



AVID – Paving the Way for Student Success

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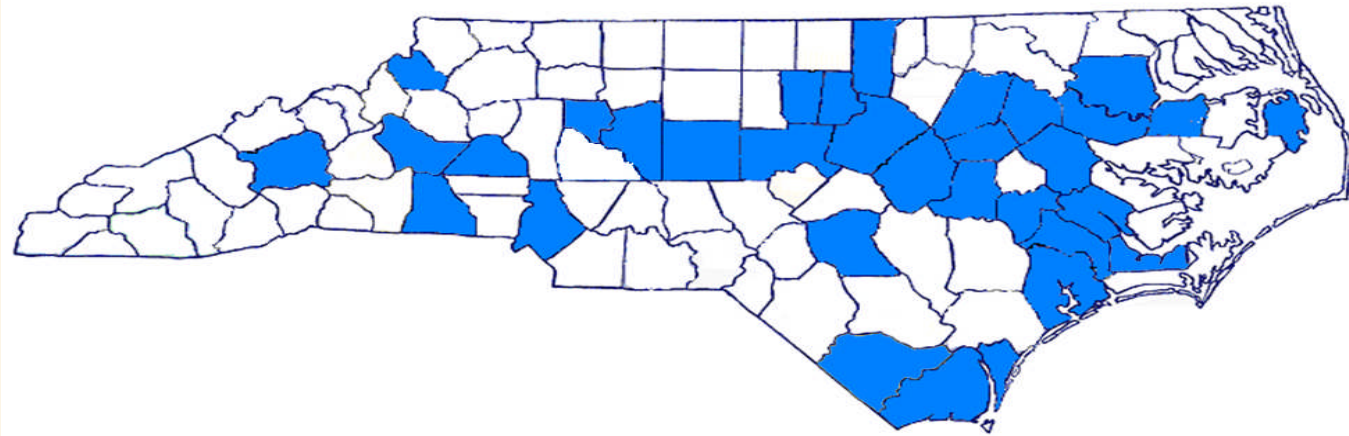


AVID: 27 Years of Success

- **one of the most successful college-preparatory programs ever for low-income, underserved students**
- **serves more than 300,000 students**
- **in more than 3,500 U.S. schools in 45 states, Canada and 15 other countries**

(Began in North Carolina in 1996)

NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICTS

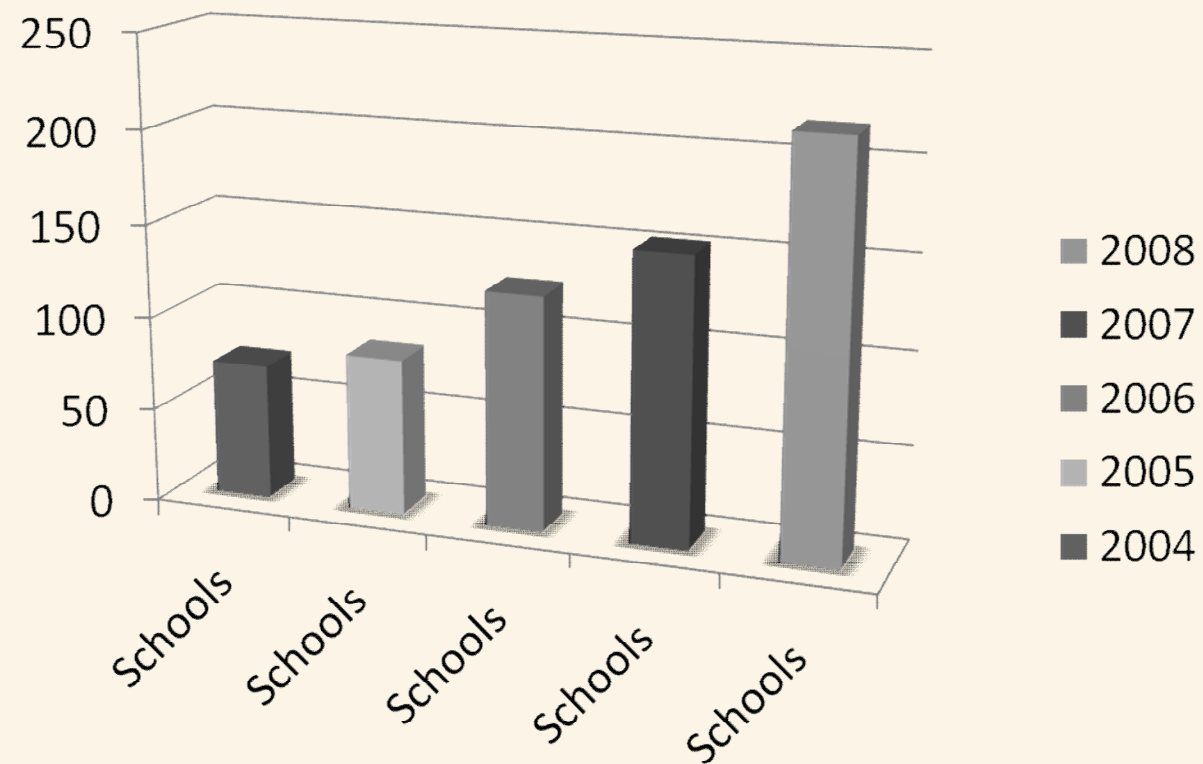


We have 217 sites on board in NC in 2007-08, with the AVID class offered daily in 86 High Schools, 115 Middle Schools and 16 Elementary Schools throughout the state!

