

# **POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT**

## **Occupational Therapist – Full-Time** *Deadline for Applications: July 10, 2024*

Cooperative Educational Service Agency 10 (CESA 10) is seeking a full-time, school year (190 days) Occupational Therapist based in the CESA 10 area schools. Must have pediatric experience with the ability to function on a professional team serving school-based and Birth to 3 programs.

Interested applicants must possess a Master's degree, have or be eligible for a Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction license in Occupational Therapist, have two years' experience, and possess a valid driver's license for travel to contracted district(s).

Schools provide occupational therapy when a child with a disability requires service to assist the child. Occupational therapists use purposeful activity to facilitate a child's active participation in self-maintenance; academic and vocational pursuits; and play or leisure activities that occur in school environments. Using direct and indirect services, as well as assistive technology and environmental modifications, school occupational therapists collaborate with parents, teachers and other educational staff to help implement a child's special education program. Early Intervention OT services are family focused, typically provided in a child's home/community and guided by the IFSP.

#### **Position Qualifications:**

- Successful completion of college program accredited by the American Occupational Therapy Association or the American Medical Association
- Obtain and maintain Wisconsin State Occupational Therapy License from Wisconsin State Medical Examining Board
- Obtain and maintain Department of Public Instruction certification
- Demonstrate competency in pediatric occupational therapy techniques
- Valid Driver's License
- Ability to be flexible and accommodating to changing school and student needs

#### Performance Responsibilities:

- Plan, organize, and conduct occupational therapy treatment in a school setting to improve, develop, restore, or maintain a child's active participation in self-maintenance, work, leisure, and play in education environments. Work with students to develop functional skills, allowing them to succeed.
- Adhere to the ethical standards of the profession and participate in professional growth activities and continuing education opportunities. Adhere to established rules, regulations and laws, and work cooperatively to accomplish the goals and objectives of the local education agency.

Complete job description information is located at: <u>https://www.cesa10.k12.wi.us/employment</u> - Special Education/Pupil Services.

### Why You Want to Work at CESA 10 Video – Check it out!

This is a full-time, school year (190 days) position. Salary will be competitive. An excellent benefit package will be provided which includes health, dental, life and disability insurance, retirement benefits, Wisconsin Retirement System pension, and paid time off. Interested applicants should apply on <u>WECAN</u>. Applications will be accepted until July 10, 2024.

#### Human Resources 725 W Park Ave, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

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