



Decades of College Dreams

DeLand High School
800 N. Hill Ave
DeLand, Florida 32724

AVID Application for consideration for the 2019-2020 school year

Due: April 12, 2019

We will begin contacting candidates at the end of April 2019 to set up an interview, if necessary. The recruitment team will announce those students who are either admitted or waitlisted sometime in the 4th grading period. Please submit the following documents for review:

- Copy of most recent **Report Card** (2nd quarter, reflecting 1st semester grades)
- Completed **Student Questionnaire**
- Signed **AVID Contract**
- Completed **Recommendation Form** from a teacher
- Submit all documents **to Mrs. D'Aquino in room 10-203**
 - or middle school students can submit it to their 8th grade counselor

Student Information:

Last Name	First Name	Current Grade Level (2018-19)	Alpha Code
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Address	City	Zip Code
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Best Email Address for Contact	Parent/Guardian Name
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Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	Best Time to Contact
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Student Questionnaire: This information will help identify students who best fit the AVID program. The information is confidential and will only be used by the AVID site team for placement into the AVID program.

Previously enrolled in AVID: Yes No

If yes, circle all grade levels you have been in the AVID elective: 6 7 8 9 10 11

Please write the middle school you attended: _____

Parent/Guardian #1 Highest Education Level:

- Did not graduate high school
- Graduated high school
- Completed some college/trade school
- Graduated college with a bachelors
- Post-graduate education (masters, etc)

Parent/Guardian #2: Highest Education Level

- Did not graduate high school
- Graduated high school
- Completed some college/trade school
- Graduated college with a bachelors
- Post-graduate education (masters, etc)

Ethnic Background (check all that apply):

- African American
- Native American/Alaska Native
- Asian
- Filipino
- Hispanic/Latino
- White
- Pacific Islander
- Other: _____

What is the primary language spoken at home? _____

What challenges will you face getting in to college?

- I need scholarships to pay for college because my family may not be able to afford it.
- I need information about how to apply for colleges and scholarships.
- I need help finding the right colleges for me.
- I need information about the right classes to take in order to get into college.
- I need help studying and staying organized so that I can maintain good grades in high school.
- I need help choosing dual-enrollment courses to take during high school.
- I need help creating a resume and learning how to get letters of recommendation.
- I need help learning about the importance of maintaining a high GPA in school.
- I need help getting involved in clubs/extra-curricular activities at DeLand High School.

Are you eligible for free or reduced lunch? Yes No Unsure

Indicate your current cumulative GPA: _____(weighted) _____(unweighted)

AVID Contract 2019-2020

Name of Student: _____ Enrollment Date: _____

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

Student Goals:

1. Academic success in college preparatory courses.
2. Successful completion of college eligibility requirements.
3. Enrollment in a four-year college or university after high school graduation.

Student Responsibility:

1. Maintain satisfactory citizenship and attendance in all classes.
2. Maintain the AVID Binder with assignments, daily notes, and organization in all classes.
3. Utilize tutorials effectively by bringing legitimate high-order questions from your core classes.
4. Complete all homework assignments & commit to at least two hours of homework/studying every night.
5. Maintain enrollment in college preparatory classes.
6. Complete required community service hours.
7. Maintain a 2.5 GPA with no D's or F's.

Student Agreement:

I agree to accept enrollment into the AVID Elective class, which will offer academic support to me. I want to succeed and I understand that I must take individual responsibility for my own success. I understand that in order to give fair consideration to my involvement with the program, I must commit to remaining enrolled in the AVID Elective for at least one year, and that I will be allowed to remain in the program only if I meet the student responsibilities outlined above. I understand that studies show that I will be most likely to demonstrate academic improvement if I remain in the program and meet the student responsibilities outlined above. I also understand that studies show that I will be most likely to demonstrate academic improvement/success if I remain in the program at least three years, and I will be most likely to meet my goal of four-year college enrollment if I remain in the AVID Program in my senior year of high school. I understand that this is a choice for me and a responsibility. **I am choosing to take ownership of my education and my future. No one can do the work for me. I commit to working hard and using every resource provided to me.**

Student Signature

Support Agreement: We agree to support the efforts of this student meeting the goals outlined above. We will strive to keep his/her best interests in mind, guide him/her toward his/her goals, and encourage him/her whenever possible.

AVID Coordinator Signature

(To be completed upon acceptance)

Parent Signature

AVID Counselor Signature

(To be completed upon acceptance)

Site Administrator Signature

(To be completed upon acceptance)

AVID

Teacher Recommendation Form

Student's Name

Teacher's Name

School

Subject

Email Address

A student in one of your classes has been recommended for placement in AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) program. This is a course designed primarily for students who may have college potential. We appreciate you taking the time to answer the following questions so that we may determine an appropriate placement of the student.

Please return this form at your earliest convenience to Mrs. D'Aquino room 10-203 at DeLand High School.

Thank you,

DeLand High School AVID Site Team

	Never	Sometimes	Always
Do you believe this student needs the support of the AVID classes?			
Does this student seem to have college potential?			
Does this student display good classroom work habits?			
Does this student practice good citizenship?			
Does this student have an acceptable attendance record?			

Other Comments:
