

# SCHOOLS IN TENNESSEE

Partnering with local schools helps your church impact the lives of children and families in your community. What an incredible way for you to meet needs in your community and build meaningful relationships that could lead to opportunities to share the Gospel and connect families to Christ and His church.



**Only 40.5% of students** met expectations in English and Language Arts Achievements last year.



**1 in 8 children** in Tennessee are hungry.

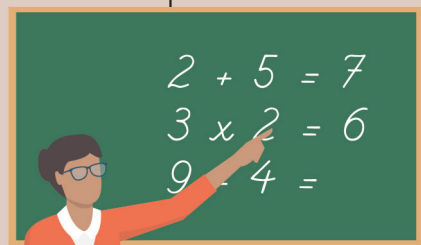
According to the National Assessment of Adult Literacy, **2/3 of students** who cannot read proficiently by the end of the fourth grade will end up in jail or on welfare.



**85% of all juveniles** who interface with the juvenile court system are functionally low literate.

Teachers spend an average of **\$750 out of pocket** for essential supplies.

**Only 34% of students** met expectations in Math achievement scores last year.



**30% of children** in Tennessee public schools are considered "economically disadvantaged."



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