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AT&T makes \$227,000 donation for computers

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The AT&T Foundation is giving \$227,000 so that 350 computers can be bought for at-risk children in Tennessee.

The foundation, the philanthropy arm of AT&T Inc. gave the money to Connected Tennessee, a non-profit that promotes broadband access in the state, at a ceremony this morning at Belmont University.

“We all know how important computer skills and the Internet are to gaining access to educational resources in the global economy,” said Michael Ramage, Director of Connected Tennessee, in a statement. “With this generous contribution from AT&T, a great many disadvantaged children in Tennessee will now be able to reach the tools they need for future success in their lives.”