

Including everyone – handout for team

There will be children and young people in your church who have some sort of additional need. What we mean by this is that they may need a bit of extra help to join in with what's going on around them. Here are some ideas to help you include everyone well.

Three big ideas

- Church is a place where everyone is welcome
- Every child and young person is different
- God wants to, and can, connect with every child and young person

Three practical steps to be prepared

- Get to know the child or young person
- Help them to be prepared
- Think about the session

Three ways to help them engage with your session

- Sharing the Bible
- Helping them worship
- Helping them pray

If you would like more ideas and information about planning children or youth sessions, do ask your leader for a copy of the 'Overview for leaders' sheet for this session.