Asheboro, Asheville City, Bertie, Brunswick, Burke, Catawba, Chapel Hill-Carrboro, Charlotte-Mecklenburg, Chatham, Cleveland, Columbus, Craven, Cumberland, Dare, Davidson, Davie, Durham, Edgecombe, Granville, Johnston, Jones, Lenoir, Martin, Nash-Rocky Mount, New Hanover, Newton-Conover, Onslow, Orange, Pitt, Wake, Washington, Watauga, Wayne & Wilson

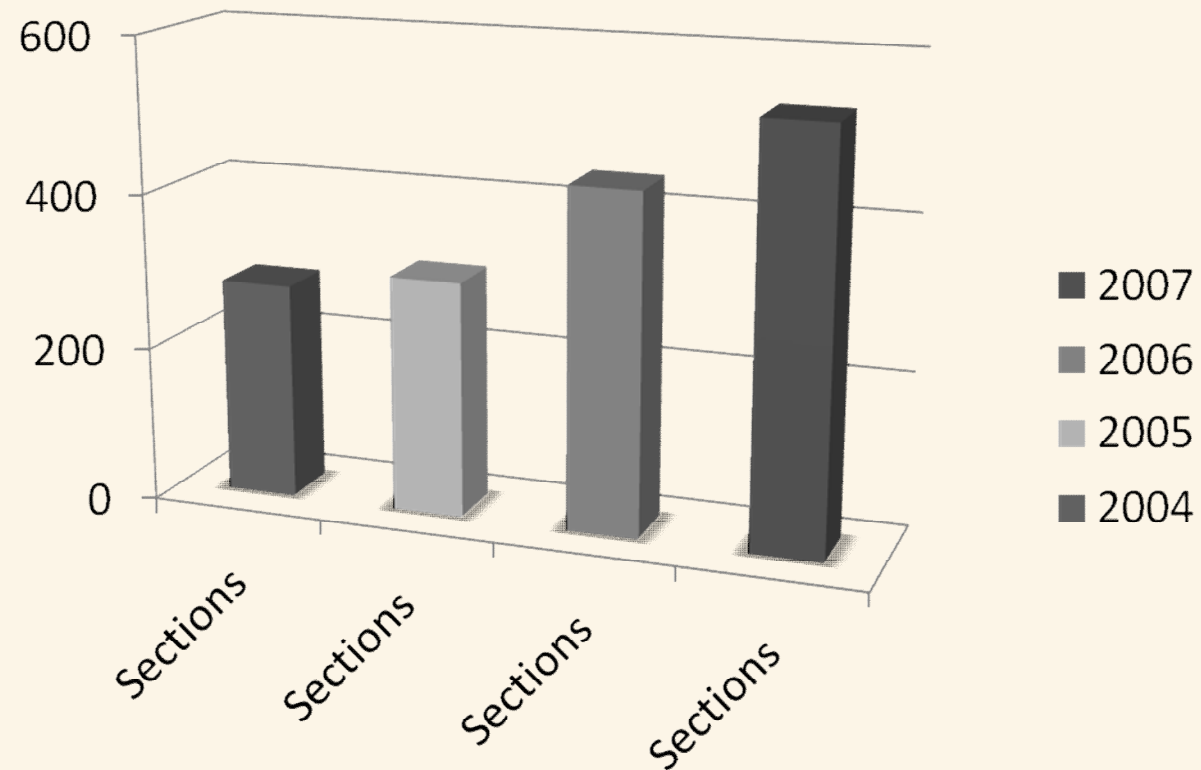


NC AVID Schools



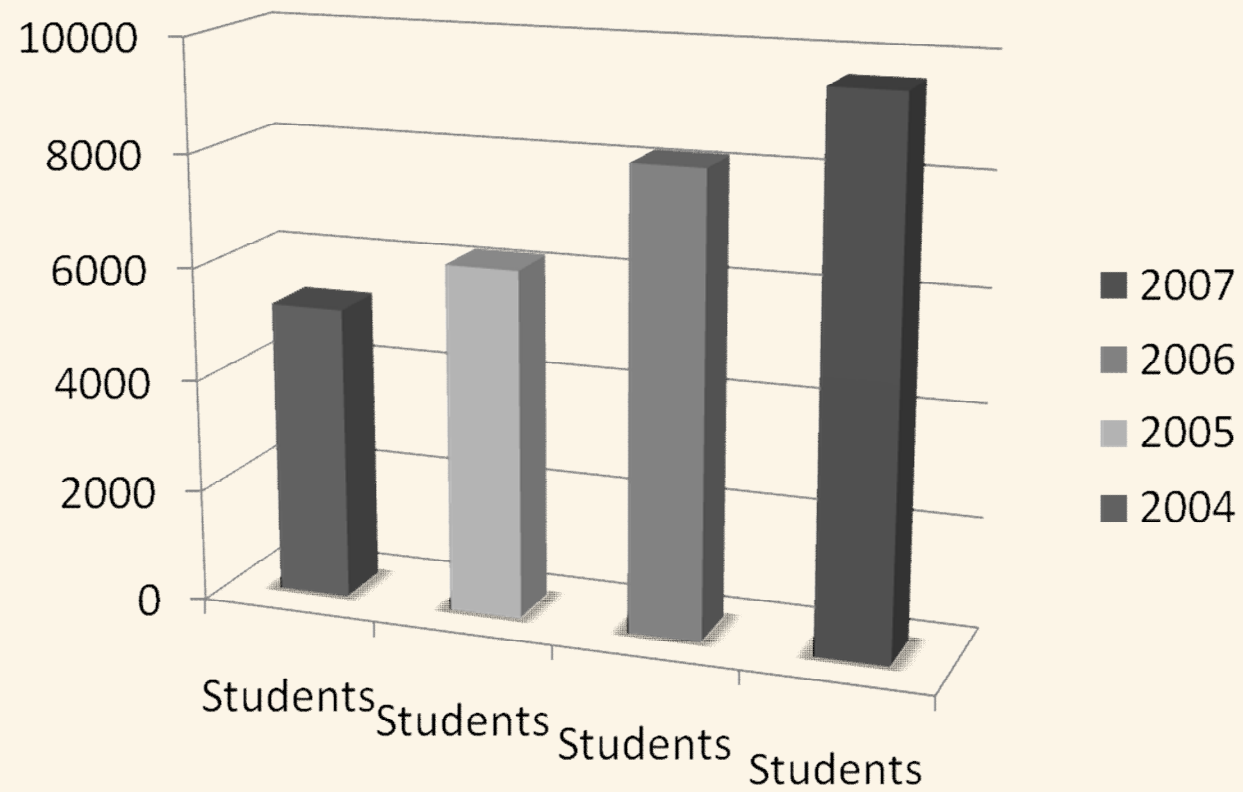


NC AVID Elective Class Sections









NC AVID Students







What is AVID?

-  **A structured, college preparatory system working directly with schools and districts**
-  **A direct support structure for first-generation college goers, grades 4-12**
-  **A schoolwide approach to curriculum and rigor**
-  **A professional development program providing training throughout the U.S.**

What is AVID?

Support structure for all students, and most especially the least served students in the “academic middle”:

-  **AVID is an academic elective**
-  **AVID students enroll in an intensive set of courses**
-  **Students learn explicit skills for success in these more rigorous courses**
-  **Trained college tutors lead group tutorials in the academic elective**



AVID Graduates

 **98% plan to enroll in a college or university**

 **67% plan to enroll in a four-year university**

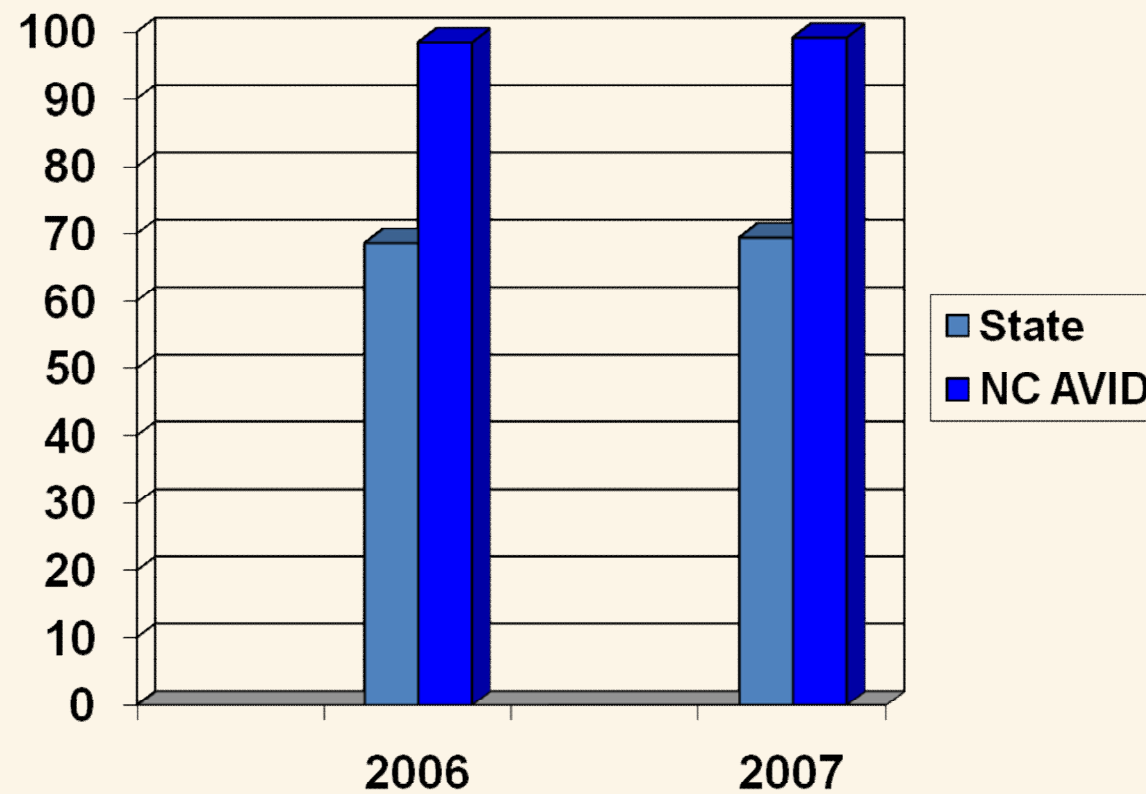
 **31% plan to enroll in a two-year college**

 **84% of parents have less than a four-year college degree**

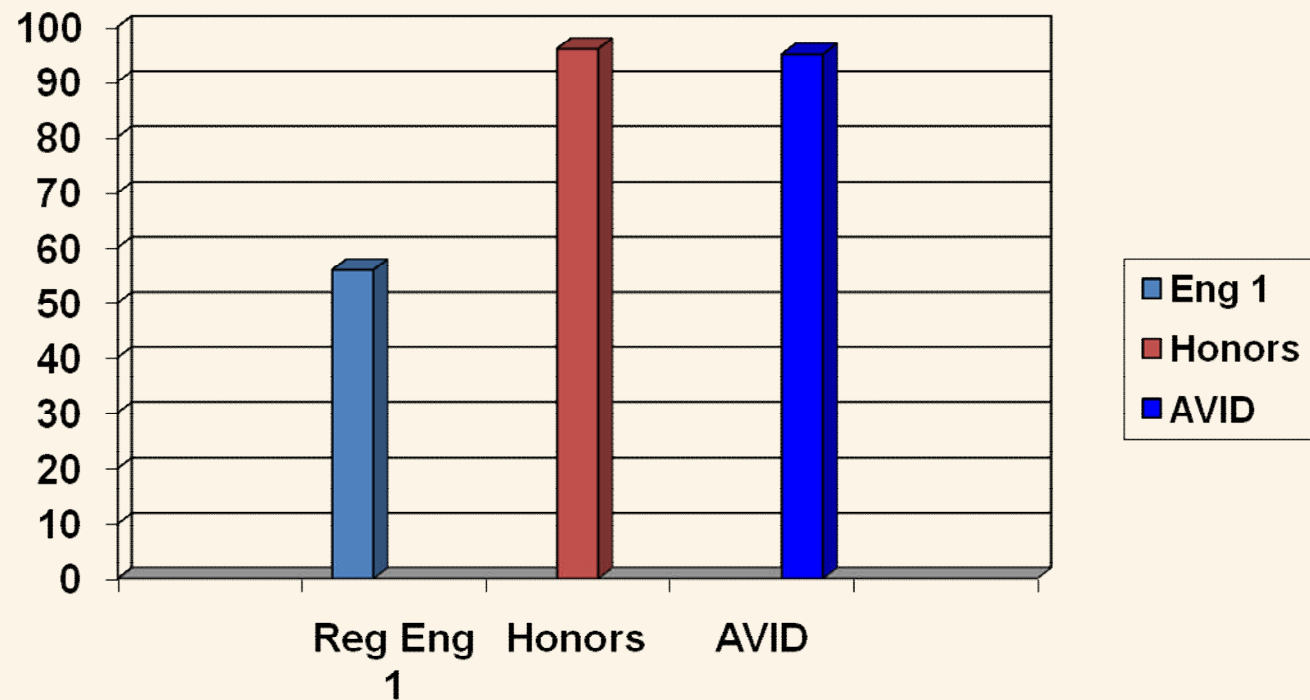
Source: AVID Center Data Collection System, 2005-2006

