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AUSTIN PEAY
BASKETBALL



2023-24 MEN'S
BASKETBALL
MEDIA GUIDE



AUSTIN PEAY



**2023-24
MEN'S BASKETBALL
PROSPECTUS
ASUN BASKETBALL**

GOVERNORS BASKETBALL | 13-TIME CONFERENCE CHAMPION | SEVEN NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES

QUICK FACTS

UNIVERSITY

Name of School.....Austin Peay State University
Location.....Clarksville, TN 37040
Founded.....1927
Enrollment.....9,824
President.....Dr. Michael Licari
Alma Mater, Year.....Minnesota, 1993
Athletics Director.....Gerald Harrison
Alma Mater, Year.....Tennessee, 2001
Deputy AD/SWA.....Niesha Campbell
Alma Mater, year.....Appalachian State, 2006
School Colors.....Red and White
Nickname.....Governors
Affiliations.....NCAA Division I
.....Atlantic Sun Conference
Ticket Office Phone.....931/221-PEAY (7329)

FACILITY

Arena Name.....F&M Bank Arena
Basketball floor.....Gary Mathews Court
Capacity.....5,500

ATHLETICS COMMUNICATIONS

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COACHING & SUPPORT STAFF

Head Coach.....Corey Gipson
Alma Mater, Year.....Austin Peay, 2004
Record at Austin Peay.....0-0 (First Season)
Career Record.....22-11 (Second Season)
Associate Head Coach.....Rodney Hamilton
Alma Mater, Year.....Georgia State, 1998
Assistant Coach.....Tim Ward
Alma Mater, Year.....William Woods, 2018
Assistant Coach.....Jimmy Lincoln
Alma Mater, Year.....Southwest Baptist, 1987
Director of Operations.....Leighton Kentwell
Alma Mater, Year.....Miami (OH), 2019
Assistant Director of Operations.....Travis Allen
Alma Mater, Year.....Grand Canyon, 2020
Director of Player Development.....KC Henry
Alma Mater, Year.....Wyoming, 2020
Video Coordinator.....Joey Heimel
Alma Mater, Year.....Saint John's, 2019
Graduate Assistant.....Kellen Haymon
Alma Mater, Year.....Northwestern State, 2020
Assoc. Director of Sports Perf.....Robert Harris
Alma Mater, Year.....Kentucky State, 2009
Associate Athletic Trainer.....Lynson Willis
Alma Mater, Year.....Stony Brook, 2010

TEAM INFORMATION

Overall Record Last Year.....9-22
Home | Away | Neutral.....7-8 | 1-13 | 1-1
Conference Record (Finish).....3-15 | 14th
Home | Away.....3-6 | 0-9
Final ranking last year.....NA
Letterwinners returning/lost.....1/15
Starters returning/lost.....0/5
Newcomers.....12

HISTORY

First Year of Men's Basketball.....1929-30
All-time Record.....1247-1118
Last NCAA Tournament appearance.....2016
Result.....lost to Kansas, 79-105
Last ASUN Tournament appearance.....N/A

2023-24 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (CT)
Nov. 1	Tennessee Tech (Exh.)	7 PM
Nov. 6	Life	7:15 PM
Nov. 10	at George Mason	6 PM
Nov. 14	Fisk	7 PM
2023 SoCal Challenge San Juan Capistrano, Calif.		
Nov. 17	at UTEP	8 PM
Nov. 20	Tarleton State	5:30 PM
Nov. 22	TBA	TBA
Nov. 26	at Appalachian State	12:30 PM
Nov. 29	Morehead State	7 PM
Dec. 2	at Tennessee State	6 PM
Dec. 5	Midway	7 PM
Dec. 9	Murray State	6:15 PM
Dec. 12	at Southern Illinois	TBA
Dec. 16	at Western Kentucky	2 PM
Dec. 22	Ohio	7 PM
Dec. 30	at Memphis	6 PM
Jan. 4	at Bellarmine •	5:30 PM
Jan.. 6	at Eastern Kentucky •	TBA
Jan. 13	at Lipscomb •	4 PM
Jan. 18	North Alabama •	7 PM
Jan. 20	Central Arkansas •	4:15 PM
Jan. 27	at Florida Gulf Coast •	6 PM
Jan. 31	at Jacksonville •	6 PM
Feb. 3	North Florida •	4:15 PM
Feb. 8	Kennesaw State •	7 PM
Feb. 10	Queens •	4:15 PM
Feb. 15	at Central Arkansas •	7:30 PM
Feb. 17	at North Alabama •	7:15 PM
Feb. 24	Lipscomb •	4:15 PM
Feb. 28	Eastern Kentucky •	7 PM
March 1	Bellarmine •	7 PM
ASUN Basketball Championship Campus Sites		
March 4-10	Championship	TBA

• - ASUN contest

Schedule current as of Oct. 11, 2023

Home games in **bold**. All Times Central. Schedule is subject to change, visit LetsGoPeay.com for the latest updates.



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AUSTIN PEAY MEN'S BASKETBALL

NUMERICAL ROSTER

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NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	CL.	EXP.	HOMETOWN / HIGH SCHOOL / PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	DeMarcus Sharp	G	6-3	Gr.	TR	Charleston, Mo. / Charleston HS / Northwestern State
1	Sai Witt	F	6-8	Gr.	TR	Kansas City, Mo. / Raytown South HS / Lincoln (Mo.)
2	Dez White	G	6-2	Fr.	HS	Jefferson City, Mo. / The Skills Factory Prep
3	Isaac Haney	G	6-2	Jr.	TR	West Plains, Mo. / Kickapoo HS / Northwestern State
4	Ja'Monta Black	G	6-4	Gr.	TR	Columbia, Mo. / Rock Bridge HS / Northwestern State
6	Daniel Loos	F	6-6	Sr.	TR	Clarksville, Tenn / Clarksville Academy / Christian Brothers
8	Jalen Ware	F	6-8	RJr.	3L	Winston-Salem, N.C. / Walkertown HS / Tallahassee CC
10	Harrison Black	G	5-8	Jr.	TR	Houston, Texas / Sam Rayburn HS / Northwestern State
11	Dezi Jones	G	5-10	Gr.	TR	Hannibal, Mo. / Hannibal HS / Quinnipiac
12	Anton Brookshire	G	6-2	Jr.	TR	Milwaukee, Wis. / Kickapoo HS / Iona
14	Jonathan Dunn	F	6-7	So.	TR	Florissant, Mo. / Logan-Rogersville HS / Missouri State
24	Hansel Enmanuel	G	6-6	So.	TR	Los Mina, Dominican Rep. / Life Christian Academy / Northwestern State
32	Jordan Wilmore	C	7-3	Sr.	TR	Memphis, Tenn. / Whitehaven HS / Northwestern State

ALPHABETICAL

NO.	NAME	POS.
10	Harrison Black	G
4	Ja'Monta Black	G
12	Anton Brookshire	G
14	Jonathan Dunn	F
24	Hansel Enmanuel	G
3	Isaac Haney	G
11	Dezi Jones	G
6	Daniel Loos	F
0	DeMarcus Sharp	G
8	Jalen Ware	F
2	Dez White	G
32	Jordan Wilmore	C
1	Sai Witt	F

PRONUNCIATION

Student-Athletes

Sai Witt	Say
Isaac Haney	Hane-ey
Ja'Monta Black	Juh-Mont-Ay

Daniel Loos	Loose
Hansel Enmanuel	En-Manuel

Coaches

Corey Gipson	Note it is a p
Leighton Kentwell	Lay-Tin
Joey Heimel	High-muhl

COACHES AND SUPPORT STAFF

NAME	POSITION	SEASON AT APSU	ALMA MATER, YEAR
Corey Gipson	Head Coach	First Season	Austin Peay, 2004
Rodney Hamilton	Associate Head Coach	First Season	Georgia State, 1998
Tim Ward	Assistant Coach / Recruiting Coordinator	First Season	William Woods, 2018
Jimmy Lincoln	Assistant Coach	First Season	Southwest Baptist, 1987
Leighton Kentwell	Director of Operations	First Season	Miami (OH), 2019
Travis Allen	Assistant Director of Operations	First Season	Grand Canyon, 2020
KC Henry	Director of Player Development	First Season	Wyoming, 2020
Joey Heimel	Video Coordinator	First Season	Northwestern State, 2022
Kellen Haymon	Graduate Assistant	First Season	Northwestern State, 2022
Robert Harris	Associate Director of Sports Performance	Second Season	Kentucky State, 2009
Lynson Willis	Associate Athletic Trainer	First Season	Stony Brook, 2010
Alex Allard	Asst. Director of Athletics Comm.	Third Season	Austin Peay, 2022

TEAM INFORMATION

RETURNERS

Name	CL	Ht.	Pos.	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	Notes
Jalen Ware	RJr.	6-8	F	28/12	5.1	4.1	Improved in every statistical category. Shot 49.1 from the field. 10+ points five times.

