

**College and university education should be free for all students,  
fully financed by the government**

College and university education has a very important role in attaining required professional as well as social skills for every one's future life. Although supporting the students for their financial issues could be very helpful, I do not believe that the government should support financially all of the students completely.

Getting rid of financial problems could let the students to focus on their education, learning professional and life skills for their future careers. Some students need to perform survival jobs beside their educations. They have less time and energy to spend on their courses. Nonetheless, I do not agree with the complete financial support of all the students by the government.

First of all the cases in which the government provided the services free of charge for every one were not successful ones in the developing countries. For instance, most of the villagers in Iran ignore the free health services like vaccination, etc. which the government provided for them by spending a huge health budget. Similarly if the education is free of charge for all, most of the students won't consider the value of education and won't be motivated enough to study well.

Most of the countries are not able to support all of their students. The government in these countries has to allocate the limited budget to needy students or to who seemed to have a bright future.

The government or the college/ universities should identify the highly motivated students and support them. Supporting less motivated students not only will not bring significant achievements for the society, but also will waste our limited resources. It's better to shift the budget of financial coverage for all students to those who are demonstrated to be highly motivated and talented.

On the other hand, these supports should not only provided by the government. The community could take advantage of the power of wealthy people in charities. Most of the scholarships which are available in developed countries are provided by well-known wealthy people, such as the Gates couple, the founder of the Microsoft Corporation.

Ultimately, as discussed above, the financial support of the students will help them to shine in their academic life, but to improve its efficacy, it's better to allocate the resources to the most in-need students and also to those who are highly motivated.