

AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination)

Teacher Recommendation Form for Madison High School

Identify current 8th graders in Middle School

AVID serves all students and most especially the least served students who are in the middle.
AVID is a program for ordinary students who can be empowered to achieve extraordinary things.

Teachers are the best judges of student potential. Please identify any students in your classes who seem to be bright, but need the help of the AVID class to successfully fulfill their goals of attending a four-year college. The students will be screened, and if they meet the eligibility criteria and choose to enroll in the program, they will receive academic support and should become demonstrably better students in your class.

We (AVID site team) appreciate your help. When you have completed this form, please return it to the counseling office.

Student's Name:	Student ID:
Teacher's Name: Name of School:	Current Course: 1st Sem. Grade:

Student Profile:	Applies to student	Sometimes applies to student	Does not apply to student
1. Student is in the academic middle and would not succeed in a Pre AP or AP curriculum without the support of the AVID class			
2. Has between a 2.0 and 3.5 GPA (C-B+) in your course			
3. Average to high test grades in your course			
4. College potential with support			
5. Ability to excel with extra support			
6. Appropriate classroom behavior			
7. Good attendance			
8. Individual determination and motivation			
9. Responds well to a challenge			
10. Able to work well with other students			

Comments:

Teachers may turn return this to the student requesting the recommendation or directly to the counseling office at your school. All applications with recommendations are due March 14th.