NEWCOMERS

Name	CL	Ht.	Pos.	Notes
DeMarcus Sharp	Gr.	6-3	G	Southland Conference Player/Newcomer of the Year. 19.5 ppg, 5.0 rpg, 5.0 apg. Lou Henson Award finalist.
Sai Witt	Gr	6-8	F	Averaged 13.5 points, and 7.6 rebounds per game as a senior at Lincoln University of Missouri.
Dez White	Fr.	6-2	G	Prepped at The Skills Factory Prep after graduating from Helias Catholic HS. 3-star recruit by 247Sports.com.
Isaac Haney	Jr.	6-2	G	Averaged 11.0 points, 4.6 rebounds, and 2.5 assists per game last season at Northwestern State.
Ja'Monta Black	Gr.	6-4	G	Top-returning three-point scorer in Division I after makign 122 triples at Northwestern State last season.
Daniel Loos	Sr.	6-6	F	Three-year letterwinner at Christian Brothers, averaging 9.7 ppg, 4.7 rpg, and 59.3 FG% in three years at CBU.
Harrison Black	Jr.	5-8	G	Played in seven games during his sophomore season at Northwestern State.
Dezi Jones	Sr.	5-10	G	Started 59-of-63 games as a sophomore and junior at Quinnipiac. Averaged 12.0 ppg and 3.4 apg last season.
Anton Brookshire	Jr.	6-2	G	Made 32 appearances off the bench for MAAC Regular-Season and Tournament Champions, Iona.
Jonathan Dunn	So.	6-7	F	Spent last season at Missouri State, but did not see action.
Hansel Enmanuel	So.	6-6	G	Appeared in 20 games, making five starts at Northwestern State last season.
Jordan Wilmore	Sr.	7-3	C	Appeared in 28 games, making 12 starts at Northwestern State last season.

GOVERNORS NOTABLY

Corey Gipson was named the 14th head men's basketball coach in Austin Peay history in March. A two-time graduate of Austin Peay, Gipson was the starting point guard for the Governors for two seasons (2002-04) and an assistant coach for Dave Look for three seasons (2012-15). During his tenure as a player, the Governors went 45-18 and never lost a game in the Winfield Dunn Center, going 27-0 at home. He also helped the Gobs to back-to-back Ohio Valley Conference Regular Season Championship and the 2003 OVC Tournament title. Nearly all of Gipson's coaching staff from Northwestern State joins him during his first year at the helm of the APSU men's basketball program, with associate head coach **Rodney Hamilton**, and assistant coaches **Tim Ward** and **Jimmy Lincoln**.



In addition to his three assistant coaches and five support staff members that Gipson brought with him from Northwestern State, where he was the head coach last season, he also brings six players from the Demons' lineup. Those six players are highlighted by a pair of All-Southland Conference selections in **DeMarcus Sharp** and **Ja'Monta Black**.

The 2022-23 Southland Conference Player and Newcomer of the year, a First Team All-Southland Conference selection, and All-Defensive Team recipient, Sharp led the Demons in scoring, assists, steals, blocks, field goals made and attempted, three-point percentage, and minutes while starting all 33 games. He averaged 19.5 points, 5.0 rebounds and 5.0 assists per game, and was tabbed as a Lou Henson Award Finalist for the best mid-major basketball player in Division I.

The top-returning three-point scorer in the nation, Black finished fourth in Division I with 122 made triples and 3.81 per game last season at Northwestern State. A Second Team All-Southland Conference selection, Black broke NWST's single-game and single-season three-pointer record last season with nine threes in a 31-point performance against Houston Christian. The Columbia, Missouri native started 32 games last season, while scoring in double figures 27 times.

The grandson of Austin Peay and OVC Hall of Fame head coach Dave Loos, **Daniel Loos** returns to his hometown after spending the last three seasons at Christian Brothers where he averaged 9.7 points, 4.7 rebounds and 59.3 percent from the floor during his three seasons in Memphis.

The Gobs' lone freshman on the 2023-24 roster is **Dez White**, who graduated from Helias Catholic High School also prepped at The Skills Factory Prep. White shot 48.0 percent from three during his career at The Skills Factory Prep, helping them reach top 20 in the nation. He also holds HCHS' single-game and single-season scoring record with 51 and 699 points, respectively.

Another electric shooter that comes via Northwestern State is **Isaac Haney** who scored in double figures 19 times as a sophomore for the Demons and averaged 11.0 points, 4.6 rebounds, and 2.5 assists per game.

Harrison Black, Jordan Wilmore, and Hansel Enmanuel are the final newcomers come from Northwestern State. Black appeared in six games for the Demons, while Enmanuel started the final five games of the season and made 20 appearances. A 7-3 center, Wilmore appeared in 28 contests, making 12 starts, and had a season-high of eight rebounds.

Sai Witt comes to Clarksville after spending his sophomore and senior season at Lincoln University of Missouri. He averaged 15.9 points and 8.0 rebounds as a sophomore and was a finalist for the Black College Sports Network NCAA Division II Player of the Year. He then averaged averaging 13.5 points and 7.6 rebounds per game during his senior season

Jalen Ware is the lone returner from last season's team after averaging 5.1 points and 4.1 rebounds per game while shooting 49.1 and 35.5 percent from the field and three-point range, respectively.

A two-year starter at Quinnipiac, **Dezi Jones** started 59-of-63 games for the Bobcats as a junior and senior, averaging 12.0 points, 3.4 rebounds, and 3.4 assists per game during his career in Quinnipiac, Connecticut.

Anton Brookshire made 32 appearances off the bench during his sophomore season at Iona, helping the Gaels win the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference Regular Season and Tournament Championship and earn a spot in the 2023 NCAA Tournament. He averaged 4.2 points per game while shooting 43.1 and 38.8 percent from the field and three-point range, respectively.

Jonathan Dunn sat out his freshman season at Missouri State, but averaged 23.0 points and 4.7 rebounds per game while shooting 62.6 percent from the field at

OFFSEASON STORIES YOU MAY HAVE MISSED

Gipson Named 14th Head Coach - March 12

Corey Gipson is coming home. A two-time Austin Peay graduate who played at Austin Peay for two seasons (2002-04), and was an assistant coach for three seasons (2012-15), Corey Gipson was named the 14th head coach in Austin Peay men's basketball history, March 12.

Gipson previously served as the head coach of Northwestern State. During his season in Natchitoches, Louisiana, Gipson led Demons to a 22-9 record - the largest single-season turnaround in program history, the program's first win against an AP Top 25 program, and the No. 2 seed in the 2023 Southland Conference Tournament.

Gipson Finalizes Inaugural Coaching Staff - March 30

Corey finalized his inaugural coaching staff for the 2023-24 season with the addition of associate head coach Rodney Hamilton, and assistant coaches Tim Ward and Jimmy Lincoln. All three coaches spent last season on Gipson's staff at Northwestern State.

Hamilton brings over a decade of experience to Clarksville, after spending seasons at Northwestern State (2022-23), Memphis (2018-22), Tennessee State (2012-18), Indiana Tech (2009-12), Southeast Missouri (2007-09) and Crichton College (2005-07).

Prior to his year at Northwestern State, Ward was an assistant coach at Moberly Area Community College (2021-22), Talladega College (2020-21) and Arkansas Tech).

Lincoln brings over 25 years of coaching experience, and was the special assistant to the head coach last season at Northwestern State.

Men's Basketball Announced 16-Game ASUN Campaign - July 6

The Governors' 2023-24 ASUN season features eight games in the new F&M Bank Arena, including six of the final eight contests. Austin Peay is 144-117 all-time against ASUN opponents, with its most wins against a single opponent being 64 against Eastern Kentucky. The Gobs also have a .500-or-better winning percentage against 8-of-11 ASUN teams.

Gipson Announces Star-Studded 12-Man Signing Class - Sept. 8

The 2023-24 Austin Peay men's basketball roster has been established.

Head coach Corey Gipson's 12-man signing class consists of 11 transfers with collegiate experience, including six players from Northwestern State, where Gipson was the head coach during the 2022-23 season.

His 11 veteran newcomers have combined for 6,300-career points, 2,231 rebounds, 1,291 assists, 470 starts, and 640 games played in their careers entering their first season as a Governor.

Schedule's Set: Men's Basketball Announces 2023-24 Nonconference Slate - Sept. 6

Austin Peay men's basketball and first-year head coach Corey Gipson finalized the Governors' 15-game nonconference schedule featuring six home games on Gary Mathews Court at F&M Bank Arena, a trip to California, and the continuation of numerous decades-old rivalries.

