

## JOB DESCRIPTION

Langley Park School for Girls is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment.

Title:

Speech & Language Therapist

Postholder:

**Date Appointed:** 

**Salary Point:** 

Scale 5

**Hours** 

2.5 days per week (hours can be flexible) 38 weeks per year

**Date of this Job Description** September 2019

Line Manager:

Assistant Head Inclusion/ SENCo

Job Purpose:

To develop and engrain a tailored speech and language provision at LPGS in order to support the progress and needs of students with speech and language difficulties.

Schools are complex organisations designed to support the learning of our young people. The better the education they receive, the greater their life chances and choices they will have. All young people deserve a world class education. This is only possible when everyone within a school works as part of a team, regardless of their role, to support the creation of effective and inspiring teaching & learning experiences.

## **Job Purpose:**

To support teaching staff in delivering the highest quality learning experiences in order that all our students achieve their potential.

To support the outcomes of young people by performing the following Duties and Responsibilities.

## **Duties and Responsibilities**

Duties may include any of the following:

To provide assessment of students identified as having speech and language difficulties

To provide speech and language therapy for identified students based on assessment of need

To work closely with the SENCO to develop new systems to ensure early identification of students with speech and language needs

To work flexibly depending on the needs of the students, providing 1:1 and small group therapy

To develop programmes of intervention with clear outcomes against which progress can be measured

To develop systems to assess, monitor and review progress of students with speech and language needs

To produce reports for staff, professionals and parents/carers as required

To deliver training to relevant groups of staff to increased skill and expertise in supporting students with speech and language difficulties

To provide advice and guidance for staff working with identified students with speech and language needs

To supervise and lead members of the Learning Support Team to deliver tailored interventions for students with speech and language needs

Agreed and signed		
Postholder	 Date	
Headteacher	 Date	