

February 15, 2022

Dear PAU Community,

The County of Santa Clara Public Health Department [announced](#) it will not lift local indoor masking requirements when the state lifts its universal indoor masking requirements, tomorrow, February 16, 2022. Instead, Santa Clara County will “continue to base decisions on whether and when to lift indoor masking requirements on the risks posed by COVID-19, using clearly defined metrics related to vaccination, hospitalizations, and COVID-19 case rates”. As a result, all PAU campus facilities will continue with our indoor mask and vaccination requirements.

We will continue to monitor the guidance provided by public health authorities and share any updates as they become available. Thank you all for continuing to balance the health and safety of our community.

With PAU Pride,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Erika Cameron".

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