

EKU[®] 2022-23 Game Notes

EASTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

COLONEL BASKETBALL

Eastern Kentucky vs. Jacksonville State | Feb. 2 | 7:30 p.m. ET | Richmond, Ky. | Baptist Health Arena (6,500)

14-9
OVERALL

7-3
ASUN

A.W. Hamilton
HEAD COACH

RECORD AT EKU // 5TH: **78-69**
OVERALL // 11TH: **315-91**
VERSUS JSU: **4-4**

GAME 24

10-13
OVERALL

3-7
ASUN

Ray Harper
HEAD COACH

RECORD AT JSU // 6TH: **129-89**
OVERALL // 23RD: **560-216**
VERSUS EKU: **6-6**

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QUICK NOTES

- EKU men's basketball is branded as the "Most Exciting 40 Minutes In Sports." The goal is to lead the country in scoring, 3-pointers made, assists, steals and forced turnovers.
- The program record for blocks in a season is 122 by the 2004-05 team. This year's team currently has 106 blocks.
- The Colonels are first in the conference, and eighth in the country, in rebounds (40.22/game).
- The Colonels lead the ASUN and are third in the nation with 13.78 offensive rebounds per game.
- The Gamecocks have held their opponents to 69.9 points per game. In its last two games combined, JSU shot 51 percent from the field and were +20 in rebounding.
- EKU is 39th in the country in blocks per game (4.61).
- Michael Moreno moved into 15th place on EKU's all-time rebounds list with nine rebounds on Thursday. He is two points away from moving into 20th place on the program's scoring list.
- EKU is 6-1 this season when scoring 80-plus points and 48-14 (.774) under A.W. Hamilton when scoring 80-plus.
- Devontae Blanton posted his second double-double in three games, finishing with 22 points and 13 rebounds against Bellarmine.
- Michael Moreno was chosen as the ASUN Player of the Week on Jan. 16 and Isaiah Cozart was picked as the ASUN Newcomer of the Week.
- When junior Michael Moreno hit a 3-pointer with 9:50 left in the game against UNC Asheville, he became the 37th member of EKU's 1,000-point club.
- Michael Moreno earned a spot on the Preseason All-ASUN Team as selected by the league's head coaches.
- In voting by fans, Michael Moreno was voted as ASUN Pre-season Player of the Year.
- EKU's 2022 recruiting class was ranked as high as 65th in the country by 247Sports, higher than such programs as Kansas St. (68th), Pittsburgh (74th), Connecticut (75th), Georgia (81st) and Oklahoma State (83rd).
- CBB Nation rated three Colonels among the top eight freshmen in the ASUN. Leland Walker was ranked first, Tayshawn Comer third and Turner Buttry fourth.

Eastern Kentucky University Probable Starters (based on previous game)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown	G/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	Last Game
1	Tayshawn Comer	G	6-1	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind.	23/23	6.3	2.1	3.9	3 pts, 6 assts, 0 TOs
5	Cooper Robb	G	6-1	Sr.	Georgetown, Ky.	23/22	7.7	4.3	1.8	4 pts, 5 rebs, 1 asst
14	Devontae Blanton	W	6-6	Jr.	Macedonia, Ohio	23/23	15.6	6.7	2.7	22 pts, 13 rebs, 1 asst
24	Michael Moreno	F	6-7	Jr.	Georgetown, Ky.	23/23	12.7	6.3	1.9	11 pts, 7 rebs, 4 assts, 0 TOs
50	Isaiah Cozart	F	6-7	Sr.	Richmond, Ky.	23/23	8.3	7.1	0.3	6 pts, 4 rebs, 2 blks
0	Turner Buttry	G	5-11	Fr.	Bowling Green, Ky.	20/0	3.8	0.5	0.5	2 pts, 5 min
2	Leland Walker	G	6-1	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind.	23/1	10.0	1.9	2.7	20 pts, 2 rebs, 2 assts
3	DaShawn Jackson	G	6-3	So.	Lexington, Ky.	16/0	3.9	1.3	0.9	3 pts, 1 reb, 2 stls, 1 asst
11	Jackson Holt	G	6-4	Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio	10/0	2.9	0.8	0.8	Did Not Play
12	Michael Wardy	G	6-7	Sr.	Lincoln, Neb.	12/0	3.2	1.9	0.3	0 pts, 2 rebs, 1 blk, 7 min
14	John Ukomadu	F	6-7	Jr.	Southfield, Mich.	23/0	5.7	3.8	0.6	2 pts, 0 rebs, 8 min
15	Dardan Kapiti	F	6-10	Jr.	Prishtina, Kosovo	21/0	4.0	2.3	0.5	Did Not Play
20	Bryson Perry	G	5-9	So.	Richmond, Ky.	--	--	--	--	Did Not Play
21	David Onanina	C	6-8	Fr.	Yaounde, Cameroon	--	--	--	--	Did Not Play
55	Taelon Martin	G	6-5	Jr.	Springfield, Mass.	2/0	1.0	0.0	0.0	Did Not Play

2022-23 Schedule

NOVEMBER

7	MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	ESPN+	W	137-52
10	WESTERN KENTUCKY	ESPN+	L	60-66
13	at Cincinnati	ESPN+	L	69-87
18	at Georgia State@	ESPN+	W	62-61
19	vs. UNC Asheville@		W	77-75
20	vs. Texas A&M - Commerce@		L	61-75
23	BRESCIA	ESPN+	W	122-84

DECEMBER

2	at James Madison	ESPN+	L	80-97
7	at No. 7 Tennessee	SECN	L	49-84
10	BOYCE COLLEGE	ESPN+	W	140-79
14	at Northern Kentucky	ESPN+	L	61-64
17	RADFORD	ESPN+	W	67-65
22	UNC GREENSBORO	ESPN+	W	68-64
31	QUEENS*	ESPN+	W	88-83

JANUARY

2	at Kennesaw State*	ESPN+	L	75-79
5	at Central Arkansas*	ESPN+	W	77-75
8	LIBERTY*	ESPN+	W	62-59
12	FLORIDA GULF COAST*	ESPN+	W	97-76
14	STETSON*	ESPN+	W	85-70
19	at Lipscomb*	ESPN+	L	62-75
21	at Austin Peay*	ESPN+	W	74-59
26	at Bellarmine*	ESPN+	L	71-72
28	BELLARMINE*	ESPN+	W	73-63

FEBRUARY

2	JACKSONVILLE STATE*	ESPN+	7:30 pm
4	KENNESAW STATE*	ESPN+	7 pm
9	at Queens*	ESPN+	7 pm
11	at Liberty*	ESPN+	7 pm
16	CENTRAL ARKANSAS*	ESPN+	7:30 pm
18	NORTH ALABAMA*	ESPN+	7 pm
22	at North Florida*	ESPN+	7 pm
24	at Jacksonville*	ESPN+	7 pm
27	ASUN Tournament (1st Round)	ESPN+	TBD
28	ASUN Tournament (Quarters)	ESPN+	TBD

MARCH

2	ASUN Tournament (Semis)	ESPN+	TBD
5	ASUN Tournament (Finals)	ESPN	TBD

Home Games In **Bold CAPS**
 * Denotes ASUN Conference Game
 @ Denotes Capital Classic hosted by Georgia State (Atlanta, Ga.)
 Times given are Eastern Time and subject to change
 Rankings are AP/Coaches

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MEDIA SERVICES

CREDENTIALS

Credentials are issued to members of the working media only. Requests for credentials should be made to Kevin Britton.

COACHES INTERVIEWS

All interviews with head coach A.W. Hamilton and all assistant coaches must be arranged through the EKUSports Communications office. Please contact Kevin Britton to arrange all interviews.

PLAYER INTERVIEWS

All interviews with EKU men's basketball players must be arranged through the EKUSports Communications office. Please contact Kevin Britton to arrange all interviews.

PRACTICE

EKU men's basketball practices are generally open to the media. Media members should arrange all interviews through the EKUSports Communications office by contacting Kevin Britton.

POST-GAME INTERVIEWS

For home games, coach Hamilton and selected EKU players will be available in the media room after a brief cooling off period, generally 10 minutes after the game. For road games, coach Hamilton and selected players will be available outside the team's locker room, following the cooling off period. Please direct post-game interview requests to Kevin Britton.

Locker Room - The EKU locker room is closed to the media for all home and road games.

PRESS ROW SERVICE

Complete individual and team statistics and play-by-play will be available to the media following the game. One hour prior to tip-off, media packets containing a game program, flipcard, updated stats and game notes will be available in the media working area. Wireless internet access is available in Baptist Health Arena.

ASUN CONFERENCE MEDIA RELATIONS

Name ASUN Conference (NOT - Atlantic Sun)
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NOTE: Individual player notes are located on the player pages (pages 8-22).

MOST EXCITING 40 MINUTES IN SPORTS

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ASUN ATTENDANCE LEADERS

Eastern Kentucky leads the ASUN Conference with an average home attendance of 3,347 per game. Liberty is second (3,065), Bellarmine (2,341) is third and Florida Gulf Coast is fourth (2,305).

HITTING HALF

The Colonels shot 50 percent (28-for-56) from the field in the win over Bellarmine (Jan. 28).

RECORD WATCH - BLOCKS

The program record for blocks in a season is 122 by the 2004-05 team. The program mark for average blocks in a season was set by the 1983-84 team at 4.41. This year's team currently has 106 blocks and is averaging 4.61 per game.

CLEANING THE BOARDS

The Colonels are first in the conference, and eighth in the country, in rebounds (40.22/game).

OFFENSIVE BOARDS

The Colonels lead the ASUN and are sixth in the nation with 13.78 offensive rebounds per game.

BLOCK PARTY

The Colonels blocked 11 shots against Queens (Dec. 31). EKU is 39th in the country in blocks per game (4.61).

TOP THEIVES

The Colonels are tops in the ASUN, and 35th in the country, in steals with 8.65 per game.

HELP FROM THE BENCH

EKU is 19th in the nation in bench points, averaging 28.52 points off the bench per game.

TOP SCORERS

EKU is second in the ASUN, and is 34th in the nation, in scoring at 79.00 points per game.

LEAGUE LEADING SWATTERS

Eastern Kentucky leads the ASUN Conference with 4.61 blocks per game. Individually, Isaiah Cozart (2.13) is first and Dardan Kapiti (1.00) is fifth in the ASUN.

80 = WIN FOR COLONELS

EKU is 6-1 this season when scoring 80-plus points. The Colonels are 48-14 (.774) under A.W. Hamilton.

