VISA APPLICATION CHECKLIST FOR CANADIAN F-1 STUDENTS

- Pay SEVIS I-901 Fee at least a **WEEK** before entering the United States of America. Read the following links for more information on **SEVIS I-901 Fee**:
  - https://www.fmjfee.com/i901fee/
  - https://www.fmjfee.com/i901fee/students/student/help.htm

  *** PRINT YOUR CONFIRMATION AS A RECEIPT TO TAKE TO WITH YOU***

- Make sure you sign **your SEVIS I-20 Form** or Certificate of Eligibility for Nonimmigrant (F-1) Student Status and *where applicable a parent or guardian has to sign as well.*

- Valid passport (**Machine Readable Passport** is required at U.S. Borders as of June 26, 2005.)

- Acceptance/ letter of admission from Elon University Admissions Office

- Evidence of financial ability to meet expenses (e.g., bank statement)

- Evidence of residence abroad and intention to depart the U.S. after completion of the program of study

Reference: Adapted from the **NAFSA Advisor's Manual (2004 release)** published by NAFSA