Austin Peay is 322-381 all-time against its 2023-24 schedule and will play six opponents that it has played at least 50 times in program history in Murray State (140 all-time meetings) Eastern Kentucky (120), Morehead State (115), Tennessee State (84), Lipscomb (75), and Western Kentucky (57).

Terry Taylor Returns to Nashville for Bulls Training Camp - Oct. 6

Austin Peay men's basketball alum and current Chicago Bull Terry Taylor began his third season in the National Basketball Association, Oct. 2-6, at the Brockett Center in Nashville, as the Bulls participated in training camp at Belmont's facility.

A two-time Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Year and the Governors' all-time scoring leader, Taylor was the Bulls' final signing of the offseason after spending last two months of the 2022-23 campaign on a two-way contract with the organization.

Taylor's 62 appearances and nine starts in the Association are the second-most by an Austin Peay alum, trailing only Trenton Hassell's 644 appearances and 428 career starts during his NBA tenure from 2001-10.

AUSTIN PEAY MEN'S BASKETBALL

2022-23 STATISTICS

Summary

	Overall Statistics											Conference Statistics										
Player	GP-GS	MIN/G	FG%	3FG%	FT%	R/G	A/G	STL	BLK	PTS/G	GP-GS	MIN/G	FG%	3FG%	FT%	R/G	A/G	STL	BLK	PTS/G		
DURUGORDON, Sean	27-23	28.3	.395	.310	.763	6.0	0.9	19	10	12.4	14-13	30.1	.405	.345	.707	6.7	0.6	11	8	12.9		
HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	31-25	25.6	.480	.323	.695	5.5	0.9	15	19	11.5	18-12	21.7	.486	.344	.638	4.4	0.5	8	10	9.9		
ROBINSON, Shon	18-14	26.5	.500	.349	.761	3.9	1.4	21	9	10.1	14-10	25.4	.473	.342	.870	3.5	1.4	12	8	8.6		
COPELAND, Cameron	28-18	27.5	.375	.307	.781	3.3	1.7	32	7	9.6	15-14	31.2	.366	.292	.667	3.5	1.7	20	5	9.9		
PAEZ, Carlos	30-25	25.8	.392	.346	.839	2.0	3.6	27	1	7.8	17-14	26.4	.361	.292	.765	2.0	3.8	15	1	7.8		
STONE-CARRAWELL, Caleb	15-7	22.4	.417	.341	.808	1.7	2.0	14	3	7.7	3-0	14.7	.385	.500	1.000	0.7	2.3	1	0	5.0		
FAUNTLEROY, Guy	28-7	21.0	.358	.320	.750	1.5	2.4	40	0	6.2	15-6	26.6	.392	.339	.730	1.9	2.8	31	0	9.3		
WARE, Jalen	28-12	20.3	.491	.355	.568	4.1	0.6	13	15	5.1	16-3	17.6	.466	.263	.625	3.3	0.5	6	5	4.3		
MASSENAT, Rodrique	16-3	17.8	.433	.300	.500	1.6	0.6	18	5	4.1	16-3	17.8	.433	.300	.500	1.6	0.6	18	5	4.1		
CALDERON, Drew	18-2	15.9	.393	.333	.875	1.3	0.8	8	3	3.8	10-2	17.3	.469	.316	1.000	1.2	0.9	7	3	4.0		
OKWOROGWO, Kelechi	25-6	11.3	.446	.313	.667	2.1	0.2	5	18	3.2	17-6	13.3	.392	.308	.778	2.4	0.4	3	13	3.4		
MOORE, Nathan	12-6	10.7	.385	.000	.700	1.3	0.4	1	2	1.4	8-6	11.7	.714	.000	.625	1.3	0.6	0	0	1.9		
PERKINS, Elijah	9-6	12.4	.158	.286	.429	1.0	0.9	6	2	1.2	0-0	0.0	.000	.000	.000	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0		
ROBERTS, Jacob	7-0	4.6	.273	.250	.333	1.6	0.1	0	0	1.1	3-0	8.3	.333	.333	.000	1.7	0.3	0	0	1.7		
COFFEY, Kamarie	3-0	1.8	.000	.000	.750	0.3	0.0	0	0	1.0	2-0	1.8	.000	.000	.750	0.5	0.0	0	0	1.5		
BATES, Codey	10-1	2.3	.182	.222	.000	0.7	0.0	1	0	0.6	6-1	2.0	.200	.250	.000	0.0	0.0	1	0	0.5		
Totals	31		.415	.322	.725	31.4	12.5	220	94	66.7	18		.416	.317	.713	29.4	11.9	133	58	65.3		
Opponent	31		.478	.341	.740	35.2	13.8	192	80	72.3	18		.478	.358	.754	36.4	13.4	107	43	74.6		

Scoring

	Overall Statistics								Conference Statistics							
Player	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	PTS	PTS/G	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	PTS	PTS/G
DURUGORDON, Sean	121-306	.395	35-113	.310	58-76	.763	335	12.4	66-163	.405	19-55	.345	29-41	.707	180	12.9
HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	135-281	.480	20-62	.323	66-95	.695	356	11.5	69-142	.486	11-32	.344	30-47	.638	179	9.9
ROBINSON, Shon	66-132	.500	15-43	.349	35-46	.761	182	10.1	44-93	.473	13-38	.342	20-23	.870	121	8.6
COPELAND, Cameron	104-277	.375	35-114	.307	25-32	.781	268	9.6	59-161	.366	19-65	.292	12-18	.667	149	9.9
PAEZ, Carlos	73-186	.392	36-104	.346	52-62	.839	234	7.8	44-122	.361	19-65	.292	26-34	.765	133	7.8
STONE-CARRAWELL, Caleb	40-96	.417	14-41	.341	21-26	.808	115	7.7	5-13	.385	1-2	.500	4-4	1.000	15	5.0
FAUNTLEROY, Guy	58-162	.358	24-75	.320	33-44	.750	173	6.2	47-120	.392	19-56	.339	27-37	.730	140	9.3
WARE, Jalen	54-110	.491	11-31	.355	25-44	.568	144	5.1	27-58	.466	5-19	.263	10-16	.625	69	4.3
MASSENAT, Rodrique	26-60	.433	9-30	.300	5-10	.500	66	4.1	26-60	.433	9-30	.300	5-10	.500	66	4.1
CALDERON, Drew	24-61	.393	13-39	.333	7-8	.875	68	3.8	15-32	.469	6-19	.316	4-4	1.000	40	4.0
OKWOROGWO, Kelechi	29-65	.446	5-16	.313	18-27	.667	81	3.2	20-51	.392	4-13	.308	14-18	.778	58	3.4
MOORE, Nathan	5-13	.385	0-2	.000	7-10	.700	17	1.4	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	5-8	.625	15	1.9
PERKINS, Elijah	3-19	.158	2-7	.286	3-7	.429	11	1.2	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0.0
ROBERTS, Jacob	3-11	.273	1-4	.250	1-3	.333	8	1.1	2-6	.333	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	5	1.7
COFFEY, Kamarie	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	3	1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	3	1.5
BATES, Codey	2-11	.182	2-9	.222	0-1	.000	6	0.6	1-5	.200	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	3	0.5
Totals	743-1790	.415	222-690	.322	359-495	.725	2067	66.7	430-1033	.416	127-401	.317	189-265	.713	1176	65.3
Opponent	796-1664	.478	202-593	.341	447-604	.740	2241	72.3	459-961	.478	127-355	.358	298-395	.754	1343	74.6

AUSTIN PEAY MEN'S BASKETBALL

2022-23 RESULTS

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	9-22	7-8	1-13	1-1
CONFERENCE	3-15	3-6	0-9	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	6-7	4-2	1-4	1-1

