

# News flash: Alumni give to colleges and universities to get their kids admitted

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April is the time of year when applicants to colleges and universities in the United States typically find out whether they have been admitted or not.

Researchers have determined that alumni give money to colleges and universities in order to increase the likelihood that the school will admit their children.

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