

## **Everyone Onboard**

## Let's discuss advocating for a church where everyone feels like they truly belong.

Serving those with special needs means creating opportunities for them to worship, learn, and serve alongside friends and fellow believers. The first step is to know the reasons why you believe in doing so. Then you may advocate for your students, change perceptions, and coach others.

## Questions

- What are your students' gifts, and how can they use them to serve in your church?
- · How can you use a frustrating situation as an opportunity to change perception?
- What programs in your church can help special needs siblings, single parents, and marriages? How can you encourage participation?
- What are ways to connect with church leadership?

Resources: Know Why Guide and Discussion sheet found at <a href="https://snconnect.org/reasons-why">https://snconnect.org/reasons-why</a>