EASTERN KENTUCKY vs. JACKSONVILLE STATE - TEAM COMPARISONS

JACKSONVILLE ST. (10-13, 3-7 ASUN)

Team Statistics	JSU	OPP
Scoring Offense	69.0	69.9
Scoring Margin	-0.9	---
FG Percentage	.438	.438
3-Pt. FG Percentage	.369	.356
Free Throw Percentage	.684	.745
Rebounds Per Game	35.1	32.3
Rebound Margin	+2.9	---
Assists Per Game	12.7	14.2
Turnovers Per Game	13.0	11.7
Turnover Margin	-1.3	---
Steals Per Game	5.8	6.2
Blocks Per Game	2.6	2.3

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

SCORING	GM	Pts.	PPG
Demaree King	23	335	14.6
Skyelar Potter	23	312	13.6
Juwan Perdue	23	190	8.3
Amanze Ngumazi	15	108	7.2

REBOUNDS	GM	Reb.	RPG
Juwan Perdue	23	158	6.9
Clarence Jackson	18	79	4.4

ASSISTS	GM	Asst.	APG
Demaree King	23	71	3.09
Peyton Daniels	19	44	2.32

EASTERN KENTUCKY (14-9, 7-3 ASUN)

Team Statistics	EKU	OPP
Scoring Offense	79.0	72.3
Scoring Margin	+6.7	---
FG Percentage	.438	.426
3-Pt. FG Percentage	.360	.333
Free Throw Percentage	.643	.734
Rebounds Per Game	40.2	37.5
Rebound Margin	+2.7	---
Assists Per Game	15.8	14.8
Turnovers Per Game	12.2	15.0
Turnover Margin	+2.9	---
Steals Per Game	8.7	6.4
Blocks Per Game	4.6	2.9

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

SCORING	GM	Pts.	PPG
Devontae Blanton	23	359	15.6
Michael Moreno	23	292	12.7
Leland Walker	23	229	10.0
Isaiah Cozart	23	192	8.3

REBOUNDS	GM	Reb.	RPG
Isaiah Cozart	23	164	7.1
Devontae Blanton	23	153	6.7

ASSISTS	GM	Asst.	APG
Tayshawn Comer	23	89	3.9
Leland Walker	23	62	2.7



NCAA TEAM RANKINGS (through 1/30/23)

Team Statistics	EKU	JSU
Scoring Offense	34	241
Scoring Defense	256	189
Scoring Margin	100	249
FG Percentage	225	221
FG Percentage Defense	134	204
3-Pt. FG Per Game	17	42
3-Pt. FG Percentage	79	47
3-Pt. FG Pct. Defense	170	284
Free Throw Percentage	331	265
Rebound Margin	127	118
Assists Per Game	31	216
Assist/Turnover Ratio	47	225
Blocks Per Game	39	263
Steals Per Game	35	253
Turnovers Margin	40	280
Turnovers Forced	55	272
Turnovers Per Game	125	203
Fewest Personal Fouls/Game	104	104

352 Division I teams



EKU Career 3-Point FG Leaders

Player	Years	3FGs
1. Matt Witt	2002-06	283
2. Mike Rose	2005-09	271
3. Michael Moreno	2019-	243
4. Ben Rushing	2001-05	210
Justin Stommes	2007-11	210
6. Joshua Jones	2008-12	200
7. Glenn Cosey	2012-14	195
8. Josh Taylor	2006-10	187
9. Arlando Johnson	1991-95	179
Adam Leonard	2006-08	179

EKU Preseason Quick Facts

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Name	Eastern Kentucky University
Location	Richmond, Ky.
Founded/Enrollment	1906/14,312
Nickname	Colonels
Colors	Maroon (PMS 209) and White
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	ASUN Conference
Arena (Capacity)	Baptist Health Arena (6,500)
Press Row Phone	(859) 622-5908
President	Dr. David T. McFaddin
Vice Pres. & Director of Athletics	Matt Roan
Senior Woman Administrator	Rachel Slone
Ticket Office Phone Number	(859) 622-2122

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	A.W. Hamilton
Alma Mater	Marshall, 2005
Record at EKU (Years)	64-60 (4)
Career Record (Years)	301-82 (10)
Assistant Coach	Mike Allen (5th Season)
Alma Mater	Ohio, 2009
Assistant Coach	Patrick Blake (4th Season)
Alma Mater	Louisville, 2009
Assistant Coach	Steve Lepore (5th Season)
Alma Mater	Wake Forest, 2003
Dir. of Operations	Mason Cooper (3rd Season)
Alma Mater	Eastern Kentucky, 2020

2020-21 SEASON IN REVIEW

2021-22 Record	13-18
ASUN Conference	5-11
Conference Finish	5th West/t-10th of 12 teams
Starters Returning/Lost	3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	5/10
Newcomers	9

HISTORY

All-Time Record	1,319-1,221
NCAA Tournament Appearances	8
Conference Regular Season Championships	6
Conference Tournament Championships	6

ton when scoring 80-plus.

PEOPLE WANT TO SEE THE COLONELS

For the second straight season, EKU has set a new program record for season tickets. The crowd of 6,303 for the Western Kentucky game (Nov. 10) was the largest in more than 20 seasons.

PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE

Michael Moreno earned a spot on the ASUN Preseason All-Conference Team as selected by the league's head coaches.

FAN FAVORITES

In voting by fans, Michael Moreno was voted as ASUN Preseason Player of the Year.

HIGHLY RANKED RECRUITING CLASS

EKU's 2022 recruiting class was ranked as high as 65th in the country by 247Sports and includes the program's first-ever ESPN four-star freshman recruit, a former four-star high school prospect, a three-star freshman point guard, a former three-star high school forward, a three-star freshman center, a junior college All-American and Kentucky's Mr. Basketball.

The class was ranked higher than such programs as Kansas State (68th), Pittsburgh (74th), Connecticut (75th), Georgia (81st), Oklahoma State (83rd), Mississippi State (87th) and North Carolina State (95th). It is the highest rated Eastern Kentucky class in the internet recruiting era.

60TH SEASON OF HOOPS AT AC

Eastern Kentucky is celebrating the 60th anniversary of Alumni Coliseum and Baptist Health Arena during the 2022-23 season.

Double-Digit Leaders

Double-Figure Scoring Games

	2022-23		Career	
	No.	Record	No.	Record
Devontae Blanton	19	12-7	40	24-16
Turner Buttry	2	2-0	2	2-0
Tayshawn Comer	6	3-3	6	3-3
Isaiah Cozart	10	8-2	10	8-2
Jackson Holt	1	1-0	1	1-0
DaShawn Jackson	3	2-1	4	3-1
Dardan Kapiti	2	2-0	2	2-0
Michael Moreno	15	12-3	62	40-22
Cooper Robb	10	6-4	34	23-11
John Ukomadu	4	3-1	4	3-1
Leland Walker	12	8-4	12	8-4
Michael Wardy	-	0-0	3	3-0

Double-Figure Rebounding Games

	2022-23		Career	
	No.	Record	No.	Record
Devontae Blanton	4	3-1	9	5-4
Isaiah Cozart	5	3-2	5	3-2
Michael Moreno	1	0-1	7	2-5
Cooper Robb	-	0-0	1	0-1

A special set of logos were created to mark the celebration. Alumni Coliseum is set to undergo a complete renovation following the 2022-23 season.

In June of 1961, Governor Bert Combs and Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson joined EKU President Dr. Robert Martin in a ground-breaking ceremony for Alum-

2022-23 Eastern Kentucky Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown (Previous School)
0	Turner Buttry	G	5-11	165	Fr.	Bowling Green, Ky. (Bowling Green HS)
1	Tayshawn Comer	G	6-1	190	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Cathedral HS)
2	Leland Walker	G	6-1	185	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. (Hargrave Military Academy)
3	Dashawn Jackson	G	6-3	196	Fr.	Lexington, Ky. (Frederick Douglass HS)
5	Cooper Robb	G	6-1	184	Jr.	Georgetown, Ky. (UNC Charlotte)
10	Devontae Blanton	W	6-6	214	Fr.	Macedonia, Ohio (St. Edward HS)
11	Jackson Holt	G	6-4	185	Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Moravian Prep)
12	Michael Wardy	F	6-7	203	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southeast Community College)
14	John Ukomadu	F	6-7	195	Jr.	Southfield, Mich. (Macomb Community College)
15	Dardan Kapiti	F	6-10	213	Jr.	Prishtina, Kosovo (Florida Atlantic University)
20	Bryson Perry	G	5-9	158	So.	Richmond, Ky. (Mount St. Joseph University)
21	David Onanina	C	6-8	230	Fr.	Yaoundé, Cameroon (Bishop O'Connell HS)
24	Michael Moreno	F	6-7	225	So.	Georgetown, Ky. (Scott County HS)
50	Isaiah Cozart	F	6-7	240	Sr.	Richmond, Ky. (Western Kentucky University)
55	Taelon Martin	G	6-5	180	Jr.	Springfield, Mass. (College of Southern Idaho)

Devontae Blanton	duh-VON-tay	Dardan Kapiti	Dar-DAN Kuh-PEE-tee	David Onanina	000-nah-knee-na
Turner Buttry	BUT-tree		(Prish-TINA)		(Yau-OON-day)
Tayshawn Comer	CO-mer	Taelon Martin	TAY-lon	John Ukomadu	YUKE-uh-mod-oh
Isaiah Cozart	CO-zart	Michael Moreno	Mor-AY-no	Leland Walker	LEE-land
DaShawn Jackson	duh-SHAWN				

Preseason Recognition

Team

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Individual

Michael Moreno

- ASUN Preseason All-Conference by league coaches
- Voted ASUN Preseason Player of the Year by fans

Leland Walker

- Ranked by @CBBNation247 as the No. 1 freshman in the ASUN Conference

Tayshawn Comer

- Ranked by @CBBNation247 as the No. 3 freshman in the ASUN Conference

Turner Buttry

- Ranked by @CBBNation247 as the No. 4 freshman in the ASUN Conference

ni Coliseum. The first basketball game was played in AC on Dec. 4, 1963 with the men's team handing the Louisville a 78-65 defeat. One of the most exciting games at AC came on March 3, 1979 when EKU's Dave Tierney converted two free throws with no time left on the clock to beat Western Kentucky, 78-77, in the conference tournament championship game.

The coliseum features a great triumph in architectural design with its wooden laminated cross-arched roof — the world's largest of its kind — spanning 309 feet. A total of 616,276 board feet of lumber form the 170 beams and roof, which arches gracefully 81 feet above the floor level. The wood is southern pine finished in its natural beauty.

THREE OF THE BEST FRESHMEN

CBB Nation rated three Colonels among the top eight incoming freshmen in the ASUN Conference. Leland Walker was ranked first, Tayshawn Comer third and Turner Buttry fourth.

34 PROGRAM RECORDS

Since A.W. Hamilton became head coach before the 2018-19 season, the Colonels have broken 34 program records.

#3KU

According to Hoop Power Analytics, from 2011 through the 2021-22 season, EKU had 101 games with 10 or more 3-pointers made. Only 12 programs did it more during that span.

SERIES HISTORY

The Colonels lead the all-time series with Jacksonville State 24-14. EKU is 15-3 against the Gamecocks in Richmond. JSU has won two straight, but the Colonels have won three of the last five.

LAST TIME THEY PLAYED

Michael Moreno hit six 3-pointers and scored 23 points, but EKU lost to first-place Jacksonville State, 81-68, on Feb. 23, 2022 in Jacksonville, Alabama.

Moreno finished the game 8-of-16 from the field, grabbed six rebounds and had two steals. Cooper Robb had eight points, six assists and four boards.

EKU shot 38 percent from the field while JSU hit on 58 percent of its shots. The Colonels had 10 steals on the

A Closer Look At The EKU Record

Overall	Under Hamilton	22-23
Overall	78-69	14-9
Home	51-17	10-1
Away	21-45	3-7
Neutral	6-7	1-1
ASUN (Regular Season)	12-14	7-3
OVC (Regular Season)	32-22	---

Monthly Records

November	17-15	4-3
December	17-15	4-3
January	23-17	6-3
February	19-18	0-0
March	2-4	0-0

Daily Records

Sunday	1-4	1-2
Monday	7-3	1-1
Tuesday	8-6	0-0
Wednesday	7-6	1-2
Thursday	23-14	3-3
Friday	3-8	1-1
Saturday	29-28	7-0

EKU's Record When ...

Winning the tip	45-33	9-5
Losing the tip	33-36	5-4

Leading at halftime	63-11	12-2
Trailing at halftime	13-56	2-7
Tied at halftime	2-2	0-0

EKU scores first	53-27	9-3
Opponent scores first	26-41	5-6
Leading with 5 minutes to play	67-6	12-2
Trailing with 5 minutes to play	9-62	2-7
Tied with 5 minutes to play	2-1	0-0

EKU scores less than 60 points	1-6	0-1
EKU scores 60-69 points	9-22	4-5
EKU scores 70-79 points	20-27	4-2
EKU scores 80 or more	48-14	6-1

Decided by 3 points or less	17-12	5-2
Decided by 4-10 points	23-21	3-2
Decided by 11 or more points	38-36	6-5

EKU shoots 60% or better	1-0	0-0
EKU shoots 50-59%	23-2	3-0
EKU shoots 40-49%	39-26	10-4
EKU shoots less than 40%	16-40	1-5

EKU makes more 3-point FGs	59-37	7-3
Opp. makes more 3-point FGs	16-23	6-3
3-point FGs are even	3-9	1-3

EKU out-rebounds opponent	34-8	10-3
Opponent out-rebounds EKU	41-60	4-6
Rebounds are even	3-1	0-0

Committing fewer turnovers	59-43	7-4
Committing more turnovers	16-20	5-3
Turnovers are even	3-6	2-2

One Overtime	5-2	0-0
Double Overtime	0-2	0-0
Triple Overtime	1-0	0-0

2022-23 Individual Awards

Capitol Classic All-Tournament Team

Devontae Blanton Dec. 20

ASUN Newcomer of the Week

Michael Moreno Jan. 16

ASUN Newcomer of the Week

Leland Walker Dec. 12

Isaiah Cozart Jan. 16

EKU Winningest Seasons

	Wins	Year	(Reg. Season)
1.	25	2012-13	23
2.	24	2013-14	21
3.	22	2020-21	21
	22	2004-05	19
5.	21	2014-15	19
	21	2006-07	18
	21	1978-79	19
	21	1946-47	18
	21	1945-46	18
10.	20	2009-10	20
	20	1944-45	17

The Dunk Diary

Dunks

	19-20	20-21	21-22	22-23	TOT
Devontae Blanton				2	2
Tayshawn Comer				1	1
Isaiah Cozart				35	35
Dardan Kapiti				6	6
Cooper Robb				1	1
John Ukomadu				20	20
Leland Walker				1	1
Michael Wardy			32	4	36

EKU In The ASUN Stats

SCORING OFFENSE		Avg.
2. Eastern Kentucky		79.00
SCORING DEFENSE		Avg.
10. Eastern Kentucky		72.35
SCORING MARGIN		Mar.
3. Eastern Kentucky		+6.65
FT PERCENTAGE		Pct.
14. Eastern Kentucky		64.3
FG PERCENTAGE		Pct.
11. Eastern Kentucky		43.8
FG PCT DEFENSE		Pct.
5. Eastern Kentucky		42.6
3-POINT FG PCT		Pct.
8. Eastern Kentucky		36.0
3-PT FG PCT DEFENSE		Pct.
5. Eastern Kentucky		33.3
REBOUNDING OFF.		Avg.
1. Eastern Kentucky		40.22
REBOUNDING DEF.		Avg.
12. Eastern Kentucky		37.52
REBOUND MARGIN		Mar.
6. Eastern Kentucky		+2.70
BLOCKED SHOTS		Blocks Avg.
1. Eastern Kentucky	106	4.61
ASSISTS		Assists Avg.
2. Eastern Kentucky	363	15.78
STEALS		Steals Avg.
2. Eastern Kentucky	199	8.65
TURNOVER MARGIN		TM OPP Mar.
2. Eastern Kentucky	12.17 15.04	+2.87
ASSIST/TO RATIO		Asst Turn Ratio
4. Eastern Kentucky	15.78 12.17	1.30
OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS		No. Avg.
1. Eastern Kentucky	317	13.78
DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS		No. Avg.
4. Eastern Kentucky	608	26.43
3-POINT FG MADE		3FG Avg.
4. Eastern Kentucky	222	9.65

Through Games Played on 2-1-23

night, leading to 14 Gamecock turnovers.

Darian Adams led all players with 27 points, on 11-of-18 shooting, for Jacksonville State.

BEATING THE "BEST"

Over a seven day period, ECU beat Liberty (3-0 ASUN), Florida Gulf Coast (3-1 ASUN) and Stetson (5-0 ASUN) by an average margin of 13 points per game. Those three opponents were a combined 11-1 in conference play before facing the Colonels.

11-0 RUN CHANGES EVERYTHING

With the game against Liberty (Jan. 8) tied 46-46, ECU went on an 11-0 run. The Colonels scored on four straight possessions. Turner Buttry hit back-to-back 3-pointers, Devontae Blanton hit a trey and Leland Walker sank a jumper.

LIMITING LIBERTY

Liberty came into the game on Jan. 8 averaging the most 3-pointers in the nation (12.3/game). Eastern Kentucky held the Flames to 4-for-23 from long range (17.4 percent). LU's Darius McGhee, who was sixth in the country in scoring at 22 points per game, was limited to seven points on 2-for-11 shooting from the field.

2ND HALF DEFENSE

In the comeback win over Radford, the Colonels held the Highlanders to 31 percent shooting from the field, including 2-of-10 from 3-point range, in the second half. The ECU defense also forced nine turnovers in the second period.

WE LIKE TO HELP

With 35 assists against Boyce (Dec. 10), Eastern Kentucky came up two assists short of matching the program record. The record of 37 was set against Sewanee on Feb. 21, 1979.

PASSING 30 AND 35

Michael Moreno scored 35 points against Boyce (Dec. 10), the first Colonel to score 30 or more in a game since Wendell Green Jr. put in 30 against Austin Peay on Jan. 2, 2021. Moreno is the first to score 35 or more in a game since Jomaru Brown totaled 37 against Tennessee State on Jan. 18, 2020.

8 IS ENOUGH

Eight Colonels scored in double figures against Boyce (Dec. 10) -- Michael Moreno (35), Leland Walker (21), Dardan Kapiti (13), Isaiah Cozart (13), DaShawn Jackson (11), John Ukomadu (11), Devontae Blanton (10) and Cooper Robb (10). It's the first time eight have reached double figures in a game since Nov. 12, 2019 against Ohio Chillicothe.

SLOWING NO. 7 TENNESSEE

ECU scored the first five points of the game, led by two eight minutes in and held No. 7 Tennessee to 24 percent shooting in the first half. The Volunteers hit just 5-of-28 from the field (18 percent) to start the game and

Colonels In The ASUN Stats

SCORING		G	Pts	Avg.
6. Devontae Blanton	23	359	15.61	
17. Michael Moreno	23	292	12.70	
REBOUNDING		G	Reb	Avg.
3. Isaiah Cozart	23	164	7.13	
7. Devontae Blanton	23	153	6.65	
12. Michael Moreno	23	144	6.26	
FG PERCENTAGE		FG	FGA	Pct.
2. Devontae Blanton	143	308	46.4	
ASSISTS		G	Assists	Avg.
7. Tayshawn Comer	23	89	3.78	
FT PERCENTAGE		FTM	FTA	Pct.
STEALS		G	Steals	Avg.
1. Cooper Robb	23	41	1.78	
9. Tayshawn Comer	23	32	1.39	
3-POINT FG PCT		FG	FGA	Pct.
4. Michael Moreno	69	167	41.3	
3-POINT FG MADE		G	3FG	Avg.
t3. Michael Moreno	23	69	3.00	
BLOCKED SHOTS		G	Blocks	Avg.
1. Isaiah Cozart	23	49	2.13	
5. Dardan Kapiti	21	21	1.00	
ASSIST/TO RATIO		Asst	Turn	Ratio
7. Tayshawn Comer	89	45	1.98	
OFF. REBOUNDS		G	Reb	Avg.
2. Isaiah Cozart	23	67	2.91	
9. Devontae Blanton	23	48	2.09	
13. Michael Moreno	23	43	1.87	
DEF. REBOUNDS		G	Reb	Avg.
7. Devontae Blanton	23	105	4.57	
t11. Michael Moreno	23	101	4.39	
15. Isaiah Cozart	23	97	4.22	
MINUTES PLAYED		G	Min	Avg.

Through Games Played on 2-1-23

were held to 8-of-34 shooting in the first half. The Colonels forced 10 turnovers in the first 20 minutes of play.

TOUGH AGAINST THE DUKES

The Colonels out-rebounded James Madison 35-34 and committed one less turnover, 15-14. JMU came into the game averaging 6.8 fewer turnovers than its foes.

