

AVID Tutors for Brevard Public Schools

DESCRIPTION:

AVID is a system that targets potential college students who need support. AVID prepares these students by teaching them college readiness skills. Students are enrolled in advanced courses and given academic support through tutors. The tutor acts as a facilitator in small groups to guide the students to self-discovery.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- College student/graduate/substitute or retired teacher
- A desire to make a difference in the lives of students.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Work with small groups of middle school and/or high school students.
- Determine from student notes and discussions, the concepts that need to be taught or reviewed.
- Evaluate student binders, including calendars, class and textbook notes, etc.
- Become familiar with the materials in the AVID Curriculum Libraries.
- Become familiar with the textbooks and materials used by AVID students.
- Set an example of personal excellence and high expectations for AVID students to follow.
- Communicate frequently and honestly with the AVID coordinator/teacher regarding student progress and areas of concern.

Application:

- You must complete an application packet and participate in the interview process. Applicants
 must agree to a criminal history/finger printing check prior to beginning work. The cost is \$68
 for all security clearances. This will also allow you to chaperone AVID students if you complete
 the online volunteer application
- Tutors will be trained by computer for part 1 and part 2 training is in the Socratic tutorial method and will receive ongoing feedback and assistance with implementing AVID resources. Training will be held in the fall at the District School Board Office.
- \$10.00 per hour
- Hours will vary by the school's program size and needs.