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Appalachian State
MOUNTAINEERS
(3-0)

Coach: Eliah Drinkwitz
Career: 3-0/1st year
At App State: Same

GAME 4

Date: Saturday, Sept. 28, 2019

Time: 3:30 p.m. ET

Location: Boone, N.C.

Venue: Kidd Brewer Stadium (30,000)

Surface: FieldTurf

App State in the National Rankings:

AP: Receiving Votes (24 points, #32)

Coaches: Receiving Votes (27 pts, #33)

Series: App State leads 5-0 (2-0 FBS)

Last Year: App State 23, Coastal 7

Live Stats: AppStateSports.com



Coastal Carolina
CHANTICLEERS
(3-1)

Coach: Jamey Chadwell
Career: 66-45/10th year
At CCU: 6-10/1st full year

APP STATE COACHING STAFF

On the sideline:

Eliah Drinkwitz, HC/OC/QBs
Shawn Clark, asst HC/OL
Greg Gasparato, safeties
Charlie Harbison, assoc HC/CBs
Erik Link, special teams
D.J. Smith, outside linebackers
Anwar Stewart, defensive line
Pat Washington, WRs

Justin Watts, tight ends

In the booth:

Ted Roof, DC/ILBs
Garrett Riley, running backs
Cole Cook, grad assistant
Grant Kurzner, grad assistant
Wes Smith, grad assistant

APP STATE STATISTICAL LEADERS



PASSING

Zac Thomas | #12 | Jr. | Trussville, Ala.
2019: 50-for-73 passing, 556 yards, 5 TDs, 1 INT



RUSHING

Darrynton Evans | #3 | Jr. | Oak Hill, Fla.
2019: 52 attempts, 411 yards, 7 TDs



RECEIVING

Thomas Hennigan | #5 | Jr. | Greensboro, N.C.
2019: 16 catches, 186 yards, 2 TDs



DEFENSE

Demetrius Taylor | #48 | Jr. | Miami, Fla.
2019: 3.5 sacks, 6.0 TFLs, 3 FF, 1 INT, 1 FR for a TD

APP STATE STORYLINES

- Appalachian State follows a big nonleague win against Power Five conference opponent North Carolina with another important game: its Sun Belt Conference opener against Coastal Carolina, which also has a P5 victory this season thanks to its 12-7 win at Kansas.
- Since losing in its Sun Belt debut in 2014, App State has won its last four conference openers. The Mountaineers are 34-6 in league play since joining the Sun Belt, including a 34-4 mark since the 0-2 start in 2014. Those records don't reflect a postseason win in the 2018 Sun Belt Championship Game.
- This week's league opener is officially sold out, as was the road win at 50,500-seat Kenan Stadium in Chapel Hill, and App State's 12 straight home wins are tied for the eighth-longest active streak in the nation. The Mountaineers are 27-5 at The Rock as an FBS program and 94-17 at home since 2003.
- App State holds a 5-0 series lead and a 2-0 lead as Sun Belt counterparts against Coastal Carolina. The Mountaineers' 37-29 win in 2017 is part of a 4-0 home record, and Appalachian won 23-7 at Coastal Carolina in 2018. That game marked the first start for QB **Jacob Huesman**, who filled in for an injured **Zac Thomas**. App State has won its last 14 games with Thomas as the primary quarterback.
- In each of the last two games, an App State player has accomplished something that's a first for any FBS player in this millennium. At UNC, **Demetrius Taylor** earned multiple national defensive player of the week honors by becoming the first player in the 2000s with 2.5 sacks, two forced fumbles, a fumble return for a touchdown and an interception in the same game. Against Charlotte, **Darrynton Evans** became the first player since 1999 to rush for at least 200 yards, score three rushing touchdowns and return a kickoff for a touchdown in the same game.
- Since the start of the 2015 season, App State is No. 5 nationally in win percentage (80.0) behind only Clemson (93.7), Alabama (93.7), Ohio State (89.7) and Oklahoma (86.0). With a 44-11 record over the last four-plus seasons, App State's win total trails only Clemson (59-4), Alabama (59-4), Ohio State (52-6), Oklahoma (49-8), Georgia (46-13) and Wisconsin (45-12).

	EAST TENNESSEE ST. BOONE, N.C.	Saturday, Aug. 31 W, 42-7 ESPN+
	CHARLOTTE BOONE, N.C.	Saturday, Sept. 7 W, 56-41 ESPN+
	at North Carolina Chapel Hill, N.C.	Saturday, Sept. 21 W, 34-31 RSN
	COASTAL CAROLINA* BOONE, N.C.	Saturday, Sept. 28 3:30 p.m. ESPN+
	at Louisiana* Lafayette, La.	Wednesday, Oct. 9 8 p.m. ESPN2
	ULM* BOONE, N.C.	Saturday, Oct. 19 3:30 p.m.
	at South Alabama* Mobile, Ala.	Saturday, Oct. 26 TBA
	GEORGIA SOUTHERN* BOONE, N.C.	Thursday, Oct. 31 8 p.m. ESPNU
	at South Carolina Columbia, S.C.	Saturday, Nov. 9 TBA
	at Georgia State* Atlanta, Ga.	Saturday, Nov. 16 2 p.m.
	TEXAS STATE* BOONE, N.C.	Saturday, Nov. 23 2:30 p.m.
	at Troy* Troy, Ala.	Friday, Nov. 29 6 p.m.
	Sun Belt Championship	Saturday, Dec. 7 Teams, Location TBD 12 p.m. ESPN/2

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APP STATE MEDIA SCHEDULE - STANDARD WEEK

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
• Practice closed (No interviews)	• Weekly press conference (2nd floor Mountaineer Room). Drinkwitz then select players & assistants • Drinkwitz appearance on Sun Belt weekly coaches call at 11:30 a.m.	• Practice closed (No interviews) • Mountaineer Talk at 7 p.m. (no interviews)	• Practice open to media during select periods (Select players/coaches and Drinkwitz available after)	• Practice closed (No interviews)	• Practice closed (No interviews)

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- Appalachian State University
- Appalachian State
- Appalachian
- App State
- Mountaineers
- Apps
- Pronunciation: app-uh-LATCH-in

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- Appy
- Pronunciation: app-uh-LAY-chin

APPALACHIAN STATE OFFICIAL MARKS**Primary (Block A)****Secondary (Victory Yosef)****MEDIA POLICIES/INFORMATION**

During a standard week with a Saturday game, App State will have Monday and Wednesday media availabilities.

This season, head coach Eliah Drinkwitz will hold a press conference each Monday from 11 a.m. until approximately 11:25 a.m. in the meeting room on the second floor of the Ricks Athletics Center. Drinkwitz's weekly appearance on the Sun Belt coaches call will run from 11:30 a.m. until 11:37 a.m. ET each Monday, and requested student-athletes/assistant coaches will be available for interviews in the second-floor meeting room after Drinkwitz's press conference is finished. The team does not practice on Mondays.

A portion of the Wednesday practice will be open to media members. Those practices often run from 3 p.m. until 5 p.m., but times and availability are subject to change. Barring schedule changes, the beginning of practice will be open to reporters, but they will be escorted to the interview area in the second-floor meeting room before the end of practice.

Practices not designated as "open to media" will be closed. All practices are closed to the public.

Media members must communicate their plans for attendance and submit interview requests to Joey Jones or Bret Strelow by 5 p.m. Sunday for Monday's availability and by 5 p.m. Tuesday for Wednesday's

availability. Requests made after those deadlines will not be honored.

Media attending practice are forbidden from reporting (e.g. tweeting, blogging, etc.) on anything until after the post-practice interviews have been conducted. This includes media who leave practice early.

Videographers, photographers and reporters taking videos with their smart phones must shoot individual drills only and use tight shots with no formations revealed.

POSTGAME INTERVIEWS

Drinkwitz and select App State players (traditionally two offensive players and two defensive players) will be made available for a postgame press conference in the meeting room on the second floor of the athletics center. A member of the App State Strategic Communications will take requests during the fourth quarter, and staff member Bret Strelow is seated on the second row of the press box during games if you have any questions.

Unless the visiting team determines a different approved location, its postgame media availability will take place near the visiting team's locker room at the Quinn Center, which is located across the street from the southeast corner (videoboard end) of Kidd

Brewer Stadium. The best way to reach the Quinn Center is to take the press box elevator or stairs to the first floor, exit right at the concourse, curl around the walkway behind the south end zone and exit the stadium through the elevated gate at the corner of the stadium. A member of the visiting team's communications staff will be seated on the second row of the press box if you have any questions.

WEEKLY SUN BELT TELECONFERENCE

Appalachian State head coach Eliah Drinkwitz will be available on the weekly Sun Belt Teleconference every Monday morning from Aug. 26-Nov. 25, from 11:30 a.m. to 11:37 a.m. Below is the order of participants:

11:30 a.m. – Eliah Drinkwitz, App State
11:37 a.m. – Jamey Chadwell, Coastal Carolina
11:44 a.m. – Steve Campbell, So. Alabama
11:51 a.m. – Jake Spavital, Texas State
11:58 a.m. – Chad Lunsford, Ga. Southern
12:05 p.m. – David Duggan, Arkansas State
12:12 p.m. – Matt Viator, ULM
12:19 p.m. – Billy Napier, Louisiana
12:26 p.m. – Chip Lindsey, Troy
12:33 p.m. – Shawn Elliott, Georgia State

• To participate in Sun Belt Conference media teleconferences, contact Joey Jones or Bret Strelow for the call-in number and passcode.

APPS IN THE NFL

Fourteen App State alums participated in NFL training camps this offseason, and Steve Wilks is the Cleveland Browns' defensive coordinator.

RONALD BLAIR | DL | San Francisco 49ers*
 PARKER COLLINS | OL | Carolina Panthers
 CLIFTON DUCK | CB | Chicago Bears
 AUSTIN EXFORD | S | Houston Texans^
 COLBY GOSSETT | OL | Cleveland Browns^
 TAE HAYES | CB | Jacksonville Jaguars^
 A.J. HOWARD | DB | New England Patriots
 DANIEL KILGORE | OL | Miami Dolphins*
 KENDALL LAMM | OL | Cleveland Browns*
 SAM MARTIN | P/KO | Detroit Lions*
 DOUG MIDDLETON | S | Miami Dolphins*
 JALIN MOORE | RB | New York Jets+
 BRIAN QUICK | WR | Washington Redskins
 MYQUON STOUT | DL | New York Jets

* On Active Roster

^ On Practice Squad

+ Reserve/Non-Football Injury List

APP STATE AT A GLANCE

- **APP STATE** ranked No. 18 in Kiplinger's 2019 list of Best Values in Public Colleges.
- **APP STATE** placed No. 3 among southern universities in the Top Public Regional Universities category via the 2018 U.S. News & World Report Best Colleges Rankings.
- **APP STATE** has placed among the top 15 public and private southern universities since the U.S. News & World Report Best Colleges Rankings were first published in 1986.
- **BOONE, N.C.** ranked No. 15 overall (and No. 1 among Group of Five Conference program towns/cities) on the Top 100 College Football Towns of America Countdown.
- **APP STATE'S** notable alums include country music stars Luke Combs and Eric Church, as well as author Stephen Dubner.

APP STATE ATHLETICS IN 2018-19

- Conference championships in football, wrestling, women's XC and women's tennis
- 2019 WBI Champions
- 4th in Bubbas Cup (highest finish since joining Sun Belt Conference)
- 67 all-conference selections
- 3.16 cumulative GPA (school record) for student-athletes after the 2017-18 year
- 3.0 GPA for 14 straight semesters
- 14 of 18 teams achieved a team single-year APR score of 1,000 from NCAA
- 2 Academic All-Americans
- 61 student-athletes graduated during the 2018-19 year
- More than 10,500 hours in the community by App State student-athletes ranked sixth-most in the nation by Helper Helper

STORYLINES (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)

- App State's nine-game winning streak is the nation's third-longest active streak behind Clemson (19) and Ohio State (10).
- App State is receiving votes in the AP poll (24 voting points, unofficially No. 32 in the rankings) and Coaches poll (unofficially No. 33 with 27 voting points). After a 5-1 start to 2018, App State became the second Sun Belt school to ever earn a No. 25 AP ranking, and it received the 26th-most votes in the final AP poll to break the league record.
- The current FBS programs with three straight league titles are App State, Clemson and Oklahoma.
- This week is the AFCA's Coach to Cure MD week in college football. Thousands of coaches around the country will wear a special arm patch to raise awareness of Duchenne muscular dystrophy.
- The Sun Belt has three wins vs. P5 opponents in the same year for the first time. After ranking as the third-best G5 league last year, thanks in part to a 3-2 bowl record and three-year bowl record that's No. 1 among all FBS leagues, the Sun Belt has the third-best G5 winning percentage this season: MWC - 25-13 (.658); AAC - 24-13 (.649); Sun Belt - 18-16 (.529); CUSA - 19-25 (.432); MAC - 16-26 (.381)
- The Mountaineers returned 10 of 11 offensive starters and six defensive starters from a 2018 team that went 11-2, won a third straight Sun Belt title, improved to a nation's-best 4-0 in bowl games and attained a Top 25 ranking for the first time in the program's brief FBS history.

OFFENSE

- App State running back **Darrynton Evans** ranks in the top 10 nationally in points per game (No. 2, 16.0), all-purpose yards per game (No. 2, 171.7), rushing TDs (No. 3, seven), total TDs (No. 4, eight), rushing yards per game (No. 6, 137.0) and yards per carry (No. 9, 7.9)
- Since becoming App State's primary running back 12 games ago, **Darrynton Evans** has rushed for 1,471 yards and 13 TDs. He has rushed for at least 99 yards in nine of the last 12 games.
- App State running backs have totaled 686 carries for 4,196 yards and no fumbles in the last 21 games.
- **Darrynton Evans**, who entered the UNC game as the nation's second-leading rusher, posted his second consecutive effort of three rushing TDs, becoming the first Mountaineer to do so since 2014.
- An App State starting receiver has set a career high for catches or yards in each of App State's first three games. **Thomas Hennigan** had a career-high seven catches for 79 yards against ETSU, and **Malik Williams** recorded career highs for single-game catches (six) and receiving yards (73) against Charlotte. Williams topped that with six catches for 78 yards at UNC, where Hennigan made six catches for 90 yards. The team leader in receptions was **Corey Sutton** with seven in Chapel Hill.
- With five players back who started games in 2018, App State's offensive line has ranked in the top 25 nationally in both rushing yards per game and fewest sacks allowed in each of the last five years. The Mountaineers currently rank 25th nationally at 238.0 rushing yards per game.
- App State and reigning national champion Clemson are the only two FBS programs that return a starting quarterback with a passer rating of at least 150, a running back who rushed for at least 1,100 yards and a wide receiver with double-digit touchdown catches.
- With **Elijah Drinkwitz** as NC State's offensive coordinator in 2018, the Wolfpack had a 1,000-yard rusher for the third straight year, two 1,000-yard receivers and a QB with nearly 3,800 passing yards.
- **Zac Thomas** was one of only five FBS QBs with at least 20 passing TDs and 10 rushing TDs last season, and he had a TD reception in App State's bowl win. The last three FBS QBs with a 20-10-1 scoring season and a conference title are Thomas, Marcus Mariota and Cam Newton.
- **Zac Thomas** had a 50-yard run against North Carolina, giving him three runs of at least 50 yards in 19 career games and seven runs of at least 20 yards.
- The five most recent FBS running backs with a minimum of 1,100 rushing yards at 5.0 yards per carry, a kick return for score and a TD reception in a year are **Darrynton Evans**, Saquon Barkley, Rashad Penny, Joe Mixon and Christian McCaffrey, the latter four all standouts in the NFL. Evans ranked ninth nationally by totaling 1,764 all-purpose yards in 2018.

2019 TEAM STATS COMPARISON

APP STATE	OPPONENTS	CATEGORY	COASTAL CAROLINA	OPPONENTS
132	79	Points	143	72
44.0	26.3	Points Per Game	35.8	18.0
115-714	117-507	Rushing Attempts-Yards	184-981	130-427
238.0	169.0	Rushing Yards Per Game	245.2	106.8
6.2	4.3	Yards Per Rush	5.3	3.3
573	780	Passing Yards	845	590
191.0	260.0	Passing Yards Per Game	211.2	147.5
51-74-1	64-100-3	Pass Completions-Attempts-INTs	75-114-5	66-97-5
429.0	429.0	Total Offense Per Game	456.5	254.2
0-0	6-3	Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-1
24-256	23-180	Penalties-Yards	18-156	27-209
2-3	1-2	Field Goals Made-Attempted	5-8	1-3
13-45.8	15-43.1	Punts-Avg.	8-35.2	17-39.5

STORYLINES (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 3)

DEFENSE

- Defensive end **Demetrius Taylor** ranks in the top 10 nationally in forced fumbles per game (No. 1, 1.0), tackles for loss per game (No. 4, 2.0) and sacks per game (No. 8, 1.17). During App State's 3-0 start, he has compiled three forced fumbles, six tackles for loss, 3.5 sacks, one fumble recovery (with a 20-yard return for a touchdown), one interception (with a 19-yard return), one pass breakup and two quarterback hurries.
- The last time a player had 2.5 sacks, two forced fumbles and a fumble return for a touchdown — without intercepting a pass like **Demetrius Taylor** did against UNC — was Georgia's Marcus Howard in the Sugar Bowl against Hawaii at the end of the 2007 season. According to Sports Reference, there isn't another player with those four statistical accomplishments for the 2019 season to date, and only one FBS player in 2018 reached those four statistical totals for the entire season.
- Senior linebacker **Jordan Fehr** recorded a career-high 16 tackles in the win at UNC. He had 15 stops last season at Arkansas State to earn Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Week honors won that award again with eight tackles, three sacks and a safety in the last game against Coastal Carolina.
- App State and San Diego State are tied for first nationally with 76 INTs since the start of 2015. In addition to **Demetrius Taylor**, senior OLB **Akeem Davis-Gaither** recorded his first career INT at UNC.
- Akeem Davis-Gaither**, who tied for No. 8 nationally among non-DBs with the seven pass breakups in 2018, added two more PBUs in the 2019 opener. He also blocked UNC's attempt at a game-tying field goal as time expired in App State's 34-31 win in Chapel Hill.
- Moving forward without 2018 senior **MyQuon Stout**, an all-conference defensive tackle, **E.J. Scott's** two tackles against ETSU were both stops behind the line of scrimmage for a total of 7 lost yards, and he graded out highly enough to make the PFF College Site's All-Sun Belt team for Week 2. **George Blackstock**, another defensive tackle, recorded a career-high five tackles against ETSU.
- Redshirt freshman outside linebacker **Nick Hampton** contributed half a sack in the 2019 opener and had 1.5 sacks against Charlotte.

SPECIAL TEAMS

- App State leads the nation with six special teams TDs since the start of the 2018 season. New coordinator **Erik Link's** special teams unit returned a blocked punt and had a kickoff return for TDs vs. Charlotte, and App State had four special teams TDs in the first three games of 2018.
- As a team, App State's average of 32.0 yards per kickoff return is No. 9 nationally, and **Darrynton Evans** is App State's career leader with three kickoff returns for touchdowns. **Jalen Virgil**, a junior, gained 45 yards on the first kickoff return of his career against Charlotte.
- Junior punter **Xavier Subotsch** ranks No. 15 nationally with a net punting average of 43.5 yards. Subotsch averaged 49.6 yards on five punts at North Carolina with a long of 58 and one punt inside the 20.
- Chandler Staton** went 2-for-2 on field goals at North Carolina and improved to 110-for-110 on PATs in his career.