GETTING DEFENSIVE

After allowing 43 points in the first half against Georgia State, the Colonels tightened up defensively and only allowed 18 points in the second, including holding the Panthers to 0-for-6 shooting from 3-point range.

CAPITOL CLASSIC CHAMPS?

There was no official champion of the Capitol Classic. ECU and Georgia State both finished 2-1, but the Colonels beat the Panthers head-to-head. UNC Asheville

and Texas A&M - Commerce both went 1-2 at the event.

COMEBACK IN CINCY

Eastern Kentucky trailed Cincinnati (Nov. 13) by 23 points, 42-19, with 4:47 left in the first half. The Colonels then outscored the Bearcats 33-15 to close within five points, 57-52, with 13:55 remaining in the game. ECU was down just six, 73-67, with 4:12 to go before ECU ended the game on a 14-2 run.

LEADING THE HILLTOPPERS

ECU led against Western Kentucky for 25:36. The Colonels led by as many as nine in the first half and took a five-point lead into the locker room at the break. Eastern Kentucky continued to lead through the first 10 minutes of the second half.

BALLANCED OFFENSE

Five Colonels scored in double figures in the game against Western Kentucky (Nov. 10). Four players finished with 10 points each and Cooper Robb scored a team-best 11 points.

HELPING YOUR BROTHERS

The Colonels tied the program record with 34 assists in the season-opener against Miami (Ohio)-Middletown (Nov. 7). ECU also dished out 34 assists against Warren Wilson on Nov. 13, 2014.

BIG MARGIN

ECU beat Miami (Ohio)-Middletown by 85 points, 137-52. The Colonels just missed matching the program record of 86 points, set in 2019 against Ohio-Chillicothe.

When was the last time ECU ...

Scored 100 points or more:

Dec. 10, 2022 - ECU 140, Boyce 79

Scored less than 50 points:

Dec. 7, 2022 - UT 84, ECU 49

Allowed 100 points or more:

Jan. 29, 2022 - Stetson 113, ECU 95

Held an opponent to less than 50 points:

Nov. 22, 2021 - ECU 82, Eastern Illinois 43

Held an opponent to less than 30% shooting:

Nov. 7, 2022 -- 25.4 (15-59) -- vs. Miami-Middletown

Shot over 65% from the field (45+ attempts):

Nov. 22, 2015 -- 66.7 (40-60) -- vs. Longwood

Shot over 60% from the field (45+ attempts):

Jan. 21, 2021 -- 60.0 (42-70) -- vs. UT Martin

Shot over 55% from the field (45+ attempts):

Nov. 7, 2022 -- 58.8 (50-85) -- vs. Miami-Middletown

Shot over 50% from the field (45+ attempts):

Dec. 10, 2022 -- 58.1 (54-93) -- vs. Boyce

Shot 50% from 3-point range (15+ attempts):

Jan. 5, 2023 -- 50.0 (7-14) -- at Central Arkansas

Shot over 90% from the FT line (13+ attempts):

Dec. 7, 2021 -- 100.0 (12-12) -- at USC

Made 10 or more three-pointers:

Jan. 26, 2023 -- 10 -- at Bellarmine

Had 50 or more rebounds:

Nov. 23, 2022 -- 53 -- vs. Brescia

Had 20 or more assists:

Jan. 14, 2023 -- 23 -- vs. Stetson

Had 10 or more steals:

Jan. 21, 2023 -- 12 -- at Austin Peay

Blocked 10 or more shots:

Dec. 31, 2022 -- 11 -- vs. Queens

Won an overtime game:

Feb. 16, 2022, ECU 80 - North Alabama 76 (OT)

Lost an overtime game:

Nov. 30, 2020 - Xavier 99, ECU 96 (OT)

Played a double overtime game:

Feb. 23, 2019 - JSU 104, ECU 101 (2OT)

Played three or more overtimes:

Feb. 3, 2022 - ECU 82, Kennesaw State 81 (3OT)

Won by 50 or more points:

Dec. 10, 2022 -- 61 -- vs. Boyce

Did not hit a three-pointer:

Jan. 5, 2017 -- vs. SIU Edwardsville

When was the last time the Colonels had ...

A player score 30 points Michael Moreno (35) vs. Boyce, Dec. 10, 2022 (ECU 140, BC 79)

A player score 35 points Michael Moreno (35) vs. Boyce, Dec. 10, 2022 (ECU 140, BC 79)

A player score 40 points Jomaru Brown (41) vs. Western Kentucky, Nov. 15, 2019 (WKU 79, ECU 71)

A player grab 10 rebounds Devontae Blanton (13) vs. Bellarmine, Jan. 28, 2023 (ECU 73, BEL 63)

A player grab 15 rebounds Darius Hicks (15) vs. Cleveland State, Nov. 23, 2019 (CSU 65, ECU 51)

A player record a double-double Devontae Blanton (22 pts, 13 rebs)
vs. Bellarmine, Jan. 28, 2023 (ECU 73, BEL 63)

Two players record a double-double in the same game Devontae Blanton (13 pts, 13 rebs),
Braxton Beverly (11 pts, 13 assts) vs. Lipscomb, Jan. 18, 2022 (ECU 86, LIP 72)

A player dish out 10 assists Tayshawn Comer (11) vs. Stetson, Jan. 14, 2023 (ECU 85, STET 70)

A player block five shots Isaiah Cozart (5) vs. Stetson, Jan. 14, 2023 (ECU 85, STET 70)

A player record seven steals Cooper Robb (8) vs. High Point, Dec. 22, 2020 (ECU 86, HPU 67)

Two players score 20 points in a game Michael Moreno (35), Leland Walker (21),
vs. Boyce, Dec. 10, 2022 (ECU 140, BC 79)

Three players score 20 points in a game Ty Taylor (27), Jomaru Brown (22),
Tre King (22), vs. UT Martin, Jan. 30, 2020 (ECU 99, UTM 86)

Two players grab 10 rebounds in a game Jannson Williams (10), Curt Lewis (10)
vs. Eastern Illinois, Nov. 22, 2021 (ECU 82, EIU 43)

Six players score in double figures ... Turner Buttry (18), Michael Morno (14), Cooper Robb (14), Dardan Kapiti (11), Isaiah Cozart (10), Leland Walker (10) vs. Florida Gulf Coast, Jan. 12, 2023 (ECU 97, FGCU 76)

Seven players score in double figures Michael Moreno (35), Leland Walker (21), Isaiah Cozart (13),
Dardan Kapiti (13), DaShawn Jackson (11), John Ukomadu (11), Devontae Blanton (10),
Cooper Robb (10) vs. Boyce, Dec. 10, 2022 (ECU 140, BC 79)

Eight players score in double figures Michael Moreno (35), Leland Walker (21), Isaiah Cozart (13),
Dardan Kapiti (13), DaShawn Jackson (11), John Ukomadu (11), Devontae Blanton (10),
Cooper Robb (10) vs. Boyce, Dec. 10, 2022 (ECU 140, BC 79)

A player made 10 field goals Devontae Blanton (10) at Central Ark., Jan. 5, 2023 (ECU 77, UCA 75)

A player made five 3-point FGs Michael Moreno (5) vs. Stetson, Jan. 14, 2023 (ECU 85, STET 70)

A player made 10 free throws Jomaru Brown (10) vs. North Alabama, Feb. 16, 2022 (ECU 80, UNA 76)

A player converted a four-point play Cooper Robb (three-pointer followed by one free throw)
vs. Kennesaw State, Feb. 3, 2022 (ECU 82, KSU 81)

A player hit a last second shot to win the game Cooper Robb (from halfcourt at the buzzer)
at Georgia State, Nov. 18, 2022 (ECU 62, GSU 61)

2022-23 Statistics

Overall Record: 14-9 • Home: 10-1 • Away: 3-7 • Neutral: 1-1

ASUN Conference Record: 7-3 • Home: 5-0 • Away: 2-3

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
10	BLANTON, Devontae	23-23	665:40	28.9	143-308	.464	26-66	.394	47-71	.662	48	105	153	6.7	35	0	61	54	5	22	359	15.6
24	MORENO, Michael	23-23	631:55	27.5	101-225	.449	69-167	.413	21-31	.677	43	101	144	6.3	32	0	44	21	8	25	292	12.7
2	WALKER, Leland	23-1	465:50	20.3	77-193	.399	24-66	.364	51-68	.750	5	38	43	1.9	38	0	62	50	1	18	229	10.0
50	COZART, Isaiah	23-23	518:56	22.6	81-130	.623	0-0	.000	30-54	.556	67	97	164	7.1	34	0	7	19	49	10	192	8.3
5	ROBB, Cooper	23-22	651:21	28.3	62-161	.385	36-106	.340	18-28	.643	23	77	100	4.3	53	2	41	22	3	41	178	7.7
1	COMER, Tayshawn	23-23	560:23	24.4	49-160	.306	20-62	.323	27-41	.659	12	37	49	2.1	54	2	89	45	1	32	145	6.3
14	UKOMADU, John	23-0	296:31	12.9	55-110	.500	8-34	.235	12-23	.522	34	53	87	3.8	24	0	13	23	8	15	130	5.7
15	KAPITI, Dardan	21-0	270:00	12.9	37-70	.529	1-1	1.000	10-26	.385	21	28	49	2.3	37	0	10	19	21	9	85	4.0
3	JACKSON, DaShawn	16-0	166:31	10.4	19-57	.333	8-29	.276	17-24	.708	11	10	21	1.3	11	0	15	8	0	12	63	3.9
0	BUTTRY, Turner	20-0	177:09	8.9	25-70	.357	20-59	.339	5-6	.833	1	9	10	0.5	24	0	10	5	0	7	75	3.8
12	WARDY, Michael	12-0	103:23	8.6	15-25	.600	2-3	.667	6-9	.667	11	12	23	1.9	14	0	3	3	10	3	38	3.2
11	HOLT, Jackson	10-0	88:42	8.9	9-29	.310	8-24	.333	3-3	1.000	5	3	8	0.8	11	0	8	3	0	5	29	2.9
55	MARTIN, Taelon	2-0	03:39	1.8	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0
Team											36	38	74					8				
Total		23	4600		674-1540	.438	222-617	.360	247-384	.643	317	608	925	40.2	368	4	363	280	106	199	1817	79.0
Opponents		23	4600		603-1416	.426	187-561	.333	271-369	.734	253	610	863	37.5	351	3	341	346	66	147	1664	72.3

