

Pitt County Schools | AVID Application

Students may submit their applications to their school counselors.

AVID's mission is to close the opportunity gap by preparing all students for college and career readiness and success in a global society.

The AVID elective is a class offered to students who would like to prepare for four-year universities & features a curriculum based upon: writing, inquiry, collaboration, organization skills, reading, note-taking, study skills, and college/career/motivational activities. Students must commit to taking notes in subject-area classes on a daily basis and to reviewing those notes every night for homework. Other requirements include: satisfactory citizenship, good attendance, and a respectable academic average.

All students who apply will be considered for AVID. Applications will undergo a review process of the application information, writing sample, academic progress, & school records. Qualifying students will interview for final selections.

Please print in ink - COMPLETE THE STUDENT NARRATIVE on Page Two

Applications may not be processed unless completed in full.

Student's Last Name	First Nam	First Name			Middle Name	
Home Address:					Phone Number (home)	
Current School:	Grade:	Grade: If you are a rising 9th grader, please list your current teacher(s):				
Mother's Name (or legal guardian)			Father's Name (or legal guardian)			
Mother's cell or work #			Father's Cell or work #			
Please indicate highest education level completed of Mother (or legal guardian) - Check only one			Please indicate highest education level completed of Father (or legal guardian) - Check only one			
☐ High school graduate			☐ High school graduate			
□ Some college □ 4-year college graduate or technical college graduate			□ Some college □ 4-year college graduate or technical college graduate			
Post graduate Post graduate			☐ Post graduate			
☐ Other ☐ Decline to state			☐ Other ☐ Decline to state			
Decline to state			Decline to state			
NOTE: AVID is an elective class that meets all year long.						
AVID Expectations By checking here, the student and the parent understand that AVID is an elective program. Students who enroll in the AVID						
program are making a commitment to remain in the program throughout their time at the school. The AVID curriculum changes						
to meet the growing academic needs of students in each grade level, preparing students to meet demands of rigorous coursework and map a plan for success in high school and college. AVID students must maintain a C or better in their						
coursework, maintain their AVID binder, and prepare and participate in AVID tutorials in the AVID elective class.						
We understand that completing this application does not guarantee placement in the AVID program. Applications will undergo a						
review process of the application information, writing sample, academic progress, & school records. Qualifying students will interview for final selections.						
Student signature			Parent (or legal guardian) signature			

A STUDENT NARRATIVE MUST ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION (see page two) AVID Application, Page Two Student Narrative

In the space below, please write a short narrative explaining why you want to be part of AVID and what you expect to get out of the program. Your narrative is your first introduction to the AVID Site Team and placement committee. Please respond in complete sentences and try to include as much information as possible to answer the questions below. While you may ask for your parents or teachers to read over your narrative, we expect that this is your own work and not written by anyone else. We want to get to know who you are and why you believe you have the potential to be an ideal AVID student. At the minimum, your response should be a well-written paragraph. Please limit your response to what will fit on this page. Your response may be typed or handwritten.

Questions to consider:

- Why do you want to be enrolled in AVID?
- What are your educational goals? (Type of college, major, degree)
- How will the AVID class help you to meet your educational goals?
- Explain any influences, circumstances, or experiences that are contributing to your decision to go to college.

Student Name:	Grade Level in 2023-24: