

SPEECH THERAPY

THE SAME BUT BETTER

Forming a cohesive team with one common goal: to provide quality care!



TAYLOR COUNTY SCHOOLS

The common ground of excellence where therapy, technology, and learning come together



THE SPEECH PATH

Providing therapists and facilitators who re-purpose technology to make speech treatment fun and effective



GEORGIA PARTNERSHIP FOR TELEHEALTH

Providing the technology to create an in-person experience that is similar to the speech therapy sessions students are accustomed to

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR THE STUDENT?

An enhanced speech therapy session incorporating the latest in technology and therapy delivery research. The student will enjoy more 1:1 time with appropriately trained staff to ensure classroom success.

WAIT, WAIT... EXPLAIN THIS TO ME.

We are saying we re-purpose everyday technologies our kids already know and use (think video-enhanced activities directed by an on-screen speech language pathologist AND an in-person trained facilitator in every session) in ways that will re-energize their language learning journey. *Studies show this model to be as effective as face to face therapy. But we plan to take the student's experience a step further by positioning a highly trained speech therapy facilitator in every speech session. The result is higher therapist to student ratio providing effective instruction in a way most interesting to the student and most effective for language learning.

*(Gabel, Grogan-Johnson, Alvares, Bechstein, & Taylor, 2013; Grogan-Johnson, Alvares, Rowan, & Craghead, 2010; Grogan-Johnson et al., 2011; Lewis et al., 2008; McCullough, 2001).