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**AVID**

The AVID program’s mission is to close the achievement gap by preparing all students to succeed in education and a global society.

At Tarpon High School, our program is designed to support all learners in their courses. We offer an AVID program that builds upon foundations of college study skills and at best “learning how to study for success” in the classroom. In addition, we integrate college and career readiness into the courses. Field trips, guest speakers and tutors are included to enhance the learner experience.

We also offer an AP Capstone experience for all students wishing to pursue the AP Capstone diploma designation.

AVID Program – 4-year plan schedule framework

* 9th grade (1) AP course + AVID 1 elective
* 10th grade (2) AP courses + AVID 2 elective
* 11th grade (3) AP courses + AVID 3 elective
* 12th grade (4) AP courses + AVID 4 elective

TSHS AVID Teachers

* Ms. Gatley
* Mrs. Navas
* Mrs. Williams

In addition, AP Capstone courses – AP Seminar and AP Research are available in the TSHS course offerings.

Students who complete both capstone courses in addition to follow the AVID sequence listed above will eligible to receive a prestigious AP Capstone Diploma in addition to their high school diploma.

Please visit the national AVID website – [www.avid.org](http://www.avid.org) for additional facts on the AVID program.