



DEADLINES:

Funds must be obligated by

- Sept. 30, 2023 (ESSER II)
- Sept. 30, 2024 (ESSER III)

Pandemic Recovery Funding

For pandemic recovery, \$176 billion in federal funding is available through the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (ESSER II) and the American Rescue Plan Act (ESSER III). The chart below outlines how AVID products and services align with funding priority areas.

UNFINISHED LEARNING

AVID addresses unfinished learning (categorized in ESSER as "learning loss") by accelerating learning for all students, which starts with ensuring that school leaders have instilled instruction, systems, leadership, and culture that support raising expectations and high achievement for all.

SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL LEARNING

AVID models SEL and relational capacity-building for educators so they can model this in the classroom. Relational capacity has an incredible impact on student learning experiences.





DISTANCE LEARNING

AVID's approach to distance learning entails involving educators in high-engagement professional learning that models strategies and instructional practices and that enhance relational capacity and student engagement in a virtual setting.

CONTINUITY OF SERVICES

AVID equips educators with instructional practices needed to create highly engaging learning experiences in digital, face-to-face, and hybrid classrooms. We provide the space for leaders to connect around the issues impacting them.

AVID PRODUCTS AND SERVICES	PRIORITY AREAS			
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<p>AVID® Membership (Elementary and Secondary)</p> <p>AVID gives elementary and secondary educators a solution for systematically increasing academic rigor and creating engaging learning environments, accelerating the performance of underrepresented students, and delivering results schoolwide. Membership provides school staff with resources to support student needs in all priority areas.</p> <p>Resources to address unfinished learning include professional learning for educators focused on AVID Core Instructional Strategies that can be used across a campus in all classrooms schoolwide. Additional AVID components support in the following ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The AVID Elective (secondary) helps educators assess student academic progress and enhance engagement in distance learning in digital, face-to-face, and hybrid classrooms by building relational capacity between students and educators.• Tutorials and Collaborative Study Groups (secondary) empower students to assess their academic progress and needs through peer support and engagement. <p>Membership components also support social-emotional learning. The AVID Elective helps students develop their agency and equips them with academic and social and emotional learning skills to support them in their core content classes and beyond.</p> <p>AVID supports leaders with distance learning through Principal Networks, leadership-centered AVID Professional Learning Modules (APLMs), professional learning days centered on APLMs, and consultative coaching.</p> <p>In addition, membership supports continuity of learning by providing resources to leaders and educators. AVID leaders can engage in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Principal Networks• Key Implementer Networks• Regional AVID partner meetings (i.e., District Directors, AVID Site Coordinators)• AVID Professional Learning Modules (APLMs) focused on Leadership• K-12 Educator AVID Professional Learning Workshops• AVID Elective Teacher/Coordinator Workshops• Counselor Networks <p>All AVID Members can enhance their skillsets through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Trainings, workshops, and resources available on-demand, including instructional videos. Some examples include Digital Citizenship/SEL Workshops.				

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<p>AVID Professional Learning Events: AVID DigitalXP, AVID ElevateXP, Summer Institute, and Path to Schoolwide</p> <p>AVID professional learning teaches and models AVID's evidence-based instructional practices and high-engagement strategies that are relevant for distance learning, in-person, and hybrid instructional settings. Participants choose a Community of Practice that best meets their needs based on their role or content area, and which type of professional learning event they would like to attend: AVID DigitalXP, AVID ElevateXP, Summer Institute, or Path to Schoolwide. These events support principals, school leaders, teachers in all content areas, counselors, and other educators.</p> <p>Professional Learning Event Descriptions</p> <p><u>Summer Institute:</u> 3 full days, held in the summer, in person instruction</p> <p><u>AVID DigitalXP:</u> 3 full days, held in the summer, virtual instruction</p> <p><u>Path to Schoolwide:</u> 2 days, available year-round, in person instruction</p> <p><u>AVID ElevateXP:</u> Four 3-hour sessions offered year-round, virtual instruction</p> <p>Communities of Practice to Support Leaders</p> <p>Leadership Communities of Practice help principals and school leaders accelerate learning and address unfinished learning by providing them with a deeper understanding of their school's needs through the lenses of Instruction, Systems, Leadership, and Culture.</p> <p>Examples of Leadership Communities of Practice include Leading Change for Educational Equity (LCEE); LCEE2; Site Leaders – New; and Site Leaders – Experienced. LCEE and LCEE2 empower principals and school leaders to address unfinished learning by employing a systemic approach to college and career readiness through the implementation of AVID Schoolwide.</p> <p>Leaders can attend other Communities of Practice to learn more about accelerating learning in various areas. For more information, please visit our AVID Professional Learning Page.</p> <p>Communities of Practice to Support Educators</p> <p>AVID professional learning supports educators across all content areas and are grounded in evidence-based instructional methodologies. AVID professional learning features a variety of content areas to choose from, with each building in social and emotional learning practices for use in any classroom on campus. Training examples include Fostering an Equitable and Engaging Culture in Classrooms and Creating Engaging and Rigorous Classrooms.</p>				
<p>AVID Math and Science Summer Bridge</p> <p>AVID's Math and Science Summer Bridge programs offer high-engagement math and science content designed to accelerate learning by enhancing students' critical thinking, reasoning, and problem-solving skills through interactive and collaborative lessons and activities. There are four offerings to choose from, with each featuring curriculum for 60 hours of student contact time (15 units of 4 hours each). The programs are designed for students in grades 6–9, with grade bands varying by offering.</p>				
<p>AVID STEM Academy™</p> <p>AVID STEM Academy is a two-week, 50-hour STEM curriculum for K–8, incorporating developmentally appropriate themes, SEL, 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. New for 2022–2023 are creative coding lessons.</p>				

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AVID Excel® AVID Excel is a middle school offering that changes the trajectory of long-term English language learners by accelerating academic language acquisition, developing literacy, and preparing them for success in rigorous college preparatory coursework. AVID Excel accelerates students' academic language acquisition and puts them on a pathway to high school AVID and college readiness. AVID Excel trainings focus on instructional methodologies for ELL students delivered through the AVID Excel Elective class. AVID Excel helps educators address unfinished learning experienced by 7th and 8th grade ELL students by providing resources and professional learning to accelerate academic language acquisition.				
AVID English Language Development Summer Bridge 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 ELD Summer Bridge, scholars engage in interactive team-building activities that focus on developing a comfortable and connected scholarly community, while accelerating language acquisition and providing access to rigorous coursework. Program Features: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supports social-emotional learning and school connectivity • Deepens students' development of 21st century skills • Provides research-based, highly effective instructional strategies for teachers 				
AVID Weekly®: Literacy Connections Schoolwide and AVID Elementary Weekly: Literacy Connections Schoolwide Features actionable lesson plans with classroom resources. Each lesson uses WICOR® (Writing, Inquiry, Collaboration, Organization, and Reading) strategies to analyze relevant texts, infographics, and images, allowing students to think critically and connect prior knowledge to their current learning. WICOR methodologies enhance critical SEL components, like self-awareness, self-management, and relationship skills. AVID Weekly also provides literacy instruction resources that be utilized in any summer learning or supplemental after-school program.				
AVID STEM Connections® AVID STEM Connections is a K–12 resource for both AVID and non-AVID educators, featuring 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 SEL skill development and STEM career connections, content is aligned with national standards and includes grab-and-go lessons, teacher presentations, and student resources, all available for download.				

States and districts requiring confirmation of Tier 2 evidence of effectiveness by the What Works Clearinghouse (WWC) for the use of ESSA funding can now add AVID to their list of eligible support providers!