AVID, Advancement Via Individual Determination, is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established in 1980. During the 2020–21 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 Colorado Statewide Impact

25 Years Impacting Colorado Districts and Schools

25 AVID Districts
156 AVID Sites
Elementary 44
Secondary 109
Combination 3

Goals of the AVID College and Career 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.

Colorado AVID Students Served: 2020–21

Race/Ethnic Identity

17,468 Elementary and Secondary AVID Students

46% Free/Reduced-Price Lunch

AVID National Demonstration Schools

216 Across U.S.

4 In Colorado

AVID National Demonstration Schools are exemplary models of the AVID College and Career 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.

97% of AVID Colorado Seniors Completed Four-Year College Entrance Requirements

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**Impressive Results for AVID Colorado Seniors**

- **82%** Took at Least One Course of Rigor*
- **100%** Graduated High School
- **3.2** Average High School GPA
- **84%** Applied to Four-Year College
- **80%** Accepted to Four-Year College

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**Enrollment* at Four-Year College Campuses: 2018–19**

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

- **Black**
- **Hispanic**
- **White**
- **Low SES**
- **Mid/High SES**

![Enrollment Graph](image)


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

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**Colorado teachers, administrators, and counselors are AVID-trained**

3,177

"In my 29 years as a teacher and administrator, I have never seen a program that transforms a school and a school community more than AVID! Everything we do and everything we are is because of our focus on the AVID strategies and AVID training. I cannot imagine leading a school that does not have AVID at its core; it works with organization, focus, leadership, curriculum, pedagogy, collaboration, and more."

—Colorado school principal

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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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