



AVONDALE: THE DISTRICT OF CHOICE

Over 1000 students & their families use school choice. A
Even those who don't live in our district can
CHOOSE Avondale Elementary School District! A



More than a school, we are a **COMMUNITY**

There are many factors as to why families **CHOOSE** Avondale. Our staff **LOVES** our students and their families and work tirelessly to grow every child as a thinker, problem solver and communicator to pursue their future without limits!

Because every child deserves an Avondale education!

"Passion and commitment for educational excellence."

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A Growing Family

Over the past several years, more and more families are choosing AESD as their district of choice. Overall, AESD has grown more than the state average in both reading (ELA) and math, according to the AZMerit results. More information on page 6

Choose AESD

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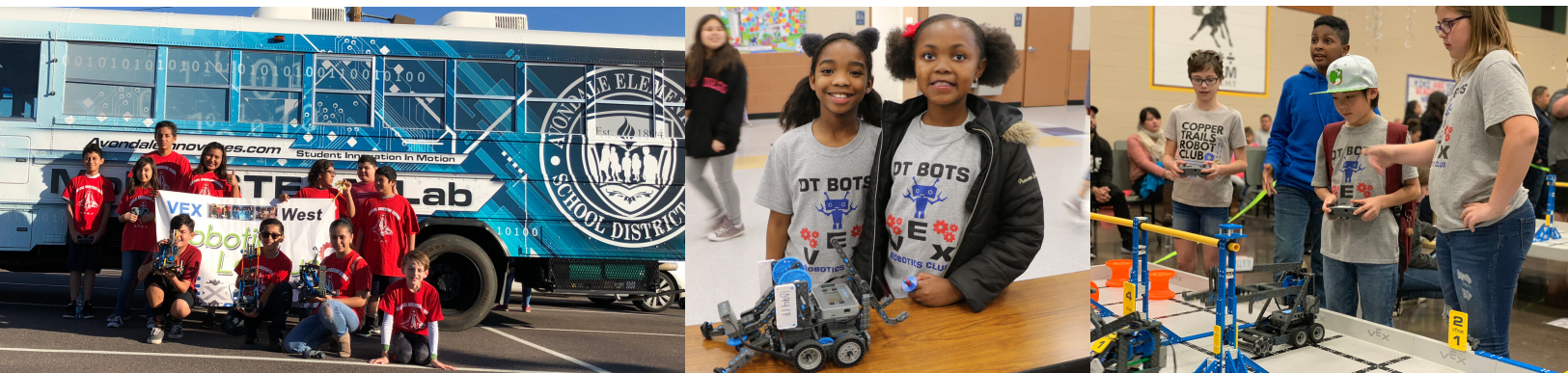
Enrichment Classes

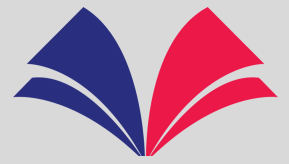
Art, music, physical education, coding, STEM lab, life hacks, choir, band, library and Spanish classes are examples of special area courses. Offered for 40 minutes a day (varied schedule on Wednesdays) for all students in grades K-8th.



VEX Robotics League

Our Vex Robotics League has over 30 teams competing on a regular basis with several teams, at the elementary and middle school levels, earning a spot at the state competitions. For the past four years, we have had teams compete in the Vex Robotics World Competition in Louisville, Kentucky.





Interscholastic Athletics

AESD has over 40 sports teams with over 600 students participating annually. Our teams are fun and competitive as they move through the season participating with schools across the valley. Many of our teams progress to the championships for our league!



Computer Science

Our students participate in online coding classes from kindergarten through 8th grade. They progress through a variety of computer science courses while learning at their own pace. Students first learn the basics and extend to programming as they progress. Many students have shared that when they go on to high school, they already know the curriculum.





