
What AVID is...

- AVID is for “middle to upper-middle” academic students who have the potential for honors/Pre-AP and AP work in school, but need academic support paired with rigorous classes.
- AVID provides comprehensive academic support in positive, family-like environment that considers the well-being of the whole student
- Students in AVID must maintain an academic GPA specific to each grade level. Freshmen-2.5, Sophomore-2.7 and Junior/Senior-3.0

What AVID is not...

- **AVID is not an “at risk” program.** It is designed to support students who have the desire to attend and graduate from a four-year university upon high school graduation.
- AVID is not for students who fail to complete their homework.
- AVID is not for students who consistently receive grades of "F".

Additional factors to consider for admission...

- Incoming academic GPA of 2.5 to 3.8
- Receives a score of “proficient” on state tests
- Is able to complete four-year university entrance requirements (A-G)
- Is a hard worker and has a positive attitude
- Parent(s) strongly desire their student attend and graduate from a four-year university.
- Family support in regard to the required time necessary to successfully complete A-G requirements, including the additional workload of AP classes.

CHS AVID Notables

- **Awarded Highly Certified Status by AVID Center San Diego**
- **100% of CHS AVID seniors complete college A-G requirements**
- **100% of CHS AVID seniors successfully complete one or more Advanced Placement (AP) classes**
- **Over the last decade, AVID seniors have received two or more acceptance letters to four-year universities.**



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CHS AVID

Advancement Via Individual Determination

A College Preparatory
Program offered at:
Chaparral High School

Come learn more about AVID at
our annual **CHS Showcase Night**
on February 12 at 5:00 p.m.



AVID Classroom Activities



- Weekly tutorial sessions with college tutors
- Writing Cornell notes in all classes
- Researching and applying to colleges
- Applying for financial aid and scholarships
- Researching professional careers
- Fieldtrips to college campuses
- Interacting with guest speakers
- Standardized test preparation
- WICR (Writing, Inquiry, Collaboration and Reading) based lessons
- Development of healthy mindsets.

What do you bring to AVID?

Students need to bring a strong work ethic to AVID. They must be willing to complete their assignments and do their best in all of their classes.

What can AVID offer you?

AVID students receive support with their core academic classes and assistance from their peers, teachers and college tutors. AVID prepares students to enter and graduate from college by teaching skills needed to handle the rigor in college courses.

Why choose AVID?

AVID offers high expectations, encouragement, day-to-day help, a vision of college as attainable, an advocate, and guidance in how to negotiate the system. AVID gives students both a social and academic structure for success.

Optional College Excursions

Optional college excursions are designed to provide interested students with an on site college experience.

Freshman: One day trip to San Diego State University and UC San Diego

Sophomores: One day trip to CSU San Bernardino and UC Riverside

Juniors: Four day trip beginning with a visit to UC Merced and ending with UC Santa Barbara. Students visit a total of eight colleges and participate in student forums and guided tours.

NOTE: All excursions are fee based

Please note that enrollment in the program is limited. Students must fill out a CHS AVID application in order to be eligible for the AVID Program. See your middle counselor for application.