

AVID Schoolwide & AVID Elective

AVID is part of every class at RGMS and is an elective for selected students.

AVID Schoolwide: The entire school will learn strategies for college and career readiness.

My AVID Binder: All students will carry the AVID Binder to all core classes.

Required Contents: (*assembled with contents in this order before the first day of school*)

- 3-ring binder-- 3" with inside pockets
- Zipper pouch with 2 +pens (some erasable) 2+ pencils (sharpened), & handheld pencil sharpener with cover
- Student Handbook & Calendar (handed out first week of school)
- Notebook paper, college ruled, part of a pack (store the rest)
- 5-6 colored tab subject dividers to separate class sections, labeled


AVID Elective: This is an awesome elective for students that are invited to participate.

- **Media Mondays:** Songs, Videos, Short Stories, Short Films, Quick Writes, Public Speaking, Graphic Organizers, Calendar Organization, Back Channel Feedback
- **Thinking Tuesdays:** Ice Breakers with Tutors, IQ Challenge, Tutorial
- **Workday Wednesdays:** Project Development & Management, Instructional Strategies
- **Thinking Thursdays:** Ice Breakers with Tutors, IQ Challenge, Tutorial
- **Focus Fridays:** FUN Friday Activities, Grade Reflections, Field Trips, Study Sessions, Conferencing, Calendar, Binder Organization and Repair, Tutorial Reflections, Goal Setting

AVID WICOR

AVID's proven learning support structure for middle and high school is known as WICOR, which incorporates teaching/learning methodologies in the following critical areas: Writing, Inquiry, Collaboration, Organization, and Reading to Learn. WICOR provides a learning model that faculty can use to guide students to comprehend materials and concepts, and articulate ideas, at increasingly complex levels (scaffolding) within developmental, general education and discipline-based curricula in their major. RGMS teachers use WICOR strategies!

Cornell Notes: Get ready for high school!

	TOPIC/OBJECTIVE: CONTENTS/CLASS:	NAME: CLASS/PERIOD: DATE: SOURCE:	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;"> Name, topic, source, and essential question </div> <div style="background-color: #e6f2ff; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;"> NOTES: Focus on the essential question as you take notes in this section. Consider how you take notes to best organize the information. Return to this section after you're done note taking and: - strike-out unneeded information - circle key vocabulary - <u>underline</u> main ideas - ? areas of confusion - * information likely to be on a test or quiz </div> <div style="background-color: #fff9c4; padding: 5px;"> QUESTIONS: What questions might be asked about the information in your notes on a quiz or exam? What questions would you ask someone who has learned this information? Write these questions here to help you recall the information and to use as a study guide. </div>
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