**Wisconsin 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 Wisconsin Statewide Impact**

17
Years Impacting Wisconsin Districts and Schools

27
AVID Districts

104
AVID Sites

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**Wisconsin AVID Students Served: 2020–21**

7,130
Elementary and Secondary AVID Students

44%
Free/Reduced-Price Lunch

**Race/Ethnic Identity**

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**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.

6
In Wisconsin

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.

**Impressive Results for AVID Wisconsin Seniors**

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

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## AVID Wisconsin — Closing the Opportunity Gap for College Enrollment

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


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### Impressive Results for AVID Wisconsin Seniors

- **87%** took at least one course of rigor*
- **99%** graduated high school
- **3.1** average high school GPA
- **87%** applied to four-year college
- **82%** accepted to four-year college


### Wisconsin teachers, administrators, and counselors are AVID-trained

**2,746**

“The AVID system aligns perfectly with our school district’s mission and provides us the means to take ownership for the academic achievement and social-emotional growth of ALL students, as well as for our overall organizational improvement. Our districtwide implementation of AVID has improved our systematic efforts to guarantee high quality instruction and grow student engagement in order to launch each student in our schools on a path to future success!”

—Mequon-Thiensville School District Superintendent

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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