

FY 2026-2027 Speech Therapy Services Contract

This contract is entered into this May 15, 2026 between the Annette Island School District (District) and Omaha Occupational and Speech Therapy Services (Contractor).

Services to be provided:

- Diagnostic Assessments
- Comprehensive Assessment Reports
- Student Speech Therapist Recommendations
- Potential Treatment/IEP Goals for team to consider
- Direct and consult/collaborative based speech therapy intervention practices
- Consultation with and training of teachers and paraprofessional staff
- Monitoring of student progress
- Participation in team meetings (to be determined)

Duration of Agreement: August 15, 2026 - June 15, 2027

Contractor Payment Schedule:

Contractor will provide weekly virtual services
\$100 an hour for virtual services

Contractor Services:

Speech Therapist invoices will be sent to the district office and to the Director of Special Education. And paid within 7 days.

1. Service Delivery and Collaboration

During each scheduled virtual therapy visit, the Provider shall deliver direct speech therapy services to the designated student. When available, the Provider shall meet concurrently with classroom teachers and paraprofessionals to review student progress, discuss clinical goals, and provide specialized recommendations.

2. Student Non-Availability and Absence Protocol

In the event a student is absent or otherwise unavailable during a scheduled virtual visit, the Provider shall document the student's absence within the session report. In lieu of direct therapy, the Provider shall utilize the scheduled time to consult with available educational staff, review progress, and issue interim recommendations to be implemented until the Provider's next scheduled visit.

3. Student Referrals and Evaluation Compliance

- Regulatory Alignment: All student referrals handled by the Provider must strictly

- comply with established district and state educational guidelines.
- Prior Written Consent: The Provider shall not conduct any formal student evaluation unless a valid, signed permission/consent for evaluation form is officially on file or physically present on-site.
 - Administrative Consultation: If the Provider identifies a potential need for a student evaluation, they shall consult directly with the Director of Special Education to discuss the merits of the case prior to taking further action.

4. Additional Sessions and Rate Compensation

The schedule of visits may be expanded to include additional days or sessions, subject to the mutual written agreement of the Director of Special Education and Cailin Silcox, representing Omaha Occupational and Speech Therapy. Any such additional services shall be compensated at the approved contract rates set forth in the primary agreement.

General considerations:

This agreement may be terminated by either party if provided with an advanced written notice of at least 90 days. Contract modifications options to consider between the parties.

In case of school closure, the contractor will provide appropriate services (i.e. consultation, telex, email communications, therapy packets) to fulfill contractual obligations. The contract will be paid out as if school was in session.

In case of termination, the Contractor shall receive fair value for services performed to the date of termination.

The Contractor understands that she has independent status and shall not act as an officer, employee, or agent of the Annette Island School District. The Contractor may act in this capacity only if and when it is expressly written to this agreement.

Equal Employment Opportunity: the Contractor and the District agree to abide by any quote equal employment opportunity quote state or federal laws, which may apply to this agreement.

The Contractor agrees to provide a current certificate in business license that fulfills Alaska state requirements and regulations regarding providing services to Annette Island School District.

Cailin Silcox., MS, OTR/L Date
Omaha Occupational and Speech Therapy-Owner

Director of Special Education Date
Annette Island School District

Superintendent Date
Annette Island School District

Board President Date
Annette Island School District

Approximate Cost Analysis

Virtual direct Speech Therapy service for approximately- 30 school calendar weeks estimated 6-10 hours a week @ \$100/hour opt/district discretion on caseload minimum 6 hours.	\$18,000
Estimated cost	\$18,000