Percentages have been rounded to the nearest whole percent

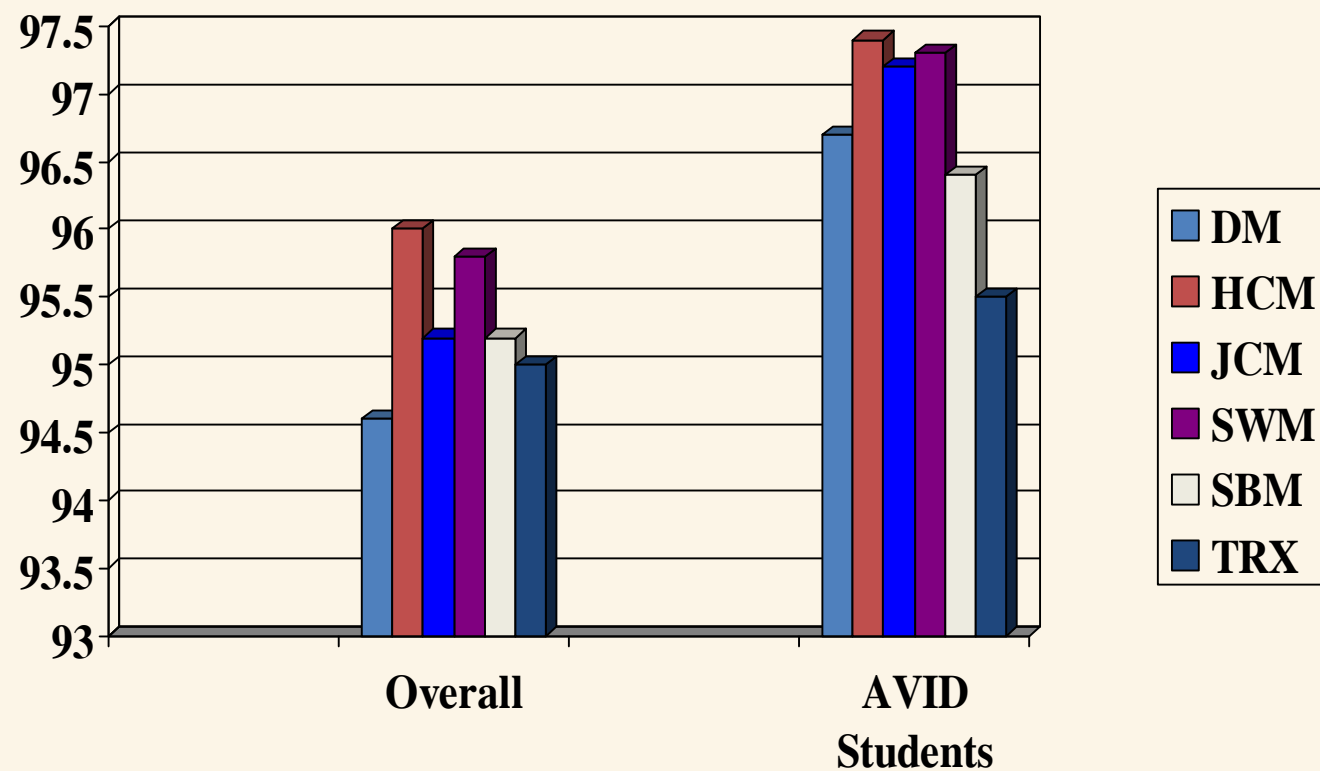
NC Graduation Rates



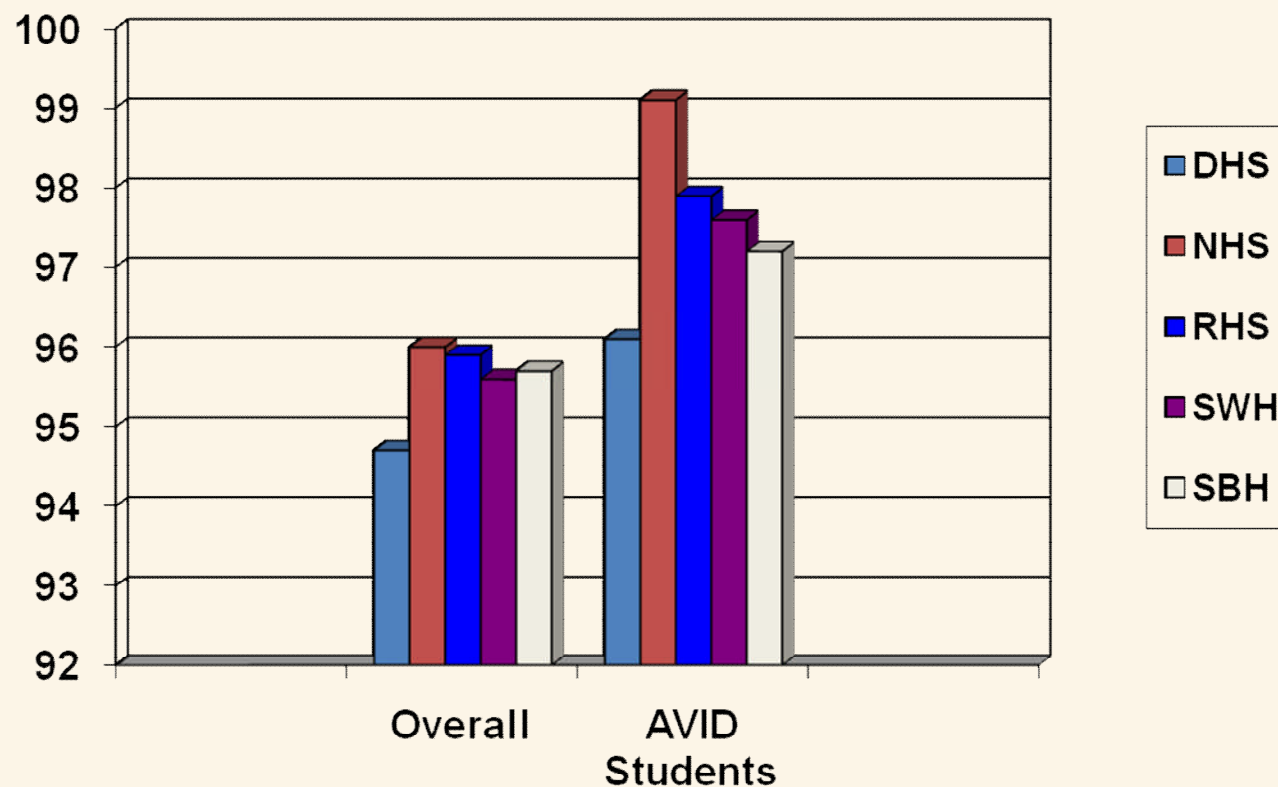
Lenoir County – EOC Data



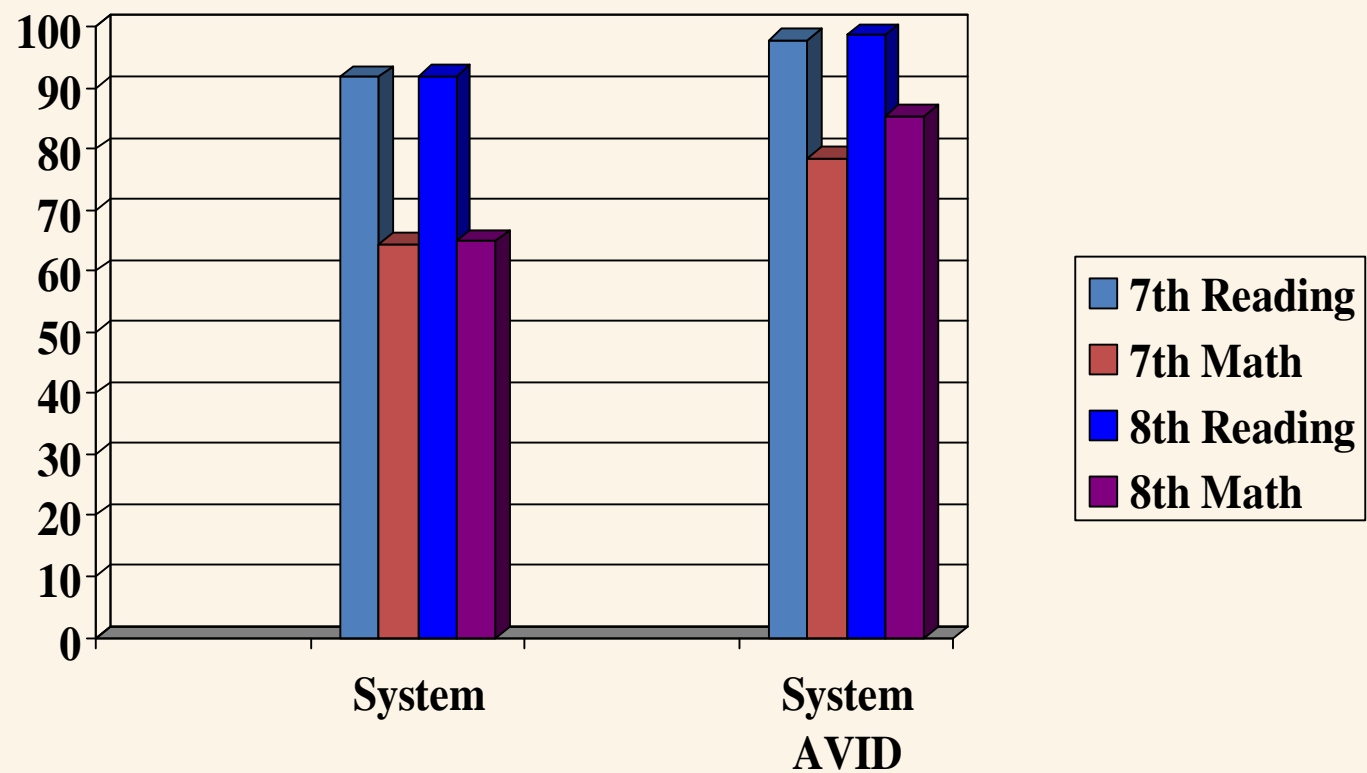
Onslow County Middle School Attendance Rates



