High education should monitor its students

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The reasons given by some state leaders for denying grants to undocumented individuals include not wanting to reward breaking the law, lesser reasons for those who are legally in this country and the inability for them to get a legal job even if they graduate.

Arguments used in support of helping these students include that they came to this country not to receive handouts, that they are usually graduates of the American high school system, that they are helping to pay the complete college and contribute to the local economies. Themselves paying for college, some argue, helps make them more affordable for other students.

Governors and congressional leaders hope of attending college, the high school drop-out rates for these students, which are highest of all crime rates and the costs of running prisons.

In addition to being supported by some of making college more accessible to undocumented individuals, granting institutions to increase their enrollments. In many states, including Illinois, the number of high school graduates has either decreased or just flattened out in recent years. While politicians at all levels have their say on this issue, these rarely hear from the undocumented individuals themselves.

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