



# AVID Student Application



## Ruben S. Ayala High School

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**2015 California Gold Ribbon School**

**2019 California Distinguished School**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> time in row!**

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**DIANA YARBOI, Principal**

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Dear Class of 2027 Ayala Student,

We are so excited that you are interested in AVID at Ruben S. Ayala High School. It is important to fill in all the forms accurately. We plan to have two 9th grade AVID classes.

To ensure a complete application, please be sure to follow the checklist below.

\_\_\_\_\_ Application Packet

\_\_\_\_\_ Teacher Recommendation (Must be a Math or English teacher)

Turn in all forms to your AVID teacher (who can send to me via district mail) or email all forms to [Christy\\_Koenig@chino.k12.ca.us](mailto:Christy_Koenig@chino.k12.ca.us) as soon as possible.

Thank you,

Ayala High School AVID Team



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**Legal First name**                      **Name you go by**                      **Last Name**

Best Email to contact you \_\_\_\_\_

Do you agree to take AVID all year (both semesters)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to take Cornell/Focused Notes in all core subject areas? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to keep an organized binder? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to maintain good attendance and be punctual for classes? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to take a rigorous course (Honors or AP) by graduation? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to participate in tutorials? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to participate in college field trips? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you agree to ask for help from teachers and your counselor? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you planning on playing any sports? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, which sport(s)?

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to be in extracurricular activities (clubs, volunteering)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

What activities are you interested in? ☐ Band ☐ Spirit/Cheer ☐ Leadership

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Do you agree to keep a positive attitude and be enthusiastic about college? ☐ Yes ☐ No



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**STUDENT:** Please complete the following application to be considered as a member of the AVID Elective. Please bring your completed application to the interview. Final acceptance will be determined upon completion of an interview. *(Please print with blue or black ink.)*

## Personal Data

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First CVUSD Student I.D. #

## Student Information

This information will assist us in identifying possible candidates who best fit the AVID Profile. Please complete the following questionnaire. This information is confidential and will only be used by the AVID site team for placement.

### 1. Parent/Guardian's Highest Educational Level

- ☐ Did not graduate high school
- ☐ Graduated high school
- ☐ Completed some college
- ☐ Graduated two-year college
- ☐ Graduated four-year college
- ☐ Post-graduate education

### 2. Ethnic Background (Mark all that apply.)

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> African American              | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native | <input type="checkbox"/> White/Non-Hispanic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Racial       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Islander              | <input type="checkbox"/> Other              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Filipino                      |   |

### 4. Supplemental Criteria: what other languages do you speak at home?

To the best of my knowledge, all information provided on this form is correct. I support my student's interest in joining the AVID Elective in Chino Valley Unified School District.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian's Signature



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**Current Class Schedule:** Complete schedule as it appears on transcript/report card or submit a transcript. If the class is an honors/Pre-AP\* class, please note.

Period	Class	1 <sup>st</sup> Trimester Grade	2 <sup>nd</sup> Trimester Grade
0			
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			

**\*Previously Enrolled in AVID:** ☐ Yes    **Circle Grades:** 6 7 8 9 10 11

## Academic Honors

Briefly describe any scholastic distinctions or honors that you have earned, beginning with the sixth grade.

## Extracurricular, Personal, and Volunteer Activities

Please list your main extracurricular, community, and family activities or hobbies in the order of their interest to you. Include specific events and/or major accomplishments, such as musical instruments played and/or participation in sports teams, etc.

## Opportunity to Share Attendance and Grade Challenges

1. If you have a lot of absences or tardies, please explain.
2. If you have any D or F grades, please explain the circumstances behind it. What are you doing to improve the grade?



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## Language Arts or Math Teacher Recommendation

The AVID Elective is an elective course for two/three years in middle school and four years in high school. This course will prepare students for the rigors of college preparatory classes by providing study and organizational skills, as well as tutorial help from college mentors.

### Profile of an AVID student:

- **Average GPA**
- **First generation student in family to attend college**
- **Highly motivated**

As we prepare to interview candidates, we are gathering as much information as possible about prospective students. Please rate the student based on your perception of the student's ability to be successful in the AVID Elective. **Students who wish to be considered for the AVID Elective must return this form to the AVID Elective teacher or front office by 3/24 at 3 P.M.**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Recommending Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

	Never (0)	Sometimes (1)	Often (2)	Always (3)
Demonstrates motivation and tenacity	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Willingness to work with others	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Acceptable attendance and on home to class	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Brings materials	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Seeks help when needed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Actively participates in class	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Practices good citizenship and classroom behavior	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Not all of the nominated students can participate in AVID next year because only a limited number of spaces are available. If you feel that this candidate should definitely be in AVID next year, please explain what makes this candidate exemplary. Accordingly, please let us know of any reservations that you may have about a candidate.

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