Elon Core Curriculum (56-60 sh)

**FIRST-YEAR FOUNDATIONS:***

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**Experiential Learning Requirement (ELR):** *(One Unit)*

May be met by any one of the following: internship, practicum, co-op, study abroad, student teaching, approved field-based course or documented service, leadership, or individualized learning experience.

**World 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 world 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. Consideration for Phi Beta Kappa membership requires completion of one intermediate world language course, placement beyond that level or equivalent proficiency.

**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 from at least two of the following: literature (in English or world 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 from at least two of the following: history, world languages, and religious studies.

**Society** *ECO 111, POL 224* *(8 s.h.)*

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

**Science/Analysis** *CHM 111, ENS 111/113* *(8 s.h.)*

Eight hours from one or more of the following: mathematics/statistics, science, computer science and information science. At least 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 coursework outside the major field and chosen from areas under Studies in the Arts and Sciences.

**COR Interdisciplinary Capstone Seminar** *(4 s.h.)*

300-400 level COR course; requires junior/senior status.

**Major Requirements**

A minimum of 62 s.h. in the following courses is required.

**Core Requirements (30 s.h.):**

- *ENS 111 (3)* - Intro to Environmental Science
- *ENS 113 (1)* - Intro to Environmental Science Lab
- *CHM 111 (4)* - General Chemistry I & Lab
- *ECO 111 (4)* - Principles of Economics
- *ENS 200 (4)* - Strategies for Environmental Inquiry
- *ENS/BIO 215 (4)* - Diversity of Life w/ Lab
- *POL 224 (4)* - Environmental Policy and Law

- ENS 381 (2) - Internship
  - OR -
  - ENS 499 (2) - Research

- ENS 461 (4) - Seminar: Environmental Assessment and Project Development

**Environmental Values & Communication** *(8 s.h. with at least 4 s.h. from courses with a double asterisk):***

- *ART 339 (4)* - Ecological Art
- *COM 331 (4)* - Environmental Communications
- *ENS 110 (4)* - Humans and Nature
- *ENG 318 (4)* - Writing Science
- *ENG 339 (4)* - American Environmental Writers
- *PHL/REL 348 (4)* - Environmental Ethics

- *ECO 111 (4)* - Intro to Economics
- *GEO 310 (4)* - Development and the Environment in Latin America, Africa and Asia
- *GEO 345 (4)* - Global Environmental Change
- *GEO 350 (4)* - Earth System Science
- *ENS/BIO 340 (4)* - Water Resources and Management
- ENS 360 (4) - Green Design
- POL 322 (4) - State Environ. Policy and Admin.
- POL 344 - International Environmental Policy

**Policy, Planning & Management** *(16 s.h.)*

ECO 335 (4) - Environmental Economics
GEO 310 (4) - Development and the Environment in Latin America, Africa and Asia
GEO 345 (4) - Global Environmental Change
ENS/GEO 250 (4) - Intro to GIS
ENS/GEO 340 (4) - Water Resources and Management
ENS 360 (4) - Green Design
POL 322 (4) - State Environ. Policy and Admin.
POL 344 - International Environmental Policy

**Science and Analysis** *(8 s.h.)*

BIO 212/214 (4) - Introduction to Pop. Biology w/ Lab
BIO 335 (4) - Field Biology
BIO 342 (4) - Aquatic Biology w/ Lab
BIO 350 (4) - General Ecology w/ Lab
CHM 112 (4) - General Chemistry II w/ Lab
ENS 320 (4) - Restoration Ecology w/ Lab
ENS 330 (4) - Wildlife Ecology
ENS/BIO 346 (4) - Wetlands Ecology and Management
PHY 110 (4) - Energy and the Environment
STS 212 (4) - Statistics in Application

- *Required in major; may count in Elon Core Curriculum*