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Advancement Via Individual Determination



[L. avidus]: eager for knowledge



What is AVID?

Advancement Via Individual Determination

- A schoolwide college readiness system
- A structured approach to rigorous curriculum
- Direct support structure for first-generation college students
- Professional learning for educators

College Readiness Defined

- **College readiness:** the level of preparation a student needs to **enroll and succeed—without remediation—**in a credit-bearing general education course at a postsecondary institution that offers a baccalaureate degree or transfer to a baccalaureate program.

Dr. David Conley, Defining College Readiness



What does AVID do?

- Develops **readers and writers**
- Develops deep **content knowledge**
- Teaches **content-specific strategies** for reading, writing, thinking, and speaking
- Develops **habits, skills, and behaviors** to use knowledge and abilities



AVID in MDUSD 2019-20



Bel Air Elementary

Oak Grove MS

Sequoia MS

Delta View Elementary

El Dorado MS

Pine Hollow MS

Hidden Valley Elementary

Pleasant Hill MS

Riverview MS



Highlands Elementary

College Now

Mountain View Elementary

Ygnacio Valley HS

Rio Vista Elementary

College Park HS

Shore Acres Elementary

Westwood Elementary

Concord HS

El Monte Elementary

Pleasant Hill Elementary

Fair Oaks Elementary



4 Domains of Rapid School Improvement

INSTRUCTION

promotes:



- ▶ WICOR® Strategies
- ▶ 21st Century Skills
- ▶ Student Leadership Skills
- ▶ Goal-Setting/Monitoring
- ▶ Rigor for All

SYSTEMS

support:



- ▶ AVID Site/District Teams
- ▶ Professional Learning
- ▶ Secondary AVID Elective Classes
- ▶ Equity and Access to Rigorous Courses
- ▶ Data Collection and Analysis

LEADERSHIP

ensures:



- ▶ Strategic Planning
- ▶ Modeling of Expectations
- ▶ College Readiness Mission and Vision
- ▶ Career Readiness
- ▶ Distributed Leadership Approach

CULTURE

fosters:



- ▶ College Awareness and Preparation
- ▶ Common Belief in Student Success
- ▶ Family and Community Involvement
- ▶ High Expectations for All
- ▶ Positive and Safe Learning Environment

AVID is **schoolwide** when a strong AVID system transforms the ensuring **college readiness** for all AVID Elective students and **improved academic performance** for all students based on increased opportunities.

AVID Elective- Secondary

Daily or Block Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				Binder Evaluation
AVID Curriculum	Tutorials	AVID Curriculum	Tutorials	Field Trips
				Media Center
				Speakers
Combination for Block Schedule		Combination for Block Schedule		Motivational
				Activities (within block)

Curriculum:

- Writing
- College and Careers
- Strategies for Success
- Critical Reading

Tutorials:

- Collaborative Study Groups
- Writing Groups
- Socratic Seminars



WICOR Strategies

Writing

Inquiry

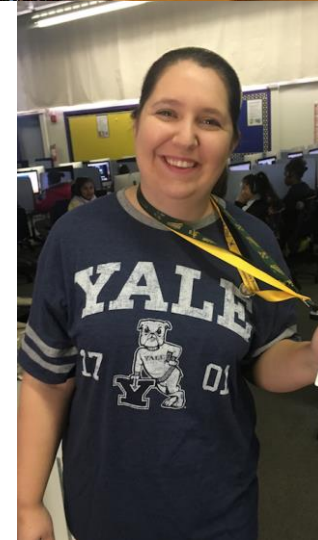
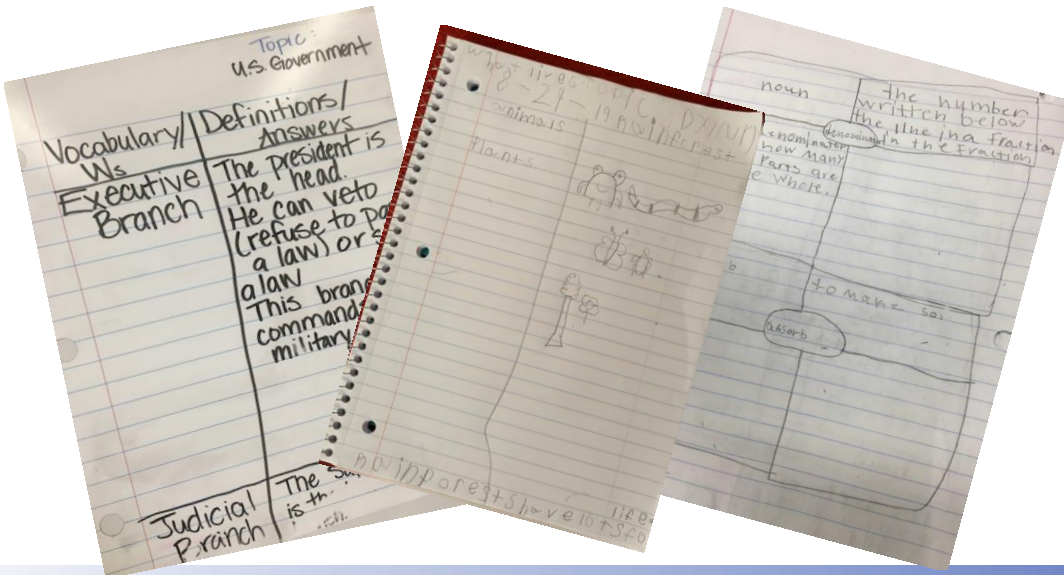
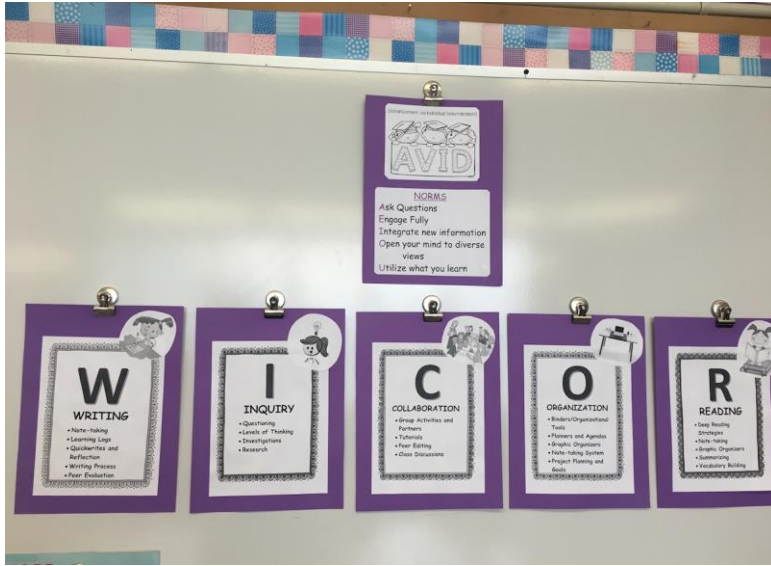
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Collaboration