Team Statistics

	EKU	OPP
Scoring	1817	1664
Points per game	79.0	72.3
Scoring margin	+6.7	-
Field goals-att	674-1540	603-1416
Field goal pct	.438	.426
3 point fg-att	222-617	187-561
3-point FG pct	.360	.333
3-pt FG made per game	9.7	8.1
Free throws-att	247-384	271-369
Free throw pct	.643	.734
F-Throws made per game	10.7	11.8
Rebounds	925	863
Rebounds per game	40.2	37.5
Rebounding margin	+2.7	-
Assists	363	341
Assists per game	15.8	14.8
Turnovers	280	346
Turnovers per game	12.2	15.0
Turnover margin	+2.9	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.3	1.0
Steals	199	147
Steals per game	8.7	6.4
Blocks	106	66
Blocks per game	4.6	2.9
Winning streak	1	-
Home win streak	9	-
Attendance	36821	41979
Home games-Avg/Game	11-3347	10-4198
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-591

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/07/2022	Miami-Middletown	W	137-52	3058
11/10/2022	Western Ky.	L	60-66	6303
11/13/2022	at Cincinnati	L	69-87	9303
11/18/2022	at Georgia St.	W	62-61	1259
11/19/2022	vs UNC Asheville	W	77-75	593
11/20/2022	vs Tex. A&M-Commerce	L	61-75	588
11/23/2022	Brescia	W	122-84	2106
12/02/2022	at James Madison	L	80-97	4303
12/07/2022	at Tennessee	L	49-84	15746
12/10/2022	Boyce	W	140-79	2881
12/14/2022	at Northern Ky.	L	61-64	2854
12/17/2022	Radford	W	67-65	2991
12/22/2022	UNC Greensboro	W	68-64	2683
12/31/2022	Queens (NC)	W	88-83	2577
01/02/2023	at Kennesaw St.	L	75-79	810
01/05/2023	at Central Ark.	W	77-75	545
01/08/2023	Liberty	W	62-59	3216
01/12/2023	FGCU	W	97-76	3389
01/14/2023	Stetson	W	85-70	3592
01/19/2023	at Lipscomb	L	62-75	1681
01/21/2023	at Austin Peay	W	74-59	1636
01/26/2023	at Bellarmine	L	71-72	3842
01/28/2023	Bellarmine	W	73-63	4025

2022-23 ASUN ONLY Statistics

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No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds													
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG		
10	BLANTON, Devontae	10-10	299:08	29.9	62-129	.481	7-24	.292	23-31	.742	21	54	75	7.5	14	0	24	22	2	6	154	15.4		
24	MORENO, Michael	10-10	279:59	28.0	45-96	.469	28-70	.400	12-19	.632	21	43	64	6.4	10	0	19	6	0	11	130	13.0		
2	WALKER, Leland	10-0	210:53	21.1	42-97	.433	12-30	.400	19-27	.704	2	19	21	2.1	21	0	32	24	0	5	115	11.5		
50	COZART, Isaiah	10-10	252:30	25.2	40-64	.625	0-0	.000	15-23	.652	38	45	83	8.3	10	0	2	9	29	3	95	9.5		
5	ROBB, Cooper	10-10	315:09	31.5	27-69	.391	18-50	.360	10-13	.769	5	37	42	4.2	19	0	13	8	1	17	82	8.2		
1	COMER, Tayshawn	10-10	256:17	25.6	23-78	.295	11-28	.393	8-10	.800	5	16	21	2.1	21	1	41	15	0	12	65	6.5		
14	UKOMADU, John	10-0	123:37	12.4	20-44	.455	2-14	.143	8-13	.615	11	22	33	3.3	9	0	5	10	6	5	50	5.0		
15	KAPITI, Dardan	9-0	117:57	13.1	16-30	.533	0-0	.000	5-11	.455	14	10	24	2.7	19	0	7	6	9	2	37	4.1		
0	BUTTRY, Turner	10-0	102:58	10.3	10-38	.263	9-33	.273	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0.3	15	0	4	1	0	3	29	2.9		
3	JACKSON, DaShawn	4-0	21:59	5.5	2-6	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	2	0	2	0.5	1	0	1	2	0	5	5	1.3		
12	WARDY, Michael	3-0	17:47	5.9	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	2	3	5	1.7	3	0	0	0	2	0	2	0.7		
11	HOLT, Jackson	1-0	01:45	1.8	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0		
Team											16	17	33				4							
Total		10	2000		287-653	.440	88-253	.348	102-149	.685	138	268	406	40.6	142	1	148	108	49	69	764	76.4		
Opponents		10	2000		262-620	.423	87-256	.340	100-134	.746	105	246	351	35.1	137	1	149	117	21	49	711	71.1		

Team Statistics

	EKU	OPP
Scoring	764	711
Points per game	76.4	71.1
Scoring margin	+5.3	-
Field goals-att	287-653	262-620
Field goal pct	.440	.423
3 point fg-att	88-253	87-256
3-point FG pct	.348	.340
3-pt FG made per game	8.8	8.7
Free throws-att	102-149	100-134
Free throw pct	.685	.746
F-Throws made per game	10.2	10.0
Rebounds	406	351
Rebounds per game	40.6	35.1
Rebounding margin	+5.5	-
Assists	148	149
Assists per game	14.8	14.9
Turnovers	108	117
Turnovers per game	10.8	11.7
Turnover margin	+0.9	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	1.3
Steals	69	49
Steals per game	6.9	4.9
Blocks	49	21
Blocks per game	4.9	2.1
Winning streak	1	-
Home win streak	5	-
Attendance	16799	8514
Home games-Avg/Game	5-3360	5-1703
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

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01/12/2023	FGCU	W	97-76	3389
01/14/2023	Stetson	W	85-70	3592
01/19/2023	at Lipscomb	L	62-75	1681
01/21/2023	at Austin Peay	W	74-59	1636
01/26/2023	at Bellarmine	L	71-72	3842
01/28/2023	Bellarmine	W	73-63	4025



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TURNER BUTTRY**Guard • 5-11 • 165 • Freshman****Bowling Green, Ky. • Bowling Green HS****The Buttry File***Majoring in sport management**2022 Kentucky Mr. Basketball**1st Mr. Basketball to join the EKU program out of HS since 1980***Season and Career Highs**

Season	Min	Career
18, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	18, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	
6, two times	FG	6, two times
11, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	FGA	11, vs FGCU, 1/12/23
6, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	3FG	6, vs FGCU, 1/12/23
11, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	3FGA	11, vs FGCU, 1/12/23
3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	FT	3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	FTA	4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
none	OReb	none
3, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	DReb	3, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
3, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	Reb	3, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
2, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Asst	2, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
3, vs. Radford, 12/17/22	Steals	3, vs. Radford, 12/17/22
none	Blocks	none
19, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Points	19, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	17	6-10	.600	4-8	.500	3-4	.750	0	1	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	19
WESTERN KENTUCKY	2	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
at Cincinnati	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Georgia State	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
vs. UNC Asheville		Did Not Play															
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce		Did Not Play															
BRESCIA	10	1-5	.200	1-4	.250	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
at James Madison		Did Not Play															
at Tennessee	8	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
BOYCE	12	2-4	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	6
at Northern Kentucky	6	2-4	.500	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
RADFORD	12	2-4	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	1	1	3	0	0	6
UNC GREENSBORO	5	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
QUEENS	8	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Kennesaw State	5	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
at Central Arkansas	7	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
LIBERTY	11	2-6	.333	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
FLA. GULF COAST	18	6-11	.545	6-11	.545	0-0	.000	0	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	18	
STETSON	13	0-4	.000	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
at Lipscomb	13	1-4	.250	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	
at Austin Peay	8	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Bellarmine	15	0-3	.000	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
BELLARMINE	5	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

3-POINT DAGGER

Turner Buttry hit a season-high six 3-pointers and finished with 18 points against Florida Gulf Coast (Jan. 12). He hit a trey on three straight possessions to fuel an 11-0 run that turned an eight-point lead into a 19-point advantage, 30-11, in the first half.

TURNER TURNS IT UP AGAINST LIBERTY

Turner Buttry started an 11-0 run, that broke a 46-46 tie, with back-to-back 3-pointers in the win over Liberty.

PICK POCKET

Turner Buttry had a season-best three steals in EKU's two-point win over Radford (Dec. 17).

HOT START

In his first collegiate game, Turner Buttry went 6-for-10 from the field, made 4-of-8 from 3-point range and finished with 19 points.

ONE OF THE BEST FRESHMEN IN ASUN

Turner Buttry was chosen as the fourth-best incoming freshman in the ASUN Conference by CBB Nation.

MR. BASKETBALL

Turner Buttry earned Kentucky Mr. Basketball honors after his 2021-22 senior season.

NO. 1 POINT GUARD

Turner Buttry was ranked as the No. 1 point guard and the No. 3 overall player in the Kentucky class of 2022.

FIRST MR. BASKETBALL SINCE ERVIN

Turner Buttry was the first Mr. Basketball to join the EKU program out of high school since 1980 when Ervin Stepp of Phelps High School won the award before coming to Richmond.

Other Kentucky Mr. Basketball award winners to play for the Colonels include Ralph Richardson (1958), Robert Brooks (1970) and Charles Thomas (1995). Thomas is the only one of the five who transferred to EKU after starting his career elsewhere (Minnesota).

