

AVEC/UON Story

Who we are

We are the greatest school in the world! We are a learning community that focuses on growth for all. **Our Mission:** We all learn because it's worth it. **Our Vision:** We all learn and grow together for a successful future.

What the experts say

The Utah State Office of Education sent an independent consulting team called Catapult Learning, to evaluate our school. There were 24 areas Catapult looked at closely and gave the following evaluation:

14 areas were a high score of 4 (Demonstrates noteworthy practices producing clear results that exceed expectations)

9 areas were a 3 (Pinpoints quality practices that meet the Standards)

1 area a 2 (Represents areas to enhance and extend current improvement efforts)

0 areas a 1 (Identifies key areas that need more focused improvement efforts)

Although we only received one low score, we are determined to take all areas to a higher level.

Catapult praised us as an "exemplary" school and considered us a "school of excellence".

What we know

At AVEC/UON we strive to get every student back on track to graduate. It is important that each student knows exactly what he/she needs to do to graduate. Every teacher has access to a graduation checklist for each student. Teachers collect and discuss weekly data on all students and their progress toward graduation.

What we focus on

Students feel frustrated when they get behind and often end up with a feeling of hopelessness. Our focus has been to teach students to have a growth mindset. We want students to believe that they can overcome any obstacle if they are willing to put forth the effort. When they start to adopt this belief, they become confident and experience a great deal of growth.

What we feel

Many visitors have commented that you can feel a culture of positivity and safety at AVEC. Everyone on our faculty and staff loves to work here and loves working with kids. We strive to create a positive, caring, and safe environment for all to learn and grow together.