



## What is AVID?



AVID stands for Advancement Via Individual Determination

AVID is a college readiness system that can be deployed school-wide in K-12 schools & in higher education to ensure that students have the skills they need to be college & career ready. AVID is offered as an elective course that, like any other class, meets regularly. Each week, students receive two hours of instruction, two hours in tutor-led study groups, and one hour in motivational activities and academic survival skills, including critical reading and writing skills. AVID students are encouraged to challenge themselves by take honors, advanced placement courses and/or dual credit courses. Over 90% of AVID graduates have enrolled in college. 84% of those who enroll into college persist into the second year.