



AT A GLANCE

AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) is a nonprofit that changes lives by helping schools shift to a more equitable, student-centered approach. We train 70,000 educators annually to close the opportunity gap, so they can prepare all students for college, careers, and life. Today, AVID is implemented in more than 6,400 schools in 47 states, plus schools in DODEA, Canada and Australia, and impacts nearly 2 million students.



AVID Elementary teaches and reinforces academic behaviors and higher-level thinking at a young age, thereby creating a ripple effect in later grades. Elementary students develop the academic habits they will need to be successful in middle school, high school, and college, in an age-appropriate and challenging way. Children learn about organization, study skills, communication, and self-advocacy. AVID Elementary students take structured notes and answer and ask high-level questions that go beyond routine answers. AVID Elementary closes the opportunity gap before it begins.



AVID Secondary equips teachers and schools with what they need to help students, who are often the first in their families to attend college and are from groups traditionally underrepresented in higher education, succeed on a path to college and career success. To address this need, AVID has developed the AVID Elective course. For one period a day, students receive the additional academic, social, and emotional support that will help them succeed in their school's most rigorous courses. The power of AVID Secondary is the ability to impact students in the AVID Elective class and all students throughout the campus.



AVID Schoolwide can impact the entire school by providing classroom activities, teaching practices, and academic behaviors that can be incorporated into any classroom to improve engagement and success for all students. Teachers can take what they've learned at AVID training back to any classroom to help all students to become more college- and career-ready. Through a site team created on each campus, specifically-designed trainings and learning modules, and AVID's coaching data tools, schools can create a systematic approach to achieving their strategic goals.



AVID for Higher Education works with two-year and four-year colleges and universities to implement a holistic approach to accelerating student success. AVID provides customized coaching and professional learning for faculty and staff alike that integrates with and accelerates student success initiatives already underway on a campus.

The AVID College Readiness System has been successfully closing the achievement gap for nearly 40 years by providing the highest-level professional development, resources that drive school transformation, and ongoing support to ensure a lasting impact that maximizes the return on investment.

This is the power of AVID. Proven achievement. Lifelong advantage.



AVID is a nonprofit organization that provides educators with proven, real-world strategies to accelerate the performance of underrepresented students so that these students and all students across the entire campus succeed in college, careers, and life.

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