

Nobel Charter Middle School
9950 Tampa Avenue
Northridge, CA 91324

AVID TUTORS NEEDED FOR THE 2018-19 SCHOOL YEAR

Tutors are in the AVID elective class where they facilitate student access to rigorous curriculum. As students from colleges and universities, tutors also serve as role models. Tutors are trained to provide academic support. They receive 16 hours of instructional training in writing, inquiry, collaboration and reading for comprehension. Tutors use Socratic dialogue while facilitating their group.

- Tutors are key to the success of the AVID program.
- Tutors work with AVID students in study groups and individually, assisting them in all academic areas to make progress commensurate with college expectations.
- Tutoring in AVID is different from any job you have held before. Being part of a program at the forefront of education is highly challenging and requires extraordinary commitment, yet its rewards are many. More than anything else, tutoring in AVID is the best preparation possible for a career in teaching or in any other job which is people oriented.
- AVID tutorials take place in small groups that are subject area specific. AVID tutors assist the students achieve their full potential by facilitating collaborative tutorial groups. Tutors use Socratic questioning and collaborative learning techniques to help the students come up with the answers to their questions on their own and by working with fellow students.

Starting pay is \$15.00 per hour. The position is for 12 - 15 hours a week.

Qualifications

AVID tutors should be excellent role models of motivated, organized, successful college students who believe that the AVID students will succeed, too. They should be enrolled at colleges or universities. The tutors should represent balanced academic backgrounds, some liberal arts majors, others science or mathematics majors. The tutors should be people who will work in a supportive manner with secondary students and will be able to understand the delicate position they will occupy; they are advocates of students, yet ultimately they are responsible to the teacher. They must be willing to meet regularly to discuss student progress and to confer with the teacher about future tutorial plans.

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