All of the children featured on this page are residents of the Hamilton Families homeless shelter, one of our shelter partnerships.

Photos taken by Robin Hultgren.



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We provide devices for learning and enriching educational opportunities to students affected by homelessness through both monetary and in-kind donations.

## **Now Matters**

**COVID-19 has exacerbated the digital divide.** Remote learning is mandatory, so children who cannot purchase proper devices for learning cannot attend their classes. Many students in our shelter partnerships try to attend classes through the use of smartphones. These children, the majority of whom are low-income, minority students, may then be held back a grade for reasons outside of their control. **The prominent issues of racial bias and COVID-19 shed light on the importance of reducing prevalent systemic inequities in our society immediately.** 

## About Us

**The Bridging Tech Charitable Fund** is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit founded by Stanford University students passionate about educational equity and social justice. We are taking the first step to bridge the digital divide by providing devices to children affected by homelessness in grades K-12. We also provide free mentorship and tutoring programs **to help the students we serve rise from poverty.** 

## Partner with Us

Tell us about your students' device needs. We hope to help as many children affected by homelessness as possible!

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