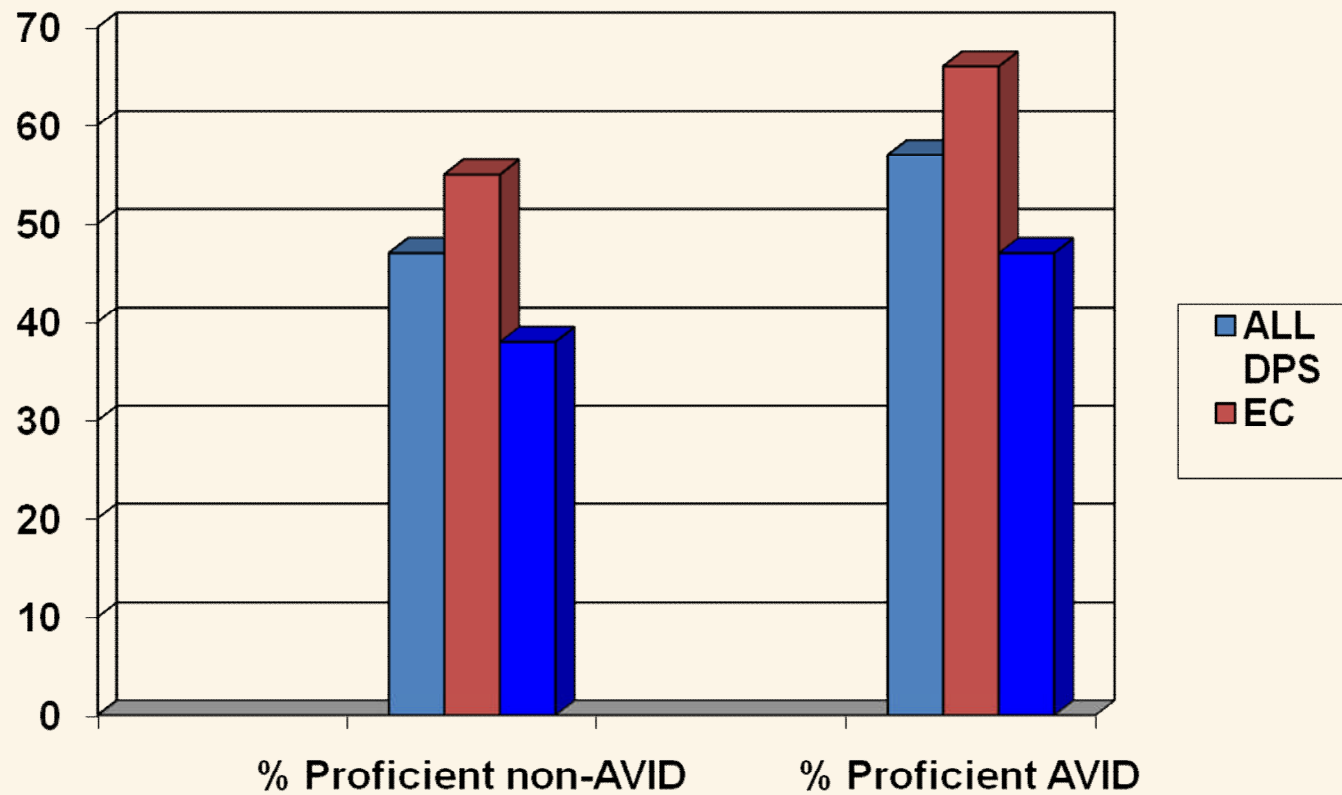
Onslow County High School Attendance Rates