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.	High Points	High Rebounds
11/07/2022	at NC State	L	50-99	11109	(13) ROBINSON, Shon	(4) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
11/11/2022	at Purdue	L	44-63	14876	(19) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(7) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
11/14/2022	Milligan	W	98-74	1237	(27) ROBINSON, Shon	(9) ROBINSON, Shon
11/17/2022	at South Fla.	W	62-60	1910	(15) DURUGORDON, Sean	(8) WARE, Jalen
11/21/2022	vs UAlbany	W	74-59	1417	(23) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(9) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
11/22/2022	vs Bucknell	L	65-79	1417	(15) COPELAND, Cameron	(10) DURUGORDON, Sean
11/26/2022	Howard	L	55-56	1029	(21) DURUGORDON, Sean	(8) DURUGORDON, Sean
						(8) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
11/30/2022	Western Ky.	L	74-75	1833	(19) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(7) DURUGORDON, Sean
12/03/2022	Tennessee St.	W	77-61	1736	(24) DURUGORDON, Sean	(8) COPELAND, Cameron
12/06/2022	Ky. Christian	W	102-57	1108	(19) CALDERON, Drew	(9) DURUGORDON, Sean
						(9) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
12/12/2022	Lindsey Wilson	W	86-61	1003	(18) DURUGORDON, Sean	(8) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
12/16/2022	at Murray St.	L	60-68	5131	(17) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(11) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
12/21/2022	at Tennessee	L	44-86	18120	(11) DURUGORDON, Sean	(6) DURUGORDON, Sean
					(11) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(6) WARE, Jalen
12/29/2022	at Queens (NC)	L	77-81	552	(24) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(9) DURUGORDON, Sean
12/31/2022	at North Florida	Lot	85-90	1019	(27) DURUGORDON, Sean	(10) DURUGORDON, Sean
01/05/2023	FGCU	W	61-59	1061	(10) PAEZ, Carlos	(9) WARE, Jalen
					(10) DURUGORDON, Sean	
					(10) MASSENAT, Rodrique	
01/07/2023	Central Ark.	W	86-62	1133	(17) COPELAND, Cameron	(10) DURUGORDON, Sean
					(17) FAUNTLEROY, Guy	
01/12/2023	Lipscomb	L	65-87	958	(19) DURUGORDON, Sean	(10) DURUGORDON, Sean
01/14/2023	at Lipscomb	L	72-86	0	(20) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(11) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
01/19/2023	Bellarmine	L	45-56	1523	(10) FAUNTLEROY, Guy	(5) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
01/21/2023	Eastern Ky.	L	59-74	1636	(17) DURUGORDON, Sean	(6) COPELAND, Cameron
01/26/2023	at Kennesaw St.	L	57-84	1945	(11) DURUGORDON, Sean	(8) DURUGORDON, Sean
					(11) OKWOROGWO, Kelechi	
01/28/2023	at Jacksonville St.	L	53-70	2580	(13) DURUGORDON, Sean	(7) DURUGORDON, Sean
02/02/2023	Liberty	L	70-82	1452	(19) COPELAND, Cameron	(7) DURUGORDON, Sean
02/04/2023	Queens (NC)	L	69-70	1872	(23) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah	(8) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
02/09/2023	at North Ala.	L	57-70	2142	(15) DURUGORDON, Sean	(8) HUTCHINS-EVERETT, Elijah
02/11/2023	at Central Ark.	L	69-76	1448	(18) DURUGORDON, Sean	(9) DURUGORDON, Sean
02/16/2023	Jacksonville	L	56-60	1497	(22) FAUNTLEROY, Guy	(5) PAEZ, Carlos
						(5) FAUNTLEROY, Guy
						(5) OKWOROGWO, Kelechi
02/18/2023	North Florida	W	73-71	1975	(16) ROBINSON, Shon	(8) WARE, Jalen
02/22/2023	at Stetson	L	51-76	650	(12) ROBINSON, Shon	(4) ROBINSON, Shon
						(4) ROBERTS, Jacob

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2022-23 TEAM GAME-BY-GAME

				Total		3-Pointers		Free throws		Rebounds											
Opponent	Date	Score		FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-3FGA	PCT	FT-FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG	
at NC State	11/07/2022	50-99	L	16-52	.308	1-8	.125	17-20	.850	8	17	25	25.0	14	8	20	1	6	50	50.0	
at Purdue	11/11/2022	44-63	L	15-53	.283	4-24	.167	10-11	.909	8	14	22	23.5	17	6	7	1	4	44	47.0	
Milligan	11/14/2022	98-74	W	38-71	.535	11-27	.407	11-27	.407	14	29	43	30.0	17	23	8	2	19	98	64.0	
at South Fla.	11/17/2022	62-60	W	20-52	.385	12-29	.414	10-16	.625	10	26	36	31.5	15	15	13	4	4	62	63.5	
vs UAlbany	11/21/2022	74-59	W	24-49	.490	3-13	.231	23-27	.852	7	23	30	31.2	18	11	8	3	2	74	65.6	
vs Bucknell	11/22/2022	65-79	L	22-65	.338	9-28	.321	12-17	.706	18	14	32	31.3	20	10	12	3	7	65	65.5	
Howard	11/26/2022	55-56	L	20-66	.303	8-30	.267	7-11	.636	13	22	35	31.9	9	14	8	3	8	55	64.0	
Western Ky.	11/30/2022	74-75	L	29-58	.500	10-21	.476	6-8	.750	11	22	33	32.0	16	13	16	2	3	74	65.3	
Tennessee St.	12/03/2022	77-61	W	26-51	.510	8-21	.381	17-20	.850	9	24	33	32.1	14	12	11	4	6	77	66.6	
Ky. Christian	12/06/2022	102-57	W	37-72	.514	13-31	.419	15-23	.652	23	35	58	34.7	13	26	14	2	5	102	70.1	
Lindsey Wilson	12/12/2022	86-61	W	27-56	.482	7-19	.368	25-29	.862	15	22	37	34.9	25	14	19	5	11	86	71.5	
at Murray St.	12/16/2022	60-68	L	25-57	.439	4-12	.333	6-7	.857	8	24	32	34.7	11	11	15	4	6	60	70.6	
at Tennessee	12/21/2022	44-86	L	14-55	.255	5-26	.192	11-14	.786	11	15	26	34.0	16	10	15	2	6	44	68.5	
at Queens (NC)	12/29/2022	77-81	L	28-62	.452	8-18	.444	13-15	.867	9	19	28	33.6	26	18	10	2	6	77	69.1	
at North Florida	12/31/2022	85-90	Lot	31-67	.463	9-17	.529	14-16	.875	8	27	35	33.7	25	17	6	4	4	85	70.2	
FGCU	01/05/2023	61-59	W	21-50	.420	6-21	.286	13-20	.650	7	20	27	33.3	12	12	13	3	11	61	69.6	
Central Ark.	01/07/2023	86-62	W	32-58	.552	9-20	.450	13-16	.813	11	21	32	33.2	18	12	10	4	10	86	70.6	
Lipscomb	01/12/2023	65-87	L	25-62	.403	6-23	.261	9-13	.692	10	13	23	32.6	12	9	14	1	12	65	70.3	
at Lipscomb	01/14/2023	72-86	L	25-62	.403	7-21	.333	15-16	.938	12	19	31	32.5	21	13	12	4	7	72	70.4	
Bellarmine	01/19/2023	45-56	L	16-45	.356	6-26	.231	7-7	1.000	2	23	25	32.2	14	10	9	2	3	45	69.1	
Eastern Ky.	01/21/2023	59-74	L	23-52	.442	7-19	.368	6-6	1.000	4	23	27	31.9	15	12	18	8	7	59	68.6	
at Kennesaw St.	01/26/2023	57-84	L	18-53	.340	4-21	.190	17-33	.515	6	20	26	31.6	24	11	14	4	10	57	68.1	
at Jacksonville St.	01/28/2023	53-70	L	20-54	.370	5-26	.192	8-14	.571	7	19	26	31.4	24	7	9	0	7	53	67.4	
Liberty	02/02/2023	70-82	L	25-61	.410	11-22	.500	9-16	.563	11	20	31	31.4	24	12	6	2	7	70	67.5	
Queens (NC)	02/04/2023	69-70	L	27-61	.443	6-20	.300	9-13	.692	7	24	31	31.4	19	15	14	5	10	69	67.6	
at North Ala.	02/09/2023	57-70	L	22-58	.379	4-22	.182	9-14	.643	10	18	28	31.2	15	7	10	6	7	57	67.2	
at Central Ark.	02/11/2023	69-76	L	23-60	.383	6-22	.273	17-20	.850	16	23	39	31.5	15	7	13	5	4	69	67.3	
Jacksonville	02/16/2023	56-60	L	17-49	.347	11-28	.393	11-13	.846	9	24	33	31.6	14	11	14	3	5	56	66.9	
North Florida	02/18/2023	73-71	W	30-63	.476	6-18	.333	7-12	.583	13	22	35	31.7	13	12	7	2	8	73	67.1	
at Stetson	02/22/2023	51-76	L	19-54	.352	8-24	.333	5-10	.500	7	15	22	31.4	13	10	9	2	9	51	66.5	
at FGCU	02/24/2023	71-89	L	28-62	.452	8-33	.242	7-11	.636	8	23	31	31.4	16	19	10	1	6	71	66.7	
Total		2067		743-1790	.415	222-690	.322	359-495	.725	312	660	972	31.4	525	387	364	94	220	2067	66.7	
Opponents		2241		796-1664	.478	202-593	.341	447-604	.740	291	801	1092	35.2	480	427	421	80	192	2241	72.3	