2019 INDIVIDUAL HONORS

NATIONAL RECOGNITION:

9/21: DE **Demetrius Taylor**

National Defensive Player of the Week (Bronko Nagurski, Lindy's, Athlon, College Sports Madness)

9/7: RB **Darrynton Evans**

ESPN Helmet Sticker
Kirk Herbstreit's Top 5 Performing Players
Anthony Becht's Top 5 CFB Ballers
Bleacher Report's Impressive Performances

PFF COLLEGE WEEKLY FBS TEAMS:

9/7: RB **Darrynton Evans**

WILLIAM CAMPBELL TROPHY

LB **Jordan Fehr** (semifinalist)

CONFERENCE RECOGNITION

SUN BELT PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

9/7: RB **Darrynton Evans** (Offense)

9/21: DE **Demetrius Taylor** (Defense)

PFF COLLEGE WEEKLY SUN BELT TEAMS:

8/31: LB **Akeem Davis-Gaither**

RB **Darrynton Evans**

OT **Cooper Hodges**

RB **Darrynton Evans**

DT **E.J. Scott**

DE **Demetrius Taylor**

LB **Akeem-Davis Gaither**

9/21: DE **Demetrius Taylor**

OT **Cooper Hodges**

C **Noah Hannon**

MOST WINS SINCE 2015 (FBS)

1. Clemson	59-4 (.937)
Alabama	59-4 (.937)
3. Ohio State	52-6 (.897)
4. Oklahoma	49-8 (.860)
5. Georgia	46-13 (.780)
6. Wisconsin	45-12 (.790)
7. Appalachian State	44-11 (.800)
Boise State	44-13 (.772)
9. San Diego State	42-16 (.724)
Washington	42-16 (.724)

MOST WINS SINCE 2015 (G5)

1. Appalachian State	44-11 (.800)
Boise State	44-13 (.772)
3. San Diego State	42-16 (.724)
4. Toledo	39-16 (.709)
5. Houston	38-18 (.679)
Memphis	38-18 (.679)

ACTIVE HOME WIN STREAKS (FBS)

1. Alabama	28
2. Clemson	18
3. UCF	17
4. Ohio State	16
Georgia	16
6. Army	15
7. UAB	14
8. Appalachian State	12
Notre Dame	12
Oklahoma	12

SUN BELT PREDICTIONS

In July, Sun Belt coaches and media picked App State to win what would be its fourth straight conference championship in 2019.

Sun Belt East Division

1. Appalachian State (7) - 46 pts
2. Troy (1) - 39 pts
3. Georgia Southern (2) - 35 pts
4. Coastal Carolina - 17 pts
5. Georgia State - 13 pts

Sun Belt West Division

1. Louisiana (6) - 46 pts
2. Arkansas State (3) - 42 pts
3. ULM - 27 pts
4. South Alabama (1) - 19 pts
5. Texas State - 16 pts

Sun Belt Championship Game Winner
Appalachian State

1,000-YARD BACKS IN A ROW

Consecutive years with a 1,000-yard rusher

1. Boise State	10
2. Appalachian State	7
Ohio State	7

DEFENSIVE INTS SINCE 2015

1. Appalachian State	76
San Diego State	76
3. Utah	75
4. Alabama	74
Wisconsin	74
6. Iowa	72

3+ LEAGUE TITLES IN A ROW

Appalachian State	Sun Belt
Clemson	ACC
Oklahoma	Big 12

3+ 10-WIN SEASONS SINCE 2015

- 4: Alabama, Clemson, Ohio State, Oklahoma
3: Appalachian State, Boise State, Georgia, Michigan, Notre Dame, Oklahoma State, San Diego St., Troy, Washington, Wisconsin

SUN BELT OVERALL RECORDS SINCE '14

1. Appalachian State	51-16 (.761)
3. Arkansas State	41-27 (.603)
2. Troy	40-26 (.606)
4. Georgia Southern	36-29 (.554)
5. Louisiana	34-34 (.500)

SUN BELT LEAGUE RECORDS SINCE '14

1. Appalachian State	34-6 (.850)
2. Arkansas State	31-9 (.775)
3. Georgia Southern	26-14 (.650)
Troy	26-14 (.650)

2019 PRESEASON HONORS**TEAM**

- No. 25 in nation (The Preseason Athletic 130)
- No. 4 Group of Five team (USA Today)

NOEL COOK | LB

- Second-team All-Sun Belt (Phil Steele)

AKEEM DAVIS-GAITHER | LB

- Bednarik Award watch list
- Butkus Award watch list
- Reese's Senior Bowl watch list
- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Athlon, Lindy's, Phil Steele, Street & Smith)
- Sun Belt's "Hardest Hitter" (Street & Smith)
- Sun Belt's No. 4 NFL Talent (Lindy's)

ELIJAH DIARRASSOUBA | DE

- Fourth-team All-Sun Belt (Phil Steele)

DARRYNTON EVANS | RB

- Maxwell Award watch list
- Doak Walker Award watch list
- Paul Hornung Award watch list
- Wuerffel Trophy watch list
- Nation's No. 21 running back (Sporting News)
- Nation's No. 28 running back (Athlon)
- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Athlon, Lindy's, Phil Steele, Street & Smith)
- Sun Belt's "Top Scholar" (Street & Smith)

JORDAN FEHR | LB

- Bronko Nagurski Trophy watch list
- Reese's Senior Bowl watch list
- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Lindy's, Phil Steele, Street & Smith)
- No. 33 on The Athletic's "Freaks List"

DESMOND FRANKLIN | DB

- Jim Thorpe Award watch list
- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Athlon, Lindy's,

Phil Steele, PFF, Street & Smith)

- Sun Belt's No. 6 NFL Talent (Lindy's)

NOAH HANNON | OL

- Rimington Trophy watch list
- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Athlon, Lindy's, Phil Steele, PFF, Street & Smith)
- Sun Belt's "Best Interview" by Street and Smith

THOMAS HENNIGAN | WR

- Third-team All-Sun Belt (Athlon, Phil Steele)

CLAYTON HOWELL | P

- Fourth-team All-Sun Belt (Phil Steele)

BAER HUNTER | OL

- Second-team All-Sun Belt (PFF)

VICTOR JOHNSON | OL

- Outland Trophy watch list
- Reese's Senior Bowl watch list
- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Athlon, Lindy's, Phil Steele, Street & Smith)
- Sun Belt's "Best Pass Blocker" (Lindy's)
- Sun Belt's No. 3 NFL Talent (Lindy's)

RYAN NEUZIL | OL

- Second-team All-Sun Belt (PFF)

CAMERUN PEOPLES | RB

- Sun Belt Newcomer of the Year (Lindy's)

COLLIN REED | TE

- John Mackey Award watch list
- First-team All-Sun Belt (Lindy's, Phil Steele)

CHANDLER STATON | K

- Fourth-team All-Sun Belt (Phil Steele)

COREY SUTTON | WR

- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Athlon, Lindy's, Phil Steele, PFF, Street & Smith)
- Sun Belt's "Most Dangerous Deep Threat" (Lindy's)
- Sun Belt's No. 9 NFL Talent (Lindy's)

DEMETRIUS TAYLOR | DE

- Fourth-team All-Sun Belt (Athlon)

JOSH THOMAS | DB

- Jim Thorpe Award watch list
- First-team All-Sun Belt (Athlon, Lindy's, PFF)

ZAC THOMAS | QB

- Maxwell Award watch list
- Walter Camp Player of the Year watch list
- Davey O'Brien Award watch list
- Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award watch list
- Manning Award watch list
- CFPA National Performer of the Year watch list
- Nation's No. 24 quarterback (Athlon)
- First-team All-Sun Belt (League, Athlon, Lindy's, Phil Steele, PFF, Street & Smith)
- Sun Belt MVP (Lindy's)
- Sun Belt's "Most Accurate Passer" (Lindy's)
- Sun Belt's "Strongest Arm" (Lindy's)
- Sun Belt's "Best Passing QB" (Street & Smith)
- Heisman Hopeful (Street & Smith)
- "10 Group of Five ... Heisman contenders" (ESPN.com)

JALEN VIRGIL | WR

- No. 15 on The Athletic's "Freaks List"
- Sun Belt's "Fastest Receiver" (Street & Smith)

MALIK WILLIAMS | WR

- Second-team All-Sun Belt (PFF)

MARCUS WILLIAMS JR. | RB

- Fourth-team All-Sun Belt (Athlon)



ZAC THOMAS

#12 | JUNIOR | QB | 6-1 | 210 | TRUSSVILLE, ALA.

- On preseason watch lists for the Maxwell Award, Walter Camp Player of the Year, Davey O'Brien Award, Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award and Manning Award
- App State has won 14 straight games with Thomas as the team's primary quarterback (he played only one series at Georgia Southern and missed the Coastal Carolina game last season)
 - Accounted for 281 yards of total offense against North Carolina
 - 2018 Sun Belt Offensive Player of the Year
 - 2018 New Orleans Bowl MVP
 - One of five FBS quarterbacks last year with 20+ passing TDs and 10+ rushing TDs (also had a TD reception)
 - The last three FBS QBs with a 20-10-1 scoring season and a conference title: Thomas, Marcus Mariota, Cam Newton
 - Counselor at 2019 Manning Passing Academy, where he finished second place in passing competition

MORE ON ZAC THOMAS

- Led Sun Belt and ranked top 20 nationally in QBR (78.8), point responsibility (16.0) and passing efficiency (152.6) in 2019
- Ranked by Athlon as the No. 24 quarterback in the country and No. 5 among quarterbacks in G5 leagues
- Picked by Lindy's as the Sun Belt's MVP, Most Accurate Passer and Strongest Arm
- Unanimous preseason All-Sun Belt first-team selection
- In his first career start, he helped App State take Penn State to overtime by completing 25 of 38 passes for 270 yards with two TDs and rushing for 43 yards and a score
- Set a Sun Belt record with a 14-for-14 performance at Charlotte, throwing for 295 yards and three TDs
- Accounted for four touchdowns and 213 yards to earn New Orleans Bowl MVP in a 45-13 Mountaineer win against Middle Tennessee
- One of eight returning FBS quarterbacks to run for double-digit touchdowns last year

CAREER GAME-BY-GAME

2017	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yards	TD	Long	Rush	Yards	TD	Long
at Georgia	3	5	0	20	0	10	1	13	0	13
Savannah State	3	5	0	13	0	14	5	19	0	18
Louisiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	13	0	7
vs. Toledo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	6	10	0	33	0	14	8	45	0	18

2018	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yards	TD	Long	Rush	Yards	TD	Long
at Penn State	25	38	1	270	2	39	15	43	1	22
at Charlotte	14	14	0	295	3	90	8	29	1	9
Gardner-Webb	11	15	0	185	1	64	4	8	1	14
South Alabama	8	18	2	146	2	44	6	77	2	54
at Arkansas St.	12	27	0	144	2	41	5	76	1	62
Louisiana	10	20	1	106	1	26	5	43	0	14
at Ga. Southern	1	1	0	-1	0	0	1	5	0	5
at Coastal Caro.	— DNP —									
at Texas State	25	36	0	247	2	43	11	76	0	16
Georgia State	20	24	0	282	3	40	7	27	1	24
Troy	12	24	0	113	2	16	11	33	1	10
Louisiana (SBC)	6	13	0	75	0	34	9	59	2	35
vs. MTSU	15	24	2	177	3	35	9	28	0	13
TOTALS	159	254	6	2,039	21	90	92	504	10	62

2019	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yards	TD	Long	Rush	Yards	TD	Long
ETSU	16	24	0	150	2	31	5	32	1	27
Charlotte	14	20	0	182	3	73	10	4	0	10
North Carolina	20	29	1	224	0	43	6	57	0	50
TOTALS	50	73	1	556	5	73	21	93	1	50

CAREER TOTALS	215	337	7	2,628	26	90	121	642	11	62
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DARRYNTON EVANS

#3 | JUNIOR | RB | 5-11 | 200 | OAK HILL, FLA.

- On preseason watch lists for the Maxwell Award, Doak Walker Award, Paul Hornung Award and Wuerffel Trophy
- Ranks in the top 10 nationally in points per game (No. 2, 16.0), all-purpose yards per game (No. 2, 171.7), rushing TDs (No. 3, seven), total touchdowns (No. 4, eight), rushing yards per game (No. 6, 137.0) and yards per carry (No. 9, 7.9)
- Against Charlotte, became the first player this millenium to post at least 200 rushing yards (239), score three rushing touchdowns and have a kickoff return for a touchdown (45 yards) in the same game
- App State career leader with three kickoff returns for TDs
- 2018 Sun Belt rushing champion (1,187 yards) even though he didn't become the primary back until Game 5 (after Jalin Moore's injury)
- Has rushed for 1,471 yards and 13 touchdowns in 12 games as App State's primary running back
- Rushed for more than 100 yards in eight of last 12 games (doesn't include 99 yards on 14 carries in the 2019 opener)
- MVP of the inaugural Sun Belt Championship Game
- With a grade point average well over 3.0, tabbed the Sun Belt's Top Scholar by Street & Smith
- The five most recent FBS running backs with a minimum of 1,100 rushing yards at 5.0 ypc, a kick return for a score and a TD reception in a season are Evans, Saquon Barkley, Rashaad Penny, Joe Mixon and Christian McCaffrey



CAREER GAME-BY-GAME

2016	Rush	Yds	TD	Lg	Rec	Yds	TD	KR	Yds	TD	Long	APYds
ODU	8	16	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Miami	5	18	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
at Akron	3	22	0	4	1	23	0	6	154	0	41	199
Georgia State	9	33	0	5	1	-7	0	0	0	0	0	26
at Louisiana	12	30	0	10	2	11	0	1	18	0	18	59
Idaho	4	35	0	25	0	0	0	2	51	0	33	86
at Ga. Southern	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	3	66	0	26	72
Texas State	4	22	0	10	0	0	0	3	43	0	19	65
at Troy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	64	0	24	64
ULM	1	7	0	7	1	1	0	4	43	0	14	50
at New Mex. St.	2	34	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
vs. Toledo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	124	1	94	12
TOTALS	48	217	0	25	6	34	0	25	563	1	94	814

2018	Rush	Yds	TD	Lg	Rec	Yds	TD	KR	Yds	TD	Long	APYds
at Penn State	3	9	0	6	2	10	0	3	130	1	100	149
at Charlotte	6	24	0	11	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	27
Gardner-Webb	4	33	1	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33
South Alabama	6	61	0	42	0	0	0	1	30	0	30	91
at Arkansas State	16	115	1	57	1	1	0	1	16	0	16	132
Louisiana	26	183	1	65	1	20	1	0	0	0	0	203
at Ga. Southern	16	63	0	17	0	0	0	3	94	0	36	99
at Coastal Caro.	27	159	1	39	1	12	0	1	35	0	35	206
at Texas State	9	86	2	79	2	28	0	1	17	0	17	131
Georgia State	15	127	1	56	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	137
Troy	20	108	0	58	2	3	0	2	40	0	25	151
Louisiana (SBC)	17	111	0	48	0	0	0	2	107	0	97	218
vs. MTSU	14	108	0	62	0	0	0	1	21	0	21	139
TOTALS	179	1,187	7	79	12	87	1	15	490	1	100	1,764

2019	Rush	Yds	TD	Lg	Rec	Yds	TD	KR	Yds	TD	Long	APYds
ETSU	14	99	1	23	2	21	0	0	0	0	0	120
Charlotte	19	234	3	87	1	0	0	2	65	1	45	298
at UNC	19	78	3	31	0	0	0	1	19	0	19	97
TOTALS	52	411	7	87	3	21	0	3	83	1	45	515



AKEEM DAVIS-GAITHER

#24 | SENIOR | OLB | 6-2 | 215 | THOMASVILLE, N.C.

- On preseason watch lists for the Bednarik Award, Butkus Award and Reese's Senior Bowl
- Rated the Sun Belt's No. 4 NFL talent by Lindy's and the league's Hardest Hitter by Street & Smith
- In the 34-31 victory at UNC, recorded a third-quarter interception, blocked a field-goal attempt on the final play and had 10 tackles while playing every defensive snap
- Preseason All-Sun Belt first-team pick has 24 tackles, 2.5 tackles for loss, a hand in two sacks and two PBUs through three games in 2019
- Team-high 105 tackles last year for the nation's No. 4 scoring defense that allowed only 15.5 points per outing
- Also registered 10.0 TFLs, seven pass breakups, 1.5 sacks and two forced fumbles
- Ranked No. 3 in the Sun Belt by averaging 9.0 tackles per game in league play last year
- Top games in 2018: 15 tackles vs. Louisiana (regular season), 14 at Arkansas State, 14 vs. Troy
- Added two PBUs in the 2019 opener after tying for No. 8 nationally among non-DBs with seven pass breakups in 2018
- Increased total tackles by 72 from 2017 to 2018

JORDAN FEHR

#59 | SENIOR | ILB | 6-3 | 230 | CHARLOTTE, N.C.

- Preseason watch lists for the Bronko Nagurski Trophy and Reese's Senior Bowl and Campbell Trophy semifinalist (top scholar-athlete)
- Recorded a career-high 16 tackles during the 34-31 win at UNC and leads App State with 29 tackles through three games
- Made the No. 33 spot overall and was No. 3 among FBS linebackers on The Athletic's annual "Freaks List" thanks to his ability to bench press 415 pounds, run a 4.45 40-yard dash and vertically jump 40.5 inches with his 230-pound frame
- Had a fumble recovery to set up a TD vs. Charlotte this season
- Earned first-team All-Sun Belt accolades last year after totaling 86 tackles and a team-high 5.5 sacks
- Also had 7.5 TFLs, a fumble recovery and two pass breakups for the nation's No. 4 scoring defense (15.5 points per game allowed)
- Two-time Sun Belt Player of the Week last year after Coastal Carolina (8 tackles, 3 sacks, safety) and Arkansas State (15 tackles, 1 sack)
- Increased his total tackles by 71 from 2017 to 2018





DEMETRIUS TAYLOR

#48 | JUNIOR | DE | 6-1 | 275 | MIAMI, FLA.

- Top 10 nationally in forced fumbles per game (No. 1, 1.0), tackles for loss per game (No. 4, 2.0) and sacks per game (No. 8, 1.17).
- In a 34-31 win at North Carolina, became the first FBS player in this millennium with 2.5 sacks, two forced fumbles, a fumble return for a touchdown and an interception in the same game
- The Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week also received national defensive player of the week honors from Lindy's, Athlon and College Sports Madness
- Last time an FBS player had 2.5 sacks, two forced fumbles and a fumble return for a touchdown — without intercepting a pass like Taylor did against UNC — was Georgia's Marcus Howard in the Sugar Bowl against Hawaii at the end of the 2007 season
- Made his first career start in the 2019 opener against East Tennessee State and set up a TD by forcing a fumble on a sack against Charlotte on Sept. 7, when he had 2.5 tackles for loss
- Has 10.0 sacks with 15.5 tackles for loss in 28 career games

JOSH THOMAS

#7 | SENIOR | DB | 6-0 | 205 | MONTGOMERY, ALA.

- On preseason watch list for the Jim Thorpe Award
- Preseason All-Sun Belt first-team pick by Athlon, Lindy's and PFF after earning second-team honors from PFF a year ago
- Was a team captain as a junior last season and is one again as a senior
- Tied for the team lead and tied for second among Sun Belt players with four interceptions last season
- Tallied a career-high eight tackles and an interception in the Mountaineers' 45-13 New Orleans Bowl win over Middle Tennessee
- Also had interceptions in 2018 against Louisiana, Arkansas State and Coastal Carolina. The Red Wolves and Chanticleers were unable to score a touchdown against Thomas and the Mountaineers' defense
- Record-breaking prep basketball player who holds the city of Montgomery's all-time record for career points scored



DESMOND FRANKLIN

#6 | SENIOR | DB | 6-0 | 205 | INVERNESS, FLA.

- On preseason watch list for the Jim Thorpe Award
- Unanimous preseason All-Sun Belt first-team pick after earning those honors a year ago
- Rated the Sun Belt's No. 7 NFL talent by Lindy's
- Was the league's highest-rated safety by PFF College in 2018, allowing just 0.31 yards per snap in coverage and a passer rating when targeted of 38.4
- Tied for the team lead and tied for second among Sun Belt players with four interceptions last season
- Scored his first career touchdown on a 26-yard interception return against Georgia State last year
- Played safety, receiver and returned kicks for his high school team at Citrus High



PAVING THE WAY

- App State returns four of five starters on the offensive line in LT **Victor Johnson** (pictured left), LG **Ryan Neuzil**, C **Noah Hannon** and RG **Baer Hunter**. **Cole Garrison** started games at two positions last season, and **Cooper Hodges** started the 2019 opener as App State's right tackle.
- All four returning starters received preseason All-Sun Belt honors from various publications
- Johnson is on watch lists for the Outland Trophy and Senior Bowl, while Hannon made the Rimington Trophy watch list
- App State was top 25 nationally in both rushing yards per game and fewest sacks allowed in each of the last five years
- The Mountaineer O-line was one of 14 named to the 2018 Joe Moore Midseason Honor Roll

ELIAH DRINKWITZ

HEAD COACH | FIRST SEASON | ARKANSAS TECH, 2004



With a track record and style that are ideal fits for Appalachian State's high-scoring, championship-winning program, **ELIAH DRINKWITZ** was tabbed to become the Mountaineers' 21st head football coach on Dec. 13, 2018.

