

SHANGHAI AMERICAN SCHOOL

JOB DESCRIPTION

TITLE: SPEECH AND LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST, PUDONG CAMPUS

SCALE: Expatriate Faculty Salary Scale

POSITION SUMMARY:

The Speech and Language Pathologist will be primarily responsible for identifying children's developmental speech and communication difficulties/disorders and working with families on a one-to-one basis, and in groups, to deliver therapy. Tasks include devising, implementing and revising relevant treatment programs, planning and delivering training sessions, and writing and maintaining confidential case notes and reports.

SUPERVISED, EVALUATED BY & REPORTS TO:

Head of Campus

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Master's degree in Speech Pathology
- Must hold a Certificate of Clinical Competence in Speech-Language Pathology (CCC-SLP) by earning a graduate degree and successfully completing the required clinical experiences, including passing a national examination
- Professional practice experience in schools and clinical settings with work primarily focused on children
- Excellent communication skills, ability to work cooperatively with parents, faculty and administration
- Professional demeanor and presentation
- Knowledge and use of Word processing and Excel
- Ability to organize and prioritize work independently

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Work to prevent, assess, diagnose, and treat speech, language, social communication, cognitive-communication and swallowing disorders in children
- SLP testing and evaluation
- Provide aural rehabilitation for individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing (hearing aids/FM systems)
- In-classroom student observations and modeling
- Provide training and education to family, caregivers, and other professionals
- Provide direct therapy
- Provide indirect and Group Therapy (e.g. Social Language Groups)
- Kindergarten and Preschool development language screening
- Plan and deliver S&L education sessions for nurses (hearing concerns), teaching assistants, and others as needed
- Attend any relevant meetings related to students that attend Speech Therapy
- Work collaboratively with professionals from many other disciplines
- Additional duties as assigned

SAS BELIEVES:

- That each employee makes a significant contribution to our success
- That contributions should not be limited by the assigned responsibilities

Therefore, this position description is designed to outline primary duties, qualifications, and job scope, but not limit the employee nor SAS to only the work identified. It is the expectation of the school, that each employee will offer his/her services wherever and whenever necessary to ensure the success of our organization.