



AVID at MED at BCE

At MED at BCE, AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) is woven into our daily instruction to prepare every student for college, career, and life success. AVID strategies strengthen students' academic skills, organization, and leadership while fostering independence and responsibility for their learning.

AVID's mission is to close the opportunity gap by preparing all students for college and career readiness and success in a global society.

Through WICOR—Writing, Inquiry, Collaboration, Organization, and Reading—students develop critical thinking, problem-solving, and communication skills that support them across all subject areas. AVID binders, focused note-taking, and goal-setting routines ensure students are organized and ready to achieve at high levels.

AVID also nurtures a college-going culture at MED at BCE. Students are encouraged to explore future pathways through guest speakers, field experiences, and enrichment opportunities that broaden their vision of success. By combining AVID strategies with our STEAMM magnet theme, we empower students to connect classroom learning with real-world applications, preparing them to thrive in middle school, high school, and beyond.



Student Cougar Council

The Student Cougar Council gives our students a voice in shaping the school community. Fourth and Fifth Grade Members serve as leaders and role models, representing their peers while promoting our school's vision of Every Child, Every Chance, Every Day. Through monthly meetings, service projects, and schoolwide initiatives, Student Cougar Council members develop leadership skills, practice collaboration, and make a positive impact on our Cougar community.