Drinkwitz had been the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach for record-setting NC State teams the previous three seasons, as he joined the Wolfpack after excelling in a similar role at Group of Five conference power Boise State.

"I'm excited to welcome Eliah and his family to App Nation," App State Director of Athletics Doug Gillin said. "The App State football program is in great position to continue its championship ways. Eliah is committed to excellence academically, competitively, socially and to the well-being of our student-athletes. There was significant interest in our process throughout a national search. Eliah has great character and a clear vision for the future of Mountaineer football. I'm excited about the future of our football program."

From coaching in high school to both the Group of Five and Power Five levels in college, Drinkwitz has proven to be a consistent winner.

Drinkwitz has succeeded while running an offense similar to what App State has used in winning three straight Sun Belt Conference championships.

"My family and I are excited to embrace and build upon the proud tradition of Appalachian State Football," Drinkwitz said. "I am thankful to the Board of Trustees, Chancellor Everts, Doug Gillin and the entire App Nation for the opportunity

to be the head coach at this great university. This is a special time for App Nation, and we will work tirelessly to uphold the championship tradition."

Drinkwitz graduated magna cum laude and served as the student body president at Arkansas Tech before beginning his coaching career in 2005, and he was a quality control assistant at Auburn when the Tigers won the 2010 national championship.

Drinkwitz was a key figure in back-to-back Sun Belt championships in 2012-13 as a running backs coach and co-offensive coordinator at Arkansas State, and he coached tight ends at Boise State in 2014 before being promoted to offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach of the Broncos in 2015.

He helped Boise State go 12-2 in 2014 en route to a Mountain West Championship and No. 16 final national ranking. As QB coach the next year, Drinkwitz helped the Bronco offense rank in the top 15 nationally in points per game (39.1) and yards per game (501.3), setting the stage for the Wolfpack of the ACC to bring him to North Carolina as NC State's offensive coordinator.

Following a 9-4 season in 2017 and a 9-3 mark going into its bowl game last year, NC State posted back-to-back seasons of nine wins for the first time since 1991-92. With an average of 35.6 points per game under Drinkwitz's direction in 2018, the Wolfpack had a 1,000-yard rusher for the third straight year, two 1,000-yard receivers and a quarterback with nearly 3,800 passing yards.

Under Drinkwitz's direction, the Wolfpack offense rose from 63rd nationally in total offense in his first season to 25th in 2017 and 16th after the 2018 regular season.

App State increased its total to seven straight seasons with a 1,000-yard rusher, and NC State had a 1,000-yard rusher in each of Drinkwitz's three seasons after going without one since 2002. The Wolfpack's offense had six players taken in the 2018 and 2019 NFL Drafts combined.

A native of Norman, Okla., Drinkwitz and his wife, Lindsey, have three daughters: Addison, Emerson and Ella.

DRINKWITZ AT A GLANCE

Name: Eliah Drinkwitz
Birthdate: April 12, 1983
Hometown: Alma, Ark.
High School: Alma HS, 2001
College: Arkansas Tech, 2004 (B.S., education)
Wife: Lindsey (Sivils)
Children: Addison, Emerson, Ella
Twitter: @CoachDrinkwitz

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2005: **Alma (Ark.) HS** (assistant)
2006-09: **Springdale (Ark.) HS** (offensive coordinator)
2010-11: **Auburn** (quality control assistant)
2012: **Arkansas State** (running backs)
2013: **Arkansas State** (co-offensive coordinator/RBs)
2014: **Boise State** (tight ends)
2015: **Boise State** (offensive coordinator/QBs)
2016-18: **NC State** (offensive coordinator/QBs)
2019-present: **Appalachian State** (head coach)

PREVIOUS SEASONS AS A COLLEGE COACH

Year	School	Overall	League/Finish	Bowl
2010	#1 Auburn	14-0	8-0/1st	BCS Title Game (W)
2011	Auburn	8-5	4-4/6th	Chick-fil-A (W)
2012	Arkansas St.	10-3	7-1/1st	GoDaddy.com (W)
2013	Arkansas St.	8-5	5-2/T-1st	GoDaddy.com (W)
2014	#16 Boise St.	12-2	7-1/1st	Fiesta (W)
2015	Boise St.	9-4	5-3/T-3rd	Poinsettia (W)
2016	NC State	7-6	3-5/T-9th	Independence (W)
2017	#23 NC State	9-4	6-2/3rd	Sun (W)
2018	NC State	9-4	5-3/T-4th	Didn't coach
Totals		86-33	50-21	8-0

YOUNGEST ACTIVE FBS HEAD COACHES

1.	Sean Lewis, Kent State	33 (4-11-86)
2.	Jake Spavital, Texas State	34 (5-1-85)
3.	Will Healy, Charlotte	34 (1-16-85)
4.	Walt Bell, UMass	35 (6-7-84)
5.	Lincoln Riley, Oklahoma	36 (9-5-83)
6.	Eliah Drinkwitz, App State	36 (4-12-83)
7.	Mike Norvell, Memphis	37 (10-11-81)
8.	Thomas Hammock, NIU	38 (7-7-81)
9.	Tom Arth, Akron	38 (5-11-81)
10.	P.J. Fleck, Minnesota	38 (11-29-80)

APPALACHIAN STATE COACHING STAFF TV CHART/GAMEDAY LOCATIONS

ON THE SIDELINES



ELIAH DRINKWITZ
Head Coach/
OC/QBs



SHAWN CLARK
Assistant HC/
Offensive Line



GREG GASPARATO
Safeties



CHARLIE HARBISON
Associate HC/
Cornerbacks



ERIK LINK
Special Teams
Coordinator



D.J. SMITH
Outside
Linebackers



ANWAR STEWART
Defensive Line

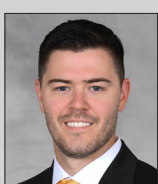


PAT WASHINGTON
Wide Receivers



JUSTIN WATTS
Tight Ends/
Recruiting Coord.

IN THE BOOTH



GARRETT RILEY
Running Backs



TED ROOF
Defensive Coord./
Inside LBs

FOOTBALL STAFF

Head Coach (Alma Mater)	Elijah Drinkwitz (Arkansas Tech, 2004)
Defensive Coordinator/Inside Linebackers	Ted Roof (Georgia Tech, 1986)
Associate Head Coach/Cornerbacks	Charlie Harbison (Gardner-Webb, 1995)
Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line	Shawn Clark (App State, 1999)
Safeties	Greg Gasparato (Wofford, 2009)
Special Teams Coordinator	Erik Link (Drake, 2003)
Running Backs	Garrett Riley (Texas Tech, 2012)
Outside Linebackers	D.J. Smith (App State, 2010)
Defensive Line	Anwar Stewart (Kentucky, 2017)
Wide Receivers	Pat Washington (Auburn, 1987)
Tight Ends/Recruiting Coordinator	Justin Watts (Clemson, 2000)
Director of Athletic Performance	Jeff Jones
Assistant A.D./Football Operations	Andy Lutz
Senior Assistant to the Head Coach	Lance Ware
Director of Player Personnel	Andrew Blaylock
Football Athletic Trainer	Zach Parker
Offensive Quality Control	Kegan McDaniel
Offensive Quality Control	Alex Patton
Defensive Quality Control	Anthony Shakir
Graduate Assistant (Offense)	Cole Cook
Graduate Assistant (Defense)	Wes Smith
Graduate Assistant (Special Teams)	Grant Kurzner
Administrative Assistant	Tori Schoonover
Director of Video Operations	George Claiborne
Student-Athlete Leadership	Reggie Hunt
Student Life Coordinator	J.R. Reese

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name	Appalachian State University
Location	Boone, N.C.
Founded	1899
Enrollment	19,108
Conference	Sun Belt (Eastern Division)
Affiliation	NCAA Division I Football Bowl Subdivision
Nickname	Mountaineers
Colors	Black and Gold
Mascot	Yosef
Marching Band	Marching Mountaineers
Chancellor	Dr. Sheri N. Everts (Nebraska, 1980)
Athletics Director	Doug Gillin (SUNY Cortland, 1991)
Faculty Athletics Representative	Rene Salinas
Game Operations Director	John Welch
Stadium	Kidd Brewer
Capacity	30,000
Surface	FieldTurf
Football Office Phone	828-262-2501
Ticket Office Phone	828-262-2079
Athletics Website	appstatesports.com
Athletics Twitter	@appstatesports
Football Twitter	@AppState_FB
Athletics Instagram	@appstatesports
Football Instagram	@appstate_fb
Athletics Facebook	facebook.com/appalachianstatemountaineers
Football Facebook	facebook.com/AppStateFootball

FOOTBALL HISTORY

First Year	1928
All-Time Record	619-337-28 (90th season)
Conference Championships	21
North State Conference (6)	1931, '37, '39, '48, '50, '54
Southern Conference (12)	1986, '87, '91, '95, '99, '05, '06, '07, '08, '09, '10, '12
Sun Belt Conference (3)	2016, '17, '18
NCAA Bowl Games	4
Years	2015, '16, '17, '18
Record	4-0
Most Recent	2018 New Orleans Bowl (App State 45, Middle Tennessee 13)
NCAA Division I FCS Playoff Appearances	20
Years	1986, '87, '89, '91, '92, '94, '95, '98, '99, '00, '01, '02, '05, '06, '07, '08, '09, '10, '11, '12
NCAA Division I FCS National Championships	3
Years	2005, '06, '07
NAIA Bowl Games	9
Record	3-6
Years	1937, '38, '48, '49, '50 (2), '54 (2), '55
All-Americans	87
Academic All-Americans	6

TEAM INFORMATION

2018 Record	11-2
2018 Sun Belt Conference Record/Finish	.7-1/1st (Title game win)
Basic Offense	Pro Tempo
Basic Defense	Multiple
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	52/25
Offense	24/13
Defense	25/10
Specialists	3/2
Starters Returning/Lost	16/6
Offense	10/1
Defense	6/5
Specialists	3/2

WELCOME TO THE ROCK

ELEVATION 3,333 FT.



APP STATE RECORD AT KIDD BREWER STADIUM SINCE 2003: 94-17

In addition to boasting one of the most picturesque settings for college football with Appalachian State's beautiful, modern campus and the natural beauty of the High Country serving as a backdrop, Kidd Brewer Stadium also stakes claim to being one of the toughest venues in the nation.

Through its 57th season in the venerable stadium, which opened as Conrad Stadium on Sept. 15, 1962, App State boasts a 248-75-5 all-time record at home, including victories in 94 of its last 111 home games.

App State led the FCS in regular-season attendance in each of its final seven seasons at that level. It led the FBS Sun Belt Conference in home football attendance in 2016 and 2017.

Thanks to philanthropic funding through A Mountaineer Impact, Kidd Brewer Stadium received major enhancements in 2017. The video board display increased to three times the size of the previous board with 2,500 square feet to feature 13HD technology from Daktronics. It measures 50 feet high by 90 feet wide for the overall scoreboard, with the new LED display measuring more than 37 feet high by 67 feet wide. In 2018, the athletics complex that comprises Kidd Brewer Stadium and the surrounding facilities was renamed the Mark E. Ricks Athletics Complex.

Kidd Brewer Stadium's official capacity was 16,650 in 2007, but several expansion projects, including construction of the 120,000-square-foot Ricks Center, have almost doubled the capacity.

Conrad Stadium opened in honor of former University trustee and R.J. Reynolds executive William J. Conrad.

KIDD BREWER STADIUM QUICK FACTS

First Game:Sept. 15, 1962 vs. Emory and Henry
First Day Game:Oct. 13, 1962 vs. Catawba
First Win: Appalachian 27, Elon 12 (9/29/62)
First Loss: Emory & Henry 6, Appalachian 3 (9/15/62)
First Tie: Appalachian 21, Catawba 21 (10/13/62)
Games Played: 328
App State's Overall Record: 248-75-5 (.763)
Most Games Played in a Season: 9 (2006, '07)
Most Wins in a Season: 9 (2006)
Most Losses in a Season: 4 (1979, 2013)
Most Consecutive Wins: 30 (2003-07)
Most Wins in a 2-Year Span: 17 (2006-07)
Most Wins in a 3-Year Span: 24 ('05-07, '06-08)
Most Games Vs One Opponent: 26 vs. W. Carolina
Most Wins Vs One Opponent: 19 vs. W. Carolina
Different Opponents at KBS: 74
App State's Record in August: 3-0
App State's Record in September: 76-23
App State's Record in October: 87-30-5
App State's Record in November: 71-16
App State's Record in December: 11-6
App State's Record in Night Games: 43-17-1



HOME RECORDS SINCE 2003

Year	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
2003	5	0	0	1.000
2004	6	0	0	1.000
2005	7	0	0	1.000
2006	9	0	0	1.000
2007	8	1	0	.889
2008	7	1	0	.875
2009	6	1	0	.857
2010	7	1	0	.875
2011	6	1	0	.857
2012	4	3	0	.571
2013	2	4	0	.333

FBS SEASONS

Year	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
2014	4	2	0	.667
2015	5	1	0	.833
2016	5	1	0	.833
2017	5	1	0	.833
2018	6	0	0	1.000
2019	2	0	0	1.000
FBS	27	5	0	.844
All-Time	248	75	5	.764

APP STATE UPGRADES



NORTH END ZONE CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULED FOR 2020 COMPLETION VISIT MOUNTAINEERIMPACT.COM FOR THE LATEST UPDATES

The North End Zone project will transform the north end zone of Kidd Brewer Stadium into 80,000-100,000 square feet of space designed to accommodate various athletics and academic uses.

The \$45 million facility will replace the 47-year-old Owens Field House, which was approximately 34,500 square feet. It will include athletic training, hydrotherapy and locker rooms, and nutrition science research areas, as well as conference and continuing education training space, medical office space, dining facilities, a team store and ticketing office, approximately 1,000 premium seats and offices for coaches and athletics staff.

DPR Construction is the Construction Manager at Risk and was awarded the pre-construction services contract.



MOUNTAINEERS MAKING BOONE PROUD



Doug Middleton, a former All-Sun Belt standout and current New York Jets safety, received his master's degree in public administration from App State in May 2018.



Country music star Luke Combs, who attended App State, poses with Yosef on the field during the 2017 home finale against Louisiana.



Country music star Eric Church, who also attended App State, participated in the pregame coin toss before the 2016 home game against Miami.

UPDATED DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Class
LT	75	VICTOR JOHNSON	6-5	295	Sr.
	73	Cole Garrison	6-4	285	Jr.
LG	58	RYAN NEUZIL	6-3	285	Jr.
	70	Cooper Hodges	6-4	295	R-Fr.
	65	Gage Blackston	6-4	275	So.
C	60	NOAH HANNON	6-1	265	Jr.
	63	Ivan Reyes	6-1	295	Jr.
RG	51	BAER HUNTER	6-2	285	Jr.
	70	Cooper Hodges	6-4	295	R-Fr.
RT	70	COOPER HODGES	6-4	295	R-Fr.
	55	Matt Williams	6-5	280	Jr.
	or 54	Lyle Hiers	6-5	280	Fr.
TE	87	COLLIN REED	6-4	245	Sr.
	88	Henry Pearson	6-3	245	So.
QB	12	ZAC THOMAS	6-1	210	Jr.
	7	Jacob Huesman	6-3	205	Jr.
	or 9	Jackson Gibbs	6-1	195	So.
RB	3	DARRYNTON EVANS	5-11	200	Jr.
	4	Daetrich Harrington	6-0	195	So.
	or 26	Marcus Williams Jr.	5-10	205	Jr.
WR	5	THOMAS HENNIGAN	6-1	205	Jr.
	13	Keishawn Watson	5-11	185	Gr.
WR	14	MALIK WILLIAMS	5-10	180	Jr.
	17	Dashaun Davis	5-9	160	Fr.
	22	Raykwon Anderson	5-9	180	Fr.
WR	2	COREY SUTTON	6-3	200	Jr.
	11	Jalen Virgil	6-1	210	Jr.

SPECIALISTS

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Class
PK	91	CHANDLER STATON	5-11	190	Jr.
	16	Ryker Casey	6-0	200	Fr.
KO	91	CHANDLER STATON	5-11	190	Jr.
	16	Ryker Casey	6-0	200	Fr.
P	39	XAVIER SUBOTSCH	6-1	195	Jr.
	30	Clayton Howell	6-0	195	So.
LS	42	CHRISTIAN JOHNSTONE	6-3	245	Fr.
	53	Jake Appling	6-3	275	Jr.
H	39	XAVIER SUBOTSCH	6-1	195	Jr.
	30	Clayton Howell	6-0	195	So.
KR	3	DARRYNTON EVANS	5-11	200	Jr.
	5	Thomas Hennigan	6-1	205	Jr.
	11	Jalen Virgil	6-1	210	Jr.
PR	5	THOMAS HENNIGAN	6-1	205	Jr.
	14	Malik Williams	5-10	180	Jr.
	7	Josh Thomas	6-0	205	Sr.

DEFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Class
DE	48	DEMETRIUS TAYLOR	6-1	275	Jr.
	91	Tommy Dawkins	6-2	240	Jr.
NT	98	E.J. SCOTT	6-3	275	Sr.
	95	George Blackstock	6-1	260	So.
DE	57	ELIJAH DIARRASSOUBA	6-1	255	Jr.
	97	Caleb Spurlin	5-10	260	Jr.
OLB	20	NOEL COOK	6-0	215	Sr.
	31	Nick Hampton	6-3	210	R-Fr.
	10	Tim Frizzell	6-1	230	Jr.
ILB	59	JORDAN FEHR	6-3	230	Sr.
	51	Tyler Bird	6-2	220	So.
	or 40	Logan Dublin	6-0	220	So.
ILB	45	TREY COBB	6-2	220	So.
	52	D'Marco Jackson	6-1	220	So.
OLB	24	AKEEM DAVIS-GAITHER	6-2	215	Sr.
	28	KeSean Brown	6-2	210	Fr.
	or 29	Brendan Harrington	6-1	215	Fr.
CB	8	SHEMAR JEAN-CHARLES	5-11	180	Jr.
	12	Steven Jones	5-10	180	So.
FS	6	DESMOND FRANKLIN	6-0	205	Sr.
	21	Ryan Huff	6-1	200	So.
SS	7	JOSH THOMAS	6-0	205	Sr.
	13	Kaiden Smith	6-1	200	Jr.
	26	Nicholas Ross	5-11	175	Fr.
CB	3	SHAUN JOLLY	5-9	175	So.
	19	Mike Price	5-10	190	R-Fr.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Appalachian	app-uh-LATCH-in
KeSean (Brown)	KEE-shawn
Noel (Cook)	NOLE
Dashaun (Davis)	duh-SHAWN
(Elijah) Diarrassouba	deer-uh-SUE-buh
(Logan) Dublin	DUB-lin
Darrynton (Evans)	DARE-un-ton
(Jordan) Fehr	FAIR
(Tim) Frizzell	frih-ZELL
Daetrich (Harrington)	DAY-trick
(Jourdan) Heilig	HIGH-ligg
(Lyle) Hiers	HIRES
(Jacob) Huesman	HUGHES-man
(Ricky) Kofoed	KOE-fode
(Ryan) Neuzil	NEWS-ull
(Hansky) Paillant	PAY-lant
Dysaun Razzak	DY-sahn ruh-ZAHK
(Chandler) Staton	STAY-ton
(Xavier) Subotsch	suh-BOTCH

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/High School (Previous College)
2	Willie Edwards	DB	6-1	190	Gr.	Wichita, Kan./Wichita East (Illinois State)
2	Corey Sutton	WR	6-3	200	Jr.	Cornelius, N.C./Mallard Creek (Kansas State)
3	Darrynton Evans	RB	5-11	200	Jr.	Oak Hill, Fla./New Smyrna Beach
3	Shaun Jolly	DB	5-9	175	So.	Stone Mountain, Ga./Stephenson
4	Daetrich Harrington	RB	6-0	195	So.	Douglasville, Ga./Alexander
5	Thomas Hennigan	WR	6-1	205	Jr.	Greensboro, N.C./Northwest Guilford
6	Desmond Franklin	DB	6-0	205	Sr.	Inverness, Fla./Citrus
6	Camerun Peoples	RB	6-2	210	R-Fr.	Lineville, Ala./Clay Central
7	Jacob Huesman	QB	6-3	205	Jr.	Bradenton, Fla./Braden River
7	Josh Thomas	DB	6-0	205	Sr.	Montgomery, Ala./Montgomery Academy
8	Shemar Jean-Charles	DB	5-11	180	Jr.	Miramar, Fla./Miramar
9	Jackson Gibbs	QB	6-1	195	So.	Davidson, N.C./Hough (UCLA)
10	Tim Frizzell	OLB	6-1	230	Jr.	Knoxville, Tenn./Hardin Valley Academy
10	Tanner Wilson	QB	6-2	225	So.	Reidsville, N.C./Reidsville
11	Jeremy Level	DB	6-1	210	Jr.	Greensboro, N.C./Page
11	Jalen Virgil	WR	6-1	210	Jr.	Lawrenceville, Ga./Mountain View
12	Steven Jones	DB	5-10	180	So.	Rockingham, N.C./Richmond Senior
12	Zac Thomas	QB	6-1	210	Jr.	Trussville, Ala./Hewitt-Trussville
13	Kaiden Smith	DB	6-1	200	Jr.	Lawrenceville, Ga./Mountain View
13	Keishawn Watson	WR	5-11	185	Gr.	Wheaton, Ill./Warrenville South (W. Michigan)
14	Bailey Watts	DB	6-1	180	Fr.	Franklin, N.C./Franklin
14	Malik Williams	WR	5-10	180	Jr.	Chester, S.C./Chester Senior
15	David Baldwin-Griffin	QB	6-4	230	Fr.	Compton, Calif./IMG Academy
15	Tre Caldwell	DB	5-10	185	Fr.	Greensboro, N.C./Southeast Guilford
16	Ryker Casey	K	6-0	200	Fr.	New Smyrna Beach, Fla./New Smyrna Beach
16	Christian Wells	WR	5-11	170	Fr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla./University School
17	Dashaun Davis	WR	5-9	160	Fr.	Deerfield Beach, Fla./Deerfield Beach
18	Mike Evans	TE	6-3	240	Jr.	Jacksonville, N.C./White Oak (Lenoir-Rhyne)
18	Milan Tucker	DB	5-11	170	Fr.	Lehigh Acres, Fla./Fort Myers
19	Mike Price	DB	5-10	190	R-Fr.	Stockbridge, Ga./Stockbridge
20	Noel Cook	OLB	6-0	215	Sr.	Reidsville, N.C./Reidsville
20	Sean Horton	WR	6-1	185	Fr.	Holly Springs, N.C./Middle Creek
21	Ryan Huff	DB	6-1	200	So.	Athens, Ga./Cedar Shoals
21	Dysaun Razzak	WR	5-7	155	R-Fr.	Kernersville, N.C./Glenn
22	Raykwon Anderson	WR	5-9	180	Fr.	Folkston, Ga./Charlton County
22	Jace Frisbee	OLB	6-2	210	So.	Brevard, N.C./Brevard
24	Akeem Davis-Gaither	OLB	6-2	215	Sr.	Thomasville, N.C./Thomasville
24	Ben Williams	RB	5-10	185	Fr.	Charlotte, N.C./Charlotte Christian
25	Kaleb Dawson	DB	5-11	190	R-Fr.	Moultrie, Ga./Colquitt County
26	Nicholas Ross	DB	5-11	175	Fr.	Kennesaw, Ga./Kell
26	Marcus Williams Jr.	RB	5-10	205	Jr.	Rocky Mount, N.C./Southwest Edgecombe
27	Nakendrick Clark	RB	5-9	195	Jr.	Statesville, N.C./Statesville (Louisburg College)
27	Matthew McQuinn	ILB	6-0	210	So.	Fort Myers, Fla./Fort Myers
28	KeSean Brown	OLB	6-2	210	Fr.	Bamberg, S.C./Bamberg-Ehrhardt
29	John Gliarmis	K	5-8	155	R-Fr.	Wilson, N.C./Fike
29	Brendan Harrington	OLB	6-1	215	Fr.	Pittsboro, N.C./Northwood
30	Zareon Hayes	DL	6-1	235	R-Fr.	Dillon, S.C./Dillon
30	Clayton Howell	P	6-0	195	So.	High Point, N.C./High Point Central
31	Nick Hampton	OLB	6-3	210	R-Fr.	Anderson, S.C./Westside
33	Jordan Mitchell	ILB	6-0	225	R-Fr.	Beulaville, N.C./East Duplin
34	Jourdan Heilig	ILB	6-2	215	Fr.	Concord, N.C./Concord
35	Emmanuel Jenkins	DB	6-2	185	Fr.	Canton, Ga./Sequoyah
35	Elijah Johnson	WR	5-11	175	Fr.	Cornelius, N.C./Hough
36	Brock Mattison	DL	6-1	225	R-Fr.	Duluth, Ga./Buford
37	Tanner Ellenberger	OLB	6-3	225	So.	Brevard, N.C./Brevard
39	Xavier Subotsch	P	6-1	195	Jr.	Melbourne, Australia/Haileyburg
39	Jackson Greene	DB	5-11	180	Fr.	Boone, N.C./Watauga
40	Logan Dublin	ILB	6-0	220	So.	Clearwater, Fla./Largo

ALPHABETICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.
22	Anderson, Raykwon	WR	5-9	180	Fr.
53	Appling, Jake	LS	6-3	275	Jr.
15	Baldwin-Griffin, David	QB	6-4	230	Fr.
51	Bird, Tyler	ILB	6-2	220	So.
95	Blackstock, George	DL	6-1	260	So.
65	Blackston, Gage	OL	6-4	275	So.
28	Brown, KeSean	OLB	6-2	210	Fr.
15	Caldwell, Tre	DB	5-10	185	Fr.
16	Casey, Ryker	K	6-0	200	Fr.
50	Cave, Joey	OL	6-4	300	Gr.
96	Clark, Markell	DL	6-0	275	Jr.
27	Clark, Nakendrick	RB	5-9	195	Jr.
45	Cobb, Trey	ILB	6-2	220	So.
20	Cook, Noel	OLB	6-0	215	Sr.
58	Daley, Grant	ILB	6-2	210	Fr.
17	Davis, Dashaun	WR	5-9	160	Fr.
24	Davis-Gaither, Akeem	OLB	6-2	215	Sr.
91	Dawkins, Tommy	DL	6-2	240	Jr.
25	Dawson, Kaleb	DB	5-11	190	R-Fr.
57	Diarrassouba, Elijah	DL	6-1	255	Jr.
40	Doublin, Logan	ILB	6-0	220	So.
72	Dowdy, Larry	OL	6-4	265	Fr.
99	Earle, Jordon	DL	6-2	295	R-Fr.
2	Edwards, Willie	DB	6-1	190	Gr.
89	Eighmy, Chase	WR	6-2	205	R-Fr.
37	Ellenberger, Tanner	OLB	6-3	225	So.
3	Evans, Darrynton	RB	5-11	200	Jr.
18	Evans, Mike	TE	6-3	240	Jr.
59	Fehr, Jordan	ILB	6-3	230	Sr.
6	Franklin, Desmond	DB	6-0	205	Sr.
22	Frisbee, Jace	OLB	6-2	210	So.
10	Frizzell, Tim	OLB	6-1	230	Jr.
73	Garrison, Cole	OL	6-4	285	Jr.
9	Gibbs, Jackson	QB	6-1	195	So.
81	Gibbs, Miller	TE	6-4	220	R-Fr.
29	Gliarmis, John	K	5-8	155	R-Fr.
39	Greene, Jackson	DB	5-11	180	Fr.
47	Guentensberger, Colin	LB	6-0	200	Fr.
80	Hall, AJ	WR	6-1	200	R-Fr.
49	Hall, Blythe	ILB	6-2	210	Jr.
31	Hampton, Nick	OLB	6-3	210	R-Fr.
60	Hannon, Noah	OL	6-1	265	Jr.
64	Hardin, Will	OL	6-2	300	Jr.
74	Hardy, Anderson	OL	6-6	275	R-Fr.
41	Harper, Reed	LS	5-11	200	Fr.
29	Harrington, Brendan	OLB	6-1	215	Fr.
4	Harrington, Daetrich	RB	6-0	195	So.
69	Hartung, Joe	OL	6-3	270	So.
30	Hayes, Zareon	DL	6-1	235	R-Fr.
77	Headlee, Josh	OL	6-4	285	R-Fr.
34	Heilig, Jourdan	ILB	6-2	215	Fr.
79	Henderson, Sammy	OL	6-5	275	Fr.
5	Hennigan, Thomas	WR	6-1	205	Jr.
83	Henry, Jake	WR	5-11	180	So.
54	Hiers, Lyle	OL	6-5	280	Fr.
70	Hodges, Cooper	OL	6-4	295	R-Fr.
20	Horton, Sean	WR	6-1	185	Fr.

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/High School (Previous College)
41	Reed Harper	LS	5-11	200	Fr.	Clemmons, N.C./West Forsyth
42	Christian Johnstone	LS	6-3	245	Fr.	Loganville, Ga./Archer
43	Hansky Paillant	DL	6-2	240	R-Fr.	Sunrise, Fla./Miramar
44	T.D. Roof	LB	5-11	220	Jr.	Buford, Ga./Buford (Indiana)
45	Trey Cobb	ILB	6-2	220	So.	Waycross, Ga./Ware County
45	Gabe Montgomery	RB	5-8	205	So.	Charlotte, N.C./Providence Day (Butler)
46	Chris Washington	DL	5-11	270	R-Fr.	Newberry, Fla./Newberry
47	Colin Guentensberger	LB	6-0	200	Fr.	Hillsborough, N.C./Orange
48	Demetrius Taylor	DL	6-1	275	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Northwestern
49	Blythe Hall	ILB	6-2	210	Jr.	Greensboro, N.C./Southeast Guilford
50	Joey Cave	OL	6-4	300	Gr.	Knoxville, Tenn./Hardin Valley (Tennessee)
51	Tyler Bird	ILB	6-2	220	So.	Acworth, Ga./North Paulding
51	Baer Hunter	OL	6-2	285	Jr.	Clemmons, N.C./West Forsyth
52	D'Marco Jackson	ILB	6-1	220	So.	Spartanburg, S.C./Broome
53	Jake Appling	LS	6-3	275	Jr.	Shelby, N.C./Shelby
54	Lyle Hiers	OL	6-5	280	Fr.	Lake Wales, Fla./Lake Wales
55	Matt Williams	OL	6-5	280	Jr.	Lehigh Acres, Fla./Lehigh
57	Elijah Diarrassouba	DL	6-1	255	Jr.	Greensboro, N.C./Page
58	Grant Daley	ILB	6-2	210	Fr.	Wilmington, N.C./New Hanover
58	Ryan Neuzil	OL	6-3	285	Jr.	Bradenton, Fla./Braden River
59	Jordan Fehr	ILB	6-3	230	Sr.	Charlotte, N.C./Providence
60	Noah Hannon	OL	6-1	265	Jr.	Greer, S.C./Greer
63	Ivan Reyes	OL	6-1	295	Jr.	Hickory, N.C./St. Stephens
64	Will Hardin	OL	6-2	300	Jr.	Greensboro, N.C./Page
65	Gage Blackston	OL	6-4	275	So.	Savannah, Ga./Benedictine Military
66	Will Israel	DL	6-2	235	So.	Asheville, N.C./A.C. Reynolds
67	Logan Wright	OL	6-4	305	Jr.	Kernersville, N.C./East Forsyth
68	Greg Johnston	DL	6-3	275	So.	Asheville, N.C./T.C. Roberson (Bryant)
69	Joe Hartung	OL	6-3	270	So.	Greenwood, S.C./Greenwood
70	Cooper Hodges	OL	6-4	295	R-Fr.	Glen St. Mary, Fla./Baker County
72	Larry Dowdy	OL	6-4	265	Fr.	Belmont, N.C./South Point
73	Cole Garrison	OL	6-4	285	Jr.	Pinson, Ala./Clay-Chalkville
74	Anderson Hardy	OL	6-6	275	R-Fr.	Raleigh, N.C./Sanderson
75	Victor Johnson	OL	6-5	295	Sr.	North Augusta, S.C./North Augusta
77	Josh Headlee	OL	6-4	285	R-Fr.	Boone, N.C./Watauga
78	Craig McFarland	OL	6-6	280	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz./Chaparral
79	Sammy Henderson	OL	6-5	275	Fr.	Charlotte, N.C./Charlotte Christian
80	AJ Hall	WR	6-1	200	R-Fr.	Kernersville, N.C./East Forsyth
81	Miller Gibbs	TE	6-4	220	R-Fr.	Davidson, N.C./Hough
82	Richard Tucker	WR	6-0	180	R-Fr.	Campobello, S.C./Chapman
83	Jake Henry	WR	5-11	180	So.	Cantonment, Fla./J.M. Tate
84	Ricky Kofoed	TE	6-3	205	Fr.	Charlotte, N.C./Charlotte Christian
85	Michael Queen	WR	6-1	200	Jr.	Apex, N.C./Northwood
86	Trey Ross	TE	6-3	230	R-Fr.	Sophia, N.C./Randleman
87	Collin Reed	TE	6-4	245	Sr.	Boiling Springs, S.C./Boiling Springs
88	Henry Pearson	TE	6-3	245	So.	Ho-Ho-Kus, N.J./Paramus Catholic
89	Chase Eighmy	WR	6-2	205	R-Fr.	Waxhaw, N.C./Cuthbertson (Charl. Southern)
89	Dorian Pickett	DL	6-2	235	R-Fr.	Beulaville, N.C./East Duplin
90	Chris Willis	DL	6-2	260	Jr.	Shelby, N.C./Crest
91	Tommy Dawkins	DL	6-2	240	Jr.	Concord, N.C./Cox Mill
91	Chandler Staton	K	5-11	190	Jr.	Gainesville, Ga./Gainesville
94	Luke Smith	DL	6-1	270	Fr.	Lebanon, Tenn./Friendship Christian
95	George Blackstock	DL	6-1	260	So.	Eden, N.C./Eden Morehead
96	Markell Clark	DL	6-0	275	Jr.	Dacula, Ga./Spain Park
97	Caleb Spurlin	DL	5-10	260	Jr.	Galax, Va./Galax
98	E.J. Scott	DL	6-3	275	Sr.	Farmville, N.C./Farmville Central (Shaw)
99	Jordon Earle	DL	6-2	295	R-Fr.	West Palm Beach, Fla./Forest Hill

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.
30	Howell, Clayton	P	6-0	195	So.
7	Huesman, Jacob	QB	6-3	205	Jr.
21	Huff, Ryan	DB	6-1	200	So.
51	Hunter, Baer	OL	6-2	285	Jr.
66	Israel, Will	DL	6-2	235	So.
52	Jackson, D'Marco	ILB	6-1	220	So.
8	Jean-Charles, Shemar	DB	5-11	180	Jr.
35	Jenkins, Emmanuel	DB	6-2	185	Fr.
35	Johnson, Elijah	WR	5-11	175	Fr.
75	Johnson, Victor	OL	6-5	295	Sr.
68	Greg Johnston	DL	6-3	275	So.
42	Johnstone, Christian	LS	6-3	245	Fr.
3	Jolly, Shaun	DB	5-9	175	So.
12	Jones, Steven	DB	5-10	180	So.
84	Kofoed, Ricky	TE	6-3	205	Fr.
11	Level, Jeremy	DB	6-1	210	Jr.
36	Mattison, Brock	DL	6-1	225	R-Fr.
78	McFarland, Craig	OL	6-6	280	Fr.
27	McQuinn, Matthew	ILB	6-0	210	So.
33	Mitchell, Jordan	ILB	6-0	225	R-Fr.
45	Montgomery, Gabe	RB	5-8	205	So.
58	Neuzil, Ryan	OL	6-3	285	Jr.
43	Paillant, Hansky	DL	6-2	240	R-Fr.
88	Pearson, Henry	TE	6-3	245	So.
6	Peoples, Camerun	RB	6-2	210	R-Fr.
89	Pickett, Dorian	DL	6-2	235	R-Fr.
19	Price, Mike	DB	5-10	190	R-Fr.
85	Queen, Michael	WR	6-1	200	Jr.
21	Razzak, Dysaun	WR	5-7	155	R-Fr.
87	Reed, Collin	TE	6-4	245	Sr.
63	Reyes, Ivan	OL	6-1	295	Jr.
44	Roof, T.D.	LB	5-11	220	Jr.
26	Ross, Nicholas	DB	5-11	175	Fr.
86	Ross, Trey	TE	6-3	230	R-Fr.
98	Scott, E.J.	DL	6-3	275	Sr.
13	Smith, Kaiden	DB	6-1	200	Jr.
94	Smith, Luke	DL	6-1	270	Fr.
97	Spurlin, Caleb	DL	5-10	260	Jr.
91	Staton, Chandler	K	5-11	190	Jr.
39	Subotsch, Xavier	P	6-1	195	Jr.
2	Sutton, Corey	WR	6-3	200	Jr.
48	Taylor, Demetrius	DL	6-1	275	Jr.
7	Thomas, Josh	DB	6-0	205	Sr.
12	Thomas, Zac	QB	6-1	210	Jr.
18	Tucker, Milan	DB	5-11	170	Fr.
82	Tucker, Richard	WR	6-0	180	R-Fr.
11	Virgil, Jalen	WR	6-1	210	Jr.
46	Washington, Chris	DL	5-11	270	R-Fr.
13	Watson, Keishawn	WR	5-11	185	Gr.
14	Watts, Bailey	DB	6-1	180	Fr.
16	Wells, Christian	WR	5-11	170	Fr.
26	Williams Jr., Marcus	RB	5-10	205	Jr.
24	Williams, Ben	RB	5-10	185	Fr.
14	Williams, Malik	WR	5-10	180	Jr.
55	Williams, Matt	OL	6-5	280	Jr.
90	Willis, Chris	DL	6-2	260	Jr.
10	Wilson, Tanner	QB	6-2	225	So.
67	Wright, Logan	OL	6-4	305	Jr.