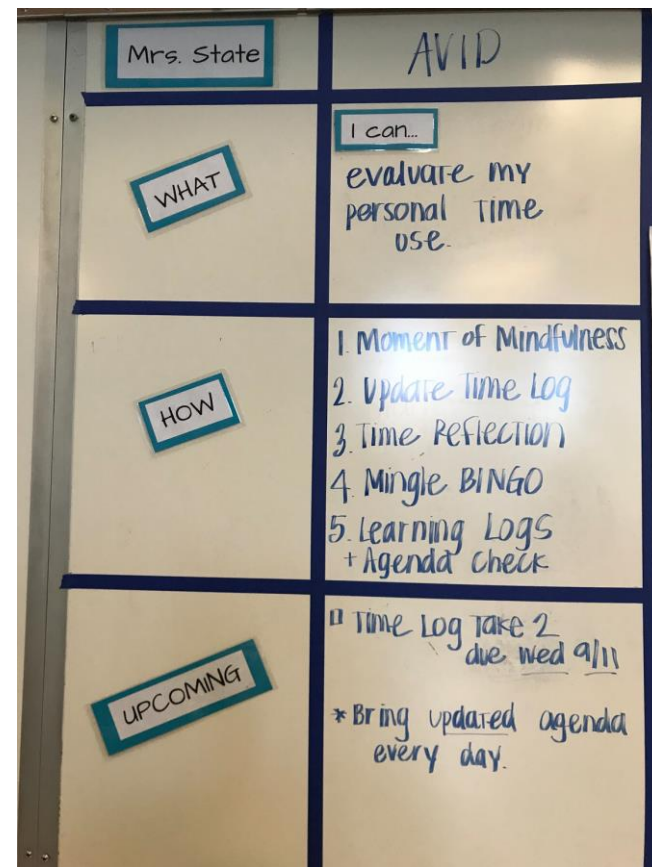
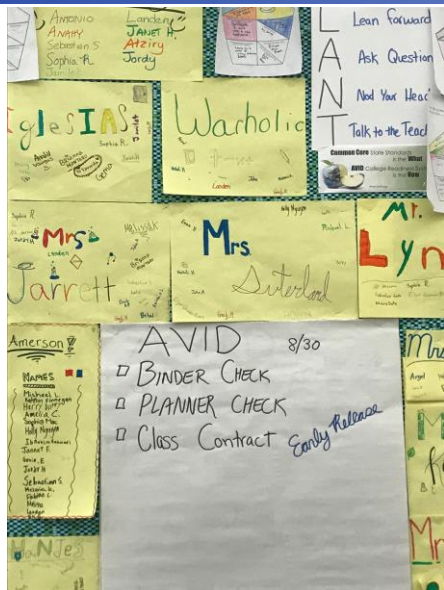


Organization

Rio Vista Elementary



Sequoia Middle School

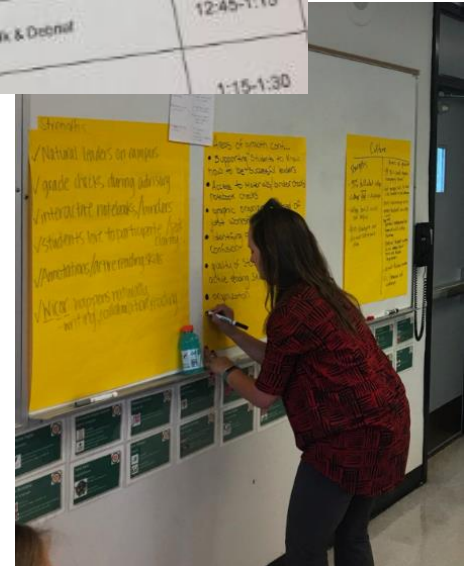


Concord High



AVID Site Team Meeting #1 - September 26, 2018

Task*	Time*
Breakfast & Relational Capacity #1	8:00-9:00
Purpose of AVID site team	9:00-9:45
BREAK	9:45-10:00
Relational Capacity #2	10:00-10:15
Summer Institute Debrief	10:15-10:55
LUNCH	10:55- 11:30
Relational Capacity #3	11:30- 11:45
CCI together and in small groups Susan - Mar, Lizette, Felisa Haley, Gennifer, Allison - Renee, Pam - Leah, Sheila	11:45-12:45
Talk & Debrief	12:45-1:15
	1:15-1:30



Thank You!

AVID Principals & Staff Members
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