BUTTRY, Turner

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	EKU	20-0	177/8.9	25-70	.357	20-59	.339	5-6	.833	1	9	10	0.5	24-0	10	5	0	7	75	3.8
TOTAL		20-0	177/8.9	25-70	.357	20-59	.339	5-6	.833	1	9	10	0.5	24-0	10	5	0	7	75	3.8



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TAYSHAWN COMER**Guard • 6-1 • 190 • Freshman****Indianapolis, Ind. • Cathedral HS****The Comer File**

*Indianapolis City Player of the Year and all-state pick
3-Star recruit and 40th ranked PG in nation by ESPN
Plans to major in business*

Season and ECU Career Highs

Season	Min	ECU Career
31, two times	31, two times	
5, two times	FG	5, two times
14, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23	FGA	14, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23
3, vs. Queens, 12/31/22	3FG	3, vs. Queens, 12/31/22
7, at Bellarmine, 1/26/23	3FGA	7, at Bellarmine, 1/26/23
6, vs. Radford, 12/17/22	FT	6, vs. Radford, 12/17/22
8, vs. Radford, 12/17/22	FTA	8, vs. Radford, 12/17/22
3, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23	OReb	3, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23
4, two times	DReb	4, two times
5, two times	Reb	5, two times
11, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23	Asst	11, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23
5, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	Steals	5, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
1, vs. TAMUC, 11/20/22	Blocks	1, vs. TAMUC, 11/20/22
13, two times	Points	13, two times

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	•	17	1-4	.250	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	1	0	1	1	4	2	1	0	4
WESTERN KENTUCKY	•	29	3-10	.300	2-6	.333	2-5	.400	1	1	2	2	3	2	0	0	10
at Cincinnati	•	26	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	3-6	.500	0	1	1	4	3	3	3	0	7
at Georgia State	•	16	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	3	1	1	1	0	0
vs. UNC Asheville	•	22	3-8	.375	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	1	3	4	2	4	3	1	0	9
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	•	22	0-5	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	2	0	4	2	1	0
BRESCIA	•	25	5-5	1.000	2-2	1.000	1-1	1.000	0	3	3	1	10	3	5	0	13
at James Madison	•	31	4-10	.400	2-6	.333	1-3	.333	2	2	4	3	4	4	1	0	11
at Tennessee	•	24	2-9	.222	0-3	.000	2-3	.667	0	0	0	5	0	3	2	0	6
BOYCE	•	16	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	1	1	3	5	1	0	0	3
at Northern Kentucky	•	21	2-6	.333	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	1	1	2	2	4	1	1	0	5
RADFORD	•	27	1-6	.167	0-1	.000	6-8	.750	0	2	2	2	5	2	3	0	8
UNC GREENSBORO	•	28	2-8	.250	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	1	4	5	3	5	1	0	0	4
QUEENS	•	28	5-12	.417	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	0	4	4	1	6	1	4	0	13
at Kennesaw State	•	26	3-14	.214	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	3	2	5	5	1	2	2	0	8
at Central Arkansas	•	28	3-6	.500	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	3	1	1	0	3
LIBERTY	•	28	1-7	.143	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1	2	3	0	2	3	0	0	3
FLA. GULF COAST	•	24	2-5	.400	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	0	0	3	7	2	1	0	5
STETSON	•	31	1-7	.143	0-2	.000	1-2	.500	1	2	3	1	11	3	0	0	3
at Lipscomb	•	18	1-8	.125	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	2
at Austin Peay	•	26	3-6	.500	1-1	1.000	4-4	1.000	0	1	1	3	0	1	3	0	11
at Bellarmine	•	27	3-10	.300	2-7	.286	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	3	5	0	1	0	10
BELLARMINE	•	21	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	1	1	3	6	0	0	0	3
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

GOOD KNIGHTS

In two games against Bellarmine (Jan. 26 & Jan. 28), Tayshawn Comer dished out 11 assists and did not have a turnover in a total of 48 minutes on the court.

ASUN RANKINGS

Tayshawn Comer is ninth in the ASUN with 1.39 steals per game, he is seventh with 3.78 assists per game and seventh in assists-to-turnover ratio (1.98).

HELPING HAND

Tayshawn Comer dished out a season-best 11 assists against Stetson (Jan. 14).

SEVEN HELPERS

Tayshawn Comer handed out seven assists against Florida Gulf Coast (Jan. 12).

BIG GAME

Tayshawn Comer finished with 13 points, six assists, four rebounds and four steals while committing only one turnover in 28 minutes during ECU's win over Queens (Dec. 31). He set season-highs for field goal attempts and 3-point attempts, and tied his season-best with 13 points and five field goals.

GRABBING THE BOARDS

Tayshawn Comer pulled down a season-best five rebounds in ECU's win over UNC Greensboro (Dec. 22).

SEASON-BEST AGAINST BRESCIA

Tayshawn Comer set season-highs for field goals (5), assists (10), steals (5) and points (13) against Brescia (Nov. 23).

THREE STEALS

Tayshawn Comer had three steals at Cincinnati (Nov. 13).

ONE OF THE BEST FRESHMEN IN ASUN

Tayshawn Comer was chosen as the third-best incoming freshman in the ASUN Conference by CBB Nation.

OWNING THE CITY

Tayshawn Comer was the Indianapolis City Player of the Year and an all-state selection as a senior in 2021-22.

RANKINGS

Tayshawn Comer was a three-star recruit and the 40th ranked point guard in the country by ESPN. Prep Hoops had Comer rated as the 226th best prospect in the nation overall.

COMER, Tayshawn

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	EKU	23-23	560/24.4	49-160	.306	20-62	.323	27-41	.659	12	37	49	2.1	54-2	89	45	1	32	145	6.3
TOTAL		23-23	560/24.4	49-160	.306	20-62	.323	27-41	.659	12	37	49	2.1	54-2	89	45	1	32	145	6.3



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LELAND WALKER**Guard • 6-1 • 185 • Freshman****Indianapolis, Ind. • Hargrave Military Acad.****The Walker File**

1st-ever ESPN 4-star recruit to sign as a freshman with EKU
ranked as 39th-best PG in nation by ESPN
Plans to major in sport management

Season and Career Highs

Season	Career
29, at JMU, 12/2/22	29, at JMU, 12/2/22
7, three times	7, three times
16, at Lipscomb, 1/19/23	16, at Lipscomb, 1/19/23
3, two times	3, two times
6, three times	6, three times
7, vs. Queens, 12/31/22	7, vs. Queens, 12/31/22
7, two times	7, two times
2, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	2, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
4, at Central Ark., 1/5/23	4, at Central Ark., 1/5/23
5, two times	5, two times
8, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	8, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
4, at Georgia State, 11/18/22	4, at Georgia State, 11/18/22
1, vs. UNC Asheville, 11/19/22	1, vs. UNC Asheville, 11/19/22
21, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	21, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
Min	FG
FGA	3FG
3FGA	3FTA
FT	FTA
FTA	OReb
OReb	DReb
DReb	Reb
Reb	Asst
Asst	Steals
Steals	Blocks
Blocks	Points

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	12	3-5	.600	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2	2	4	3	0	7	
WESTERN KENTUCKY	10	1-5	.200	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	3	
at Cincinnati	15	3-6	.500	1-2	.500	4-5	.800	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	11	
at Georgia State	24	2-4	.500	1-2	.500	2-4	.500	0	1	1	1	2	2	4	0	7	
vs. UNC Asheville	19	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	1	4	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	23	4-10	.400	0-5	.000	2-3	.667	0	1	1	0	2	3	1	0	10	
BRESCIA	16	4-9	.444	1-1	1.000	2-3	.667	2	3	5	1	3	1	0	0	11	
at James Madison	29	1-11	.091	0-5	.000	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	1	3	1	1	0	4	
at Tennessee	22	3-9	.333	2-6	.333	5-7	.714	0	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	13	
BOYCE	14	7-11	.636	3-5	.600	4-4	1.000	0	3	3	3	8	1	3	0	21	
at Northern Kentucky	16	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	1	3	2	1	0	2	
RADFORD	23	4-10	.400	1-2	.500	4-4	1.000	1	2	3	3	2	3	0	0	13	
UNC GREENSBORO	23	1-8	.125	1-4	.250	5-6	.833	0	1	1	0	2	3	0	0	8	
QUEENS	24	5-11	.455	2-4	.500	7-7	1.000	0	1	1	4	2	2	0	0	19	
at Kennesaw State	19	1-7	.143	0-2	.000	2-3	.667	0	0	0	4	4	3	1	0	4	
at Central Arkansas	21	6-12	.500	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	1	4	5	0	0	6	0	0	14	
LIBERTY	17	1-5	.200	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	3	3	2	6	2	2	0	3	
FLA. GULF COAST	19	4-8	.500	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0	3	3	3	6	2	0	0	10	
STETSON	20	6-8	.750	1-1	1.000	1-3	.333	1	2	3	2	4	2	1	0	14	
at Lipscomb	26	7-16	.438	1-6	.167	2-4	.500	0	3	3	2	3	2	0	0	17	
at Austin Peay	20	2-7	.286	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	6	
at Bellarmine	20	3-8	.375	1-5	.200	1-3	.333	0	1	1	2	3	2	0	0	8	
BELLARMINE	25	7-15	.467	3-6	.500	3-3	1.000	0	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	20	
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

WALKER, Leland

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	EKU	23-1	466/20.3	77-193	.399	24-66	.364	51-68	.750	5	38	43	1.9	38-0	62	50	1	18	229	10.0
TOTAL		23-1	466/20.3	77-193	.399	24-66	.364	51-68	.750	5	38	43	1.9	38-0	62	50	1	18	229	10.0

RINGING THE 'BELL' ARMINE

Leland Walker scored 20 points on 7-of-15 shooting from the field in EKU's win over Bellarmine (Jan. 28). He was 3-for-6 from 3-point range and 3-for-3 at the free throw line.

GETTING UP SHOTS

Leland Walker set a new season-high with 16 shot attempts at Lipscomb (Jan. 19). He tied his season-best with seven made field goals and finished with 17 points.

WALKER AGAINST QUEENS

Leland Walker registered 19 points in EKU's win over Queens (Dec. 31). He made a season-high seven free throws in seven attempts.

ASUN NEWCOMER OF THE WEEK

Leland Walker was chosen as the ASUN Newcomer of the Week on Dec. 12. In two games, Walker averaged 17 points, four assists, two rebounds and 1.5 steals. He shot 50 percent from the field (10-for-20), 46 percent from 3-point range (5-for-11) and hit on 82 percent (9-for-11) at the free throw line.

LELAND GOES OFF

Leland Walker scored a new career-high 21 points against Boyce (Dec. 10). He also set new career-bests for field goals (7), 3-point field goals (3) and assists (8). He shot 7-for-11 from the field and made just one turnover in 24 minutes.

LELAND LEADING SCORER AGAINST NO. 7 VOLS

Leland Walker scored what was at the time a season-best 13 points at No. 7 Tennessee (Dec. 7).

THIEF

Leland Walker had a season-high four steals in EKU's win at Georgia State (Nov. 18).

SCORING HIGH

Leland Walker scored 11 points at Cincinnati (Nov. 13). He went 3-for-6 from the field, hit 1-of-2 from deep and connected on 4-of-5 at the free throw line.

THE BEST FRESHMAN IN ASUN

Leland Walker was chosen as the best incoming freshman in the ASUN Conference by CBB Nation.

EKU'S FIRST ESPN 4-STAR

Leland Walker was the first-ever ESPN four-star recruit to sign as a freshman with EKU.

TOP-40 POINT GUARD

Leland Walker was ranked as the 39th best point guard in the nation following his 2021-22 senior season at Hargrave Military Academy.



