## RESEARCH AND CRITICAL THINKING COURSES

AVID I  $-9^{TH}$  Grade AVID II  $-10^{TH}$  Grade AVID III  $-11^{th}$  Grade

Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) courses are elective classes that provide academic support for students in the AVID program through curricular and mentoring activities. These courses are designed to enable students to develop fundamental skills aligned with current curriculum.

## Dual Enrollment The College Experience (Length, credit: 1 semester, 1/2 credit)

This course is designed to strengthen skills essential to success in college, with further applications to post-college plans. Included are study and test-taking strategies; effective interpersonal skills; time management techniques; creative and critical thinking skills; college services and resources; educational policies, procedures, regulations and terminology; and library resources, research strategies, and information skills for online, blended, and traditional learning environments.