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5 Fontana Unified Graduates Named Dell Scholars, Awarded \$100,000 in Collective Scholarships

FONTANA, CA – Five Fontana Unified High School graduates who have juggled personal challenges with academic excellence were named 2018 Dell Scholars, earning a collective \$100,000 in scholarships for higher education costs.

Kaiser High School's Syeda Arif, Fontana High School's Victor Iribe and Summit High School's Mary Ambriz, Melissa Cruz and Maria Medina will each receive \$20,000. As part of the Dell Scholars program, an initiative of the Michael & Susan Dell Foundation, the students will also receive laptops, textbook credit and ongoing support, including financial aid coaching and academic counseling, to address challenges that could prevent the scholars from completing college, and being a Dell Scholar

use now the idea of pursuing higher education does not seem impossible."

izes a student's determination to succeed in the classroom, the five Fontana
emonstrated a longtime commitment to their education and ambition to
he Dell Scholars program recognized 500 scholars this year.

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