	
		books Form 2 (Learners') books Form 2 (Teachers')	108 161	

		books Form 2 (Learners')	105	
		1,555 books Form 2 (Teachers')	51	
		55,000 books Form 1 (Learners')	168	
		1,555 books Form 1 (Teachers')	111	
			143	
		65,000books Form 1 (Learners')	197	
		Teachers')	160	
		65,000 books Form 1 (Learners')	98	
LOT 5				
		65,000 books Form 1 (Learners')	196	
		2,200 books Form 1 (Learners')	79	
		65,000 books Form 1 (Learners')	128	
		3,500 books Form 1 (Teachers')	51	
		65,000 books Form 2 (Learners')	124	
		3,500 books Form 2 (Teachers')	82	
		55,000 books Form 1 (Learners')	133	
		1,150 books Form 1 (Teachers')	107	
		55,000 books Form 2 (Learners')	108	
		1,150 books Form 2 (Teachers')	161	
		books Form 1 (Learners')	138	
LOT 6		yllabus Grades 4 – 6		
			45	
			37	
			54	
			31	
			48	
			38	
			36	
			58	

		books Form 1 (Learners')	133	
		books Form 1 (Teachers')	107	
		books Form 2 (Learners')	108	
		books Form 2 (Teachers')	161	
		books Form 1 (Learners')	168	
		books Form 1 (Teachers')	111	
		books Form 1 (Learners')	138	
			143	
LOT 9	16,580	books Form 1 (Learners')		
		books Form 1 (Teachers')	128	
			51	
		00 books Form 2 (Learners')		
		books Form 2 (Teachers')	124	
			82	
LOT 10		00books Form 1 (Learners')	197	
		books Form 1 (Teachers')	160	
LOT 11		books Form 1 (Learners')	196	
		books Form 1 (Learners')	79	
LOT 12		books Form 1 (Learners')	98	
	52,840			

Key requirements

- ufficient industrial printing machinery
- dequate staffing and capacity to print over a million books
- alid Certificate of Incorporation (PACRA)
- alid ZRA tax clearance
- APSA Compliance Certificate

Bidding will be conducted through Open National Bidding using the Electronic Government Procurement System (e-GP) and the closing date for bid submission will be **22nd December, 2025 14:00 hrs.**

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