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Trjitzinsky Award winner Jordan Jarrell is a junior at the University of Montana, Missoula with a concentration in mathematics education. She is also engaged in undergraduate mathematics research. As the only student in her 8th grade in Helmville, Montana (population 218), she was encouraged by her teacher to fast-track in mathematics. Jarrell is pursuing coursework to teach mathematics to students in grades 5 through 12 in Montana schools.

Inaugural Landau Award winner Quinten Robinson is a general mathematics major at California State University, Chico and plans to pursue a PhD in mathematics. Robinson is also contemplating a minor or double major in physics since his dream job is to work for NASA as a launch coordinator. Robinson fell in love with math in elementary school.

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