2019 BREAKDOWN

CAREER GAMES/STARTS

Player	Career Games	Starts (In a Row)
Akeem Davis-Gaither	45	19 (16)
Josh Thomas	45	19 (16)
Victor Johnson	41	40 (1)
Desmond Franklin	40	24 (5)
Collin Reed	37	17 (7)
Noel Cook	34	16 (15)
Jordan Fehr	32	16 (16)
Noah Hannon	29	29 (29)
Thomas Hennigan	29	29 (29)
Caleb Spurlin	29	—
Xavier Subotsch	29	—
Jalen Virgil	29	3
Malik Williams	29	11 (2)
Darrynton Evans	28	11 (4)
Cole Garrison	28	3
Demetrius Taylor	28	2
Elijah Diarrassouba	27	16 (16)
Tim Frizzell	27	1
Baer Hunter	27	15 (9)
Shemar Jean-Charles	27	3 (3)
Kaiden Smith	26	—
Chris Willis	25	5
Chandler Staton	24	—
Ryan Neuzil	23	21 (21)
Marcus Williams Jr.	23	4
E.J. Scott	22	3 (3)
Markell Clark	20	—
Zac Thomas	19	15 (8)

GAME-BY-GAME LEADERS

OPPONENT	RUSHING	PASSING	RECEIVING	ALL-PURPOSE	TACKLES
ETSU	D. Evans (99)	Thomas (150)	Hennigan (79)	Evans (120)	Franklin/ADG (7)
Charlotte	D. Evans (234)	Thomas (182)	Virgil (86)	Evans (298)	Davis-Gaither (9)
North Carolina	D. Evans (78)	Thomas (224)	Hennigan (90)	Evans (97)	Fehr (16)
Coastal Carolina					
Louisiana					
ULM					
South Alabama					
Ga. Southern					
South Carolina					
Georgia State					
Texas State					
Troy					

MISCELLANEOUS INFO

OPPONENT	COIN TOSS	CHOICE	1ST APP PLAY	1ST SERIES	OPPONENT	LENGTH	TOPS	PANTS
ETSU	App State	Defers	Evans run, 2 yds	Punt	Punt	3:00	Black	Black
Charlotte	Charlotte	Defers	Evans run, 87 yds	TD	Punt	3:50	White	White
UNC	App State	Defers	Evans run, 1 yd	FG	TD	3:18	White	Black
Coastal								
Louisiana								
ULM								
S. Alabama								
Ga. So.								
So. Carolina								
Ga. State								
Texas State								
Troy								

GAME CAPTAINS (PERMANENT CAPTAINS: JOSH THOMAS, VICTOR JOHNSON, JORDAN FEHR)

ETSU:	Josh Thomas, Jordan Fehr, Collin Reed, Akeem Davis-Gaither
Charlotte:	Josh Thomas, Jordan Fehr, Victor Johnson, E.J. Scott
UNC:	Josh Thomas, Jordan Fehr, Victor Johnson, Noel Cook

STARTING LINEUPS

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2019 SCORING DRIVES

APPALACHIAN STATE

Opp.	Qtr	Clock	Scoring Play	Plays	Yds	Time
ETSU	1st	2:58	Thomas 1 yd run	13	84	4:59
ETSU	2nd	6:06	Williams 6 yd pass from Thomas	7	48	2:27
ETSU	3rd	11:35	Evans 13 yd run	11	75	3:25
ETSU	3rd	0:51	Hennigan 31 yd pass from Thomas	8	75	3:44
ETSU	4th	9:34	Virgil 15 yd run	10	67	4:40
ETSU	4th	5:52	Wells 17 yd pass from Huesman	4	40	2:13
UNCC	1st	14:43	Evans 87 yd run	1	87	0:17
UNCC	1st	2:46	Hennigan 5 yd pass from Thomas	11	49	4:53
UNCC	2nd	1:14	Virgil 10 yd pass from Thomas	1	10	0:05
UNCC	2nd	0:39	Jackson, D. 16 yd punt return			
UNCC	3rd	8:05	Evans 3 yd run	11	75	4:05
UNCC	3rd	3:00	Virgil 73 yd pass from Thomas	5	99	2:36
UNCC	4th	7:14	Evans 68 yd run	3	75	1:06
UNCC	4th	3:10	Evans 45 yd kickoff return			
UNC	1st	11:06	Staton 31 yd field goal	8	51	3:37
UNC	1st	4:42	Staton 43 yd field goal	10	54	4:40
UNC	1st	3:39	Taylor 20 yd fumble recovery			
UNC	2nd	12:29	Evans 5 yd run	4	26	1:10
UNC	2nd	2:56	Evans 2 yd run	10	79	3:56
UNC	3rd	2:11	Evans 3 yd run	5	75	2:07

OPPONENTS

Opp.	Qtr	Clock	Scoring Play	Plays	Yds	Time
ETSU	3rd	4:35	Adkins 5 yd pass from Mitchell	12	86	6:56
UNCC	1st	07:50	LeMay, Benny 3 yd run	6	75	3:12
UNCC	2nd	13:16	LeMay, Benny 58 yd run	3	62	0:56
UNCC	3rd	12:10	Dollar 24 yd pass from Reynolds	6	75	2:50
UNCC	3rd	1:00	LeMay 5 yd pass from Reynolds	4	75	2:00
UNCC	4th	8:20	Tucker 23 yd pass from Reynolds	8	85	4:38
UNCC	4th	3:17	Tucker 27 yd pass from Reynolds	8	80	3:50
UNC	1st	14:43	Newsome 21 yd pass from Howell	1	21	0:17
UNC	2nd	6:57	Ruggles 25 yd field goal	15	61	5:27
UNC	2nd	0:01	Carter 11 yd pass from Howell	9	75	2:55
UNC	3rd	4:18	Tucker 12 yd pass from Howell	15	98	5:45
UNC	4th	3:01	Howell 2 yd run	8	80	2:31

2019 ROSTER BREAKDOWN

LETTERMEN RETURNING: 52 (Offense: 24 | Defense: 25 | Special Teams: 3)

LETTERMEN LOST: 25 (Offense: 13 | Defense: 10 | Special Teams: 2)

2018 OFFENSIVE/DEFENSIVE STARTERS RETURNING: 16

OFFENSE: 10

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Class	Notes
QB	12	Zac Thomas	6-1	210	Jr.	Sun Belt's Offensive Player of Year totaled 31 TDs (21 passing) and 2,543 yards
RB	3	Darrynton Evans	5-11	200	Jr.	Sun Belt rushing champ became primary back in Game 5 and had 1,187 yards
WR	2	Corey Sutton	6-3	200	Jr.	Second-team All-Sun Belt pick had 44 catches for 773 yards and 10 TDs in 2018
WR	5	Thomas Hennigan	6-1	205	Jr.	Started all 26 games in first two years and has 74 career catches for 912 yards
WR	14	Malik Williams	5-10	180	Jr.	Slot receiver's three TD catches included a pair in fourth quarter at Penn State
TE	87	Collin Reed	6-4	245	Sr.	Third-team All-Sun Belt pick had three TD catches to give him nine in his career
LT	75	Victor Johnson	6-5	295	Sr.	All-Sun Belt first team in each of the last two seasons as the starting left tackle
LG	58	Ryan Neuzil	6-3	285	Jr.	Started every game and named second-team all-league by the PFF College site
C	60	Noah Hannon	6-1	265	Jr.	First-team all-league by the PFF College site during his second year as starter
RG	51	Baer Hunter	6-2	285	Jr.	Helped line rank in top 25 in rushing yards per game and fewest sacks allowed

DEFENSE: 6

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Class	Notes
DE	57	Elijah Diarrassouba	6-1	255	Jr.	Started all 13 games at one defensive end spot and had key sack against Troy
ILB	59	Jordan Fehr	6-3	230	Sr.	First-team All-Sun Belt selection led App State with 5.5 sacks and had 86 tackles
OLB	24	Akeem Davis-Gaither	6-2	215	Sr.	Second-team All-Sun Belt choice had seven PBUs and a team-high 105 tackles
OLB	20	Noel Cook	6-0	215	Sr.	Started last 12 games at outside linebacker and led App State with 11.5 TFLs
SS	7	Josh Thomas	6-0	205	Sr.	Team captain in 2018 had 43 tackles and ended four-INT season with bowl INT
FS	6	Desmond Franklin	6-0	205	Sr.	All-Sun Belt first-team selection tied for No. 2 in league with four interceptions

SPECIAL TEAMS: 3

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Class	Notes
PK	91	Chandler Staton	5-11	190	Jr.	Went 12 of 16 on field goals and 61 of 61 on PATs to total 97 points last season
P	30	Clayton Howell	6-0	195	So.	Freshman All-American ranked No. 8 in FBS with a 41.9 net punting average
H	39	Xavier Subotsch	6-1	195	Jr.	Starting holder on field goals/extra points and backup punter during 2018

OTHER RETURNING PLAYERS WHO STARTED AT LEAST ONE GAME (NUMBER OF STARTS IN PARENTHESES)

Offense: TE Henry Pearson (3), OT Cole Garrison (2), RB Marcus Williams Jr. (1), QB Jacob Huesman (1)

Defense: OLB Tim Frizzell (1)

OFFENSIVE/DEFENSIVE STARTERS LOST: 5

OFFENSE: 1

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Notes
RT	78	Chandler Greer	6-4	288	Started all 13 games at right tackle and was named second-team All-Sun Belt by the league

DEFENSE: 5

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Notes
DE	90	Chris Willis	6-2	245	*Out for season with lower leg injury*
NT	92	MyQuon Stout	6-1	280	Undrafted signee of the New York Jets was a first-team All-Sun Belt selection as a senior
ILB	44	Anthony Flory	6-1	232	Two-year starter played in 49 career games and made 183 stops over his final two seasons
CB	4	Clifton Duck	5-10	170	Undrafted signee of the Chicago Bears had 12 INTs in three college seasons as a starter
CB	17	Tae Hayes	5-11	183	Undrafted signee of the Jacksonville Jaguars had 33 starts and nine INTs in 52 games

OTHER NOTABLES

Pos.	#	Player	Height	Weight	Notes
RB	25	Jalin Moore	5-11	207	Undrafted signee of the New York Jets rushed for 400 yards in injury-shortened 2018
FS	9	Austin Exford	6-0	200	Undrafted signee of the Houston Texans named first-team All-Sun Belt by PFF College
LS	93	Elias McMurry	6-0	237	Four-year starter was named first-team All-Sun Belt by Phil Steele as a junior and senior
WR	4	Dominique Heath	5-9	166	As a graduate transfer, made 23 catches for 304 yards and five TDs (second on the team)

CAREER HIGHS

GEORGE BLACKSTOCK

Tackles 6 (at UNC – 19)
Tackles for loss 0.5 (ETSU – 19)
Sacks 0.5 (ETSU – 19)

KESEAN BROWN

Tackles 3 (ETSU – 19)

TREY COBB

Tackles 6 (at UNC – 19, Charlotte – 19)
Tackles for loss 1.0 (ETSU – 19)
Sacks 0.5 (at UNC – 19)

NOEL COOK

Tackles 13 (Louisiana – 18)
Tackles for loss 2.5 (Charlotte – 19)
Sacks 1.0 (Louisiana – 18)
Interceptions 1 (UL/SBC – 18)

AKEEM DAVIS-GAITHER

Tackles 15 (Louisiana – 18)
Tackles for loss 2.0 (Three times, twice in 2018)
Sacks 1.0 (Three times, twice in 2018)
Pass breakups 2 (ETSU – 19)
Interceptions 1 (at UNC – 19)

TOMMY DAWKINS

Tackles 4 (Charlotte – 19)
Tackles for loss 1.5 (ETSU – 19)
Sacks 1.0 (ETSU – 19)

ELIJAH DIARRASSOUBA

Tackles 3 (Louisiana – 18)
Tackles for loss 1.0 (ETSU & Charlotte – 19)
Sacks 1.0 (Troy – 18)

LOGAN DOUBLIN

Tackles 8 (at Georgia Southern – 18)

WILLIE EDWARDS (ILLINOIS STATE 2015-18)

Tackles 11 (at North Dakota State – 18)
Interceptions 1 (Two times)

DARRYNTON EVANS

Rushes 27 (at Coastal Carolina – 18)
Rushing yards 234 (Charlotte – 19)
Rushing TDs 3 (Charlotte & at UNC – 19)
Long rush 87 (Charlotte – 19)
Receptions 2 (Five times)
Receiving yards 28 (at Texas State – 18)
Receiving TDs 1 (Louisiana – 18)
All-purpose yards 298 (Charlotte – 19)

JORDAN FEHR

Tackles 16 (at North Carolina – 19)
Tackles for loss 3.5 (at Coastal Carolina – 18)
Sacks 3.0 (at Coastal Carolina – 18)
Interceptions 1 (at Georgia – 17)

DESMOND FRANKLIN

Tackles 9 (at ULM – 17)
Interceptions 2 (Georgia State – 18)

NICK HAMPTON

Tackles 3 (ETSU & Charlotte – 19)
Tackles for loss 1.5 (Charlotte – 19)
Sacks 1.5 (Charlotte – 19)

BRENDAN HARRINGTON

Tackles 2 (Charlotte – 19)

DAETRICH HARRINGTON

Rushes 17 (Louisiana – 17)
Rushing yards 118 (Louisiana – 17)
Rushing TDs 1 (Two times – 17)
Long rush 35 (Two times – 17)

THOMAS HENNIGAN

Receptions 7 (ETSU – 19)
Receiving yards 99 (Louisiana – 17)
TD receptions 4 (Louisiana – 17)
Long reception 51 (Georgia Southern – 17)
Interceptions 1 (Troy – 18)
All-purpose yards 111 (Wake Forest – 17)

CLAYTON HOWELL

Punts 8 (at Arkansas State – 18)
Long punt 62 (at Arkansas State – 18)
Inside the 20 2 (at Penn State – 18, UL/SBC – 18)

JACOB HUESMAN

Pass completions 9 (at Coastal Carolina – 18)
Pass attempts 19 (at Coastal Carolina – 18)
Passing yards 127 (at Coastal Carolina – 18)
Long pass 33 (at Coastal Carolina – 18)
Passing TDs 1 (Three times)

RYAN HUFF

Tackles 4 (Charlotte – 18)
Tackles for loss 1.5 (Charlotte – 18)
Sacks 0.5 (Charlotte – 18)

D'MARCO JACKSON

Tackles 6 (ETSU – 19)
Tackles for loss 1.0 (Middle Tennessee – 18)

SHEMAR JEAN-CHARLES

Tackles 4 (ETSU – 19)
Pass breakups 2 (Wake Forest – 17, Gardner-Webb – 18)
Forced fumbles 1 (ETSU – 19)

SHAUN JOLLY

Tackles 6 (ETSU & at UNC – 19)
Tackles for loss 1.0 (ETSU & at UNC – 19)
Interceptions 1 (Charlotte – 19)

HENRY PEARSON

Receptions 3 (at Charlotte – 18, Georgia State – 18)
Receiving yards 50 (at Charlotte – 18)
TD receptions 1 (Georgia St – 18, Middle Tenn – 18)
Longest reception 26 (Louisiana – 18)

MIKE PRICE

Tackles 3 (at UNC – 19)

COLLIN REED

Receptions 4 (at ULL – 16)
Receiving yards 106 (Savannah State – 17)
TD receptions 2 (Savannah State – 17)
Long reception 68 (Savannah State – 17)

NICHOLAS ROSS

Tackles 3 (at UNC – 19)
Pass breakups 1 (at UNC – 19)

E.J. SCOTT

Tackles 3 (South Alabama – 18)
Tackles for loss 2.0 (ETSU – 19)

KAIDEN SMITH

Tackles 6 (at UNC – 19)
Tackles for loss 1.0 (Gardner-Webb – 18)
Interceptions 1 (Gardner-Webb – 18)

CALEB SPURLIN

Tackles 4 (at Arkansas State – 18)
Tackles for loss 1.5 (Savannah State – 17)
Sacks 1.0 (Louisiana – 18, Savannah State – 17)

CHANDLER STATON

Field Goals 3 (UL/SBC – 18)
Long 53 (Georgia Southern – 17)
PATs 6/6 (Three times)

XAVIER SUBOTSCH

Punts 8 (Two times)
Long punt 58 (at Texas State – 17, at UNC – 19)
Inside the 20 4 (Wake Forest – 17)

COREY SUTTON

Receptions 8 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
Receiving yards 155 (at Charlotte – 18)
TD receptions 2 (Three times – 18)
Long reception 90 (at Charlotte – 18)

DEMETRIUS TAYLOR

Tackles 4 (at UNC – 19)
Tackles for loss 2.5 (Charlotte & at UNC – 19)
Sacks 2.5 (at UNC – 19)
Forced Fumbles 2 (at UNC – 19)
Fumble Recoveries 1 (at UNC – 19)
Interceptions 1 (at UNC – 19)

JOSH THOMAS

Tackles 8 (Middle Tennessee – 18, Charlotte – 19)
Interceptions 1 (Six times)

ZAC THOMAS

Pass completions 25 (at PSU – 18, at Texas St. – 18)
Pass attempts 38 (at Penn State – 18)
Passing yards 295 (at Charlotte – 18)
Passing TDs 3 (Four times – 18)
Long pass 90 (at Charlotte – 18)
Rushes 15 (at Penn State – 18)
Rushing yards 77 (South Alabama – 18)
Rushing TDs 2 (South Alabama – 18, UL/SBC – 18)
Long rush 62 (at Arkansas State – 18)
Receptions 1 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
Receiving yards 8 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
TD receptions 1 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
Total offense 324 (at Charlotte – 18)

JALEN VIRGIL

Receptions 5 (Coastal – 17, at Texas State – 18)
Receiving yards 186 (Coastal – 17)
TD receptions 2 (Coastal – 17, Charlotte – 19)
Long reception 83 (Coastal – 17)
Rushes 2 (at UMass – 19, ETSU – 19)
Rushing yards 13 (ETSU – 19)
Rushing TDs 1 (ETSU – 19)
Long rush 15 (ETSU – 19)

KEISHAWN WATSON (WESTERN MICH. 2015-18)

Receptions 6 (Three times – 17)
Receiving yards 93 (Ball State – 17)
TD receptions 2 (Two times)
Long reception 52 (Ball State – 17)
Pass completions 1 (Two times)
Pass attempts 1 (Two times)
Passing TDs 1 (Two times)
Long pass 27 (at USC – 17)

MALIK WILLIAMS

Receptions 6 (Charlotte & at UNC – 19)
Receiving yards 78 (at UNC – 19)
TD receptions 2 (at Penn State – 18)
Long reception 43 (at UNC – 19)
Pass completions 2 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
Pass attempts 2 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
Passing yards 38 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
Passing TDs 2 (Middle Tennessee – 18)
Long pass 30 (Middle Tennessee – 18)

MARCUS WILLIAMS JR.

Rushes 28 (Georgia Southern – 17)
Rushing yards 130 (Georgia Southern – 17)
Rushing TDs 2 (Coastal – 17)
Long rush 34 (Coastal – 17)
Receptions 1 (Three times)
Receiving yards 34 (UL/SBC – 18)
Receiving TDs 1 (South Alabama – 18)
Long reception 34 (UL/SBC – 18)

GAME 1						FINAL
ETSU	0	0	7	0	—	7
APP STATE	7	7	14	14	—	42

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GAME NOTES

Appalachian State increased its home winning streak to 11 games, a total that ranks fourth among the nation's Group of Five programs. The total ranks in the top 10 for all FBS programs, and Clemson is the FBS leader at 26.

The Mountaineers' seven-game winning streak is tied for the nation's third-longest with Ohio State, behind Clemson (16) and Army (10).

App State won its first home game of a season for the sixth straight year, and App State is 13-0 in its last 13 season openers played at home dating back to 1974.

App State scored touchdowns on all six of its trips inside the red zone.

App State had 11 true freshmen make their college debuts: Christian Wells, Dashaun Davis, Raykwon Anderson, Ben Williams, Nicholas Ross, KeSean Brown, Brendan Harrington, Jourdan Heilig, Christian Johnstone, Lyle Hiers and Craig McFarland. Johnstone was the starting long snapper, Harrington and Ross covered the game-opening kickoff and Wells had a fourth-quarter touchdown catch.

App State has held its opponents to less than 20 points in each of its last nine home games. That run includes the last two home games of 2017, all six home games in 2018 and the 2019 opener.

Senior defensive tackle E.J. Scott, junior cornerback Shemar Jean-Charles, junior defensive end Demetrius Taylor, sophomore cornerback Shaun Jolly and sophomore inside linebacker Trey Cobb made their first career starts for App State's defense.

Redshirt freshman offensive lineman Cooper Hodges started as App State's right tackle in his first career game appearance.

