Petition for Permission to Register for High Credit Load

Please Print Legibly in Blue or Black Ink!

Name: ___________________________________________ UID: ________________________________

Major(s): _____________________________________ Today’s Date: __________________________

Email Address: ________________________________________________________________

Phone Number: _________________________________________________________________

Current Cumulative GPA**: _____________________ Semester of high credit load: ____________

ON REVERSE: Please list all courses in which you intend to be registered for the semester listed above.

Requesting High Credit:

Registering for more than □ 17 credits (Fall/Spring)
□ 8 credits (each Summer session)
□ 4 credits (Winter term)

**Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 required for Biological Sciences, Chemistry, and Biochemistry majors.
**Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.70 required for all other majors.

Required:

I understand that the courses listed on the back of this form constitute an extremely heavy load. By
signing this form, I acknowledge that I am aware that the load is unusually heavy and I accept full
responsibility (including financial liability) for registration for these courses. I also understand and
acknowledge that if I may seek a Dean’s Exception to Policy related to these courses, it is highly unlikely
that such an exception will be granted.

Student’s Signature: _________________________________ Date: ______________________

Your advisor must make a note in ADVISE on the Web with approval for High Credit Load in order for your
petition to be approved.

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☐ Eligible GPA  ☐ Advisor Approval  ☐ Student Signature
APPROVED / DENIED / PENDING

Dean’s Office Signature: _________________________________ Date: ______________________

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List all courses you intend to be registered for in the _______________ semester.

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Total Credits: __________________

I understand that my cumulative GPA must be at least 2.70 (3.00 if I am a Biological Sciences, Chemistry, or Biochemistry major) to be eligible to take over 17 credits (Fall/Spring) or 8 credits (each Summer term) or 4 credits (Winter term).

Please give a brief explanation of why you want to register for a high credit load in this term:

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Student initials and date: ________________________________________________