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In the "The Student Debt 'Crisis' Solved" meme[[1]], a professor schools a student: "1.You took out a loan 2.Pay it back.," but a response has the student schooling the teacher: "1.You loaned \$100k to a jobless teen. 2.The the L and learn some financial responsibility." Borrowers are somewhat guilty, but more blame lies with lawmakers, who have more ability to fix this. Although the GOP's official platform states "The federal government should not be in the business of originating student loans,"[[2]] it's a fact that ZERO GOP lawmakers have filed legislation to lower or eliminate student loan subsidies (with possible exceptions of S.323 and H.R.899, which would eliminate the dept of education, but this has no chance of passing).

Therefore, the professor being schooled is ALL Republican lawmakers, and if you're serious about stopping tax dollars from paying for unaffordable loans, then you should call lawmakers, demanding they keep their word. However, only a threat of bankruptcy by student borrowers will deter the dept of education from insane lending of trillions, and make higher ed lobbyists back off. If you disagree, please explain why ZERO GOP lawmakers have tried to do so. Otherwise, lawmakers should join Republicans Josh Hawley and John Cornyn and Chairman Durbin on S.2598, a bipartisan student loan bankruptcy bill. [[3]]

Sources: [[1]] <https://ContractWithAmerica2.com/#memes>
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