TEAM TOTALS	ETSU	APP
FIRST DOWNS		
Total	17	25
Rushing	8	13
Passing	7	11
Penalty	2	1
RUSHING		
Total (Net)	131	277
Attempts	37	41
Avg. Per Rush	3.5	6.8
Rushing TDs	0	3
Yds. Gained	157	283
Yds. Lost	26	6
PASSING		
Total (Net)	161	167
Comp.-Att.-Int.	17-27-0	17-25-0
Avg. / Att.	6.0	6.7
Avg. / Comp.	9.5	9.8
TDs	1	3
TOTAL OFFENSE		
Yards	292	444
Plays	64	66
Avg. / Play	4.6	6.7
Fumbles - Lost	3-1	0-0
Penalties - Yds.	7-60	5-58
PUNTING		
Punts - Yds.	6-263	3-133
Avg. / Punt	43.8	44.3
Inside 20	2	2
50+ Yds.	2	1
Touchbacks	1	0
Fair Catch	1	2
KICKOFFS		
Total - Yds.	2-130	7-433
Avg. Yds. / Kickoff	65.0	61.9
Touchbacks	2	3
RETURNS		
Punt: Total - Yds. - TDs	1-0-0	3-48-0
Punt: Avg. / Return	0.0	16.0
Kickoff: Total - Yds. - TDs	4-80-0	0-0-0
Kickoff: Avg. / Return	20.0	0
INT: Total - Yds. - TDs	0-0-0	0-0-0
Fumble: Total - Yds. - TDs	0-0-0	1-8-0
MISCELLANEOUS		
Misc. Yards	0	0
Poss. Time	33:38	26:22
3rd. Down Conv.	6 of 15	6 of 10
4th. Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone: Scores - Chances	1-1	6-6
Sacks: Total - Yds.	0-0	2-6
PAT: Total - Made	1-1	6-6
Field Goals: Total - Made	0-0	0-0

App State Opens Year With Win In Drinkwitz's Debut

BOONE, N.C. — Junior quarterback Zac Thomas accounted for three touchdowns, including two through the air to Malik Williams and Thomas Hennigan, as Appalachian State won 42-7 against visiting East Tennessee State in the FBS head coaching debut for Eliah Drinkwitz.

On the day App State celebrated the 30th anniversary of Hall of Fame coach Jerry Moore's arrival in Boone, Drinkwitz picked up his first victory in his first game since being hired in December 2018.

Starting a season at home in Boone for the first time since 2015, the Mountaineers increased their lead to 21-0 on the opening drive of the third quarter against the FCS-level Buccaneers.

"When you win, it's a lot of fun," said Drinkwitz, who is also App State's offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach. "There were a couple times I was sitting back there talking, and I forgot that I needed to be watching the defense. It was different. I had a couple of times that I needed to lock in and flip over to defense to make sure I was on top of that. When I was a seventh-grade coach, I coached both offense and defense, so I never had to switch over the headsets, but this was a little bit different."

Darrynton Evans and receiver Jalen Virgil joined Thomas in rushing for one touchdown apiece, and Jacob Huesman threw a fourth-quarter touchdown pass to true freshman Christian Wells.

Hennigan made a career-high seven catches for 79 yards to lead the offense, and Evans rushed 14 times for 99 yards as the Mountaineers totaled 277 yards on the ground. Thomas completed 16 of his 24 passes for 150 yards.

Defensively, the Mountaineers allowed just a third-quarter touchdown and 292 total yards. Desmond Franklin tied Akeem Davis-Gaither for the team lead with seven tackles apiece, Shaun Jolly had six tackles in his first career start at cornerback and defensive tackle E.J. Scott produced two big stops behind the line of scrimmage.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	Conv.	Plays	Time	Score
APP	1st	2:58	Thomas, Zac 1 yd run	Staton kick	13-84	4:59	7-0
APP	2nd	6:06	Williams 6 yd pass from Thomas	Staton kick	7-48	2:27	14-0
APP	3rd	11:35	Evans, D. 13 yd run	Staton kick	11-75	3:25	21-0
ETSU	3rd	4:35	Adkins 5 yd pass from Mitchell	Keltner kick	12-86	6:56	21-7
APP	3rd	0:51	Hennigan 31 yd pass from Thomas	Staton kick	8-75	3:44	28-7
APP	4th	9:34	Virgil 15 yd run	Staton kick	10-67	4:40	35-7
APP	4th	5:52	Wells 17 yd pass from Huesman	Staton kick	4-40	2:13	42-7

STAT LEADERS

TSU			
Rushing	Att.	Yds	TD
Holmes	19	68	0
Lewis	6	30	0
Twitty	2	21	0
Thrasher	3	12	0
Spagnoletti	1	8	0
Mitchell	2	0	0
Saylors	3	0	0
McGue	1	-8	0
Totals	37	131	0
Passing	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD
Thrasher	4-6-0	29	0
Mitchell	12-19-0	117	1
Lewis	1-2-0	15	0
Totals	17-27-0	161	1
Receiving	No.	Yds	TD
Richburg	4	77	0
Coffee	5	24	0
Adkins	3	21	1
McGue	1	15	0
Spagnoletti	1	13	0
Couch	1	11	0
Holmes	2	0	0
Totals	17	161	1

APPALACHIAN STATE			
Rushing	Att.	Yds	TD
D. Evans	14	99	1
D. Harrington	6	48	0
Williams Jr.	7	41	0
Z. Thomas	5	32	1
Peoples	3	23	0
Clark	3	14	0
Virgil	2	15	1
Montgomery	1	7	0
Totals	41	277	3
Passing	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD
Z. Thomas	16-24-0	150	2
Huesman	1-1-0	17	1
Totals	17-25-0	167	3
Receiving	No.	Yds	TD
Hennigan	7	79	1
Watson	2	22	0
D. Evans	2	21	0
Wells	1	17	1
Pearson	2	12	0
Virgil	2	10	0
Mal. Williams	1	6	1
Totals	17	167	3

GAME 2					FINAL
Charlotte	6	7	15	13	— 41
APP STATE	14	14	14	14	— 56

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GAME NOTES		TEAM TOTALS	CHARLOTTE	APP
The 56-41 win against Charlotte tied for the fifth-most total points in an App State game, topped only by a 115-0 win against Piedmont in 1936, a 59-56 loss to Chattanooga in 2004 (115 points), a 79-35 win against Western Carolina in 2007 (114 points) and a 55-48 loss to Liberty in 2014 (103 total points). There were also a combined 97 points in a 52-45 loss at ULM in 2017.		FIRST DOWNS		
		Total	24	16
		Rushing	7	9
		Passing	12	5
		Penalty	5	2
		RUSHING		
		Total (Net)	230	276
		Attempts	40	39
		Avg. Per Rush	5.8	7.1
		Rushing TDs	2	3
		Yds. Gained	284	309
		Yds. Lost	54	33
		PASSING		
		Total (Net)	296	182
		Comp.-Att.-Int.	20-31-1	14-20-0
		Avg. / Att.	9.5	9.1
		Avg. / Comp.	14.8	13.0
		TDs	4	3
		TOTAL OFFENSE		
		Yards	526	458
		Plays	71	59
		Avg. / Play	7.4	7.8
		Fumbles - Lost	1-1	0-0
		Penalties - Yds.	11-80	13-148
		PUNTING		
		Punts - Yds.	5-212	5-215
		Avg. / Punt	42.4	43.0
		Inside 20	1	1
		50+ Yds.	2	0
		Touchbacks	1	0
		Fair Catch	1	2
		KICKOFFS		
		Total - Yds.	7-265	9-552
		Avg. Yds. / Kickoff	37.9	61.3
		Touchbacks	3	3
		RETURNS		
		Punt: Total - Yds. - TDs	2--14-0	2-40-1
		Punt: Avg. / Return	-7.0	20.0
		Kickoff: Total - Yds. - TDs	5-89-0	3-109-1
		Kickoff: Avg. / Return	17.8	36.3
		INT: Total - Yds. - TDs	0-0-0	1-0-0
		Fumble: Total - Yds. - TDs	0-0-0	0-0-0
		MISCELLANEOUS		
		Misc. Yards	0	0
		Poss. Time	33:54	26:06
		3rd. Down Conv.	4 of 12	6 of 13
		4th. Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
		Red-Zone: Scores - Chances	3-4	3-4
		Sacks: Total - Yds.	3-21	4-26
		PAT: Total - Made	3-4	8-8
		Field Goals: Total - Made	0-0	0-1
		App State had held nine straight home opponents to less than 20 points.		

Evans Provides Repeated Answers In Win Vs. 49ers

BOONE, N.C. — Appalachian State ended the first half even more impressively than the Mountaineers began it, resulting in some helpful separation during a 56-41 victory against Charlotte.

They needed every bit of it, with Darrynton Evans answering each big second-half play from the 49ers.

“Any win is a good win,” coach Eliah Drinkwitz said. “I’m really proud of some guys stepping up and making some individual great plays.”

In a White Out game that drew 29,182 fans to The Rock, Evans rushed for a career-high 234 yards and totaled four touchdowns, including an 87-yard run on the first play from scrimmage and a 68-yard touchdown run after Charlotte had cut its deficit to 42-34 midway through the fourth quarter. The 49ers scored again on a 27-yard touchdown pass with 3:17 remaining, but Evans fielded the onside kick and sprinted 45 yards untouched for his school-record third touchdown via a kickoff return in his career.

Shaun Jolly's first career interception sealed the victory for App State. Evans finished with 298 all-purpose yards and became the first player in this millenium with at least 200 rushing yards, three rushing touchdowns and a kick return for a touchdown in the same game.

In addition to Evans’ heroics, Zac Thomas had three TD passes, including scoring connections of 10 and 73 yards with Jalen Virgil.

Big plays on defense and special teams turned a one-point lead into a 28-13 advantage at the break. Demetrius Taylor’s forced fumble on a sack led to Jordan Fehr’s fumble recovery at the Charlotte 10, and Thomas threw a touchdown pass to Virgil on the next play.

After using three timeouts while the App State defense forced a three-and-out punt, Jolly used his right hand to block the kick. D'Marco Jackson scooped up the loose ball at the Charlotte 16 and raced down the left sideline to score his first career touchdown with 39 seconds left.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	Conv.	Plays	Time	Score
APP	1st	14:43	Evans, D. 87 yd run	Staton kick	1-87	0:17	7-0
UNCC	1st	7:50	LeMay, Benny 3 yd run	Kick failed	6-75	3:12	7-6
APP	1st	2:46	Hennigan 5 yd pass from Thomas	Staton kick	11-49	4:53	14-6
UNCC	2nd	13:16	LeMay, Benny 58 yd run	Cruz kick	3-62	0:56	14-13
APP	2nd	1:14	Virgil 10 yd pass from Thomas	Staton kick	1-10	0:05	21-13
APP	2nd	0:39	Jackson, D. 16 yd punt return	Staton kick			28-13
UNCC	3rd	12:10	Dollar 24 yd pass from Reynolds	Cruz kick	6-75	2:50	28-20
APP	3rd	8:05	Evans, D. 3 yd run	Staton kick	11-75	4:05	35-20
APP	3rd	3:00	Virgil 73 yd pass from Thomas	Staton kick	5-99	2:36	42-20
UNCC	3rd	1:00	LeMay 5 yd pass from Reynolds	Reynolds pass	4-75	2:00	42-28
UNCC	4th	8:20	Tucker 23 yd pass from Reynolds	Pass failed	8-85	4:38	42-34
APP	4th	7:14	Evans, D. 68 yd run	Staton kick	3-75	1:06	49-34
UNCC	4th	3:17	Tucker 27 yd pass from Reynolds	Cruz kick	8-80	3:50	49-41
APP	4th	3:10	Evans, D. 45 yd kickoff return	Staton kick			56-41

STAT LEADERS

CHARLOTTE				APPALACHIAN STATE			
Rushing	Att.	Yds	TD	Rushing	Att.	Yds	TD
LeMay	14	118	2	D. Evans	19	241	3
Finger	5	75	0	Harrington	5	26	0
Reynolds	15	35	0	Williams Jr.	3	16	0
McAllister	4	9	0	Thomas	10	4	0
Team	1	-2	0	Team	2	-4	0
Dollar	1	-5	0	Totals	39	276	3
Totals	40	230	2				
Passing	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Passing	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD
Reynolds	20-31-1	296	4	Z. Thomas	14-20-0	182	3
Totals	20-31-1	296	4	Totals	14-20-0	182	3
Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Receiving	No.	Yds	TD
Elder	7	119	0	Mal. Williams	6	73	0
Tucker	6	90	2	Virgil	3	86	2
Dollar	4	53	1	Hennigan	3	17	1
LeMay	3	34	1	Watson	1	6	0
Totals	20	296	4	D. Evans	1	0	0
				Totals	14	182	3

GAME 3					FINAL	
APP STATE	13	14	7	0	—	34
North Carolina	7	10	7	7	—	31

Sept. 21 - Kenan Stadium - Chapel Hill, N.C. - 50,500



GAME NOTES

App State recorded its eighth victory against an ACC program and their first since beating Wake Forest 20-16 in 2000.

App State's nine-game winning streak is the nation's third-longest active streak behind Clemson (19) and Ohio State (10).

With its 44th win since the 2015 season, App State is tied with Boise State for most wins among Group of Five teams during that span.

App State won its 14th straight game with Zac Thomas as its primary quarterback.

App State head coach Eliah Drinkwitz was part of a win against North Carolina for the fourth straight year. NC State went 3-0 overall and 2-0 in Chapel Hill with Drinkwitz as the Wolfpack's offensive coordinator from 2016-18.

Zac Thomas had a 50-yard run, giving him three runs of at least 50 yards in 19 career games and seven runs of at least 20 yards.

Demetrius Taylor's 20-yard fumble return for a touchdown was App State's first fumble "return" for a TD since Austin Exford fell on an end-zone fumble at Charlotte in 2018. The last distance-covering fumble return for a touchdown by a defensive player was Devan Stringer's 77-yard return against Old Dominion in 2015.

Senior outside linebacker Akeem Davis-Gaither recorded his first career interception.

Young cornerbacks Steven Jones, Mike Price and Milan Tucker (true freshman), as well as reserve safeties Ryan Huff, Kaiden Smith and Nicholas Ross (true freshman), played key roles on App State's defense to help maintain a fourth-quarter lead.

TEAM TOTALS	APP	UNC
FIRST DOWNS		
Total	16	29
Rushing	7	10
Passing	8	17
Penalty	1	2
RUSHING		
Total (Net)	161	146
Attempts	35	40
Avg. Per Rush	4.6	3.7
Rushing TDs	3	1
Yds. Gained	183	171
Yds. Lost	22	25
PASSING		
Total (Net)	224	323
Comp.-Att.-Int.	20-29-1	27-42-2
Avg. / Att.	7.7	7.7
Avg. / Comp.	11.2	12.0
TDs	0	3
TOTAL OFFENSE		
Yards	385	469
Plays	64	82
Avg. / Play	6.0	5.7
Fumbles - Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties - Yds.	6-50	5-40
PUNTING		
Punts - Yds.	5-248	4-171
Avg. / Punt	49.6	42.8
Inside 20	1	1
50+ Yds.	3	1
Touchbacks	2	1
Fair Catch	0	2
KICKOFFS		
Total - Yds.	7-375	6-318
Avg. Yds. / Kickoff	53.6	53.0
Touchbacks	1	2
RETURNS		
Punt: Total - Yds. - TDs	0-0-0	1-5-0
Punt: Avg. / Return	0	5.0
Kickoff: Total - Yds. - TDs	1-19-0	5-129-0
Kickoff: Avg. / Return	19.0	25.8
INT: Total - Yds. - TDs	2-19-0	1-2-0
Fumble: Total - Yds. - TDs	1-20-1	0-0-0
MISCELLANEOUS		
Misc. Yards	0	0
Poss. Time	29:29	30:31
3rd. Down Conv.	7 of 15	7 of 16
4th. Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2
Red-Zone: Scores - Chances	4-4	4-4
Sacks: Total - Yds.	3-21	2-13
PAT: Total - Made	4-4	4-4
Field Goals: Total - Made	2-2	1-2

Mountaineers Claim Historic Victory in Chapel Hill

CHAPEL HILL, N.C. — What a time for a Black and Gold breakthrough. The kick is blocked — again.

National defensive player of the week Demetrius Taylor forced two turnovers to help Appalachian State build a first-half lead on the road, and Darrynton Evans rushed for three TDs as the Mountaineers won 34-31 against in-state ACC program North Carolina.

The Tar Heels reached App State's 39-yard line with five seconds left, and Akeem Davis-Gaither pushed through a gap in the line to tip a 56-yard attempt at a field goal as time expired.

The second-ever football meeting between the two schools and first since 1940 drew a spirited, sold-out crowd to Kenan Stadium, and the Mountaineers posted their first win against a Power Five conference team since the historic upset of Michigan in 2007.

Taylor led App State's defense by recording 2.5 sacks, forcing two fumbles, turning a post-sack recovery into a 20-yard fumble return for a touchdown and setting up another touchdown with an interception.

Jordan Fehr set a career high with 16 tackles, and six reserve defensive backs performed well under pressure throughout the fourth quarter on an extremely hot afternoon in Chapel Hill.

Evans' three rushing touchdowns contributed to his 78 yards on the ground, and Zac Thomas accounted for 281 yards of total offense.

UNC (2-2) scored with one second left in the first half and again in the third quarter to turn a 27-10 deficit into a 27-24 nailbiter, but the Mountaineers responded immediately to the Tar Heels' long TD march with a 75-yard touchdown drive that included Thomas' 31-yard pass to Thomas Hennigan and a 43-yard connection with Malik Williams.

UNC pulled within 34-31 on a short TD run with 3:01 remaining and got one last possession starting from its 20 with 30 seconds left. A 24-yard completion into App State territory set up a long-shot kick try.

SCORING SUMMARY

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	Conv.	Plays	Time	Score
UNC	1st	14:43	Newsome 21 yd pass from Howell	Ruggles kick	1-21	0:17	0-7
APP	1st	11:06	Staton 31 yd field goal		8-51	3:37	3-7
APP	1st	4:42	Staton 43 yd field goal		10-54	4:40	6-7
APP	1st	3:39	Taylor 20 yd fumble recovery	Staton kick			13-7
APP	2nd	12:29	Evans 5 yd run	Staton kick	4-26	1:10	20-7
UNC	2nd	6:57	Ruggles 25 yd field goal		15-61	5:27	20-10
APP	2nd	2:56	Evans 2 yd run	Staton kick	10-79	3:56	27-10
UNC	2nd	0:01	Carter 11 yd pass from Howell	Ruggles kick	9-75	2:55	27-17
UNC	3rd	4:18	Tucker 12 yd pass from Howell	Ruggles kick	15-98	5:45	27-24
APP	3rd	2:11	Evans,D. 3 yd run	Staton kick	5-75	2:07	34-24
UNC	4th	3:01	Howell, S 2 yd run	Ruggles kick	8-80	2:31	34-31

STAT LEADERS

APP STATE					NORTH CAROLINA				
Rushing	Att.	Yds	TD		Rushing	Att.	Yds	TD	
D. Evans	19	78	3		J. Williams	16	94	0	
Thomas	6	57	0		Howell	11	24	1	
Harrington	6	15	0		Carter	8	17	0	
Williams Jr.	4	11	0		A. Williams	3	5	0	
Totals	35	161	3		Groves	1	5	0	
					Ruder	1	1	0	
Totals	20-29-1	224	0		Totals	40	146	1	
Passing	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD		Passing	Cmp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	
Thomas	20-29-1	224	0		Howell	27-41-2	323	3	
Totals	20-29-1	224	0		Team	0-1-0	0	0	
					Totals	27-42-2	323	3	
Receiving	No.	Yds	TD		Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	
Sutton	7	58	0		Newsome	6	88	1	
Hennigan	6	90	0		Corrales	6	84	0	
Mal. Williams	6	78	0		Brown	4	51	0	
Virgil	1	-2	0		Groves	4	37	0	
Totals	20	224	0		Tucker	3	34	1	
					J. Williams	2	11	0	
					Carter	1	11	1	
					A. Williams	1	7	0	
					Totals	27	323	3	

