

AVID at Oak Crest



The AVID program works with students who are motivated to succeed and focuses them early on the goal of attending a four-year college. These students could be from many different backgrounds and skill-levels, but all students who apply should desire hard work and success.

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Parents: Does your child have great potential? Do they need help to get organized and improve their learning skills? AVID might be the answer.

Space is limited to 25, so don't delay-apply today!!



**Helping students meet
their full potential**

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The AVID Program

Mary Catherine Swanson started the AVID program in San Diego in 1980 with the hopes of bringing average-achieving students to higher levels of success. Now AVID is in schools worldwide.

AVID is a program that helps students with skills necessary to becoming a strong student. At OC, AVID students participate in:

- binder checks
- Cornell note taking
- tutorials (not homework workshops)
- field trips to colleges
- critical reading and writing lessons
- self-awareness and goal-setting

What Students Fit the AVID Profile?

All AVID students will fit the following descriptions:

- Be motivated, but might need that extra dose of encouragement
- Score average or above on CST standardized tests
- Be recommended by a teacher/counselor
- Earn grades of a C or higher
- All ethnicities welcomed!

Some AVID students might fit one or more of the following descriptions:

- Be the first in his/her family to attend college
- Be from a low socio-economic background
- Have faced some sort of adversity thus far in his/her childhood

*Please note: AVID is a program for students of all ethnic backgrounds. At Oak Crest, we believe in having a diverse AVID population—one that represents our overall demographics as a whole.

What OC students say about AVID:

- ✓ AVID has made me more organized and focused on my work and my grades.
- ✓ AVID is my second family; they accept me as I am.
- ✓ AVID made me more mature and confident in school.
- ✓ My AVID teacher is there for me, and will help me in all of my classes.
- ✓ AVID is hard work, but it's fun too. And my binder is neat for the first time!

If your child is interested in the AVID program, please have him/her go to Oak Crest's webpage.

*Under the link to the Counseling office, students will find another link that reads: **Elective Course Descriptions / Student Applications.***

*There, they will find an application students **MUST** fill out to be considered for our AVID program.*