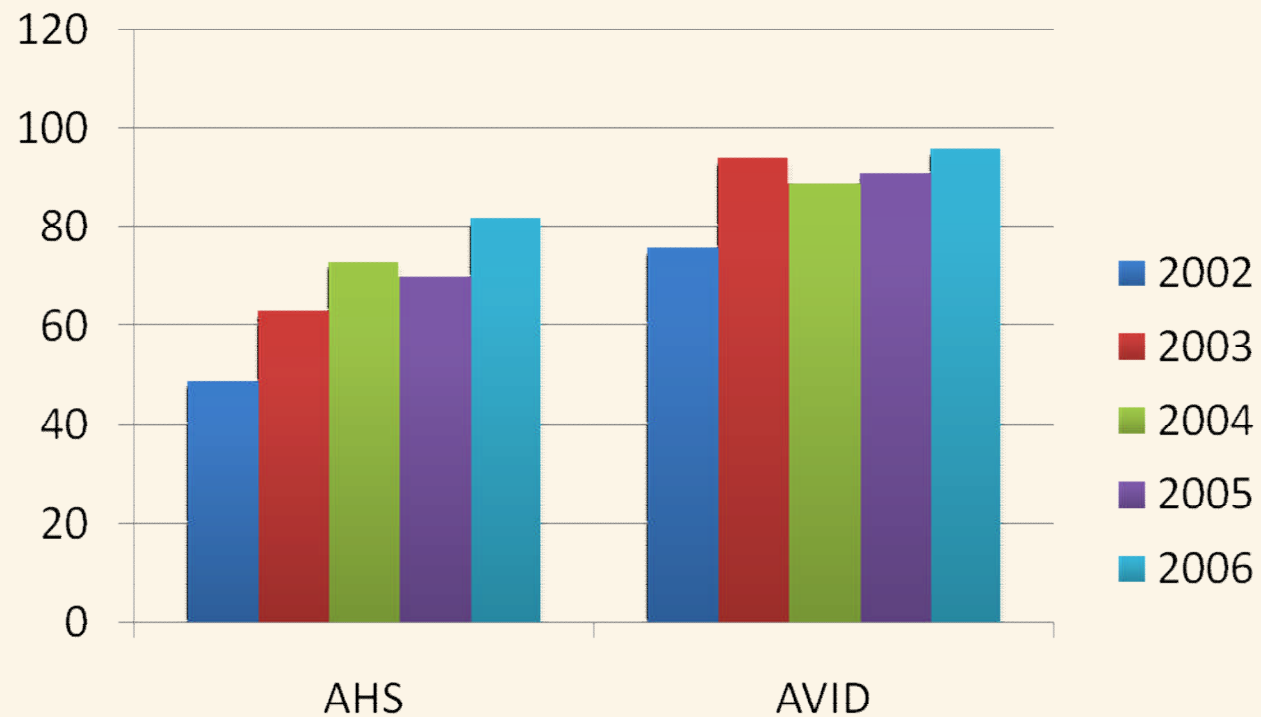
Onslow County EOG Results



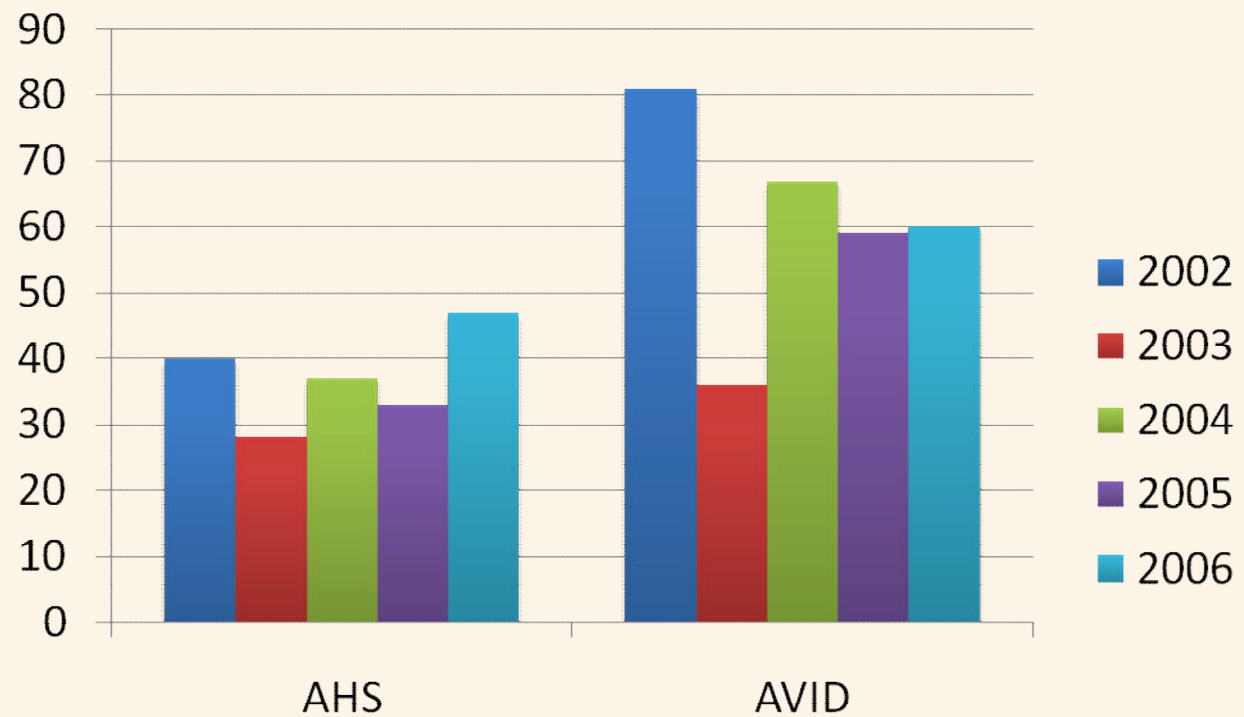
Durham 2006-07 EOC Data



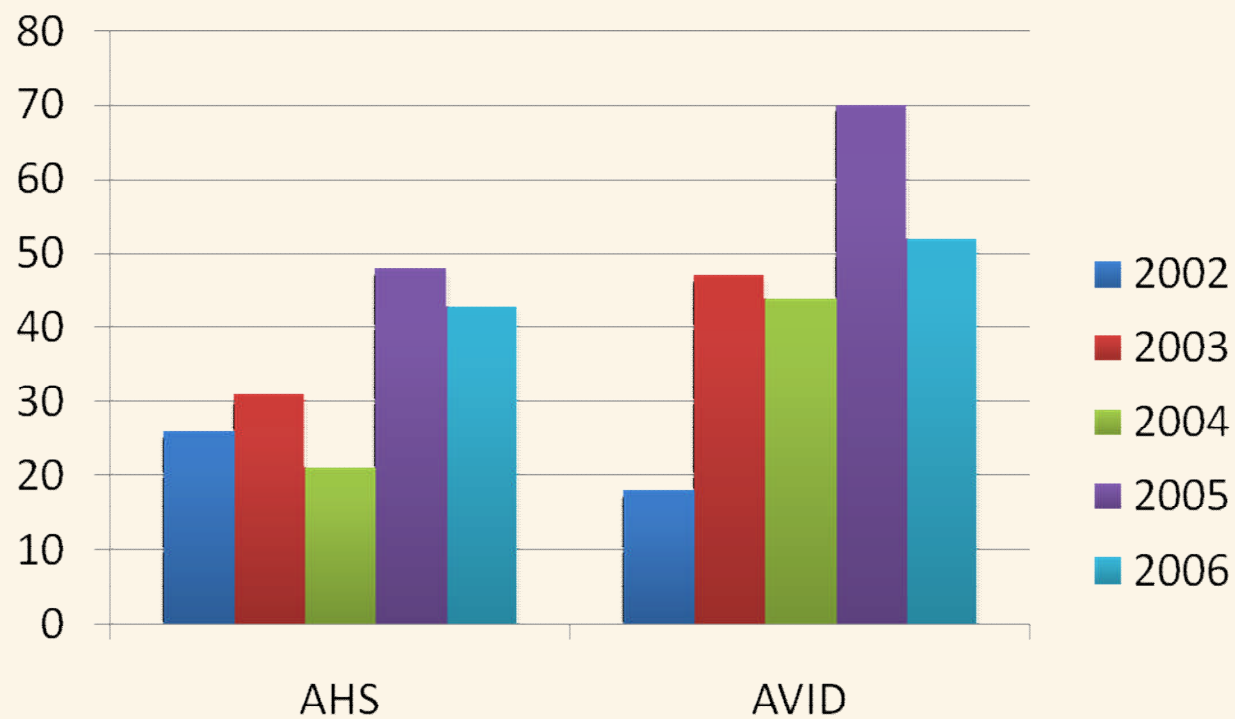
Asheville HS African American English 1 EOC







