AVID, Advancement Via Individual Determination, is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established in 1980. During the 2018–19 school year, AVID impacted more than 2 million students, providing academic and social support to ensure students’ success in high school, college, and careers.

**AVID Missouri's Statewide Impact**

- 15 Years Impacting Missouri Districts and Schools
- 11 AVID Districts
- 63 AVID Sites
  - Secondary: 49
  - Elementary: 13
  - Combination: 1

**Goals of AVID’s College Readiness System**

- Accelerate underachieving students who have potential into more rigorous courses
- Teach academic and social skills not targeted in other classes
- Provide intensive support with in-class tutors and a strong student-teacher relationship
- Create a positive peer group for students
- Develop a sense of hope and personal achievement through hard work and determination

**Missouri's Students Served: 2018-19**

- 7,307 Elementary & Secondary AVID Students
- 51% Free/Reduced Lunch

**Race/Ethnic Identity of Missouri AVID Students**

- Black: 18%
- Hispanic: 12%
- Multi Racial: 8%
- Other: 4%
- White: 58%

**AVID National Demonstration Schools**

- 210 Across U.S.
- 2 In Missouri

AVID National Demonstration Schools are exemplary models of the AVID College Readiness System. Demonstration Schools undergo a rigorous validation process and are required to be revalidated every few years to ensure high levels of implementation, with quality and fidelity to AVID strategies schoolwide.

AVID holds ALL students to high expectations.

- 100% of AVID Missouri Seniors Completed Four-Year College Entrance Requirements

AVID (2019). AVID secondary and elementary data collection [Electronic Database].

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**AVID Missouri — Closing the Achievement Gap for College Enrollment**

### Enrollment* at Two and Four-Year College Campuses: 2017-18

*AVID Missouri* seniors are enrolling at more consistent rates between major subgroups than the **U.S. population overall.**

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*Enrollment data for the first fall term after high school; **Socio-Economic Status (SES) SES US Comparator Data updated through 2016-17 school year.


U.S. Census Bureau. (2019). Table 7. Enrollment status of high school graduates 15 to 24 years old, by type of school, attendance status, and sex: October

Some results may be masked due to small numbers to protect student confidentiality.

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791 Missouri teachers, administrators, and counselors were AVID-trained in 2018-19.

"When we look for evidence of deeper learning in schools, we look for well-designed systems, an attention to the individual needs of children, and a school culture where empathy and compassion are nested in every aspect of the school. Our schools have achieved these important elements because of AVID. Our AVID system makes it more predictable that children will be ready for college, careers, and life! Our AVID culture prioritizes the individual child while also ensuring every child involved in the system belongs to a community of support and care. AVID is the formula for deeper learning and higher achievement!"

— Superintendent, Columbia Public Schools

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### Impressive Results for AVID Missouri Seniors

**88%**

Took at Least One Course of Rigor*

**100%**

Graduated from High School

**3.1**

Average High School GPA

**100%**

Applied to Four-Year College/University

**84%**

Accepted


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**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, career, and life.**

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