



# MAKE A DIFFERENCE...

## Become a SPAN Resource Parent

### SRP Virtual Training Series Winter 2021



*"It takes each of us to make a difference for all of us." Jackie Mutcherson, Teacher*

***Become a SPAN Resource Parent and volunteer your time to help families!***

The SRP Program is an intensive training program designed to educate volunteers to assist parents of children with disabilities and special health needs in understanding their rights and responsibilities under federal and state laws.

Participants will learn strategies to access appropriate educational and related services for children and youth. Attendees, both parents and professionals, are provided with extensive training and ongoing support to help them understand the dynamics of the systems that serve children and families. Learn more at: [www.spanadvocacy.org/span-resource-parent](http://www.spanadvocacy.org/span-resource-parent)

Individuals who complete the entire virtual training series will receive a compilation of useful local, state, and national resources and are prepared to provide support to families around issues or concerns they may have about their child's education and development.

This is a hybrid course that will consist of web-based guided learning on the Google classroom platform combined with weekly interactive Zoom sessions.

Zoom sessions are mandatory or must be made up to complete the course.

#### **TEN-WEEK PROGRAM INCLUDES:**

- 1 – NJ Resources for Families
- 2 – Basic Rights in Special Education
- 3 – Federal & State Laws/Regulations
- 4 – Individualized Education Programs (IEP)
- 5 – Inclusion | Least Restrictive Environment
- 6 – Supporting Students
- 7 – Transition to Adult Life
- 8 – Health Advocacy
- 9 – Systems Advocacy & Leadership Skills
- 10 – Graduation!

Zoom sessions are held weekly:

Thursdays | 10:00 – 11:15 am | beginning 1/14/21

Additional details will be provided with registration confirmation.

**REGISTRATION  
REQUIRED!**

**REGISTER:**

[www.srp-virtual-winter-2021.Eventbrite.com](http://www.srp-virtual-winter-2021.Eventbrite.com)

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