

ME

MARISSA EKINS

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY MAJOR

OBJECTIVE

To become a part of your speech-language pathology graduate program with an interest in researching cognitive-communication disorders.

WORKING STRENGTHS

Engages well with adults and children in a clinical setting.

Prepares accurate and concise documentation

Is adaptable.

Confident public speaker.

Works well in groups as member and leader.

Organizes and plans clear objectives before meetings.

EDUCATION

B.S. SPEECH PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY • 5/8/21 • BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY

Cumulative GPA: 3.68

Main Courses GPA: 3.76

Dean's List: Fall 2018, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020

EXPERIENCE

JOB SHADOW • BRANDYWINE HOSPITAL | TOWER HEALTH, CSIU, HACKENSACK AUDIOLOGY AND HEARING ASSOCIATES • AUGUST-NOVEMBER 2019

I shadowed a SLP working with adults at the Brandywine Hospital. There, I witnessed an adult swallow study and a few patient's follow ups after strokes. I watched the SLP check that the patient was able to swallow foods of various thicknesses.

When I shadowed an SLP working for the Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit, I observed children ages 3 to 5 in preschool or home settings. For the majority of the sessions, I learned how to use games and snacks to teach children how to make specific sounds.

I also shadowed an audiologist in Hackensack where I witnessed a hearing test for an adult patient and a hearing aid fitting and equipment check for a child patient.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE OR LEADERSHIP

National National Student Speech Language Hearing Association (NSSLHA): member since Fall 2020.

Bloomsburg Chapter NSSLHA: member since Fall 2019.

Participated in fundraisers, social events, and service projects. Service project: volunteered at the Central Pennsylvania Aphasia Center from fall 2019 until now. Interacted with elderly members of the community with receptive and expressive language impairments.

East Brandywine Baptist Church Vacation Bible School: Summer 2019, I lead a 10-person group of second and third grade children through activities. Activities included group games, biblical lessons, crafts, and opening and closing ceremonies.

Trombonist of the Bloomsburg Husky Marching Band from Fall 2017 to Fall 2019.



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