Austin Peay Averages

Games Played	Points/game	FG Pct	3FG Pct	FT Pct	Rebounds/game	Assists/game	Turnovers/game	Assist/Turnover ratio	Steals/game	Blocks/game
31	66.7	41.5	32.2	72.5	31.4	12.5	11.7	1.1	7.1	3.0

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2022-23 SUPERLATIVES

Austin Peay - Game Highs

POINTS	102	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	98	Milligan (11/14/2022)
	86	Central Ark. (01/07/2023)
	86	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)
	85	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
FIELD GOALS MADE	38	Milligan (11/14/2022)
	37	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	72	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	71	Milligan (11/14/2022)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.552 (32-58)	Central Ark. (01/07/2023)
	.535 (38-71)	Milligan (11/14/2022)
3 PT FG MADE	13	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	12	at South Fla. (11/17/2022)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	33	at FGCU (02/24/2023)
	31	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.529 (9-17)	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
	.500 (11-22)	Liberty (02/02/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	25	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)
	23	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	33	at Kennesaw St. (01/26/2023)
	29	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	1.000 (7-7)	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	1.000 (6-6)	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
REBOUNDS	58	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	43	Milligan (11/14/2022)
ASSISTS	26	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	23	Milligan (11/14/2022)
STEALS	19	Milligan (11/14/2022)
	12	Lipscomb (01/12/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	8	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
	6	at North Ala. (02/09/2023)
TURNOVERS	20	at NC State (11/07/2022)
	19	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)
FOULS	26	at Queens (NC) (12/29/2022)
	25	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
	25	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)

Opponent - Game Highs

POINTS	99	at NC State (11/07/2022)
	90	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
	89	at FGCU (02/24/2023)
	87	Lipscomb (01/12/2023)
	86	at Lipscomb (01/14/2023)
	86	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
FIELD GOALS MADE	40	at NC State (11/07/2022)
	36	Lipscomb (01/12/2023)
	36	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	68	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
	65	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
	65	at NC State (11/07/2022)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.655 (36-55)	Lipscomb (01/12/2023)
	.615 (40-65)	at NC State (11/07/2022)
3 PT FG MADE	13	at FGCU (02/24/2023)
	13	North Florida (02/18/2023)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	30	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
	29	North Florida (02/18/2023)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.500 (13-26)	at FGCU (02/24/2023)
	.474 (9-19)	Jacksonville (02/16/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	26	at Kennesaw St. (01/26/2023)
	24	at Lipscomb (01/14/2023)
	24	at Queens (NC) (12/29/2022)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	36	at Kennesaw St. (01/26/2023)
	36	at Queens (NC) (12/29/2022)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.941 (16-17)	at Stetson (02/22/2023)
	.889 (8-9)	North Florida (02/18/2023)
REBOUNDS	50	at Kennesaw St. (01/26/2023)
	47	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
ASSISTS	27	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
	20	Liberty (02/02/2023)
	20	at NC State (11/07/2022)
STEALS	12	at Kennesaw St. (01/26/2023)
	12	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
BLOCKED SHOTS	7	Western Ky. (11/30/2022)
	6	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
	6	at NC State (11/07/2022)
TURNOVERS	24	Milligan (11/14/2022)
	21	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)
FOULS	24	at Kennesaw St. (01/26/2023)
	24	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)

Austin Peay - Game Lows

POINTS	44	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
	44	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
	45	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	50	at NC State (11/07/2022)
	51	at Stetson (02/22/2023)
FIELD GOALS MADE	14	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
	15	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	45	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	49	Jacksonville (02/16/2023)
	49	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.255 (14-55)	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
	.283 (15-53)	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
3 PT FG MADE	1	at NC State (11/07/2022)
	3	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	8	at NC State (11/07/2022)
	12	at Murray St. (12/16/2022)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.125 (1-8)	at NC State (11/07/2022)
	.167 (4-24)	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
FREE THROWS MADE	5	at Stetson (02/22/2023)
	6	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
	6	at Murray St. (12/16/2022)
	6	Western Ky. (11/30/2022)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	6	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
	7	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	7	at Murray St. (12/16/2022)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.407 (11-27)	Milligan (11/14/2022)
	.500 (5-10)	at Stetson (02/22/2023)
REBOUNDS	22	at Stetson (02/22/2023)
	22	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
ASSISTS	6	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
	7	at Central Ark. (02/11/2023)
	7	at North Ala. (02/09/2023)
	7	at Jacksonville St. (01/28/2023)
STEALS	2	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)
	3	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	3	Western Ky. (11/30/2022)
BLOCKED SHOTS	0	at Jacksonville St. (01/28/2023)
	1	at FGCU (02/24/2023)
	1	Lipscomb (01/12/2023)
	1	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
	1	at NC State (11/07/2022)
TURNOVERS	6	Liberty (02/02/2023)
	6	at North Florida (12/31/2022)
FOULS	9	Howard (11/26/2022)
	11	at Murray St. (12/16/2022)

Opponent - Game Lows

POINTS	56	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	56	Howard (11/26/2022)
	57	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	59	FGCU (01/05/2023)
	59	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)
FIELD GOALS MADE	20	Jacksonville (02/16/2023)
	20	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	20	Central Ark. (01/07/2023)
	20	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)
	20	Howard (11/26/2022)
	20	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)
FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS	41	at Jacksonville St. (01/28/2023)
	43	Howard (11/26/2022)
FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	.385 (20-52)	Lindsey Wilson (12/12/2022)
	.392 (20-51)	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
3 PT FG MADE	2	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
	2	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
3 PT FG ATTEMPTS	11	Tennessee St. (12/03/2022)
	12	Western Ky. (11/30/2022)
3 PT FG PERCENTAGE	.105 (2-19)	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
	.143 (2-14)	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
FREE THROWS MADE	4	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	4	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
FREE THROW ATTEMPTS	8	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	9	North Florida (02/18/2023)
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	.500 (6-12)	at Tennessee (12/21/2022)
	.500 (4-8)	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
REBOUNDS	19	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	23	Central Ark. (01/07/2023)
ASSISTS	6	North Florida (02/18/2023)
	7	at North Ala. (02/09/2023)
STEALS	2	Liberty (02/02/2023)
	2	at Jacksonville St. (01/28/2023)
	2	at Purdue (11/11/2022)
BLOCKED SHOTS	0	Milligan (11/14/2022)
	1	Jacksonville (02/16/2023)
	1	Queens (NC) (02/04/2023)
	1	at Jacksonville St. (01/28/2023)
	1	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)
	1	Ky. Christian (12/06/2022)
	1	vs UAlbany (N) (11/21/2022)
TURNOVERS	7	Liberty (02/02/2023)
	9	at FGCU (02/24/2023)
	9	at Central Ark. (02/11/2023)
	9	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
	9	Western Ky. (11/30/2022)
FOULS	8	at Stetson (02/22/2023)
	9	Eastern Ky. (01/21/2023)
	9	Bellarmine (01/19/2023)

MEET THE GOVS

DeMarcus Sharp | 6-3 | Graduate Student | Guard | Charleston, Missouri

- 2022-23 Southland Conference Player & Newcomer of the Year, All-Defensive Team.
- Led Northwestern State in scoring, assists, steals, blocks, field goals, 3P%, and min.
- Averaged 19.5 points, 5.0 rebounds, and 5.0 assists per game.



Jalen Ware | 6-8 | Redshirt Junior | Forward | Winston-Salem, N.C.

- Improved in every statistical category last year. Played 28 games, made 12 starts.
- Averaged 5.1 points and 4.1 rebounds while shooting 49.1 percent from the field.
- Scored in double figures five times, including twice times in ASUN play.

Sai Witt | 6-8 | Graduate Student | Forward | Kansas City, Missouri

- Finalist for the Black College Sports Network DII Player of the Year as a sophomore.
- Started 19-of-20 games both as a sophomore and senior at Lincoln (Mo.).
- Averaged 13.5 points and 7.6 rebounds per game during his senior season.



Dez White | 6-2 | Freshman | Guard | Jefferson City, Missouri

- Graduate of Helias Catholic High School and then prepped at The Skills Factory.
- Holds single-season HCHS scoring record with 699 points.
- Three-star recruit by On3.com and 247Sports.com.

Isaac Haney | 6-2 | Junior | Guard | West Plains, Missouri

- Averaged 11.0 points, 4.6 rebounds 2.5 assists per game in 33 appearances.
- Scored in double figures 19 times last season at Northwestern State.
- Made 55 three-pointers and multiple in a single game 19 times.



Ja'Monta Black | 6-4 | Graduate Student | Guard | Columbia, Missouri

- 2022-23 Second Team All-Southland Conference.
- Top returning three-point scorer in the nation with 122 triples.
- Averaged 15.4 points, 3.81 threes and 3.1 rebounds per game with a 86.4 FT%.

