General Studies Requirements (56 – 60 sh)

**FIRST-YEAR CORE:**

GST 110 - Global Experience  
ENG 110 - Writing: Argument & Inquiry  
MTH 110 or 151 or 220

**Experiential Learning Requirement (ELR – 2 units required):**

Included in experiential learning are study abroad, research, service-learning, leadership, internships, (including co-ops, teaching, and practicum), or other courses or experiences with ELR designation

**Foreign Language Requirement:**

Students must meet one of the following: (a) complete a language course numbered 122 or higher at Elon, or receive transfer or study abroad credit for the same; (b) place into a language course numbered 200 or above upon arriving at Elon, using a department of foreign languages approved placement instrument; (c) score a 4 or 5 on an AP language exam or similar exam. Each student must take the language placement test by October 1 of his or her first full year at Elon. Students are allowed two tries; the higher score is counted. That score stands and may not be repeated by later testing.

**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** *MUS*  
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**  
Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: history, foreign languages, and religious studies.

**Society**  
Eight hours chosen from at least two of the following: economics, geography, human service studies, political science, psychology, & sociology/anthropology.

**Science/Analysis**  
Eight hours chosen from one or more of the following: mathematics/statistics, science, computer science and information science. One course must be a physical or biological laboratory science.

**ADVANCED STUDIES** (Must be outside major.)

**GST Interdisciplinary Capstone Seminar**  
[300-400 level GST course; requires junior/senior status.]

*Required in major; may count in General Studies.