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DaSHAWN JACKSON**Guard • 6-3 • 196 • Sophomore****Lexington, Ky. • Frederick Douglass HS****The Jackson File***First team all-state as a senior in 2020-21**His mom Shavonda played collegiate basketball at Indiana State
Majoring in pre-RN/pre-nursing***Season and Career Highs**

Season	Min	Career
23, at Tennessee, 12/7/22	Min	23, two times
5, two times	FG	5, three times
8, two times	FGA	8, four times
2, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	3FG	4, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21
5, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	3FGA	6, vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/22/21
4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	FT	4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
5, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	FTA	5, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
2, three times	OReb	2, four times
2, two times	DReb	4, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21
3, at Tennessee, 12/7/22	Reb	4, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21
6, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Asst	6, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Steals	3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
none	Blocks	1, vs. Ohio Valley, 11/11/21
16, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Points	16, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	19	5-8	.625	2-5	.400	4-5	.800	0	1	1	1	6	2	3	0	16	
WESTERN KENTUCKY	15	3-8	.375	1-3	.333	3-4	.750	2	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	10	
at Cincinnati	8	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	3	
at Georgia State	10	0-4	.000	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	
vs. UNC Asheville	11	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	9	0-3	.000	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	
BRESCIA	15	1-7	.143	0-4	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	0	2	1	0	0	4	
at James Madison	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
at Tennessee	23	1-4	.250	1-4	.250	2-3	.667	1	2	3	3	1	0	0	0	5	
BOYCE	18	5-6	.833	1-2	.500	0-2	.000	2	0	2	0	4	0	2	0	11	
at Northern Kentucky	11	1-4	.250	1-1	1.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	4	
RADFORD	4	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
UNC GREENSBORO		Did Not Play															
QUEENS	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
at Kennesaw State		Did Not Play															
at Central Arkansas		Did Not Play															
LIBERTY		Did Not Play															
FLA. GULF COAST	1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	
STETSON		Did Not Play															
at Lipscomb		Did Not Play															
at Austin Peay	6	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	
at Bellarmine		Did Not Play															
BELLARMINE	14	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	3	
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

DJ COMING ON STRONG

DaShawn Jackson scored in double figures for the second straight game when he finished with 10 points against Western Kentucky (Nov. 10).

CAREER NIGHT

DaShawn Jackson scored a career-best 16 points, dished out a career-high six assists and had a career-high three steals in ECU's season-opening win over Miami (Ohio)-Middletown.

JACKSON, Dashawn

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds								Scoring		
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	EKU	17-1	153/9.0	14-42	.333	7-28	.250	7-11	.636	9	11	20	1.2	13-0	6	10	1	12	42	2.5
2022-23	EKU	16-0	167/10.4	19-57	.333	8-29	.276	17-24	.708	11	10	21	1.3	11-0	15	8	0	12	63	3.9
TOTAL		33-1	319/9.7	33-99	.333	15-57	.263	24-35	.686	20	21	41	1.2	24-0	21	18	1	24	105	3.2



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COOPER ROBB

G • 6-1 • 184 • Senior

Georgetown, Ky. • UNC Charlotte

The Robb File

*All-State in basketball, football and baseball at Scott County HS
Fan-Voted ASUN Preseason Defensive Player of the Year in 2021
Majoring in criminal justice*

Season and Career Highs

Season	Min	Career
35, two times	FG	54, vs. Kennesaw St., 02/03/22
6, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23	FGB	8, two times
12, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	3FG	17, vs. Jacksonville State, 02/02/21
4, two times	3FGA	7, at WKU, 12/4/21
9, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	FT	14, at WKU, 12/4/21
3, vs. Queens, 12/31/22	FTA	5, vs. Kennesaw St., 02/03/22
4, vs. Queens, 12/31/22	OReb	7, vs. Middle Tennessee, 1/4/20
4, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	DReb	5, vs. Marshall, 12/11/21
6, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	Reb	8, vs. North Texas, 2/2/19
8, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Asst	11, vs. Marshall, 12/11/21
4, three times	Steals	7, vs. Kennesaw St., 02/03/22
4, three times	Blocks	8, vs. High Point, 12/22/20
1, two times	Points	4, vs. Eastern Illinois, 11/22/21
16, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23		21, two times

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	•	18	4-7	.571	1-4	.250	1-1	1.000	3	5	8	1	4	3	3	1	10
WESTERN KENTUCKY	•	32	4-9	.444	3-7	.429	0-0	.000	2	5	7	4	1	2	0	1	11
at Cincinnati	•	31	3-7	.429	3-6	.500	1-2	.500	1	3	4	3	4	0	1	0	10
at Georgia State	•	32	2-9	.222	1-5	.200	2-3	.667	1	3	4	2	1	1	1	0	7
vs. UNC Asheville	•	28	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	5	6	5	2	1	0	0	0
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	•	33	5-10	.500	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2	1	1	1	0	13
BRESCIA	•	18	4-12	.333	3-8	.375	0-0	.000	3	2	5	3	3	1	2	0	11
at James Madison	•	25	3-7	.429	1-4	.250	2-3	.667	2	1	3	1	1	0	4	1	9
at Tennessee	•	11	1-6	.167	0-5	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	5	2	0	1	0	2
BOYCE	•	17	4-9	.444	2-6	.333	0-1	.000	4	2	6	0	3	0	4	0	10
at Northern Kentucky	•	34	3-9	.333	1-3	.333	0-1	.000	1	4	5	3	2	2	1	0	7
RADFORD	•	26	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	1-1	1.000	0	2	2	3	0	2	2	0	5
UNC GREENSBORO	•	32	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	1-3	.333	0	4	4	2	4	1	3	0	1
QUEENS	•	29	2-7	.286	1-6	.167	3-4	.750	1	5	6	1	2	1	4	0	8
at Kennesaw State	•	35	6-11	.545	4-7	.571	0-2	.000	0	3	3	4	2	0	3	0	16
at Central Arkansas	•	33	0-3	.000	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0	4	4	4	0	2	3	0	0
LIBERTY	•	32	5-7	.714	3-4	.750	2-2	1.000	1	4	5	2	2	1	1	0	15
FLA. GULF COAST	•	31	5-12	.417	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	0	6	6	0	3	0	0	1	14
STETSON	•	35	3-9	.333	2-7	.286	2-2	1.000	1	4	5	2	1	0	1	0	10
at Lipscomb	•	30	1-7	.143	1-5	.200	0-0	.000	0	1	1	2	2	1	2	0	3
at Austin Peay	•	29	1-3	.333	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	1	3	4	0	0	1	1	0	3
at Bellarmine	•	30	3-5	.600	2-4	.500	1-1	1.000	0	3	3	3	0	1	2	0	9
BELLARMINE	•	31	1-5	.200	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	1	4	5	1	1	1	0	0	4
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

ROBB, Cooper

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2018-19	CLT	22-21	645/29.3	53-138	.384	26-77	.338	17-31	.548	12	73	85	3.9	65-4	43	39	10	23	149	6.8
2019-20	CLT	29-2	612/21.1	48-116	.414	25-57	.439	24-33	.727	8	72	80	2.8	58-0	20	29	5	46	145	5.0
2020-21	EKU	29-24	783/27.0	72-218	.330	41-126	.325	22-33	.667	31	59	90	3.1	79-2	59	31	4	53	207	7.1
2021-22	EKU	31-30	986/31.8	107-265	.404	63-173	.364	22-33	.667	34	105	139	4.5	73-1	73	40	9	51	299	9.6
2022-23	EKU	23-22	651/28.3	62-161	.385	36-106	.340	18-28	.643	23	77	100	4.3	53-2	41	22	3	41	178	7.7
TOTAL FOR EKU		83-76	2420/29.2	241-644	.374	140-405	.346	62-94	.660	88	241	329	4.0	205-5	173	93	16	145	684	8.2
TOTAL		134-99	3677/27.4	342-898	.381	191-539	.354	103-158	.652	108	386	494	3.7	328-9	236	161	31	214	978	7.3

AMONG NATIONAL LEADERS IN STEALS

Cooper Robb is 59th in the nation in steals (41) and 89th in steals per game (1.78).

AMONG CONFERENCE STEALS LEADERS AGAIN

Cooper Robb is first in the ASUN with 1.78 steals per game. He matched his season-high with four steals against Queens (Dec. 31).

COOP PUTS IT IN THE HOOP

Cooper Robb started hot and stayed that way against Kennesaw State (Jan. 2), finishing with a season-high 16 points on 6-of-11 shooting from the field. He hit a season-best four 3-pointers in seven attempts. Robb also had three steals, three rebounds and two assists.

GAME WINNER FROM HALFCOURT

Cooper Robb hit a buzzer-beater from just beyond the halfcourt line to give ECU a 62-61 win at Georgia State (Nov. 18).

DOING IT ALL

Cooper Robb had another box score stuffer in ECU's season-opener, finishing with 10 points, eight rebounds, four assists, three steals and one block.

TOP-5 IN STEALS

Cooper Robb was second in the ASUN in steals in 2021-22 at 1.65 per game.