Daniel Loos | 6-6 | Senior | Forward | Clarksville, Tennessee

- Three-year letterwinner at Christian Brothers before returning to his hometown.
- Averaged 9.7 points and 4.7 rebounds per game while shooting 59.3 percent.
- Made at least 56 percent from the field all three seasons at Christian Brothers.



MEET THE GOVS

Harrison Black | 5-8 | Junior | Guard | Houston, Texas

- Played in seven games during his sophomore season at Northwestern State.
- Scored two points and dished out a two of assists against Houston Christian, Jan. 26.
- Began his career at LSU-Alexandria where he appeared in two games.



Dezi Jones | 5-10 | Graduate Student | Guard | Hannibal, Mo.

- Started 59-of-63 games during his sophomore and junior season at Quinnipiac.
- Averaged 12.5 points, 3.8 assists, and 3.7 rebounds per game as a junior.
- Began his career at Moberly Area CC where he averaged 17.5 ppg and 4.7 apg.

Anton Brookshire | 6-2 | Junior | Guard | Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

- Made 32 appearances during his sophomore season at Iona.
- Helped the Gaels to the MAAC Regular-Season and Tournament Championship.
- Spent his freshman season at Missouri where he appeared in 18 games.

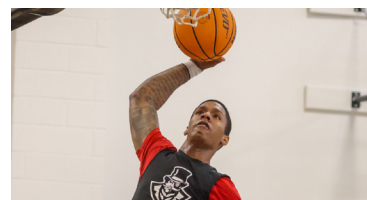


Jonathan Dunn | 6-7 | Sophomore | Forward | Florissant, Missouri

- Did not see action during his freshman season at Missouri State.
- Averaged 23.0 points, and 4.7 rebounds per game as a senior in high school.
- Big 8 East Player of the Year at Logan-Rogersville High School.

Hansel Enmanuel | 6-6 | Sophomore | Guard | Los Mina, Dominican Rep.

- Appeared in 20 games, starting the final five.
- Three-star recruit by 247Sports.com out of Life Christian Academy.
- Averaged 259.0 points, 6.9 assists and 3.4 blocks per game at LCA.



Jordan Wilmore | 7-3 | Senior | Center | Memphis, Tennessee

- Played in 28 games last season at Northwestern State, making 12 starts.
- Spent his first two seasons at Missouri where he appeared in 18 games.

AUSTIN PEAY MEN'S BASKETBALL

COLLEGIATE CAREER SUMMARIES

Harrison Black

Harrison Black				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds													
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
2021-22*	2	0	16	8.0	2	5	.400	1	3	.333	1	2	.500	0	0	0	0.0	3	0	2	0	0	0	6	3.0	
2022-23*	7	0	24	3.4	1	4	.250	0	3	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	4	2	0	0	2	0.3	
Total	9	0	40	4.4	3	8	.375	1	6	.167	1	2	.500	0	0	0	0.0	5	0	6	2	0	0	8	0.2	

Ja'Monta Black

Ja'Monta Black																										
					Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds												
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
2019-20*	32	32	622	19.4	37	96	.385	27	69	.391	1	5	.200	7	48	55	1.7	43	2	39	20	3	14	102	3.2	
2020-21*	24	24	747	31.1	76	190	.400	54	151	.358	24	32	.750	5	74	79	3.3	35	0	40	34	3	13	230	9.6	
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Total*	122	122	3419	28.0	366	922	.397	280	745	.376	111	136	.816	44	297	341	2.8	203	3	132	102	13	74	1123	9.2	

Anton Brookshire

Anton Brookshire				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds													
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
2021-22*	18	18	160	8.9	9	34	.265	4	26	.154	5	6	.833	1	13	14	0.8	14	0	14	16	0	6	27	1.5	
2022-23*	32	0	300	9.4	47	109	.431	31	80	.388	8	9	.889	6	29	35	1.1	19	0	13	10	2	6	133	4.2	
Total*	50	18	460	9.2	56	143	.392	35	106	.330	13	15	.876	7	36	49	1.0	33	0	27	26	2	12	160	3.2	

Anton Brookshire

Anton Brookshire																										
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg									
2022-23*	Did Not Play																									
Total*	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	

Hansel Enmanuel

Hansel Enmanuel				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds												
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2022-23*	20	5	164	8.2	14	26	.538	1	4	.250	5	13	.385	10	14	24	1.2	10	0	2	9	5	10	23	1.7
Total*	20	5	164	8.2	14	26	.538	1	4	.250	5	13	.385	10	14	24	1.2	10	0	2	9	5	10	23	1.7

Isaac Haney

Isaac Haney					Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds													
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg		
2021-22*	32	32	505	15.8	33	95	.347	18	54	.333	32	37	.865	10	67	77	2.4	59	0	25	26	0	21	116	3.6		
2022-23*	33	33	1112	33.7	121	316	.383	55	175	.314	67	93	.720	31	105	136	4.1	66	0	84	68	4	51	364	11.0		
Total*	55	55	1617	29.4	154	411	.375	73	229	.318	99	130	.762	41	172	213	3.9	125	0	109	94	4	72	480	8.7		

Dezi Jones

Dezi Jones				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds													
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
2020-21^	22	21	124	5.6	127	306	.415	54	152	.355	77	91	.846	25	76	101	4.6	1	0	103	52	6	42	385	17.5	
2021-22*	31	31	872	28.1	138	291	.474	46	131	.351	36	42	.857	15	82	97	3.1	59	2	94	71	2	35	358	11.6	
2022-23*	32	32	883	27.6	124	295	.420	60	144	.417	91	109	.840	16	103	119	3.7	57	1	121	86	10	35	399	12.5	
Total*	63	63	1755	27.9	262	586	.447	106	275	.386	127	151	.841	31	185	216	3.4	157	3	215	157	12	70	757	12.0	

Daniel Loos

Daniel Loos				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds												
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2020-21*	14	2	287	20.5	48	76	.632	0	0	.000	12	28	.429	15	34	49	3.5	34	3	11	19	3	7	108	7.7
2021-22*	26	21	658	25.3	149	248	.601	0	1	.000	36	81	.444	52	81	133	5.1	95	6	12	41	6	10	334	12.8
2022-23*	26	21	529	20.3	91	162	.562	0	0	.000	13	54	.241	55	74	129	5.0	77	5	17	52	10	9	195	7.5
Total	66	44	1474	22.3	288	486	.593	0	1	.000	61	163	.374	122	189	311	4.7	206	14	40	112	19	26	637	9.7

DeMarcus Sharp

DeMarcus Sharp				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds													
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
2018-19^	36	26	N/A	N/A	59	127	.465	28	64	.438	9	11	.818	23	81	104	3.0	11	0	59	20	22	51	155	4.4	
2019-20^	32	30	1048	32.7	195	413	.472	48	109	.440	89	116	.767	26	124	150	4.7	58	0	179	69	25	81	527	16.5	
2020-21*	21	12	655	31.2	70	139	.504	10	31	.323	22	31	.710	15	73	88	4.2	49	1	77	36	11	15	172	8.2	
2021-22*	8	5	174	21.8	15	36	.417	3	11	.273	7	14	.500	3	24	27	3.4	11	0	32	10	2	6	40	5.0	
2022-23*	33	33	1135	34.4	251	544	.461	29	53	.547	113	140	.807	30	134	164	5.0	80	1	165	82	26	64	644	19.5	
Total*	62	50	1964	31.7	336	719	.467	42	95	.442	142	185	.768	48	231	279	4.5	140	2	274	128	39	85	856	13.8	

COLLEGIATE CAREER SUMMARIES

Jalen Ware

Jalen Ware

					Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds													
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg		
2020-21^	10	8	226	22.6	47	92	.511	9	23	.391	8	12	.667	22	42	64	6.4	9	0	21	8	16	16	111	11.1		
2021-22	17	0	115	6.8	9	29	.310	0	11	.000	3	6	.500	16	11	27	1.6	10	0	1	2	1	5	21	1.2		
2022-23	28	12	569	20.3	54	110	.491	11	31	.355	25	44	.568	35	81	116	4.1	54	1	16	13	15	13	144	5.1		
Total	45	12	684	15.2	63	139	.453	11	42	.262	28	50	.560	51	92	143	3.2	64	1	17	15	16	18	165	3.7		

Jordan Wilmore

Jordan Wilmore

					Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds													
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg		
2020-21*	5	0	22	4.4	2	4	.500	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	5	6	1.2	6	0	1	2	0	0	4	0.8		
2021-22*	13	6	104	8.0	12	27	.444	0	0	.000	2	6	.333	7	15	22	1.7	23	0	2	10	6	2	26	2.0		
2022-23*	28	12	262	9.4	11	28	.393	0	0	.000	3	11	.273	24	36	60	2.1	55	0	1	12	14	9	25	0.9		
Total	46	18	380	8.3	25	59	.424	0	0	.000	5	16	.294	32	56	88	1.9	84	0	4	24	20	11	35	1.2		

