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.

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

AVID Oregon's Statewide Impact

- 15 Years Impacting Oregon Districts and Schools
- 67 AVID Districts
- 298 AVID Sites
  - Secondary 216
  - Elementary 72
  - Combination 10

Oregon's Students Served: 2018-19

- 37,166 Elementary & Secondary AVID Students
- 60% Free/Reduced Lunch

Race/Ethnic Identity of Oregon AVID Students

- Black 5%
- Hispanic 35%
- Multi Racial 7%
- Other 8%
- White 46%

AVID National Demonstration Schools

- 210 Across U.S.
- 4 In Oregon

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.

- 89% of AVID Oregon Seniors
- Completed Four-Year College Entrance Requirements
Impressive Results for AVID Oregon Seniors

100% Graduated from High School

3.2 Average High School GPA

91% Took at Least One Course of Rigor*

100% Applied to Four-Year College

71% Accepted to Four-Year College

2,856 Oregon teachers, administrators, and counselors were AVID-trained in 2018-19.

“We largely attribute the improvement in our graduation rates, especially the elimination of the opportunity gap to the systematic implementation of both the AVID elective and AVID Schoolwide.”

— Principal,
Parkrose High School