

## AVID Center Julie Elliott Scholarship 2014

Scholarship Purpose:	The funds are to be used for any college-related expenses, including but not limited to tuition, books, housing, or travel.
Scholarship Amount:	\$2,500
Nomination Deadline:	Recommendation forms are due to the divisions April 18, 2014.
Number of Scholarships to be Awarded:	Two scholarships will be awarded for each AVID Division (8 total):CaliforniaCentralEasternWestern
Eligibility Criteria:	The student should represent the quintessential AVID Elective student – one who has overcome personal obstacles through sheer determination and is now moving on to college.
	Other factors to be considered include (in order):
	Graduating AVID student
	Acceptance into a four-year college/university
	Financial need
	Compelling story/most improved student
	AP/IB/dual credit course
	• GPA
Next Steps/	Each AVID Coordinator may submit <b>one</b> nomination per school.
Recommendations:	• Schools need to get recommendations to the divisions by April 18.
	Divisions select Scholarship recipients by May 2.



## AVID Center Julie Elliott Scholarship 2014 Nomination Form



In 2011, AVID lost one of its brightest stars, **Ms. Julie Elliott**, whose leadership was woven into the fabric of her life. Her belief in education, as the door to equity and opportunity, was the guiding principle of her career. She was an English teacher and administrator in the San Diego Unified School District. In 1999, as then principal of Crawford High School, her school was awarded the prestigious AVID National Demonstration School status. Later, she joined the AVID Center in San Diego as Associate California State Director. Ms. Elliott brought laughter and a love of life with her to these roles. Her commitment to students and colleagues, her zest for life, and her impact on our nation's education is her legacy. She will be deeply missed.

Student Name:
Mailing address:
Phone number (with area code):
Email:
School:
School phone number:
College/university student to attend:
Nominator's Name
Position/Job title:
School, district:
Mailing address:
Phone number (with area code):
Email:

Brief description of student **NEED** (maximum 50 words):

## **Nomination Letter**

Please note, no other letters or supplemental information will be considered. Do not submit additional letters with this nomination form.

In no more than 1,000 words, please provide a brief description of **WHY** the student deserves the scholarship (box expands):

Scholarship winners will be recognized at AVID's Summer Institute and photos will be displayed at AVID Center's headquarters in San Diego. Students will be required to submit a photo and complete a W-9 to receive their funds.

Please return this form to the Eastern Division by emailing <u>eastern@avid.org</u> or by using the submit form button by APRIL 18, 2014.

## **Questions?**

Contact: Kathryn Gray, Office Manager Eastern Division at 404.963.9300 or kgray@avid.org.