Sai Witt

				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds														
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg		
2020-21*	20	19	607	30.4	128	226	.566	0	1	.000	61	112	.545	66	94	160	8.0	62	3	30	50	17	28	317	15.9		
2021-22*	Did Not Play Due to NCAA Transfer Rules (UTRGV)																										
2022-23*	20	19	590	29.5	91	198	.460	9	26	.346	78	121	.645	51	100	151	7.6	66	1	24	49	13	18	269	13.5		
Total	40	38	1197	29.9	219	424	.517	9	27	.333	139	233	.597	117	194	311	7.8	128	4	54	99	30	46	586	14.7		

^ - Junior/Community College stats via njcaa.org.; * - Previous four-year college stats via ncaa.org; Total career stats only include seasons at four-year colleges

AUSTIN PEAY MEN'S BASKETBALL

GOVERNORS RADIO/TV CHART



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DeMarcus Sharp

6-3, Gr., G
Charleston, Mo.
Northwestern State
Charleston HS



•1•

Sai Witt

6-8, Gr., F
Kansas City, Mo.
Lincoln (Mo.)
Raytown South HS



•2•

Dez White

6-2, Fr., G
Jefferson City, Mo.
The Skills Factory Prep



•3•

Isaac Haney

6-2, Jr., G
West Plains, Mo.
Northwestern State
Kickapoo HS



•4•

Ja'Monta Black

6-4, Gr., G
Columbia, Mo.
Northwestern State
Rock Bridge HS



•6•

Daniel Loos

6-6, Sr., F
Clarksville, Tenn.
Christian Brothers
Clarksville Academy



•8•

Jalen Ware

6-8, RJr., F
Winston-Salem, N.C.
Tallahassee CC
Walkertown HS



•10•

Harrison Black

5-8, Jr., G
Houston, Texas
Northwestern State
Sam Rayburn HS



•11•

Dezi Jones

5-10, Gr., G
Hannibal, Mo.
Quinnipiac
Hannibal HS



•12•

Anton Brookshire

6-2, Jr., G
Milwaukee, Wis.
Iona
Kickapoo HS



•14•

Jonathan Dunn

6-7, So., F
Florissant, Mo.
Missouri State
Logan-Rogersville HS



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Hansel Enmanuel

6-6, So., G
Los Mina, Dominican Rep.
Northwestern State
Life Christian Academy



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Jordan Wilmore

7-3, Sr., C
Memphis, Tenn.
Northwestern State
Whitehaven HS



Corey Gipson

Head Coach
First season



Rodney Hamilton

Associate Head Coach
First season



Tim Ward

Assistant Coach
First season



Jimmy Lincoln

Assistant Coach
First season



DEMARCUS SHARP

6-3 | Graduate Student | Guard

Charleston, Missouri | Northwestern State



Awards and Honors

2022-23 Southland Conference Player of the Year
 2022-23 Southland Conference Newcomer of the Year
 2022-23 First Team All-Southland Conference
 2022-23 Southland Conference All-Defensive Team
 2022-23 Louisiana State Writers Association Louisiana Newcomer of the Year
 2022-23 Louisiana State Writers Association Louisiana All-Louisiana First Team
 2022-23 Lou Henson National Player of the Year Award Finalist
 2023 NABC All-District 22
 2020-21 Missouri Valley Conference All-Newcomer Team
 Mid Major Madness National Player of the Week: Dec. 6, 2022
 College Insider's Lou Henson National Player of the Week: Dec. 5, 2022
 Southland Conference Player of the Week: Nov. 21, Dec. 5, 2022

Career Bests (Division I)

Points: 40, at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (2/25/23)
Rebounds: 12, McNeese (1/12/23)
Assists: 10, Lamar (1/28/23)
Steals: 6, at New Orleans (1/21/23)
Blocks: 2, at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (2/25/23)
FG made: 15, Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (3/8/23)
FG attempts: 31, Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (3/8/23)
3FG made: 4, at Lamar (2/4/23)
3FG attempts: 5, at Texas A&M (12/27/22)
FT made: 16, at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (2/25/23)
FT attempts: 17, at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi (2/25/23)

Career Recap: Northwestern State

2022-23

The 2022-23 Southland Conference Player and Newcomer of the Year... Was First Team All-Southland Conference and named to the Southland Conference All-Defensive Team... One of six players who come to Clarksville from Northwestern State under Governors' first-year head coach Corey Gipson... Led Northwestern State in scoring (644), assists (165), steals (64), blocks (26), field goals made (251) and attempted (544), three-point percentage (.547), and minutes (1,135) while starting all 33 games... Finished his senior season ranked in the top 100 nationally in nine statistical categories, including field goals attempted (11th), field goals made (15th), and points per game (32nd)... Scored at least 10 points 29 times, 20 points 16 times, 30 points six times, and 40 points once... Scored 19 points in Northwestern State's first win against an Associated Press Top 25 team at No. 15 TCU... Had his first 20-point performance following the upset against TCU with 23 points on 10-of-20 shooting at Illinois State... Scored 30+ points in back-to-back games against Stephen F. Austin and Southern Miss... Scored 24 second-half points in a 34-point performance against the Lumberjacks, leading the Demons to a 102-96 road win. Also went 16-of-17 from the charity stripe in the victory... Scored in double figures in 18-straight games Nov. 12-Jan.12... Scored a career-high 40 points at Texas A&M - Corpus Christi... Scored at least 30 points in both of NSU's Southland Conference Tournament games, including 32 points in the championship match on 15-of-31 shooting from the field.

Career Recap: Missouri State

2020-22

Started in 17-of-29 games during his two years at Missouri State where Gipson was the associate head coach... Averaged 8.2 points, 3.2 rebounds, and 3.7 assists per game while making 50.4 percent of his shots from the field in 21 appearances as a junior to earn Missouri Valley Conference All-Newcomer Team honors... Scored a season-high 21 points against Loyola Chicago... Was limited to eight games during his final season at Missouri State due to injury... Scored a season-high 12 points against Southeast Missouri in the season-opener of his junior season... Dished out a season-high eight assists against Alabama State.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year					Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2018-19 ^a	36	26	N/A	N/A	59	127	.465	28	64	.438	9	11	.818	23	81	104	3.0	11	0	59	20	22	51	155	4.4
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JA'MONTA BLACK

6-4 | Graduate Student | Guard

Columbia, Missouri | Northwestern State

Awards and Honors

2022-23 Second Team All-Southland Conference

Career Bests**Points:** 31, Houston Christian (1/26/23)**Rebounds:** 7, at Southeastern Louisiana (1/19/23)**Assists:** 6, at Southern Illinois (2/8/20)**Steals:** 4, Indiana State (1/3/21)**Blocks:** 1, at Lamar (2/4/23)**FG made:** 11, Houston Christian (1/26/23)**FG attempts:** 26, Houston Christian (1/26/23)**3FG made:** 9, Houston Christian (1/26/23)**3FG attempts:** 21, Houston Christian (1/26/23)**FT made:** 9, at Texas A&M-Commerce (2/9/23)**FT attempts:** 10, at Texas A&M-Commerce**Career Recap: Northwestern State**

2022-23 One of six players who come to Clarksville from Northwestern State under Governors' first-year head coach Corey Gipson... Was one of the best three-point shooters in the nation, finishing fourth in Division I with 122 triples and 3.81 three-pointers per game, both led the Southland Conference... A Second Team All-Southland Conference selection, broke Northwestern State's single-season and single-game three-point record with nine triples in a 31-point performance against Houston Christian... Started 32 games for the Demons, scoring in double figures 27 times, including a 17-game stretch Nov. 14-Jan. 26... Knocked down multiple triples in 27 games, including at least five 10 times... Shot 38.8 percent from the field, 37.4 percent from beyond the arc, and 86.4 percent from the charity stripe... Had his first of six 20-point outings with 25 points on seven three-pointers in a 64-63 win at No. 15 TCU – Northwestern State's first win against an Associated Press Top 25 team... Recorded his first of two 30-point performances with 31 points against Louisiana-Monroe.

Career Recap: Missouri State**2019-22**

A three-year letterwinner at Missouri State, where Governors' Gipson was the associate head coach... Started 75-of-90 games for the Bears, including 55-of-58 during his sophomore and junior season... Shot at least 35 percent beyond the arc during each season... Made 77 three-pointers during his junior season – the seventh-best mark in program history... Ranked sixth in the Missouri Valley Conference with 2.3 three-pointers a game and 10th in three-point percentage at 38.1.

