Learn To Be ([https://learntobe.org](https://learntobe.org)) is a 501c.3 non-profit bringing 1-on-1, online tutoring to underserved youth around the nation. We work with homeless youth, students attending Title 1 schools and otherwise struggling families. Tutoring is for students in grades K-12 and is for all subjects in math, reading, writing and English. All of the tutoring is done in our online classroom with volunteer tutors comprised of brilliant high school students, college students and young professionals. To date, we've hosted over 33,000 tutoring sessions totaling over 16,000 hours.

**How does Learn To Be work?**

1. Parents visit [https://learntobe.org/enroll](https://learntobe.org/enroll) to apply for tutoring for their student.
2. Learn To Be approves the application, creates an online profile for the student and broadcasts the need to 1400 Learn To Be volunteer tutors nationwide.
3. A tutor connects with the family of the student they want to help via email. Every week, on the agreed upon day/time for tutoring, they meet online in the LTB virtual classroom.

**Some questions you may have.**

**How are tutors vetted?** All tutors fill out an extensive application on their teaching ability and are background checked. Sessions can also be recorded for additional security.

**Is there a set curriculum for the tutoring or is it more homework help?** We do not have a set curriculum. Tutors and students decide what to work on. Sometimes that means homework help and other times tutors will work on helping students understand concepts.

**How long is the tutoring for?** We work with families who want to have a tutor for longer periods of time, not just to prepare for one exam or one assignment or one project. For example, most of our current families have been working with us for 6 months.

**What kind of technology does a family need?** A computer (laptop or desktop) with a modern browser like Chrome or Firefox, and internet. Tutoring can’t be done on a smartphone or tablet.

**How much does tutoring cost?** We have a pay-what-you-can, IF-you-can model for families. Parents are free to choose if they can contribute any fee from $3-$10/hour. But if they cannot, it has no bearing on Learn To Be accepting them for tutoring.