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TO: The College Community

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SUBJECT: Masking on Campus

While today's announcement by New York State Governor Kathy Hochul ends the State's mask mandate for most public indoor spaces, no change has been announced for public schools or for SUNY colleges and universities. Suffolk County Community College will continue to require face coverings/masks for all students, employees, and visitors, regardless of vaccination status, inside all college buildings, including classrooms, labs, common spaces, and facilities, as well as in crowded outdoor settings and venues. A message will be sent to our students reinforcing that at this time we are continuing this policy. All members of our community should continue to share mutual responsibility for mask compliance that protects our public health.