New Mexico Snapshot

**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 New Mexico Statewide Impact**

- **20** AVID Districts
- **114** AVID Sites
  - Elementary: 39
  - Secondary: 67
  - Combination: 8

**New Mexico AVID Students Served: 2020–21**

- **7,634** Elementary and Secondary AVID Students
- **89%** Free/Reduced-Price Lunch

**Race/Ethnic Identity**

- **80.2%** Hispanic or Latino
- **1.9%** Black or African American
- **1.1%** Asian
- **2.0%** Multiracial
- **9.6%** White
- **0.2%** Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- **0.4%** American Indian or Alaska Native

**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.

**AVID National Demonstration Schools**

- **216** Across U.S.
- **2** In New Mexico

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 New Mexico Seniors Completed Four-Year College Entrance Requirements

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AVID New Mexico — Closing the Opportunity Gap for College Enrollment

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

AVID New Mexico 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) US Comparator Data updated through 2017–18 school year. AVID. (2019). AVID senior data collection: AVID seniors in New Mexico N = 276 [Electronic Database].
Some results may be masked due to small numbers to protect student confidentiality.

Impressive Results for AVID New Mexico Seniors

- 85% Took at Least One Course of Rigor*
- 99% Graduated High School
- 3.3 Average High School GPA
- 84% Applied to Four-Year College
- 78% Accepted to Four-Year College


“AVID is a proven system that increases rigor within our classrooms and helps to foster a culture of lifelong learners. It provides ALL students with tools and strategies that will prepare them to be college or career ready! The system creates a culture that inspires and develops students who are determined to succeed and make a difference in the world!”

—AVID site district leader

966 New Mexico teachers, administrators, and counselors are AVID-trained

“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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