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**Action/Discussion Item:** Consider/Approve creating an Occupational Therapist position.

**Applicable Statutes or Regulations:** KRS 162.90 Powers and Duties of the Local Board of Education. 707 KAR 1:320 Individual Education Programs, Section 5.

**Background and major Policy Implications:** The number of low incident disabilities is on the rise in Floyd County. The number of kids needing OT services require an additional OT be hired to meet the diverse needs of our students.

**Fiscal Budgetary Impact:** Salary commensurate with the OT pay scale.

**Alternatives:** None proposed. These actions are necessary to provide an appropriate instructional program for students with special needs, to remain in compliance with Kentucky Administrative Regulations, and to ensure all students in the classes involved an appropriate educational environment.

**Recommended Action:** Approve as presented.

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**Date:** 11/10/2020

  
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