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DAMIEN MOORE MP COMMENT ON STUDENT NURSES

- “ I strongly believe that access to higher education should be determined solely by an individual’s ability, and not by their ability to pay. The current tuition fees system, which does not require anyone to pay upfront for their higher education, has seen student numbers rise, including among students from disadvantaged backgrounds.
- “ Regrettably, COVID-19 will have an impact on students across all degree areas. The Government is working hard to ensure that this disruption is minimised, and that no student goes without the qualifications they need to progress into their chosen profession as a result of this crisis.
- “ In the meantime, I welcome that the Government has introduced non-repayable grants of at least £5,000 per year for nursing, midwifery, and some allied health professional students, and also welcome the fact that fees have been frozen for this academic year. ”
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