
FORM a new group

Connect Leader and apprentice work through this page to make a plan for the coming semester.

- 1) What type of group (mens, women's, activity, equip, families, moms, general, life stage, recovery, reach)?

- 2) Discuss and determine what the new group goals are?

- 3) What is a catchy name for the group? Remember, when people are looking through many group options, how will your group name be clear, stand out and communicate the groups purpose in a relatable way?

- 4) Create a two sentence description of the group could be.

- 5) Where will the group meet? When? What time? How frequently in the 12 week semester?

- 6) Who are you connected to that you can ask to be a part of your new group launch?

- 7) Is there someone who can co-lead with you in the new group that could become a future apprentice?

- 8) Apply to be a Connect Leader through the Connect Leader application (Go to the Connect Leader Training webpage <http://gracesd.com/connect/connect-groups/leadership/> to download the application and watch the video explaining what to do with the completed application).

Reminder: The Connect Ministry pastor and ministry partners need at least two weeks prior to Connect Group promotion in order to get all the group information ready to be promoted. The sooner you can turn this information into the staff and ministry partner the better.

Once your group is formed and you have been accepted by the Connect Leadership to be a Connect Leader, you are ready to move onto step 3, Filling your group. Go to page 7.