

Cartoons for the Classroom

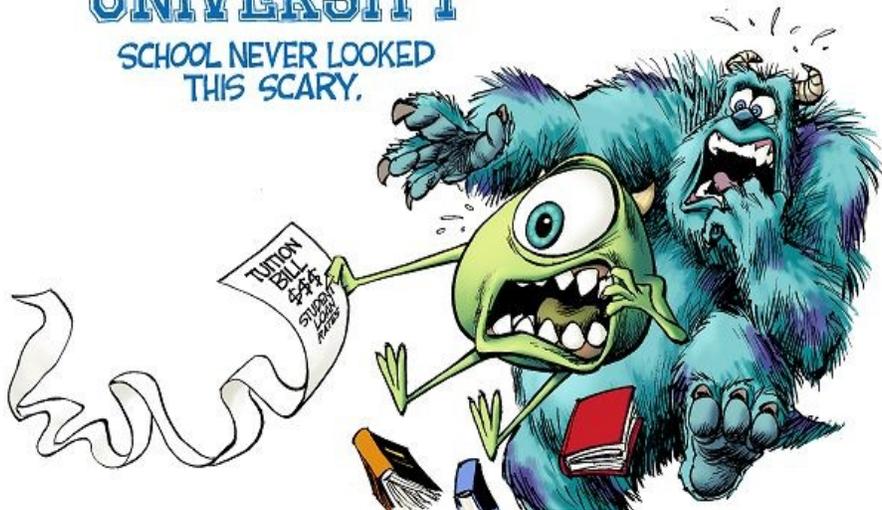
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Using pop culture to make a point

MONSTERS UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL NEVER LOOKED THIS SCARY.



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Talking points

1. These cartoonists drew on the same movie to illustrate messages about student loans. Do they make their points? Which cartoon works better for you? Why?
2. Why did interest rates on some student loans double?
3. What is the average loan debt faced by college grads?
4. One senator proposed that the government charge students the same interest rates it charges on loans to banks. How much would that save students?

Between the lines

"It's like a whirlpool. You get sucked in and you can't get up."

- Katie Tkacheva, Seton Hall University student.

http://www.nj.com/news/index.ssf/2013/06/federal_student_loan_rates_set_to_double_to_68_percent_monday.html

Additional resources

More by Nate Beeler

<http://editorialcartoonists.com/cartoon/browse.cfm/BeeleN>

More by Joe Heller

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