

Morris Jeff Community School is seeking a qualified speech-language pathologist to join our school team! In this position, you will play a key role in evaluating, diagnosing, and treating a broad range of communication disorders in students.

Speech Pathologist Duties and Responsibilities:

- **Screening, Testing, Diagnosing and Consulting**
  - Serve as a member of the school's Student Assistance Team (SAT); attend SAT meetings as part of the Response to Intervention (RTI) process upon request
  - Develop research-supported speech and language interventions for classroom implementation
  - Keep organized the current data collection for students in RTI and Special Education
  - Conduct initial evaluations and reevaluations and administer necessary and requested assessments
  - Write reports using a reader friendly index and explain to parents and students evaluation findings in clear, understandable language with cultural sensitivity
- **Conduct Therapy**
  - Provide group and individual sessions as indicated by the Individual Education Plan (IEP)
  - Write annual IEP goals/objectives in language that empowers students to transfer intervention strategies to classroom and academic performance
  - Participate in annual IEP meetings, as needed
  - Write daily progress notes to track data specific to IEP goals/objectives
  - Write progress reports toward achieving goals and objectives on IEPs to be sent home with report cards every 9 weeks
- **Collaborate with Teachers, Parents and Other Providers**
  - Provide consultation on services in inclusive settings to the maximum extent possible
  - Maintain positive, supportive relationships with families
- **Professional Development**
  - Remain knowledgeable of current trends, federal and state regulations in the field of speech-language pathology and special education to ensure competency
  - Keep certifications and licensure current

Additionally, excellent candidates for the Speech-Language Pathologist will have prior clinical or school-based experience providing speech and language therapy to students, demonstrated ability to work well on a team, strong project management and organizational skills as well as strong communication skills.

Perform any additional duties as assigned by the employee's supervisor.

Speech Pathologist Requirements and Qualifications:

- Possesses a master's degree
- CCC-SLP preferred but will consider a strong CF-SLP candidate
- Valid Louisiana license
- Ability to travel between school sites