Engaging preschool programs

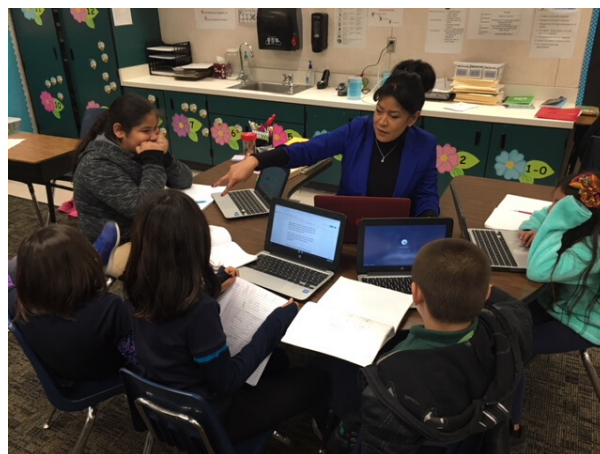
Have you checked out our preschool offerings? Full day, half day and extended days are available at many sites. We even have a dual language program for preschool at Desert Thunder School! Our students prepare for kindergarten in a comprehensive curriculum that surpasses others as they are embedded into our beautiful school campuses.



Something for everyone

Each of our sites offer exciting and engaging programs that are specific to those locations.

Whether it's the STEM offerings with our award-winning mobile STEAM lab, engaging in accelerated learning at one of our A-rated schools. Exploring fine arts with drama, chorus, band and visual arts, learning in our dual language program or progressing through the community schools from an early childhood center... there is something for everyone!





State testing proves why more families **CHOOSE AESD**

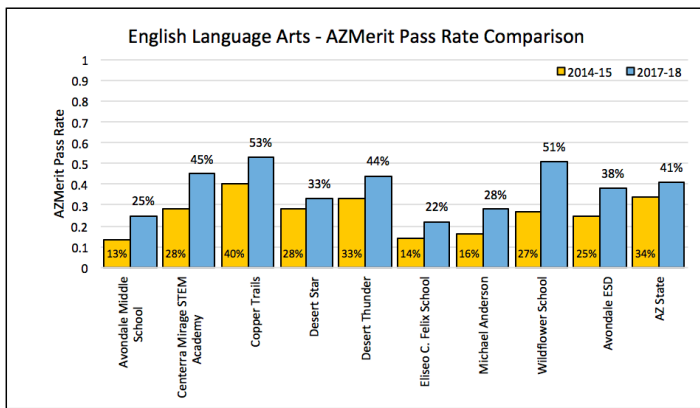
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English Language Arts:

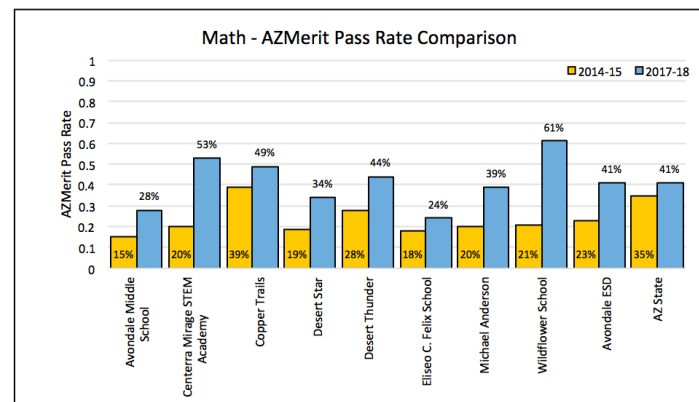
English Language Arts	2014-15 Pass Rate	2017-18 Pass Rate	Difference
Avondale Middle School	13%	25%	▲ 12%
Centerra Mirage STEM Academy	28%	45%	▲ 17%
Copper Trails	40%	53%	▲ 13%
Desert Star	28%	33%	▲ 5%
Desert Thunder	33%	44%	▲ 11%
Eliseo C. Felix School	14%	22%	▲ 8%
Michael Anderson	16%	28%	▲ 12%
Wildflower School	27%	51%	▲ 24%
Avondale ESD	25%	38%	▲ 13%
AZ State	34%	41%	▲ 7%

Math:

Math	2014-15 Pass Rate	2017-18 Pass Rate	Difference
Avondale Middle School	15%	28%	▲ 13%
Centerra Mirage STEM Academy	20%	53%	▲ 33%
Copper Trails	39%	49%	▲ 10%
Desert Star	19%	34%	▲ 15%
Desert Thunder	28%	44%	▲ 16%
Eliseo C. Felix School	18%	24%	▲ 6%
Michael Anderson	20%	39%	▲ 19%
Wildflower School	21%	61%	▲ 40%
Avondale ESD	23%	41%	▲ 18%
AZ State	35%	41%	▲ 6%



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