Career Recap: Rock Bridge High School

A three-year letterwinner for Jim Scanlon at Rock Bridge High School... Led the Bruins to a 25-3 record and their first Missouri Class 5 State Championship during his senior season... Averaged 15.2 points, 4.2 rebounds, and 2.0 assists per game while hitting 80 three-pointers to earn Missouri All-State honors... Averaged 13.5 points, 3.8 rebounds, and 2.6 assists per game as a junior, leading RRHS to a third-place finish in the Class 5 State Championship... Rock Bridge's all-time three-point percentage leader, making 47.0 percent of his attempts from deep.

**CAREER STATISTICS**

	Total				3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds														
Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20*	32	32	622	19.4	37	96	.385	27	69	.391	1	5	.200	7	48	55	1.7	43	2	39	20	3	14	102	3.2
2020-21*	24	24	747	31.1	76	190	.400	54	151	.358	24	32	.750	5	74	79	3.3	35	0	40	34	3	13	230	9.6
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COREY GIPSON

Position: Head Coach • **Alma Mater:** Austin Peay, 2004

Experience: Second Season • **Career Record:** 22-11

at Austin Peay: First Season • **Career Record:** 0-0



Corey Gipson is coming home.

Vice President and Director of Athletics Gerald Harrison announced that Gipson has been named the 14th head men's basketball coach in Austin Peay State University history, March 2023

Gipson, a two-time Austin Peay graduate who played at Austin Peay for two seasons (2002-04) and worked as an assistant coach for Dave Loos for three seasons (2012-15), was the head coach at Northwestern State during the 2022-23 season. In his head coaching debut, Gipson turned around a Demons program that won nine games the year prior his arrival. He led the Demons to a 22-9 record, a win at then-No. 15 TCU, and a No. 2 seed in the Southland Conference Tournament.

In his lone year at Northwestern State, Gipson is a finalist for the Ben Jobe Award, which is presented annually to the nation's top Division I minority coach. He also is a finalist for the Hugh Durham Coach of the Year Award, which is annually given to the top DI mid-major head coach, and the Joe B. Hall Award, which is annually presented to the top first-time head coach at the DI level.

Gipson led the Demons to their first 20-win season in a decade and became the first coach in program history to win 20 games during their debut season. Gipson's 64-63 win at TCU, Nov. 14, also was the program's first win against an Associated Press Top 25 team since the 2006 NCAA Men's Basketball Championship.

Gipson also helped Northwestern State senior guard DeMarcus Sharp earn 2023 Southland Conference Player of the Year, Newcomer of the Year, and First Team All-Conference honors during his time in Natchitoches. Sharp also is a finalist for the Lou Henson Award, which is annually given to the top Division I mid-major basketball player. Sharp averaged 19.5 points per game during the 2022-23 season, which led the Southland and ranked 35 in the NCAA. Sharp also ranked 31st in the NCAA in assists (165), 41st in assists per game (5.0), and 31st in steals (64) – he ranked second in Southland in all three categories.

Under Gipson, Ja'Monta Black also earned Second Team All-Southland Conference recognition and proved to be one of the nation's top three-point shooters. During the 2022-23 season, Black ranked fourth in the NCAA in three-pointers per game (3.81), fourth in total threes made (122), and third in three-pointers attempted (326) – he led the Southland in all three categories.

Before his time at Northwestern State, Gipson spent seven years at Missouri State and was the Bears' associate head coach for six of those seasons. The Bears won 13 games during Gipson's first year in Springfield, before averaging 17.8 wins per season during his six years after being promoted to associate head coach.

During his time at Missouri State, Gipson coached three MVC Newcomers of the Year – Dequan Miller, Alize Johnson, and Tulio Da Silva – to go along with 10 All-MVC selections, seven MVC All-Newcomer Team selections, three MVC All-Freshman Team selections, four MVC All-Defensive Team selections, two MVC All-Bench Team selections, two MVC Most-Improved Team selections, and three MVC Scholar-Athlete Team selections.

Gipson was an assistant coach and recruiting coordinator at Austin Peay for three seasons. During that stint in Clarksville, Gipson helped develop 2013 Ohio Valley Conference Freshman of the Year Chris Horton, who finished his career as one of just 13 DI players to score 1,500 points, grab 1,000 rebounds, and block 300 shots. Horton holds the Austin Peay record with 325 blocked shots, ranks second in program history with 1,261 rebounds, and ranks sixth in scoring with 1,705 points.

Before coaching at his alma mater, Gipson three years at UNC Greensboro and served as the associate head coach for the final two seasons. Gipson began his coaching career at DI Virginia State, where he worked as an assistant coach for longtime Austin Peay assistant coach Tony Collins, who recruited Gipson to APSU.

As a player at Austin Peay, Gipson was a two-year starter at point guard, helping the Gobs become the top defensive team in the OVC in 2002-03 and 2003-04. The Gobs went 45-18 in his two seasons and Gipson never lost a game in the Winfield Dunn Center, with the Gobs going 27-0 at home during his time in Clarksville.

In his first game at Austin Peay, Gipson scored a team-high 19 points and led the Governors to an upset win at Memphis, beating the Tigers, 81-80, in overtime at the Memphis Pyramid. The Gobs went 23-8 in Gipson's first season, winning the 2003 OVC Regular-Season and Tournament Championships before falling to Louisville, 86-64, in the first round of the NCAA Men's Basketball Championship.

A native of Sikeston, Missouri, Gipson began his collegiate career at Three Rivers Community College, where he earned an associate's degree before transferring to Austin Peay. During his prep career at Richland High School, Gipson was a Missouri Mr. Basketball nominee during his senior season, where he averaged 30.9 points per game and earned all-state honors that season.





WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ABOUT COACH GIP

"Congratulations to Corey on going back home! Knowing Corey, he will bring an energy and excitement to the program that brings success!"

– **Two-Time NBA Champion, Kenny "The Jet" Smith**

"It's a full-circle moment! Gip came to our team when we needed him and we became champions! Now he's back and I couldn't be more excited!"

– **Austin Peay Men's Basketball Hall of Famer and Three-Time OVC Champion, Adrian Henning**

"In my 27 years at Austin Peay, Corey was one of the best competitors we had. He had a real toughness about him and was a terrific leader on our ball club. He was just a winner. He is a guy that I think people will really enjoy getting to know if they don't know him yet. You are going to see him in many more places than just on the basketball court because he is a big believer in community involvement and community service. He is just a really solid human being. I am real excited about Corey having this opportunity and accepting this opportunity to come back to Austin Peay. He is well-versed in the Clarksville community, I think he really enjoyed it here and it is exciting to have him come back and take over the leadership of this program."

– **Austin Peay and OVC Hall of Fame Head Coach, Dave Loos**

"It's a great day to be a Gov, isn't it!? It is not only a great day to be a Gov, but to welcome home a Gov. Welcome back, Corey Gipson! The criteria we went with was that I wanted someone who was successful, understood the true role of a student-athlete, gritty, passionate, committed to all aspects of the Total Gov Concept, committed to the mission of Austin Peay State University, but also committed to being a resident of Clarksville. We had over 50 qualified coaches that displayed an interest... but there was only one for us at this time: A Gov, a student-athlete, a graduate assistant, an adjunct professor and an assistant coach."

– **Austin Peay Vice President and Director of Athletics, Gerald Harrison**

COREY'S CAREER

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- 1 National Postseason Tournament Appearance (Associate Head Coach)
 - NIT - 2021-22
- Two All-Conference selections (Head Coach)
 - Demarcus Sharp (Defensive Team, First Team All-Southland Conference)
 - Ja'Monta Black (Second Team All-Southland Conference)
- 2022-23 Southland Conference Player of the Year (DeMarcus Sharp)
- 2022-23 Southland Conference Newcomer of the Year (DeMarcus Sharp)
- 10 All-Conference selections (Associate Head Coach)
- 7 All-Newcomer Team selections (Associate Head Coach)
- 4 All-Defensive Team selections (Associate Head Coach)
- 3 All-Freshman Team selections (Associate Head Coach)
- Three Missouri Valley Newcomers of the Year (Associate Head Coach)
 - Dequon Miller, Alize Johnson, Tulio Da Silva
- 1 Ohio Valley Conference Freshman of the Year (Assistant Coach)
 - Chris Horton
- Three Conference Championships (Player)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2005-09: Virginia State (assistant coach)
 2009-12: UNC Greensboro (assistant coach)
 2012-15: Austin Peay (assistant coach)
 2015-22: Missouri State (assistant and Associate Head Coach)
 2022-23: Northwestern State
 2023-Current: Austin Peay

EDUCATION

Austin Peay (B.S., Healthcare Management), 2004
 Austin Peay (M.S., Public Health), 2005