Public Comments for Virtual School Board Meetings #157

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Enter your comments here OR upload below:	How do you respond that you are failing the needs of our students of ACPS with online learning? Private schools and the soccer association have been able to figure out how to safely get students back to group learn or in person learning. Our youngest learners cannot be spending 4+ hours a day in front of a tablet as their only means of social and academic development. The lower income and middle-class students of Alexandria are being penalized and held back by lack of in person education. These decisions will forever change their academic trajectory by continuing to place them at a disadvantage to wealthier students who can afford tutors/pods/private school. You are fleecing tax payers by not providing adequate services for the taxes we pay to educate our children. If you cannot find solutions to get students to learn in person as demonstrated by many other success local facilities then please step down and let more innovative representatives find solutions.