

Board of Education

ACTION

TITLE: Approval of School Improvement Plans 2021-2022

DATE: July 12, 2021

RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR: Dr. Tiffany Bone
Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction
Dr. Ginni McDonald
Executive Director of Strategic Initiatives and Professional Learning

VISION 2023 STRATEGY: 3. Instruction

BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:

The Arkansas Department of Elementary and Secondary Education requires that all schools submit to the district by May 1 of the current school year (2020-21) a school improvement plan for the upcoming school year (2021-22). Each FSPS campus submitted a plan by May 1, 2021 for review by the district leadership team. The school improvement plans must be posted to each school's website by August 1, 2021.

Recommendations for changes to the plan are provided to each campus. In turn the campus teams, will review and apply appropriate recommendations. The Spring 2021 ACT Aspire data is not expected to be available to campuses until after August 1, 2021. Campuses will make revisions to the board approved plans when additional data has been released from the Arkansas Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

RECOMMENDATION:

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The administration recommends the Board approve the 2021-2022 School Improvement Plans for each FSPS campus. If the Board agrees, the motion would read:

Move to approve the school improvement plans for the 2021-2022 school year.

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