Outline: What is the Nellie Bly Scholarship Program?

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A major problem for most college students is the cost of attending a post-secondary education school. As the price of tuition increases, students are left with barely any help to pay for it. This will affect students as they try to pay off their loans years after graduation. College degrees are essential in this day in age as most employers want to see some sort of college degree listed on a résumé. I will talk about the Nellie Bly Scholarship Program available to college students in Pennsylvania, in this post.

What is the Nellie Bly Scholarship Program?

The Nellie Bly Scholarship is a scholarship available to Pennsylvania college students who attend a college either in a state community college or a university that is part of Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education. The scholarship will help pay for students' tuition if they are actively enrolled at one of the included schools. The student must live in the same state after graduation for the same number of years they were given funding.

Why is this Program So Important?

The Nellie Bly Scholarship Program will be of great help to students who are still recovering from the pandemic. As the prices in the economy rises students are stuck working a full-time job and attending school full-time to make ends meet. Some students even work a full-time job and a part-time job to make a livable wage. Students feel the pressure of having to work many hours a week to pay the bills. When do they have time to do school? This effects students in a negative way due to them not being able to live a comfortable lifestyle as they are pursuing their degree. School takes time and some students can't get the full experience they are paying for because of work. A common problem that students face is the costs of post-secondary education. "When students leave college in a strong financial situation they can start a family, buy a home, and save for retirement. The Nellie Bly Scholarship Program will strengthen Pennsylvania's students, our workforce, and our economy." says State Representative Jordan Harris. This scholarship program will help many students who are struggling with balancing schoolwork with full-time work.

For more information on the scholarship visit LNP's website and Governor Tom Wolf's website



Governor Tom Wolf discusses the Nellie Bly Scholarship Program Millersville University.