



Pickens County Board of Education Job Descriptions

SPEECH THERAPIST

TITLE/POSITION

RETIREMENT: Teacher Retirement System of Georgia

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: 190 Days

REPORTS TO: Director of Special Education and Principal

QUALIFICATIONS: 1. Valid Georgia certification on Speech Pathology.

EVALUATION: Performance of this job will be evaluated annually in accordance with provisions of the Board's Policy on evaluation.

PERFORMANCE

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- To organize and direct the speech/language program of the school system to include training, scheduling and immediate oversight.
- Demonstrate knowledge of federal, state and local due process guidelines and requirements.
- Ensure adherence by staff to all federal, state and local due process guidelines and requirements.
- Assist in program development for all populations of children with communicatively handicapping conditions.
- Work with appropriate personnel to develop, implement and monitor programs for communicatively handicapped children.
- Serve as a contact person to the schools and community in regard to programs for children with communication impairment.
- Remain abreast of current trends and developments within the fields of education and Speech-Language Pathology.
- Participate in training programs to increase skills and proficiency related to the assignment.
- Review current developments, literature, and technical source information related to job responsibilities.
- Ensure adherence to good safety procedures.
- Follow federal and state laws, as well as Board policies.
- Perform other duties as assigned.