

**Board of Education**

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**PRESENTATION**

**TITLE:** Virtual Option Conversion Charter Update

**DATE:** November 15, 2021

**RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR:** Tiffany Bone  
Assistant Superintendent

Dr. Samantha Hall  
Assistant Director of Innovation

**VISION 2023 STRATEGY:** Strategy 3: Instruction  
Strategy 4: Learning Environment  
Strategy 6: Technology

**BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:**

A presentation to update the School Board on the status of the Fort Smith Virtual Academy Conversion Charter will be provided.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

This is a presentation item only. No action is required.

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