ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL



AVID



ADVANCEMENT VIA INDIVIDUAL DETERMINATION

AVID NATIONAL DEMONSTRATION SCHOOL

In order to be competitive in the college application market, students must participate in a rigorous high school curriculum. The AVID program offers the intensive academic support that students need to make their college dreams come true.

Benefits of AVID

- 61% of 11th/12th grade students enrolled in AVID took at least 1 AP course compared to 41% schoolwide
- 81% of AVID seniors took at least 1 AP course
- 96% AVID Attendance Rate compared to 94% schoolwide
- AVID students receive hundreds of thousands of dollars in scholarship money and student aid
- Academic support from college tutors
- Open access to Honors and Advanced Placement courses with support
- SAT and ACT test preparation
- Current information on financial planning for college including scholarship, grant, and student loan resources
- College application advice and assistance







How to apply

See your counselor for an application and more information!





WHY AVID?

- AVID teaches skills and behaviors for academic success
- AVID provides intensive support with tutorials and strong student/teacher relationships
- AVID creates a positive peer group for students
- AVID develops a sense of hope for personal achievement gained through hard work and determination

AVID QUALIFICATIONS

- Have a desire to attend a 4 year university
- Complete required college-prep courses (A-G Requirements) and the AVID class each year
- Must earn a C or higher in all A-G courses
- Be willing to take honors and AP classes
- Take college entrance exams such as the SAT or ACT

CORE COMPONENTS

- Field trips to local colleges
- College tutors in class twice a week
- Binder checks
- Focused note taking
- Critical reading and writing strategies
- Socratic Seminars
- Guest speakers

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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SAMPLE 4 YEAR PLAN: A-G

This represents one version of a four year plan. Other options are available. Students should work closely with their counselors and AVID teacher to determine the right four year plan that will help them reach their college and career goals.

Course Types	9 th grade	10 th grade	11 th grade	12 th grade
English	English 9 OR English 9 Honors	English 10 OR English 10 Honors	English 11 OR AP English Language	English 12 OR AP English Literature
History	N/A	World History OR AP World History	US History OR AP US History	Govt/Econ OR AP Govt/Econ
Math	Math I	Math II	Math III	Trig/Stats
Science	Honors Biology	Honors Chemistry	AP Science OR Physiology OR Physics	AP Science OR Physiology OR Physics
PE	PE	PE	N/A	N/A
AVID	AVID 9	AVID 10	AVID 11	AVID 12
World Lan- guage, Elective or VPA	World Language	World Language	World Language	VPA

- OUSD online classes and college courses (dual enrollment) are available
- Contact OHS Counseling Office for more information.