

Petrokimia Gresik Cares & Shares
**PETROKIMIA GRESIK DISTRIBUTES CSR ASSISTANCE
FULL COVER PETRO SCHOLARSHIP OF RP1.7 BILLION**

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Petrokimia Gresik is an Agroindustry Solutions company and a member of the [Pupuk Indonesia](#) holding company, has again distributed Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) full cover scholarships to 12 students and 24 high school/vocational high school students around the company through the Petro Scholarship (Bestro) program, totaling Rp1.7 billion.

President Director of Petrokimia Gresik, Dwi Satriyo Annurogo explained that Bestro is part of the CSR program "Petrokimia Gresik Cares & Share" as a form of Petrokimia Gresik's real support for the development of superior Indonesian human resources through education.

"Through this program, we hope to help improve the standard of living of the surrounding community through education, so that they can contribute better to the family, community and nation," said Dwi Satriyo at the signing of the Bestro Scholarship agreement, Wednesday (20/1) in Gresik.

This assistance is increasingly appropriate at this time considering that many families are affected economically due to restrictions due to the Covid-19 outbreak. Even in Gresik, currently it is also implementing Restrictions on Community Activities (PPKM).

The details of Bestro 2020 CSR assistance are Rp1.16 billion for undergraduate level, which is given gradually until 2024, and Rp.540 million for high school/vocational school until graduation or until 2023. The recipients of this assistance are students with high-achieving from underprivileged family around the company.

Thus, the total Bestro CSR assistance that Petrokimia Gresik has provided since its inception or in 2012 reached Rp19.43 billion, of which Rp13.18 billion is for 115 Bestro undergraduate education recipients spread across various state universities in Indonesia, and Rp6.25. the remaining billion was given to 221 recipients of Bestro at Senior/Vocational High School level from favorite schools in Gresik Regency.

Of the total number, 72 people at undergraduate level and 147 people at high school level have passed their education. Some of them have even become employees at Petrokimia Gresik.

"I ask the recipients of Bestro's CSR assistance to take this opportunity seriously. Because there are terms and conditions contained in the signed agreement," said Dwi Satriyo.

Meanwhile, Intan Ika Fairuzi (18), one of the Undergraduate education scholarship recipients expressed her gratitude for being able to get the education scholarship from Petrokimia Gresik.

"This is because many children from underprivileged families cannot continue their higher education due to lack of funds. Alhamdulillah, with Bestro's CSR assistance, it really helps people like me," explained the ITS Environmental Engineering student.

The same thing was conveyed by Solichanul Hakim Al Farizi (17), a student of SMK PGRI Gresik, who was also one of the Bestro recipients. According to him, Bestro was an encouragement to finish school with good results.

"I hope I can achieve more and be able to work even more," said the young man with dozens of achievements in the field of robotics.

Regarding the selection process, the company strictly enforces the Covid-19 preventive health protocol. The selection process until the signing of the 2020 Bestro CSR program agreement is very different from the previous years. Starting from online selection to signing an agreement with a limited number of participants.

The selection process for undergraduate and high school scholarships for Bestro 2020 starts from socialization in October 2020 in all high schools located in Gresik, Kebomas, Manyar and Cerme Districts.

"We hope that Bestro's CSR assistance can motivate all scholarship recipients and their families, to be more enthusiastic in learning and improve a better standard of living in the future," Dwi Satriyo concluded.

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