

# Summer Thompson

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## SUMMARY

Certified speech pathologist with 19 years of experience specializing in preschool and elementary school environments. Expertise includes case management, intervention planning, treatment, and documentation. Strong communication and problem-solving abilities with a methodical approach.

## LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

ASHA Certification of Clinical Competence  
Licensed Speech-Language Pathologist, State of Georgia

## EXPERIENCE

Clinical Supervisor/Lecturer of Speech-Language Pathology, University of West Georgia, Sep 2023-Current

- Supervised student clinicians at the University of West Georgia Comprehensive Community Clinic.
- Co-taught a clinic class to instruct students how to provide therapy to clients.
- Reviewed SOAP Notes, Plans of Care, and End of Semester Reports from student clinicians.
- Guided student clinicians in making therapy plans and choosing activities to meet the goals of their client.
- Guided student clinicians in choosing new goals and monitoring goals to meet the needs of their client.
- Met with student clinicians to discuss concerns regarding their client and client's needs.
- Met with student clinicians to discuss and review their skills in the therapy room
- Taught undergraduate class, Speech & Language Acquisition
- Taught undergraduate class, Articulation & Phonological Disorders

Speech Language Pathologist, WBT Therapy Works, November 2020-July 2024

- Assessed children aged 1 year through high school ages for communicative strengths and weaknesses, specializing in articulation skills, language skills, stuttering, social skills, and feeding skills with standardized tests and assessment protocols.
- Wrote evaluation reports and daily SOAP notes
- Worked with individuals diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorders, Developmental Delay, Cerebral Palsy, Articulation and Phonological Processing Disorders, Fluency Disorders, Voice Disorders, Feeding Disorders, and Receptive, Expressive, and Social Language Disorders.
- Used EMS software to write reports and SOAP notes.
- As the lead therapist, provided training for new therapists at the company.
- Supervised student interns from Emerson University.

Adjunct Clinical Supervisor of Speech Language Pathology, University of West Georgia, Fall Semester 2021, Spring Semester 2022, Fall Semester 2022, Spring Semester 2023, Carrollton, Georgia

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Speech Language Pathologist, Carroll County Schools, August 2006-June 2020

Carroll County, Georgia

- Assessed preschool and school-age children's developmental progress, specializing in articulation skills, language skills, stuttering, and social skills with standardized tests and assessment protocols.

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- Developed Individualized Education Programs (IEP) based on individual student needs.
- Worked with individuals diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorders, Down Syndrome, Developmental Delay, Cerebral Palsy, Articulation and Phonological Processing Disorders, Fluency Disorders, Voice Disorders, and Receptive, Expressive, and Social Language Disorders.
- Used BoardMaker software to create visuals and communication aids for students to be effective communicators.
- Assessed, selected, and developed Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) systems and provided training in their use.
- Designed and maintained a website for the Preschool Assessment and Learning Services program.
- Designed and maintained a database for therapy data which was used to write annual reports by teachers and other speech therapists in the Preschool Assessment and Learning Services program.
- Conducted internal workshops for Google Calendar, Google Drive, Google Sheets, and Tiny Tap app.

Speech Language Pathologist, Ross Memorial Health Care Center, June 2006-September 2006

Kennesaw, GA

- Conducted precise assessments of patient condition and functional abilities related to swallowing, language, and voice.
- Recorded detailed prognosis, treatment, responses and progress notes in patient charts.
- Engaged families in therapy process to support patient progress.
- Demonstrated clear written and oral communications skills when working with healthcare professionals, patients and caregivers.

Speech Language Pathologist, Kids for the Future, June 2005-April 2006

Forrest City, AR

- Treated children between ages birth to five years of age with speech and language development deficits.
- Evaluated children with standardized tests and assessment protocols.
- Collaborated with physical therapists, occupational therapists and psychologists to address the needs of patients.

## **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

Master of Science Speech-Language Pathology

University of Arkansas For Medical Sciences, Little Rock AR 2005

Bachelor of Science Communication Sciences

Harding University, Searcy AR 2003