## GORHAM SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

**TITLE:** Occupational Therapist

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- 1. State of Maine Occupational Therapist license
- 2. National certification (NCBOT) preferred

**REPORTS TO:** Director/Assistant Director of Instructional Support Services and Building Principal

**JOB GOAL:** To assist the Director of Instructional Support Services in the provision of appropriate educational programming and services for students.

## **RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- 1. Evaluates motor skills, visual skills, perception, sensory motor, and grapho-motor skills.
- 2. Provides direct instruction and/or consultation for students with a variety of neurological and behavioral diagnoses.
- 3. Consults with teachers, paraprofessionals, specialized service providers, and parents.
- 4. Attends weekly pre-referral team meetings as appropriate.
- 5. Performs student observations as needed.
- 6. Coordinates with Speech & Language, Physical Therapy, and Social Work as needed.

**WORK YEAR:** Ten-month year. Salary and benefits to be established by the School Committee.

**EVALUATION:** Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the School Committee's policy on evaluation.

**NOTE:** The above job description reflects the general requirements necessary to describe the principle functions or responsibilities of the job identified and shall not be interpreted as a detailed description of all work requirements that may be inherent in the job, either at present or in the future.

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