Federal Funding to Support AVID

Federal funds continue to be a primary source of funding to implement AVID and ensure that **every student succeeds**!

AVID Professional Development	TITLES			
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AVID Summer Institute (SI) Summer Institute is AVID's annual 3-day face-to-face professional learning, where educators come each year to learn the best instructional and leadership strategies for student engagement in their classrooms and schools. Participants build relational capacity, learn and network with educators, and acquire strategies to develop educator and student agency. The professional learning focuses on high-engagement strategies, as well as writing, inquiry, collaboration, organization, and reading strategies (known as WICOR®). Professional learning Communities of Practice are developed and delivered by AVID teachers and utilize teaching practices that have been proven to close the opportunity gap and support all students in success in college and careers.	●	●	◎	●
AVID Path to Schoolwide® (Path) Trainings Focused on implementing AVID schoolwide, these 2-day, face-to-face trainings model AVID strategies and methodologies and support educators in helping every student to reach their full potential and successfully prepare for college and careers. Communities of Practice are designed to familiarize all teachers—including new AVID Elective teachers, elementary teachers, teachers of English language learners and non-core subjects, and content teachers in English, mathematics, science, and history/social science—with strategies to strategically improve the performance of all students.	●	●	◎	●
AVID Ignite™ AVID Ignite is a 3-day summer event that combines unparalleled virtual professional learning with guidance and resources to help participants learn, plan, inspire, and succeed.	●	●	◎	●
AVID ElevateXP® AVID ElevateXP is a differentiated, virtual professional learning experience designed to empower all elementary through higher education educators to create an engaging community of learners by preparing them to scaffold student success with rigorous content in a blended learning environment. AVID ElevateXP offers timely professional learning experiences to help educators gain new teaching strategies, tools, resources, and support that amplify best practices.	●	●	◎	●
District Director Leadership (DDL) Training District Director Leadership training is designed to support a team approach to successfully implement AVID and foster districtwide transformation. DDL is an intensive cycle of four trainings offered over a 2-year time frame that can be attended at various points throughout the year and may be completed between 15–24 months. With synchronous virtual and in-person formats, DDL ensures that the needs of all leaders are met.	●	●		
AVID National Conference AVID National Conference is a forum to discuss and share best practices on how educators can open access to rigorous curriculum for all students to ensure college and career readiness. It is available to current AVID member districts, as well as those interested in learning more about AVID and how it might impact their schools and communities. This 3-day event packs in more than 60 sessions, focusing on instruction, systems, leadership, and culture.	●	●		

◎ Some Communities of Practice are appropriate for this funding category.

AVID Curriculum and Resources*	TITLES			
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AVID Curriculum Libraries (High School, Middle School, Elementary) Library package includes all curriculum, resources, and materials needed to implement AVID with fidelity across your campus. A few examples include: Reading, Writing, Math, Science, Social Studies, College and Career Guide, Critical Thinking and Engagement, Academic Language and Literacy, English Language Arts, etc. Schools also have access to MyAVID, which provides additional electronic curriculum and lesson planning resources.	●	●	●	
AVID Math and Science Summer Bridge Program The AVID Summer Bridge programs are designed to strengthen students' math and science skills and increase the number of students who enroll and succeed in eighth grade Algebra 1 and advanced math courses. They support STEM literacy through the development of critical thinking, reasoning, and problem-solving skills. • Math Summer Bridge Programs: Math for 7th Grade, Algebra Readiness • Science Summer Bridge Programs: Mission Possible, ProPhone and the Environment	●		●	●
AVID Weekly®: Literacy Connections Schoolwide **and AVID® Elementary Weekly: Literacy Connections Schoolwide** AVID Weekly is a strong curriculum resource offered in elementary and secondary grade bands that promotes critical reading skills. Each lesson uses WICOR strategies to analyze relevant texts, infographics, and images, allowing students to think critically and connect prior knowledge to their current learning. Educators can choose lessons from three levels of difficulty to ensure the right level of rigor for their students. New lesson plans are released on the first of the month from September through June.	●		●	
AVID STEM Connections® AVID STEM Connections is a K–12 resource for both AVID and non-AVID educators. It features hands-on STEM lessons and creative coding experiences, integrating STEM across content areas for teachers new to STEM, with modifications and extensions available. With an emphasis on STEM career connections, content is aligned with national standards and includes grab-and-go lessons, teacher presentations, and student resources available for download.	●			●
AVID STEM Academy® AVID STEM Academy is a 2-week, 50-hour STEM curriculum for K–8, incorporating developmentally appropriate themes and reflection activities aligned to national standards. STEM Academy is available for all educators, regardless of STEM background, with no additional teacher training required for summer school use. Creative coding lessons are also woven throughout.	●			●

*For curriculum and resources supporting multilingual learners, please see the section titled "Advancing Multilingual Learners Resources."