Asheville HS African American Biology EOC



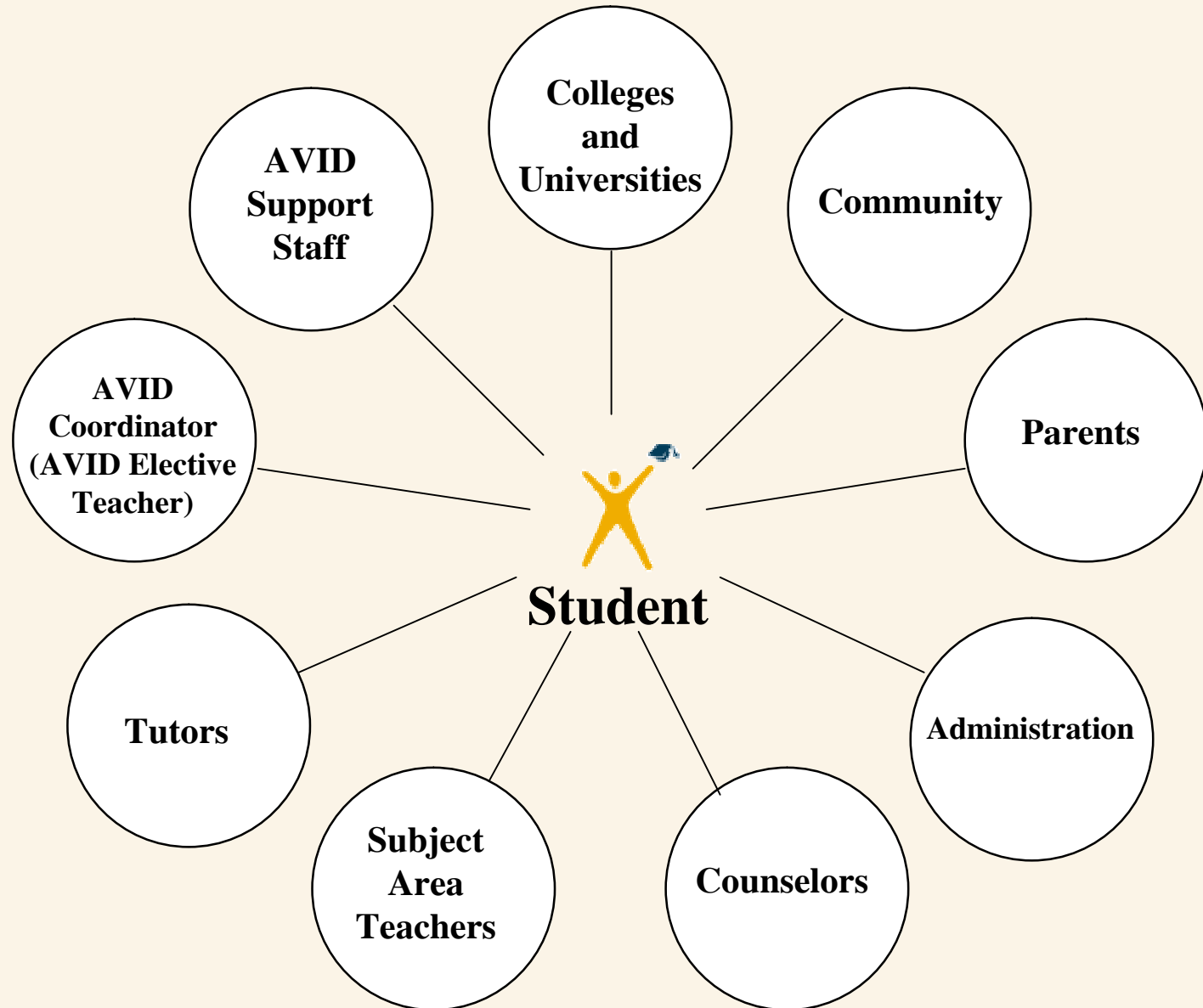
Asheville HS African American Geometry EOC



Why AVID Works

-  **Places AVID students in rigorous curriculum and gives them the support to achieve;**
-  **Provides the explicit “hidden curriculum” of schools;**
-  **Provides a team of students for positive peer identification; and**
-  **Redefines teacher’s role as that of student advocate.**

AVID: Collaborative Support for the Success of Underserved Students





AVID Student Selection

Looking for three things:

- **Ability**
- **College Potential**
- **Desire and Determination**



The AVID Student Profile

Students with Academic Potential

- **Average to High Test Scores**
- **2.0-3.5 GPA**
- **College Potential with Support**
- **Desire and Determination**

Meets One or More of the Following Criteria

- **First in Their Family to Attend College**
- **Historically Underserved in 4-year Colleges**
- **Low Income**
- **Special Circumstances**



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