**Between the lines**

“In the coming years, a lot of people will still be paying off their student loans when it’s time for their kids to go to college”


“Many students enter college with a high school diploma only to find they must take remedial classes in reading, writing, math or basic algebra.”

-- NJ.com, http://goo.gl/FglMU

**Graduating to a different problem**

**Talking points**

1. Jeff Parker’s cartoon illustrates the problem the majority of college graduates face. What does the student mean he’d “love to start out with nothing”?

2. High school graduates that aren’t prepared well enough face a tough road on their way to finding a job or attending college. Explain how Mike Keefe’s cartoon helps define the problem.

3. What can you do to avoid these problems when you graduate, either from high school or college? Describe a cartoon that demonstrates a solution to the problem that either level of graduate faces.

**Additional resources**

More by Mike Keefe
https://www.nytsyn.com/cartoons/cartoons?channel_id=336/

More by Jeff Parker
http://editorialcartoonists.com/