POSITION DESCRIPTION

Title: Itinerant Speech-Language Therapist for Exceptional Student Education

Qualifications:

1. Currently holds a Florida's certificate in speech-language pathology pursuant to Ch. 468, F.S.
2. Master's degree or higher from an accredited institution with a major in speech-language pathology.

Reports To: Coordinator of Exceptional Student Education

Job Goal: To provide speech-language therapy sessions to identified students, provide screening and diagnostic evaluations, and implements best therapy practices.

Performance Responsibilities:

1. Assists in the identification of pre-kindergarten students via screenings, as referred.
2. Provides individual and small group speech-language therapy.
3. Assesses referred students through appropriate evaluation procedures for initial referrals and re-evaluations.
4. Provides consultative services to administrators, teachers, staff, and parents in regards to speech-language concerns, as deemed necessary.
5. Serves as a committee members at IEP staffing meetings. Coordinates and conducts initial evaluations, IEP reviews, and three-year re-evaluations.
6. Participates as a committee member on school-based Child Study Team.
7. Participates in the coordination of services or pre-kindergarten students.
8. Collaborates with personnel in community health, interagency councils, and social welfare agencies.
9. Maintains complete and correct records as required by law, district policy, and administrative regulations.
10. Continues to work to demonstrate knowledge of and compliance with state and district policies and procedures related to students with speech-language impairments.
11. Demonstrates knowledge and utilization of current research and best practices in the provision of services to students with speech-language impairments.
12. Assists with inservice training of school personnel.
13. Maintains appropriate certification requirements as mandated by Florida Department of Education.
14. Additional duties as deemed by the Coordinator of Exceptional Student Education.

Terms of Employment:

Ten plus one (10 + 1) months unless otherwise deemed by the Board . Salary is based on the adopted salary schedule for instructional personnel.

Evaluation:

Performance of this position will be evaluated annually by the ESE Coordinator in accordance with board policy for evaluation of instructional personnel.