

SIMPSON COUNTY SCHOOLS
HEARING IMPAIRED SERVICES CONTRACT

This contract made and entered into the 1ST day of August, 2026 by and between:

Simpson County Schools
430 S. College Street
Franklin, KY 42134
(First Party)

(Jennie) Betsy Sutherland
P.O. Box 124
Woodburn, KY 42170
(Second Party)

Whereas, the first party desires Teacher of the Hearing Impaired (H.I.) Services for students in the Simpson County School system beginning week of August 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027.

Whereas, the second party is qualified to perform such services,

Therefore, the parties agree as follows:

1. The first party agrees to provide:
 - a. Appropriate space, equipment and supplies for the provision of services;
 - b. Access to student information reasonably necessary for the provision of services required by this agreement;
 - c. Oversight of the second party's work by the district's Special Education Supervisor; and,
 - d. Compensation of \$70.00 per hour for H.I. Services to include 2 hours of planning per week, plus mileage reimbursement equal to the district reimbursement rate. Simpson County Schools agrees to pay the H.I. Teacher for a minimum of 1 day per week and up to 2 days per week based upon an Earnings Verification Form.
2. The second party agrees to:
 - a. Provide H.I. services up to 2 days per week for the duration of the contract as described in the district's special education policies and procedures according to Individual Education Plans (IEP);
 - b. Evaluate/re-evaluate each student upon permission to evaluate/re-evaluate and file a written report with the school psychologist assigned to the respective school of the student;
 - c. Provide current proof of Kentucky teaching certification;
 - d. Attend trainings as requested by the district;
 - e. Communicate recommendations to school personnel directly associated with student's referral for H.I. Services;
 - f. Determine specific program needs of each student recommended for services;
 - g. Perform any and all other services as specified in the IEP including: direct services, collaborative services, and parent/teacher communications screenings;
 - h. Monitor and maintain H.I. specific to IEP goals/objectives on a regular basis, including progress monitoring; and,
 - i. Attend meetings when an evaluation or re-evaluation has been performed and results are being presented to the ARC.

The first and second party mutually agree that:

- a. A period of (30) days will be necessary for either party to cancel this contract.
- b. Will refrain from discrimination against any student or employee on the basis of race, creed, color, religion, age, disability, or national origin.

Superintendent

Date

Hearing Impaired Teacher

Date