

PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD  
FLORIDA

**TEACHER / THERAPIST (ESE)**

PCSB: 2201 Audiologist  
2040 Physical Therapist  
2041 Occupational Therapist  
3200 Teacher, Hourly, Other  
2319 Teacher, Other  
2050 Teacher, Speech Correction PT  
4275 Teacher, Substitute  
2327 Teacher on Special Assignment

FLSA: Exempt  
Instructional

**MAJOR FUNCTION:**

This is an instructional position responsible for Exceptional Student Education (ESE) programs and/or support services for exceptional students.

**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Instructs and/or provides therapy to exceptional students.
- Participates in Staffing Team and other professional meetings.
- Maintains appropriate ESE student records.
- Keeps parents informed on the progress of their children.
- Assists regular education teachers in making referrals and understanding ESE programs and goals.
- Assists in improving public relations for ESE.
- Works with various community agencies.
- Provides materials appropriate to the students' needs.
- Assesses and evaluates exceptional students.
- Assists in the reporting of Full Time Equivalency (FTE).
- Performs other related duties as required.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

Certification in the appropriate exceptional student area(s). Successful student teaching and/or teaching (therapy) experience.

ISSUED: 3/82; FORMAT REVISED: 1/89; REVISED TITLE: 7/99 PBL; FORMAT REVISED: 10/04 LMCK; REVISED WC: 3/07/06 LMCK; REVISED TITLES COVERED BY THIS DESCRIPTION: 10/06 AK.

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by employees assigned to this classification, and they are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities and duties required of those in this classification.

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<b><u>WORKING CONDITIONS &amp; PHYSICAL EFFORT:</u></b>	Seldom Or Never	Monthl y	Weekly	Daily	Hourly
1. Lift objects weighing up to 20 pounds				X	
2. Lift objects weighing 21 to 50 pounds	X				
3. Lift objects weighing 51 to 100 pounds	X				
4. Lift objects weighing more than 100 pounds	X				
5. Carry objects weighing up to 20 pounds				X	
6. Carry objects weighing 21 to 50 pounds	X				
7. Carry objects weighing 51 to 100 pounds	X				
8. Carry objects weighing 100 pounds or more	X				
9. Standing up to one hour at a time				X	
10. Standing up to two hours at a time				X	
11. Standing for more than two hours at a time	X				
12. Stooping and bending		X			
13. Ability to reach and grasp objects					X
14. Manual dexterity or fine motor skills					X
15. Color vision, the ability to identify and distinguish colors				X	
16. Ability to communicate orally					X
17. Ability to hear					X
18. Pushing or pulling carts or other such objects		X			
19. Proofreading and checking documents for accuracy					X
20. Using a keyboard to enter and transform words or data					X
21. Using a video display terminal					X
22. Working in a normal office environment with few physical discomforts					X
23. Working in an area that is somewhat uncomfortable due to drafts, noise, temperature variation, or other conditions	X				
24. Working in an area that is very uncomfortable due to extreme temperature, noise levels, or other conditions	X				
25. Working with equipment or performing procedures where carelessness would probably result in minor cuts, bruises or muscle pulls	X				
26. Operating automobile, vehicle, or van	X				
27. Other physical, mental or visual ability required by the job	X				

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