NCAA Statistics

Appalachian St. - 2019-20 Football Ranking Summary thru games 09/21/2019

Statistic	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
3rd Down Conversion Pct (130 ranked)	18	2	0.500	Baylor	0.618	Troy	0.545
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense (130 ranked)	79	4	0.395	Wisconsin	0.105	Louisiana	0.275
4th Down Conversion Pct (122 ranked)	1	1	1.000	14 teams tied	1.000	Coastal Carolina Appalachian St.	1.000 1.000
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense (125 ranked)	100	10	0.667	9 teams tied	0.000	La.-Monroe	0.000
Blocked Kicks (13 ranked)	4	1	2	Penn St. Ohio St. Northern Ill.	3 3 3	Appalachian St.	2
Blocked Kicks Allowed (130 ranked)	1	1	0	96 teams tied	0	9 teams tied	0
Blocked Punts (5 ranked)	5	1	1	Penn St.	3	Appalachian St.	1
Blocked Punts Allowed (113 ranked)	1	1	0	112 teams tied	0	10 teams tied	0
Completion Percentage (130 ranked)	25	1	0.689	Oklahoma	0.779	Appalachian St.	0.689
Defensive TDs (2 ranked)				Missouri	4	Ga. Southern	2
Fewest Penalties (130 ranked)	65	6	24	Rice	7	Troy	17
Fewest Penalties Per Game (130 ranked)	110	9	8.00	Rice	1.75	Coastal Carolina	4.50
Fewest Penalty Yards (130 ranked)	107	9	256	Rice	42	Ga. Southern	151
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game (130 ranked)	128	10	85.33	Rice	10.50	Coastal Carolina	39.00
First Downs Defense (130 ranked)	57	4	70	Navy	24	Troy	50
First Downs Offense (130 ranked)	116	9	57	Ohio St.	115	Louisiana	112
Fumbles Lost (130 ranked)	1	1	0	7 teams tied	0	Appalachian St.	0
Fumbles Recovered (96 ranked)	31	4	3	4 teams tied	7	South Alabama Louisiana Texas St.	4 4 4
Kickoff Return Defense (130 ranked)	71	3	21.29	Penn St. Tennessee	0.00 0.00	Ga. Southern	5.50
Kickoff Returns (128 ranked)	9	1	32.00	New Mexico St.	49.00	Appalachian St.	32.00
Net Punting (130 ranked)	19	1	43.46	Kentucky	47.93	Appalachian St.	43.46
Passes Had Intercepted (130 ranked)	15	2	1	14 teams tied	0	Ga. Southern	0
Passes Intercepted (111 ranked)	46	6	3	Arizona	8	Coastal Carolina South Alabama Texas St.	5 5 5
Passing Offense (130 ranked)	104	8	191.0	Washington St.	499.5	Troy	333.7
Passing Yards Allowed (130 ranked)	99	6	260.0	Memphis	110.0	Coastal Carolina	147.5
Passing Yards per Completion (130 ranked)	101	8	11.24	Army West Point	24.25	Troy	13.17
Punt Return Defense (130 ranked)	1	1	-2.25	FIU Appalachian St.	-2.25 -2.25	Appalachian St.	-2.25
Punt Returns (130 ranked)	16	1	17.60	UCLA	37.33	Appalachian St.	17.60
Red Zone Defense (119 ranked)	101	9	0.889	Wisconsin	0.400	Arkansas St.	0.700
Red Zone Offense (130 ranked)	23	1	0.929	12 teams tied	1.000	Appalachian St.	0.929
Rushing Defense (130 ranked)	82	5	169.0	Wisconsin	27.0	Troy	67.0
Rushing Offense (130 ranked)	25	4	238.0	Navy	371.5	Louisiana	323.8
Sacks Allowed (130 ranked)	54	5	1.67	New Mexico	0.00	Ga. Southern	1.00
Scoring Defense (130 ranked)	73	4	26.3	Wisconsin	4.7	Coastal Carolina	18.0
Scoring Offense (129 ranked)	13	2	44.0	LSU	57.8	Louisiana	46.3
Tackles for Loss Allowed (129 ranked)	54	5	5.33	Duke	2.33	Louisiana	3.25
Team Passing Efficiency (130 ranked)	37	2	158.02	Oklahoma	244.66	Troy	169.17
Team Passing Efficiency Defense (130 ranked)	101	5	149.92	Wisconsin	75.73	Louisiana	108.42
Team Sacks (130 ranked)	20	1	3.00	Virginia Florida	5.00 5.00	Appalachian St.	3.00
Team Tackles for Loss (130 ranked)	16	1	8.0	Illinois	11.5	Appalachian St.	8.0
Time of Possession (130 ranked)	105	8	27:19	Wisconsin	38:31	Coastal Carolina	35:18
Total Defense (130 ranked)	94	6	429.0	Wisconsin	171.3	Coastal Carolina	254.3
Total Offense (130 ranked)	59	5	429.0	Oklahoma	676.7	Louisiana	565.0
Turnover Margin (130 ranked)	6	1	1.67	Boston College	2.25	Appalachian St.	1.67
Turnovers Gained (130 ranked)	42	4	6	4 teams tied	11	Texas St. South Alabama	9 9
Turnovers Lost (130 ranked)	1	1	1	4 teams tied	1	Appalachian St.	1
Winning Percentage (126 ranked)	1	1	1.000	23 teams tied	1.000	Appalachian St.	1.000

Statistic	Player	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
All Purpose (199 ranked)	Darrynton Evans	4	1	171.67	Marvin Kinsey, Jr., Colorado St.	180.25	Darrynton Evans, Appalachian St.	171.67
Blocked Kicks (1 ranked)					Keith Corbin, Houston Jalen McKie, Northern Ill. Jonathan Sutherland, Penn St.	2 2 2		
Combined Kick Returns (199 ranked)	Darrynton Evans Jalen Virgil	110 183	9 18	83 45	Isaiah Rodgers, Massachusetts	504	Jah'Marae Sheread, Texas St.	222
Completion Percentage (124 ranked)	Zac Thomas	29	1	0.685	Joe Burrow, LSU	0.806	Zac Thomas, Appalachian St.	0.685
Completions Per Game (100 ranked)	Zac Thomas	75	7	16.67	Anthony Gordon, Washington St.	34.25	Kaleb Barker, Troy	24.67
Field Goal Percentage (107 ranked)	Chandler Staton	68	4	0.667	25 players tied	1.000	Tyler Bass, Ga. Southern	0.875
Field Goals Per Game (123 ranked)	Chandler Staton	87	6	0.67	Keith Duncan, Iowa Jonathan Song, TCU	2.67 2.67	Tyler Bass, Ga. Southern	2.33
Forced Fumbles (36 ranked)	Demetrius Taylor Shemar Jean-Charles	1 36	1 3	1.00 0.33	Justin Rice, Fresno St. Demetrius Taylor, Appalachian St.	1.00 1.00	Demetrius Taylor, Appalachian St.	1.00
Fumbles Recovered (20 ranked)	Kaleb Dawson Jordan Fehr Demetrius Taylor	20 20 20	2 2 2	1 1 1	Nu'umotu Falo, Colorado Jake Hansen, Illinois Rashad Smith, Fla. Atlantic	3 3 3	Devin Rockette, South Alabama	2
Interceptions Per Game (139 ranked)	Akeem Davis-Gaither Shaun Jolly Demetrius Taylor	52 52 52	6 6 6	0.3 0.3 0.3	Bobby Brown, II, San Jose St. Jace Whittaker, Arizona	1.0 1.0	Chandler Kryst, Coastal Carolina	0.8
Kickoff Return TDs (2 ranked)	Darrynton Evans	2	1	1	Jaylond Adams, Southern Miss.	2	Darrynton Evans, Appalachian St. Reggie Todd, Troy	1 1
Kickoff Returns (68 ranked)					Malik Knowles, Kansas St. Joe Reed, Virginia	37.8 37.8	Ja'Marcus Bradley, Louisiana	22.8
Passes Defended (45 ranked)					Kaleb Ford-Dement, Old Dominion Greg Newsome II, Northwestern	2.3 2.3	Kenderick Duncan Jr., Ga. Southern Corey Straughter, La.-Monroe	1.3 1.3
Passing Efficiency (124 ranked)	Zac Thomas	43	2	152.3	Jalen Hurts, Oklahoma	250.2	Kaleb Barker, Troy	170.4
Passing TDs (91 ranked)	Zac Thomas	69	5	5	Anthony Gordon, Washington St.	21	Dan Ellington, Georgia St.	11
Passing Yards (130 ranked)	Zac Thomas	102	8	556	Anthony Gordon, Washington St.	1,894	Logan Bonner, Arkansas St.	1,052
Passing Yards Per Game (130 ranked)	Zac Thomas	90	7	185.3	Anthony Gordon, Washington St.	473.5	Kaleb Barker, Troy	333.3
Passing Yards per Completion (124 ranked)	Zac Thomas	94	6	11.12	Jalen Hurts, Oklahoma	17.96	Kaleb Barker, Troy	13.51
Points Responsible For (196 ranked)	Darrynton Evans Zac Thomas	51 92	5 8	48 36	Anthony Gordon, Washington St.	126	Dan Ellington, Georgia St.	72
Points Responsible For Per Game (191 ranked)	Darrynton Evans Zac Thomas Chandler Staton	30 64 159	4 7 13	16.0 12.0 8.0	Anthony Gordon, Washington St.	31.5	Kaleb Barker, Troy	20.0
Punt Return TDs (1 ranked)	D'Marco Jackson	1	1	1	21 players tied	1	D'Marco Jackson, Appalachian St.	1
Punt Returns (74 ranked)					Jevon Holland, Oregon	24.5	B.J. Edmonds, Arkansas St.	13.6
Punting (83 ranked)	Xavier Subotsch	19	2	45.8	Michael Turk, Arizona St.	50.4	Brandon Wright, Georgia St.	46.1
Receiving TDs (82 ranked)	Thomas Hennigan Jalen Virgil	82 82	7 7	2 2	Easop Winston, Jr., Washington St.	8	Omar Bayless, Arkansas St.	6
Receiving Yards (198 ranked)	Thomas Hennigan	159	11	186	Antonio Gandy-Golden, Liberty	544	Omar Bayless, Arkansas St.	476
Receiving Yards Per Game (200 ranked)	Thomas Hennigan Malik Williams	100 161	6 9	62.0 52.3	Antonio Gandy-Golden, Liberty	136.0	Omar Bayless, Arkansas St.	119.0
Receptions Per Game (199 ranked)	Thomas Hennigan Malik Williams	51 113	5 11	5.3 4.3	Devin Duvernay, Texas	9.8	Hutch White, Texas St.	6.8
Rush Yards Per Carry (175 ranked)	Darrynton Evans	9	2	7.90	Trey Ragas, Louisiana	10.43	Trey Ragas, Louisiana	10.43
Rushing TDs (55 ranked)	Darrynton Evans	3	1	7	Chuba Hubbard, Oklahoma St.	9	Darrynton Evans, Appalachian St. Elijah Mitchell, Louisiana	7 7
Rushing Yards (200 ranked)	Darrynton Evans	12	2	411	Chuba Hubbard, Oklahoma St.	642	Trey Ragas, Louisiana	417
Rushing Yards Per Game (199 ranked)	Darrynton Evans	6	1	137.0	Chuba Hubbard, Oklahoma St.	160.5	Darrynton Evans, Appalachian St.	137.0
Sacks (115 ranked)	Demetrius Taylor Nick Hampton	8 69	1 4	1.17 0.67	Oluwole Betiku Jr., Illinois Chase Young, Ohio St.	1.75 1.75	Demetrius Taylor, Appalachian St.	1.17
Scoring (146 ranked)	Darrynton Evans Chandler Staton Jalen Virgil	2 67 146	1 7 15	16.0 8.0 6.0	Jonathan Taylor, Wisconsin	20.0	Darrynton Evans, Appalachian St.	16.0
Solo Tackles (56 ranked)					Evan Weaver, California	10.0	Carlton Martial, Troy	6.3
Tackles For Loss (65 ranked)	Demetrius Taylor	4	2	2.0	Garret Wallow, TCU	3.0	Carlton Martial, Troy	2.2
Total Interceptions (51 ranked)	Akeem Davis-Gaither Shaun Jolly Demetrius Taylor	51 51 51	6 6 6	1 1 1	6 players tied	3	Chandler Kryst, Coastal Carolina	3
Total Offense (200 ranked)	Zac Thomas Darrynton Evans	86 125	5 9	216.3 137.0	Anthony Gordon, Washington St.	483.5	Kaleb Barker, Troy	342.3
Total Points Scored (112 ranked)	Darrynton Evans Chandler Staton	5 112	1 11	48 24	Jonathan Taylor, Wisconsin	60	Darrynton Evans, Appalachian St.	48
Total Tackles (478 ranked)	Jordan Fehr Akeem Davis-Gaither Noel Cook Shaun Jolly Trey Cobb Josh Thomas George Blackstock	33 81 252 362 362 425 425	5 7 22 30 30 42 42	9.3 8.0 6.0 5.3 5.3 5.0 5.0	Evan Weaver, California	15.8	Bryan London II, Texas St.	11.8
Total Touchdowns (105 ranked)	Darrynton Evans Jalen Virgil	4 105	1 10	8 3	Jonathan Taylor, Wisconsin	10	Darrynton Evans, Appalachian St.	8
Yards per Pass Attempt (124 ranked)	Zac Thomas	63	3	7.62	Jalen Hurts, Oklahoma	14.43	Kaleb Barker, Troy	9.17
Yards per Reception (199 ranked)	Jalen Virgil	113	5	15.67	Kendall Parham, UAB	28.00	Kawaan Baker, South Alabama	20.60

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Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conference	Time	Attend
Aug 31, 2019	ETSU	W	42-7	1-0	0-0	3:00	25147
Sep 07, 2019	CHARLOTTE	W	56-41	2-0	0-0	3:50	29182
Sep 21, 2019	at North Carolina	W	34-31	3-0	0-0	3:18	50500

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Appalachian State Overall Team Statistics (as of Sep 25, 2019)
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Team Statistics	APP	OPP
SCORING	132	79
Points Per Game	44.0	26.3
Points Off Turnovers	21	0
FIRST DOWNS	57	70
Rushing	29	25
Passing	24	36
Penalty	4	9
RUSHING YARDAGE	714	507
Yards gained rushing	775	612
Yards lost rushing	61	105
Rushing Attempts	115	117
Average Per Rush	6.2	4.3
Average Per Game	238.0	169.0
TDs Rushing	9	3
PASSING YARDAGE	573	780
Comp-Att-Int	51-74-1	64-100-3
Average Per Pass	7.7	7.8
Average Per Catch	11.2	12.2
Average Per Game	191.0	260.0
TDs Passing	6	8
TOTAL OFFENSE	1287	1287
Total Plays	189	217
Average Per Play	6.8	5.9
Average Per Game	429.0	429.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	4-128	14-298
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-88	4--9
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	3-19	1-2
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	32.0	21.3
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	17.6	-2.2
INT RETURN AVERAGE	6.3	2.0
FUMBLES-LOST	0-0	6-3
PENALTIES-Yards	24-256	23-180
Average Per Game	85.3	60.0
PUNTS-Yards	13-596	15-646
Average Per Punt	45.8	43.1
Net punt average	43.5	33.2
KICKOFFS-Yards	23-1360	15-713
Average Per Kick	59.1	47.5
Net kick average	38.6	27.3
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	27:19	32:41
3RD-DOWN Conversions	19/38	17/43
3rd-Down Pct	50%	40%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	2/2	4/6
4th-Down Pct	100%	67%
SACKS BY-Yards	9-53	5-34
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	18	11
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	2-3	1-2
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(13-14) 93%	(8-9) 89%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(12-14) 86%	(7-9) 78%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(18-18) 100%	(8-9) 89%
ATTENDANCE	54329	50500
Games/Avg Per Game	2/27164	1/50500
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Appalachian State	34	35	35	28	0	132
Opponents	13	17	29	20	0	79

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Rushing	gp-gs	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Evans, D.	3-3	52	426	15	411	7.9	7	87	137.0
Thomas, Zac	3-3	21	129	36	93	4.4	1	50	31.0
Harrington, D.	3-0	17	90	1	89	5.2	0	20	29.7
Williams, Marc.	3-0	14	69	1	68	4.9	0	21	22.7
Peoples, C.	1-0	3	23	0	23	7.7	0	17	23.0
Clark, N.	1-0	3	16	2	14	4.7	0	12	14.0
Virgil, Jalen	3-3	2	15	2	13	6.5	1	15	4.3
Montgomery, G.	1-0	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
TEAM	2-0	2	0	4	-4	-2.0	0	0	-2.0
Total	3	115	775	61	714	6.2	9	87	238.0
Opponents	3	117	612	105	507	4.3	3	68	169.0

Passing	gp-gs	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Thomas, Zac	3-3	152.33	50-73-1	68.5	556	5	73	185.3
Huesman, Jacob	1-0	572.80	1-1-0	100.0	17	1	17	17.0
Total	3	158.02	51-74-1	68.9	573	6	73	191.0
Opponents	3	149.92	64-100-3	64.0	780	8	36	260.0

Receiving	gp-gs	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Hennigan, T.	3-3	16	186	11.6	2	35	62.0
Williams, Malik	3-2	13	157	12.1	1	43	52.3
Sutton, C	1-0	7	58	8.3	0	14	58.0
Virgil, Jalen	3-3	6	94	15.7	2	73	31.3
Watson, K.	3-0	3	28	9.3	0	15	9.3
Evans, D.	3-3	3	21	7.0	0	24	7.0
Pearson, Henry	3-1	2	12	6.0	0	11	4.0
Wells, C.	1-0	1	17	17.0	1	17	17.0
Total	3	51	573	11.2	6	73	191.0
Opponents	3	64	780	12.2	8	36	260.0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Hennigan, T.	3	29	9.7	0	14
Jolly, Shaun	1	10	10.0	0	0
Williams, Malik	1	33	33.0	0	33
Jackson, D.	0	16	0.0	1	16
Total	5	88	17.6	1	33
Opponents	4	-9	-2.2	0	5

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jolly, Shaun	1	0	0.0	0	0
Davis-Gaither	1	0	0.0	0	0
Taylor, D.	1	19	19.0	0	19
Total	3	19	6.3	0	19
Opponents	1	2	2.0	0	2

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Evans, D.	3	83	27.7	1	45
Virgil, Jalen	1	45	45.0	0	45
Total	4	128	32.0	1	45
Opponents	14	298	21.3	0	75

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Taylor, D.	1	20	20.0	1	20
Dawson, Kaleb	1	8	8.0	0	8
Total	2	28	14.0	1	20
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxd	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Evans, D.	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Staton, C.	-	2-3	18-18	-	-	-	-	-	24
Virgil, Jalen	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Hennigan, T.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Jackson, D.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Thomas, Zac	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Williams, Malik	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Wells, C.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Taylor, D.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	18	2-3	18-18	-	-	-	-	-	132
Opponents	11	1-2	8-9	-	1	1-2	-	-	79

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Thomas, Zac	3	94	93	556	649	216.3
Evans, D.	3	52	411	0	411	137.0
Harrington, D.	3	17	89	0	89	29.7
Williams, Marc.	3	14	68	0	68	22.7
Peoples, C.	1	3	23	0	23	23.0
Huesman, Jacob	1	1	0	17	17	17.0
Clark, N.	1	3	14	0	14	14.0
Virgil, Jalen	3	2	13	0	13	4.3
Montgomery, G.	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
TEAM	2	2	-4	0	-4	-2.0
Total	3	189	714	573	1287	429.0
Opponents	3	217	507	780	1287	429.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Staton, C.	2-3	66.7	0-0	0-0	1-2	1-1	0-0	43	0

FG Sequence	Appalachian State	Opponents
ETSU	-	-
Charlotte	31	-
North Carolina	(31),(43)	(25),56

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Subotsch, X.	13	596	45.8	58	2	4	4	4	0
Total	13	596	45.8	58	2	4	4	4	0
Opponents	15	646	43.1	59	3	4	4	5	1

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Staton, C.	23	1360	59.1	7	1			
Total	23	1360	59.1	7	1	21.3	38.6	26
Opponents	15	713	47.5	7	1	32.0	27.3	37

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Evans, D.	3	411	21	0	83	0	515	171.7
Hennigan, T.	3	0	186	29	0	0	215	71.7
Williams, Malik	3	0	157	33	0	0	190	63.3
Virgil, Jalen	3	13	94	0	45	0	152	50.7
Thomas, Zac	3	93	0	0	0	0	93	31.0
Harrington, D.	3	89	0	0	0	0	89	29.7
Williams, Marc.	3	68	0	0	0	0	68	22.7
Sutton, C	1	0	58	0	0	0	58	58.0
Watson, K.	3	0	28	0	0	0	28	9.3
Peoples, C.	1	23	0	0	0	0	23	23.0
Taylor, D.	3	0	0	0	0	19	19	6.3
Wells, C.	1	0	17	0	0	0	17	17.0
Jackson, D.	3	0	0	16	0	0	16	5.3
Clark, N.	1	14	0	0	0	0	14	14.0
Pearson, Henry	3	0	12	0	0	0	12	4.0
Jolly, Shaun	3	0	0	10	0	0	10	3.3
Montgomery, G.	1	7	0	0	0	0	7	7.0
TEAM	2	-4	0	0	0	0	-4	-2.0
Total	3	714	573	88	128	19	1522	507.3
Opponents	3	507	780	-9	298	2	1578	526.0

