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**ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL STAFF
JOB DESCRIPTIONS**

POSITION TITLE: SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

REPORTS TO: Administrator, Educational Support Services and appropriate school principals.

JOB SUMMARY: To provide speech language pathology services to school aged children.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- a) School clinician's certificate issued by Manitoba Education.
- b) Master's Degree in Speech Pathology or equivalent.
- c) Registered member of the Manitoba Speech and Hearing Association.
- d) Strong oral and written communication skills.
- e) Demonstrated ability to work as part of an interdisciplinary team.
- f) Previous experience desirable.

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Assesses and diagnoses students with language, speech sound production, fluency and/or voice disorders/delays.
- Provides appropriate individualized programming to meet the individual needs of students with speech and language impairments.
- Assists and guides school personnel in observing, describing, and referring students with suspected and/or identified speech and language impairments.
- Participates in the screening of kindergarten students for speech and language impairments.

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- Consults and collaborates with classroom teachers and other school staff members to implement strategies that will facilitate the development of speech and language skills.
- Provides information, support, and counselling to parents and families when appropriate.
- Provides professional development and serves as a consultant to school personnel on topics related to speech language pathology.
- Maintains accurate and current records for individual students receiving speech language pathology services.
- Assists in the referral of individuals to outside agencies/specialists in the community as required.
- Participates in professional development activities in speech language pathology and other related areas.
- Keeps current of new developments in the field.
- Attends staff, professional, and interagency meetings as required.
- Assumes other duties as assigned.

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