

Welcome to
Cupertino
AVID!!



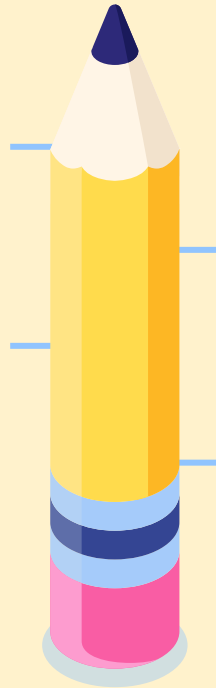
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AVID stands for
A - Advancement
V - Via
I - Individual
D - Determination



What is AVID?

- AVID is a program designed to help students develop the skills needed to be successful in high school and college!
- AVID methodologies focus on writing, inquiry, collaboration, organization, and reading. Several benefits await prospective AVID students.
- AVID is a “class community” composed of peers, teachers and tutors geared towards encouraging academic and personal success.

Who we're looking for...

- **Students willing to contribute to a strong community of collaborative learners;**
- **Determined students who WANT to go to and be successful in college;**
- **Students with GPAs between 2.5 - 3.5; and,**
- **Students who meet one or more criteria:**
 - **Hoping to find structure/support at school to build their confidence**
 - **Part of a historically marginalized population**
 - **Special circumstances that extra support would benefit the student**
 - **First generation to attend college**



What AVID Is

- ★ A 4-year program that helps students excel in their highest potential
- ★ For **determined, hardworking, & willing students**
- ★ Collaborating with peers
- ★ Helps prepare students for college and their future



What AVID Is Not

- ≠ Homework club or study period
- ≠ Sleep class or free period
- ≠ One more thing to do
- ≠ For those not willing to put in the time & effort.

What we do in
AVID - a
student's
perspective



College Research & Exploration

Of course one of the hallmarks of our program is college research & exploration– not only do we go on TWO field trips a year to local universities, but you will also learn how to research what colleges best fit your needs and match your student profile. If utilized correctly, AVID *can* have a 100% class acceptance rate!



What FUHSD AVID students are saying:



**AVID has
given me...**

“Created a safe space for me to explore my academic life” - Cameron G., % 2026

“Helped me overcome hardships and taught me valuable organization lessons” Krish G., c/o 2024

“Organization and time management” -Harshdeep S., % 2024

“AVID taught me better studying, organization, and interpersonal skills.” - Tiffany W % 2024

A class there for all four years to support us academically. It was very helpful to me. I feel like whatever problem comes up, I can always go back to this big family and figure something out. - Mo C., % 2021

AVID Family Days

AVID Family events happen 1-3 times per semester. Some examples include: AVID Breakfast, off campus activities like Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk, and game days.



HOW TO APPLY TO AVID

If you're an 8th grader - click the link below

<https://forms.gle/EJjNxHE85pVQHvfDA>
(link also on the CHS AVID website)

If you're a current 9-11 grader, please send
no later than March 13th at christina_masu



The electronic AVID application is due F

**All students who turn in an application will be granted an interview.
Invitations will be sent via email.**

Questions about the AVID program? Students should see their middle school counselor or they can also contact Ms. Masuda at:

christina_masuda@fuhsd.org