Advancing Multilingual Learners Resources	TITLES			
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AVID Emerge™ AVID Emerge is a resource designed to support English Language Development (ELD) for multilingual learners in secondary classrooms. With its flexible design, AVID Emerge is tailored to support all language proficiencies and can effortlessly integrate into various educational approaches, complementing core curricula or boosting your primary ELD program. AVID Emerge accelerates academic language acquisition by incorporating the four language domains into every aspect of instructional practice. With AVID Emerge, multilingual scholars can expedite their language learning journey and gain a clearer vision of their future aspirations. AVID Emerge features: • Digital toolkit (instructional resources and family engagement resources) • Professional learning	●	●	●	●
AVID Excel The AVID Excel mission is to change the trajectory of long-term English language learners by accelerating language acquisition, developing literacy, and placing the AVID Excel student on the path to high school AVID and college preparatory coursework. AVID Excel is designed to prepare middle school students to enter high school with the language skills that will enable them to succeed in rigorous coursework. AVID Excel features: • Digital curriculum and resources • Family engagement resources • Professional learning Curriculum Focus: Explicit instruction in English language development and cognitive academic language through reading, writing, oral language, and academic vocabulary, supported by instruction in AVID college and career readiness skills.	●	●	●	●
AVID English Language Development Summer Bridge Program This student summer program provides middle and high school English language learners with an opportunity to engage in interactive and fun lessons that focus on academic language acquisition, community building, and school connectivity. Students will engage in two 10-day sessions lasting 4 hours per day. The content focuses on six learning target areas: reading, writing, oral language, academic vocabulary, study skills, and self-determination and leadership. During the AVID English Language Development Summer Bridge Program, scholars engage in interactive teambuilding activities that focus on developing a comfortable and connected scholarly community, while accelerating language acquisition and providing access to rigorous coursework. Program Features: • Supports school connectivity • Deepens students' development of 21st century skills • Provides research-based, highly effective instructional strategies for teachers	●		●	●

AVID Membership	TITLES			
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Member Access to Professional Development, Curricula, Data, and Support

Annual AVID Membership

AVID gives educators a solution for systematically increasing academic rigor and creating engaging learning environments, accelerating the performance of underrepresented students, and delivering results schoolwide. A membership with AVID provides instant access to our educator network, including:

- A national professional learning community
- Trainings available locally, regionally, and nationally
- Ongoing coaching and support for staff
- Online portal with a vast network of:
  - On-demand learning modules
  - Curricula with ready-to-use activities
  - Digital access to webinars and other resources

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Annual AVID Membership	●	●		

Parent Involvement	TITLES			
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AVID Schools Involve Parents

Family Workshops

AVID provides digital resources intended to strengthen the partnership between schools and families as they support college and career readiness for all students. The resources contain planning materials for schools to facilitate workshops focused on topics that include improving communication, organizing time and materials, advancing college preparedness, building career knowledge, and promoting financial literacy. The workshops encourage the interaction of parents with their students. Workshops are 60+ minutes in length.

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Family Workshops	●	●	●	●

Staffing and Support	TITLES			
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AVID Schools Secure Personnel to Implement AVID With Fidelity

AVID Elective Teacher(s)

To teach the AVID Elective class, AVID schools select well-respected instructional leaders with at least 3 to 5 years of teaching experience who set high expectations for student achievement. AVID Elective teachers:

- Promote the use of the WICOR strategies by all AVID students in all classes.
- Assist in the training of tutors using the AVID tutorial training materials.
- Advocate for AVID students, especially with challenges of access and equity in advanced courses.
- Assist the Site Team with certification and data collection (including senior data collection) and gather artifacts on the Coaching and Certification Instrument (CCI) to verify levels of performance.
- Are active members of the Site Team, promoting schoolwide use of WICOR strategies.
- Advocate and provide professional learning regarding AVID methodologies for other staff members of the school and district.
- Set high expectations for student achievement and monitor students' progress.

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AVID Elective Teacher(s)	●			

AVID Tutors			
A sufficient number of tutors must be available in the AVID Elective/Excel Elective class(es) to facilitate students' access to rigorous curriculum. AVID tutors are trained in the AVID Tutorial Process, support students' WICOR skill development, and serve as role models for AVID Elective/Excel Elective students. In the absence of readily available current college student tutors, while continuing to actively recruit, schools may employ the following: • Adult tutors • Cross-age students (AVID cross-age tutors or older secondary students from a different grade level and a different classroom than those in the AVID Elective/Excel Elective class) • Peer tutors—students not in the AVID Elective/Excel Elective class • Peer tutors—students in the AVID Elective/Excel Elective class *Remember, eTutors can support students virtually/online while removing geographical limitations/barriers of physical tutors. The *AVID Tutorial Guide* helps teachers enhance the skills of tutors by modeling and practicing effective group strategies, higher-order questioning techniques, writing review, and collaborative problem-solving. AVID's **tutor training (resources are available for face-to face training or asynchronous virtual training)** incorporates inquiry into the tutoring process. Tutors learn to utilize Costa's Levels of Thinking (text explicit, text implicit, and experience-based thinking beyond the text) and focus on higher-level questions in the tutorial process. The inquiry process is facilitated by skillful questioning and provides students with the opportunity to become independent thinkers.	●		✪	

✪ AVID Excel is appropriate for this funding category.

Funding recommendations are based on work with current AVID districts. All funding allocations should be vetted and approved through the appropriate district federal programs office.