



Speech-Language Pathologist Assistant (SLPA)

Position Overview

The Speech-Language Pathologist Assistant (SLPA) works under the supervision and guidance of the SLP to deliver speech-language therapy services aligned with each student's Individualized Education Program (IEP). The SLPA helps students build communication, social, and self-regulation skills that support lifelong independence and well-being.

Key Responsibilities

- Provide direct speech-language therapy services under SLP supervision.
- Support communication, language, and social skill development across school and community settings.
- Collect and record accurate data on student progress toward IEP goals.
- Collaborate with teachers, assistants, and families to ensure consistent support.
- Participate in IEP meetings, training sessions, and team collaborations.
- Help create and implement individualized materials and therapy plans.
- Promote a positive, respectful, and engaging learning environment for all students.

Qualifications

License: California Speech-Language Pathology Assistant (SLPA)

Education: Bachelor's degree in Communication Disorders, Education, Psychology, or related field

Experience:

- Minimum 2 years working with individuals on the autism spectrum or with developmental disabilities
- At least 1 year supporting nonverbal individuals using AAC systems

Skills & Attributes

- Knowledge of child development, communication strategies, and AAC systems
- Excellent communication, organization, and teamwork skills
- Proficiency in Google Workspace
- Compassionate, flexible, and patient approach with students
- Ability to collect and analyze progress data
- Collaborative mindset and commitment to professional growth

Physical & Safety Requirements

- Ability to actively engage with students, including standing, walking, and lifting up to 25 lbs.
- Must complete Safety-Care certification (provided by Creekside) to support students safely and effectively.