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Appalachian State Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Sep 25, 2019)
All games

##	Defensive Leaders	gp-gs	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
59	Fehr, Jordan	3-3	12	17	29	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
24	Davis-Gaither	3-3	11	15	26	2.5-17	1.0-7	1-0	2	2	.	.	1	.
20	Cook, Noel	3-3	9	9	18	2.5-9	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3J	Jolly, Shaun	3-3	13	3	16	2.0-5	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	1	.
45	Cobb, Trey	3-3	8	7	15	1.5-5	0.5-4	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
95	Blackstock, G.	3-0	2	13	15	0.5-1	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Thomas, Josh	3-3	11	4	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	Franklin, D.	3-3	5	9	14	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
48	Taylor, D.	3-2	5	4	9	6.0-32	3.5-23	1-19	1	2	1-20	3	.	.
8	Jean-Charles, S	3-3	4	5	9	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.
52	Jackson, D.	3-0	2	6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Spurlin, Caleb	3-0	3	5	8	0.5-0	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
31	Hampton, Nick	3-0	2	5	7	2.0-12	2.0-12	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
21	Huff, Ryan	3-0	6	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Price, Mike	3-0	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1S	Smith, Kaiden	3-0	4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
57	Diarrassouba, E	3-3	4	2	6	2.0-9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
9D	Dawkins, T.	2-1	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	Brown, KeSean	3-0	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
51	Bird, Tyler	3-0	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2R	Ross, Nicholas	3-0	1	3	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
29	Harrington, B.	3-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1J	Jones, Steven	2-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
43	Paillant, H.	2-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
98	Scott, E.J.	3-3	2	.	2	2.0-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9D	Dawkins, Tommy	1-0	1	1	2	1.5-5	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	Doublin, Logan	3-0	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
10	Frizzell, Tim	3-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3H	Hayes, Zareon	3-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1T	Tucker, Milan	1-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Davis, Dashaun	2-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	Dawson, Kaleb	2-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1-8	.	.	.
Total		3	120	130	250	24-103	9-53	3-19	6	9	3-28	5	2	.
Opponents		3	108	90	198	16-59	5-34	1-2	9	7

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Appalachian State Team Game-by-Game (as of Sep 25, 2019)
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TEAM STATISTICS

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot		
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
Aug 31	ETSU	41	277	3	27	17	167	3	31	17-25-0	167	3	31	0	0	0	0	3	48	0	33		444	
Sep 07	CHARLOTTE	39	276	3	87	14	182	3	73	14-20-0	182	3	73	3	109	1	45	2	40	1	16		458	
Sep 21	at North Carolina	35	161	3	50	20	224	0	43	20-29-1	224	0	43	1	19	0	19	0	0	0	0		385	
		115	714	9	87	51	573	6	73	51-74-1	573	6	73	4	128	1	45	5	88	1	33		1287	
Opponents		117	507	3	68	64	780	8	36	64-100-3	780	8	36	14	298	0	75	4	-9	0	5		1287	

Games: 3 • Avg/rush: 6.2 • Avg/catch: 11.2 • Pass effic: 158.02 • KR avg: 32.0 • PR avg: 17.6 • All purpose avg/game: 507.3 • Total offense avg/gm: 429.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Aug 31	ETSU	35	44	79	10.0-33	2.0-6	2	1-8	0-0	2	4	0	6-6	0	0	0	0	42
Sep 07	CHARLOTTE	38	40	78	10.0-46	4.0-26	1	1-0	1-0	5	0	1	8-8	0	0	0	7	56
Sep 21	at North Carolina	47	46	93	4.0-24	3.0-21	2	1-20	2-19	2	2	1	4-4	0	0	0	14	34
		120	130	250	24.0-103	9.0-53	5	3-28	3-19	9	6	2	18-18	0	0	0	21	132
Opponents		108	90	198	16.0-59	5.0-34	0	0-0	1-2	7	9	0	8-9	0	1	0	0	79

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 31	ETSU	3	133	44.3	54	0	0	2	1	2	0-0	0	0	7	433	61.9	3	0
Sep 07	CHARLOTTE	5	215	43.0	48	0	0	2	0	1	0-1	0	0	9	552	61.3	3	1
Sep 21	at North Carolina	5	248	49.6	58	0	2	0	3	1	2-2	43	0	7	375	53.6	1	0
		13	596	45.8	58	0	2	4	4	4	2-3	43	0	23	1360	59.1	7	1
Opponents		15	646	43.1	59	1	3	4	5	4	1-2	25	1	15	713	47.5	7	1

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Appalachian State Opponent Game-by-Game (as of Sep 25, 2019)
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OPPONENT STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Aug 31	ETSU	37	131	0	19	17	161	1	30	17-27-0	161	1	30	4	80	0	32	1	0	0	0	292
Sep 07	CHARLOTTE	40	230	2	68	20	296	4	36	20-31-1	296	4	36	5	89	0	22	2	-14	0	0	526
Sep 21	at North Carolina	40	146	1	21	27	323	3	24	27-42-2	323	3	24	5	129	0	75	1	5	0	5	469
		117	507	3	68	64	780	8	36	64-100-3	780	8	36	14	298	0	75	4	-9	0	5	1287
Appalachian State		115	714	9	87	51	573	6	73	51-74-1	573	6	73	4	128	1	45	5	88	1	33	1287

Games: 3 • Avg/rush: 4.3 • Avg/catch: 12.2 • Pass effic: 149.92 • KR avg: 21.3 • PR avg: -2.2 • All purpose avg/game: 526.0 • Total offense avg/gm: 429.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Aug 31	ETSU	38	34	72	3.0-6	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	2	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	7
Sep 07	CHARLOTTE	32	28	60	6.0-29	3.0-21	0	0-0	0-0	3	3	0	3-4	0	1	0	0	41
Sep 21	at North Carolina	38	28	66	7.0-24	2.0-13	0	0-0	1-2	2	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	31
		108	90	198	16.0-59	5.0-34	0	0-0	1-2	7	9	0	8-9	0	1	0	0	79
Appalachian State		120	130	250	24.0-103	9.0-53	5	3-28	3-19	9	6	2	18-18	0	0	0	21	132

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 31	ETSU	6	263	43.8	53	0	1	1	2	2	0-0	0	0	2	130	65.0	2	0
Sep 07	CHARLOTTE	5	212	42.4	59	1	1	1	2	1	0-0	0	0	7	265	37.9	3	0
Sep 21	at North Carolina	4	171	42.8	58	0	1	2	1	1	1-2	25	1	6	318	53.0	2	1
		15	646	43.1	59	1	3	4	5	4	1-2	25	1	15	713	47.5	7	1
Appalachian State		13	596	45.8	58	0	2	4	4	4	2-3	43	0	23	1360	59.1	7	1

Appalachian State Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Opponents Inside Appalachian State Red-Zone

				Times	Times	Total		Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
Date	Opponent	Score		In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
Aug 31, 2019	ETSU	W	42-7	1	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 07, 2019	CHARLOTTE	W	56-41	4	3	20	3	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Sep 21, 2019	at North Carolina	W	34-31	4	4	24	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals				9	8	51	7	2	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
8 of 9 (88.9%)																

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Appalachian State By-Quarter Statistics (as of Sep 25, 2019)
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3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Aug 31, 2019	ETSU	W 42-7	6-10	60.0	2-3	66.7	0-2	0.0	3-3	100.0	1-2	50.0		
Sep 07, 2019	CHARLOTTE	W 56-41	6-13	46.2	1-3	33.3	0-4	0.0	3-3	100.0	2-3	66.7		
Sep 21, 2019	at North Carolina	W 34-31	7-15	46.7	3-5	60.0	2-3	66.7	0-2	0.0	2-5	40.0		
	Appalachian State		19-38	50.0	6-11	54.5	2-9	22.2	6-8	75.0	5-10	50.0	0-0	0.0
	Opponents		17-43	39.5	2-9	22.2	5-15	33.3	4-7	57.1	6-12	50.0	0-0	0.0

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Aug 31, 2019	ETSU	W 42-7	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0		
Sep 07, 2019	CHARLOTTE	W 56-41	1-1	100.0	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0		
Sep 21, 2019	at North Carolina	W 34-31	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0		
	Appalachian State		2-2	100.0	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	0-0	0.0
	Opponents		4-6	66.7	0-0	0.0	1-2	50.0	1-1	100.0	2-3	66.7	0-0	0.0

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Aug 31, 2019	ETSU	W 42-7	26:22		6:01		5:40		7:09		7:32			
Sep 07, 2019	CHARLOTTE	W 56-41	26:06		7:48		6:25		7:41		4:12			
Sep 21, 2019	at North Carolina	W 34-31	29:29		9:29		5:44		6:21		7:55			
	Appalachian State	Total	81:57		23:18		17:49		21:11		19:39		0:00	
		Avg.	27:19		7:46		5:56		7:03		6:33		0:00	
	Opponents	Total	98:03		21:42		27:11		23:49		25:21		0:00	
		Avg.	32:41		7:14		9:03		7:56		8:27		0:00	

2019 APP STATE FOOTBALL
Appalachian State Games Played (as of Sep 25, 2019)
All games

##	PLAYER	GP-GS	ETSU	CLT	NC
22	Anderson, R.	1/-	XXX	...	...
51	Bird, Tyler	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
95	Blackstock, G.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
65	Blackston, Gage	1/-	XXX	...	...
28	Brown, KeSean	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
50	Cave, Joey	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
27	Clark, N.	1/-	XXX	...	...
45	Cobb, Trey	3/3	START	START	START
20	Cook, Noel	3/3	START	START	START
17	Davis, Dashaun	2/-	XXX	...	XXX
24	Davis-Gaither	3/3	START	START	START
9D	Dawkins, T.	2/1	...	XXX	START
9D	Dawkins, Tommy	1/-	XXX	...	...
25	Dawson, Kaleb	2/-	XXX	...	XXX
57	Diarrassouba, E	3/3	START	START	START
40	Doublin, Logan	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
3	Evans, D.	3/3	START	START	START
18	Evans, Mike	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
59	Fehr, Jordan	3/3	START	START	START
6	Franklin, D.	3/3	START	START	START
10	Frizzell, Tim	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
73	Garrison, Cole	3/1	XXX	START	XXX
9	Gibbs, Jackson	1/-	XXX	...	...
81	Gibbs, Miller	1/-	XXX	...	...
31	Hampton, Nick	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
60	Hannon, Noah	3/3	START	START	START
64	Hardin, Will	1/-	XXX	...	...
74	Hardy, Anderson	1/-	XXX	...	...
29	Harrington, B.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
4	Harrington, D.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
3H	Hayes, Zareon	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
34	Heilig, Jourdan	2/-	XXX	...	XXX
5	Hennigan, T.	3/3	START	START	START
83	Henry, Jake	1/-	XXX	...	...
54	Hiers, Lyle	1/-	XXX	...	...
70	Hodges, Cooper	3/3	START	START	START
30	Howell, Clayton	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
7H	Huesman, Jacob	1/-	XXX	...	...
21	Huff, Ryan	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
5H	Hunter, Baer	3/3	START	START	START
52	Jackson, D.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
8	Jean-Charles, S	3/3	START	START	START
75	Johnson, Victor	3/2	START	XXX	START
42	Johnstone, C.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
3J	Jolly, Shaun	3/3	START	START	START
1J	Jones, Steven	2/-	XXX	...	XXX
78	McFarland, C.	1/-	XXX

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Appalachian State Games Played (as of Sep 25, 2019)
All games

##	PLAYER	GP-GS	ETSU	CLT	NC
2M	McQuinn, M.	1/-	...	XXX	...
33	Mitchell, J.	2/-	XXX	XXX	...
4M	Montgomery, G.	1/-	XXX	...	...
58	Neuzil, Ryan	3/3	START	START	START
43	Paillant, H.	2/-	XXX	XXX	...
88	Pearson, Henry	3/1	START	XXX	XXX
6P	Peoples, C.	1/-	XXX	...	...
19	Price, Mike	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
87	Reed, Collin	3/3	START	START	START
63	Reyes, Ivan	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
2R	Ross, Nicholas	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
86	Ross, Trey	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
98	Scott, E.J.	3/3	START	START	START
1S	Smith, Kaiden	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
97	Spurlin, Caleb	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
91	Staton, C.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
39	Subotsch, X.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
2	Sutton, C	1/-	...	...	XXX
48	Taylor, D.	3/2	START	START	XXX
7	Thomas, Josh	3/3	START	START	START
12	Thomas, Zac	3/3	START	START	START
1T	Tucker, Milan	1/-	...	...	XXX
11	Virgil, Jalen	3/3	START	START	START
46	Washington, C.	1/-	XXX	...	...
13	Watson, K.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
1E	Wells, C.	1/-	XXX	...	...
2W	Williams, Ben	1/-	XXX	...	...
14	Williams, Malik	3/2	XXX	START	START
26	Williams, Marc.	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
55	Williams, Matt	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX
67	Wright, Logan	1/-	XXX	...	...

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

TEAM STATS

TEAM STATS	APPALACHIAN STATE	OPPONENT
Scored 40-49 Points	9/7/19, East Tennessee State (42)	9/7/19, Charlotte (41)
Scored 50-59 Points	9/7/19, Charlotte (56)	11/4/17, ULM (52)
Scored 60-69 Points	12/2/17, Louisiana (63)	9/3/11, Virginia Tech (66)
Scored 70-79 Points	9/22/18, Gardner-Webb (72)	10/7/78, Chattanooga (72)
Recorded a Safety	11/3/18, Coastal Carolina	12/19/15, Ohio
Recorded a Shutout	12/23/17, Toledo (34-0)	11/5/05, LSU (24-0)
Rushed for 400+ Yards	9/22/18, Gardner-Webb (432)	9/25/14, Georgia Southern (408)
Rushed for 300-399 Yards	9/29/18, South Alabama (348)	11/5/15, Arkansas State (309)
Rushed for Less Than 50 Yards	12/3/11, Maine (3)	9/22/18, Gardner-Webb (34)
Passed for 400+ Yards	10/21/17, Coastal Carolina (472)	11/9/13, Georgia (441)
Passed for 300-399 Yards	11/4/17, ULM (339)	9/21/19, North Carolina (323)
Passed for Less Than 50 Yards	12/4/10, Western Illinois (47)	9/9/17, Savannah State (37)
Gained Over 500 Yards Total Offense	11/17/18, Georgia State (524)	9/7/19, Charlotte (526)
Gained Less Than 100 Yards Total Offense	9/7/91, Clemson (84)	11/1/14, Georgia State (62)
Recorded 25 or More First Downs	8/31/19, East Tennessee State (25)	9/21/19, North Carolina (29)
Was Penalized 100 Yards	9/7/19 (13-for-148), Charlotte	9/9/17, (9-for-104) Savannah State
Committed No Penalties	11/17/18, Georgia State	Records incomplete
Defense Intercepted Three Passes	10/9/18, Arkansas State (3)	10/25/18, Georgia Southern (4)
Overcame Halftime Deficit to Win	10/21/17, Coastal Carolina (Trailed 19-17 before winning 37-29)	9/1/16, Tennessee (App led 13-3 at half, Tenn. won 20-13 in OT)
Trailed After Three Quarters, Rallied to Win	10/14/17, Idaho (Trailed 20-7 before winning 23-20)	11/4/17, ULM (Appalachian led 38-35 before losing 52-45)
Won Game on Final Offensive Play	12/19/15, Ohio (Zach Matics 23 yd. field goal as time expired)	10/28/17, UMass (Logan Laurent 36-yd field goal in OT)
Won Game on Final Defensive Play	10/12/02, Furman (Josh Jeffries PAT Interception, Derrick Black 96-Yd Return)	Never Accomplished

INDIVIDUAL STATS

INDIVIDUAL STATS	APPALACHIAN STATE	OPPONENT
75+ Yard Run	9/7/19, Darrynton Evans vs. Charlotte (87)	10/28/17, Marquis Young, UMass (95)
100-199 Yards Rushing, Game	12/15/18, Darrynton Evans vs. Middle Tennessee (108)	9/7/19, Benny LeMay, Charlotte (118)
Two Players 100+ Rush Yards	11/3/18, Darrynton Evans (159), Marcus Williams (103), CCU	Never Accomplished
200+ Yards Rushing, Game	9/7/19, Darrynton Evans vs. Charlotte (234)	10/3/15, Brian Hill, Wyoming (208)
Three Rushing TDs, Game	9/21/19, Darrynton Evans at UNC (3)	11/3/12, William Banks, Georgia Southern (3)
Four Rushing TDs, Game	10/30/09, Armanti Edwards at Furman (4)	10/2/04, Terrell Harris, Texas State (4)
80+ Yard Pass Completion	9/8/18, Zac Thomas to Corey Sutton, at Charlotte (90)	9/8/12, Trent McKinney to Dan Moore, Montana (87)
300+ Yards Passing, Game	11/4/17, Taylor Lamb at ULM (339)	9/21/19, Sam Howell, UNC (323)
20 Pass Completions, Game	9/21/19, Zac Thomas at UNC (20)	9/21/19, Sam Howell, UNC (27)
Four TD Passes, Game	12/2/17, Taylor Lamb vs. Louisiana (4)	9/7/19, Chris Reynolds, Charlotte (4)
300+ Yards Total Offense, Game	11/17/18, Zac Thomas vs. Georgia State (309, 282 passing)	9/21/19, Sam Howell, UNC (347, 323 passing)
Scored Five TDs, Game	10/4/86, John Settle vs. Davidson (5)	10/13/84, Robert Surratt, Marshall (5)
10 Receptions, Game	10/26/13, Andrew Peacock vs. Georgia Southern (10)	12/1/12, Tyrone Walker, Illinois State (10)
100-149 Receiving Yards, Game	11/17/18, Corey Sutton vs. Georgia State (101)	9/7/19, Micaleous Edler, Charlotte (119)
150+ Receiving Yards, Game	9/8/18, Corey Sutton at Charlotte (155)	10/11/14, Dante Shells, Liberty (164)
Three Receiving TDs, Game	12/2/17, Thomas Hennigan vs. Louisiana (4)	8/30/14, Devin Funchess, Michigan (3)
Three Sacks, Game	11/3/18, Jordan Fehr at Coastal Carolina (3.0)	9/10/16, Anthony Wilson, Old Dominion (3.0)
50+ Yard Field Goal	11/9/17, Chandler Staton vs. Ga. Southern (53)	11/17/18, Brandon Wright, Georgia State (52)
Made Three Field Goals, Game	12/1/18, Chandler Staton vs. Louisiana, Sun Belt Champ. (3)	12/1/18, Kyle Pfau, Louisiana, Sun Belt Champ. (4)
70+ Yard Punt	10/17/09, Sam Martin at Wofford (74)	11/24/18, Tyler Sumpter, Troy (75, 70)
Returned Kickoff for TD	9/7/19, Darrynton Evans vs. Charlotte (45)	11/4/17, Marcus Green, at ULM (95)
Returned Punt for TD	9/22/18, Clifton Duck vs. Gardner-Webb (62)	11/15/14, Blaise Taylor, Arkansas State (38)
Returned Blocked Punt for TD	9/7/19, D'Marco Jackson vs. Charlotte (16)	8/30/14, Ben Gedeon, Michigan (32)
Blocked a Punt	9/7/19, Shaun Jolly vs. Charlotte	11/5/16, Texas State
Returned Interception for TD	11/17/18, Desmond Franklin vs. Georgia State (26)	11/3/18, Derambez Drinkard, CCU (60)
Returned Fumble for TD	9/21/19, Demetrius Taylor at UNC (20)	9/9/17, Stephen Dorsey, Savannah State (45)
Blocked a Field Goal	9/21/19, Akeem Davis-Gaither at UNC	9/23/17, Scotty Washington vs. Wake Forest
Returned Blocked FG for TD	10/28/06, Corey Lynch vs. Furman (79)	Never Accomplished
PAT Returned for Two Points	11/13/10, Troy Sanders vs. Wofford	11/25/00, Chris Archie, Troy State