Dorothy Good Trust for AVID Scholarship

The Dorothy Good Trust for AVID Scholarship was established by Dorothy Good to support a graduating AVID senior from Arroyo Grande or Nipomo High School.

Dorothy Good was a life-long educator who was committed to the success of all students. She recognized the opportunities the Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) program provided to students who typically will be the first in their families to attend college, and many are from low-income families.

AVID is a kindergarten through postsecondary college readiness system designed to increase the number of students who enroll and succeed in higher education and in their lives beyond high school. AVID works to address several challenges for education including closing the achievement gap, preparing students for success, improving students’ critical thinking, reading, and writing abilities, building cultures of college and career readiness and confidence, and more.

AVID closes the expectation and opportunity gaps that students face, and in doing so, transforms lives, transforms campuses, and transforms communities. Through this fund, Dorothy Good wishes to encourage students capable of completing rigorous curriculum but are falling short of their potential.