Minimum of 132 s.h. required for graduation (36 s.h. must be 300/400-level courses)
(Additional hours to total 132 s.h. – includes second major, minor, and elective hours.)

Name________________________________________ I.D. # ___________________
H.S. deficiencies:  Math ____  Foreign Language ____

General Studies Requirements
(General Studies must total at least 58 s.h.)

FIRST-YEAR CORE:
GST 110 – Global Experience (4 s.h.)_________________
ENG 110 – College Writing (4 s.h.)_________________
(C- or better required for graduation)
MTH 112 or 121 or 212 (4 s.h.)_________________
HED 111 – Contemp. Wellness Issues (2 s.h.)_________________

Experiential Learning Requirement (ELR): (One Unit)
[May be met by any one of the following: internship, practicum, co-op, study abroad, student teaching or an approved field-based course. Also may be met by service, leadership, or individualized learning experience.]

Foreign Language Requirement:
Students must meet one of the following: placing beyond FL 122 on the CAPE placement test, completing a 122-level language course, completing a semester or summer in a university-approved program in a non-English speaking country with language study at the 122-level or above, scoring 4 or 5 on an Advanced Placement language exam or similar exam.

STUDIES IN THE ARTS AND SCIENCES:
[Transfer students with at least 18 s.h. of transfer credit must complete 32 hours total in Studies in the Arts & Sciences, but may have as few as 7 hours in one or more of the four Studies in the Arts & Sciences areas.]

Expression__________________ (8 s.h.)________
Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following:
literature (in English or foreign languages), philosophy, & fine arts
(art, art history, dance, fine arts, music, music theatre, & theatre).
At least one course must be literature.

Civilization__________________ (8 s.h.)________
Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following:
history, foreign languages, and religion. Students taking foreign language courses to meet Elon’s proficiency requirement may only apply 4 s.h. of that coursework toward Civilization.

Society*POL 111__________ (8 s.h.)________
Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following:
economics, geography, political science, psychology, & sociology/anthropology.

Science__________ (Lab:______) (8 s.h.)________
Eight hours chosen from one or more of the following:
mathematics, science, and computer science (must have CSC department designation). One course must be a physical or biological laboratory science.

ADVANCED STUDIES (Must be outside major.)
__________________ (8 s.h.)________
Eight hours of 300-400 level courses outside the major field chosen from departments and areas listed under Studies in the Arts and Sciences.

GST Interdisciplinary Seminar__________ (4 s.h.)________
[300-400 level GST course; requires junior/senior status.]

Major Requirements
A minimum of 44 s.h. in the following courses is required.

POL 111 (4) - American Government
POL 220 (4) - Research Methods in Political Science
POL 461 (4) - Senior Seminar in Political Science

Choose one course from:

POL 141 (4) - International Relations
POL 261 (4) - Comparative Politics

Choose one course from:

POL 300 (4) - Intro to Political Thought
POL 303 (4) - Democratic Theory
POL 304 (4) – Theorists of Non-Violence

Choose 24 s.h. from POL electives as needed to fulfill the requirements of at least 44 total s.h. for the major:

It is strongly recommended that Political Science majors, in consultation with their advisor, select a sub-field or topical concentration of at least 12 semester hours at the 300 level and above. Sub-field and concentration courses will be chosen from among the 24 elective hours. With the approval of the student’s advisor, up to four hours from outside the Political Science and Public Administration department may be applied toward the concentration. No more than eight (8) internship hours may be applied to the major.

____ Major Total (s.h.)

*Required in major; may count in General Studies.