10 DEVONTAE BLANTON

Wing • 6-6 • 214 • Junior

Macedonia, Ohio • St. Edward HS

The Blanton File

Second team all-state as a senior

Majoring in exploratory

Earned one ASUN Player of the Week Award in 2021-22

Season and Career Highs

Season	Career
35, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23	Min 37, two times
10, three times	FG 13, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21
22, at Central Ark., 1/5/23	FGA 22, at Central Ark., 1/5/23
4, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	3FG 4, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
6, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	3FGA 6, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
6, vs. TAMUC, 11/20/22	FT 7, vs. North Alabama, 2/16/22
7, two times	FTA 10, vs. North Alabama, 2/16/22
5, two times	OReb 9, vs. Southeast Missouri, 02/20/21
8, three times	DReb 10, two times
13, vs. Bellarmine, 1/28/23	Reb 14, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21
7, at Cincinnati, 11/13/22	Asst 7, at Cincinnati, 11/13/22
3, two times	Steals 4, two times
1, five times	Blocks 2, at Central Ark., 2/19/22
25, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	Points 29, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	•	19	5-10	.500	3-4	.750	1-2	.500	1	1	2	2	4	1	2	0	14
WESTERN KENTUCKY	•	29	5-12	.417	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0	4	4	1	4	1	0	0	10
at Cincinnati	•	34	8-20	.400	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	2	8	10	1	7	2	1	1	18
at Georgia State	•	28	8-17	.471	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	4	1	5	3	2	5	1	0	18
vs. UNC Asheville	•	34	10-21	.476	1-5	.200	3-4	.750	0	7	7	1	2	3	0	0	24
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	•	33	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	6-7	.857	2	4	6	0	3	1	0	0	16
BRESCIA	•	21	9-12	.750	4-6	.667	3-4	.750	3	4	7	0	1	3	1	0	25
at James Madison	•	31	7-16	.438	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	4	1	5	2	2	4	3	1	17
at Tennessee	•	25	2-13	.154	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	3	4	7	2	2	3	3	1	4
BOYCE	•	16	3-8	.375	0-1	.000	4-6	.667	0	3	3	2	2	1	2	0	10
at Northern Kentucky	•	32	9-17	.529	3-4	.750	2-6	.333	2	4	6	3	2	3	2	0	23
RADFORD	•	32	3-10	.300	1-3	.333	0-2	.000	5	5	10	1	1	3	1	0	7
UNC GREENSBORO	•	33	7-16	.438	1-2	.500	4-6	.667	1	5	6	3	5	2	0	0	19
QUEENS	•	32	10-19	.526	1-4	.250	1-2	.500	3	3	6	1	2	5	1	0	22
at Kennesaw State	•	35	3-10	.300	1-2	.500	3-4	.750	1	5	6	0	2	4	1	0	10
at Central Arkansas	•	31	10-22	.455	0-1	.000	2-4	.500	3	5	8	1	1	3	0	1	22
LIBERTY	•	33	6-10	.600	2-3	.667	2-3	.667	1	7	8	3	4	3	0	1	16
FLA. GULF COAST	•	25	3-7	.429	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	2	6	8	1	6	0	1	0	8
STETSON	•	21	4-9	.444	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	1	4	5	3	2	0	0	0	11
at Lipscomb	•	33	6-16	.375	1-5	.200	1-1	1.000	1	6	7	2	0	0	1	0	14
at Austin Peay	•	31	8-16	.500	0-1	.000	4-4	1.000	3	8	11	0	4	2	2	0	20
at Bellarmine	•	28	3-6	.500	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	1	1	1	0	0	9
BELLARMINE	•	30	9-14	.643	0-3	.000	4-7	.571	5	8	13	2	1	4	0	0	22
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

DOUBLE-DOUBLE MACHINE

Devontae Blanton posted his second double-double in three games when he finished with 22 points and a season-best 13 rebounds against Bellarmine (Jan. 28).

TAE IN THE ASUN

Devontae Blanton is sixth in the ASUN Conference in scoring (15.61 ppg), second in field goal percentage (46.4 percent) and seventh in rebounding (6.65 rpg).

DOUBLE-DOUBLE

Devontae Blanton had 20 points and a season-high 11 rebounds at Austin Peay (Jan. 21). He also dished out four assists and had two steals while shooting 50 percent from the field.

6 AND 0

Devontae Blanton handed out six assists against Florida Gulf Coast (Jan. 12) and did not turn the ball over in 25 minutes of action.

10 BOARDS

Devontae Blanton pulled down 10 rebounds in ECU's 67-65 win over Radford (Dec. 17).

TAE TAE FOR THREE

Devontae Blanton set career-highs for 3-pointers made (4) and attempted (6) against Brescia (Nov. 23).

BLANTON DROPS 25

Devontae Blanton scored a season-best 25 points against Brescia (Nov. 23).

ALL-TOURNEY

Devontae Blanton was chosen to the Capitol Classic All-Tournament team after averaging 19.3 points, 6.0 rebounds and 2.3 assists over three games. He shot 51 percent from the field and 82 percent at the free throw line.

ASSISTING OTHERS

Devontae Blanton dished out a career-best seven assists at Cincinnati (Nov. 13).

ALMOST A TRIPLE DOUBLE

Devontae Blanton was three assists short of a triple double in ECU's game at Cincinnati (Nov. 13). He finished with 18 points, 10 rebounds, seven assists, one steal and one block.

BLANTON, Devontae

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring			
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK STL
2020-21	EKU	24-1	343/14.3	56-91	.615	6-18	.333	25-35	.714	28	45	73	3.0	28-0	20	18	2 18
2021-22	EKU	29-19	821/28.3	118-269	.439	23-57	.404	62-76	.816	56	126	182	6.3	54-2	85	45	7 34
2022-23	EKU	23-23	666/28.9	143-308	.464	26-66	.394	47-71	.662	48	105	153	6.7	35-0	61	54	5 22
TOTAL		76-43	1830/24.1	317-668	.475	55-141	.390	134-182	.736	132	276	408	5.4	117-2	166	117	14 74
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JACKSON HOLT**Guard • 6-4 • 185 • Freshman****Cincinnati, Ohio • Moravian Prep****The Holt File**

Made 172 3-pointers as a senior at Moravian Prep
hit 18 3-pointers and scored 58 points in one game
Plans to major in business

Season and Career Highs

Season	Min	Career
17, two times	FG	17, two times
5, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	FGA	5, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
10, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	3FG	10, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
5, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	3FGA	5, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
8, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	FT	8, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
3, at Tennessee, 12/7/22	FTA	3, at Tennessee, 12/7/22
3, at Tennessee, 12/7/22	OReb	3, at Tennessee, 12/7/22
4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	DReb	4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
2, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	Reb	2, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Asst	4, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
4, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	Steals	4, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
2, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Blocks	2, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
none	Points	none
15, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22		15, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	17	3-10	.300	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	4	0	4	1	3	0	2	0	8	
WESTERN KENTUCKY	4	0-3	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
at Cincinnati	5	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
at Georgia State	10	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
vs. UNC Asheville	6	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	Did Not Play																
BRESCIA	17	5-8	.625	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	15	
at James Madison	5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	
at Tennessee	7	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	3-3	1.000	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	
BOYCE	15	1-3	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	2	2	4	4	0	1	0	3	
at Northern Kentucky	Did Not Play																
RADFORD	Did Not Play																
UNC GREENSBORO	Did Not Play																
QUEENS	Did Not Play																
at Kennesaw State	Did Not Play																
at Central Arkansas	Did Not Play																
LIBERTY	Did Not Play																
FLA. GULF COAST	2	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
STETSON	Did Not Play																
at Lipscomb	Did Not Play																
at Austin Peay	Did Not Play																
at Bellarmine	Did Not Play																
BELLARMINE	Did Not Play																
JACKSONVILLE ST.	Did Not Play																
KENNESAW ST.	Did Not Play																
at Queens	Did Not Play																
at Liberty	Did Not Play																
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	Did Not Play																
NORTH ALABAMA	Did Not Play																
at North Florida	Did Not Play																
at Jacksonville	Did Not Play																

PASSING IT AROUND

Jackson Holt handed out a season-best four assists against Boyce (Dec. 10).

HOLT GETS HOT

Jackson Holt hit five 3-pointers and finished with a season-best 15 points against Brescia (Nov. 23).

HOLT FOR THREEEEEEEEEE

Jackson Holt made 172 three-pointers and shot 48 percent from beyond the arc as a senior at Moravian Prep in Hudson, North Carolina.

58 POINTS IN ONE GAME

Jackson Holt hit 10 or more 3-pointers in three different contests during the 2021-22 season, including a 58-point performance in which he connected on 18 three's.

HOLT, Jackson

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	EKU	10-0	89/8.9	9-29	.310	8-24	.333	3-3	1.000	5	3	8	0.8	11-0	8	3	0	5	29	2.9
TOTAL		10-0	89/8.9	9-29	.310	8-24	.333	3-3	1.000	5	3	8	0.8	11-0	8	3	0	5	29	2.9



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MICHAEL WARDY

Forward • 6-7 • 203 • Senior

Lincoln, Neb. • Southeast CC

The Wardy File

Second team all-state as a senior at Norris HS
His mom Jeanne played college basketball at Nebraska
Majoring in general studies

Season and ECU Career Highs

Season	Min	ECU Career
20, at JMU, 12/2/22	4, two times	21, vs. Kennesaw St., 02/03/22
6, two times	FG	6, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21
1, two times	FGA	6, four times
1, three times	3FG	1, two times
2, two times	3FGA	1, three times
2, four times	FT	5, vs. Ohio Valley, 11/11/21
4, at JMU, 12/2/22	FTA	6, vs. Ohio Valley, 11/11/21
2, four times	OReb	5, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21
6, at JMU, 12/2/22	DReb	3, three times
3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Reb	6, three times
2, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Asst	3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
4, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	Steals	3, vs. Central Arkansas, 1/4/22
9, two times	Blocks	4, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
	Points	13, vs. Alice Lloyd, 12/31/21

NOT IN MY HOUSE

Michael Wardy set a new career-high with four blocks against Brescia (Nov. 23).

INSIDE, AND OUTSIDE?

Michael Wardy, who shot 74 percent from the field in his first season at ECU and never attempted a 3-pointer, connected on his first triple in the season-opener against Miami (Ohio)-Middletown. He went 1-for-1 from deep and finished 3-for-4 from the field. Wardy hit another 3-pointer against Brescia (Nov. 23) to start the season 2-for-2 from deep.

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	12	3-4	.750	1-1	1.000	1-2	.500	3	2	5	4	3	1	2	0	8	
WESTERN KENTUCKY	5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	
at Cincinnati	4	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	
at Georgia State			Did Not Play														
vs. UNC Asheville	6	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	4	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce			Did Not Play														
BRESCIA	18	4-6	.667	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	4	9	
at James Madison	20	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	4	2	6	4	0	0	0	0	9	
at Tennessee	12	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	
BOYCE	4	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	
at Northern Kentucky	5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	
RADFORD			Did Not Play														
UNC GREENSBORO			Did Not Play														
QUEENS	8	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	
at Kennesaw State			Did Not Play														
at Central Arkansas			Did Not Play														
LIBERTY			Did Not Play														
FLA. GULF COAST	2	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	
STETSON			Did Not Play														
at Lipscomb			Did Not Play														
at Austin Peay			Did Not Play														
at Bellarmine			Did Not Play														
BELLARMINE	7	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

WARDY, Michael

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	EKU	25-3	264/10.6	53-72	.736	0-0	.000	12-22	.545	36	23	59	2.4	40-1	7	17	19	12	118	4.7
2022-23	EKU	12-0	103/8.6	15-25	.600	2-3	.667	6-9	.667	11	12	23	1.9	14-0	3	3	10	3	38	3.2
TOTAL		37-3	367/9.9	68-97	.701	2-3	.667	18-31	.581	47	35	82	2.2	54-1	10	20	29	15	156	4.2



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JOHN UKOMADU

Forward • 6-7 • 195 • Junior

Southfield, Mich. • Macomb CC

The Ukomadu File

*Second Team NJCAA All-American
Majoring in sport management*

Season and ECU Career Highs

Season	Min	ECU Career
21, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	FG	21, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
9, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	FGA	9, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
12, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	3FG	12, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
2, at JMU, 12/2/22	3FGA	2, at JMU, 12/2/22
4, three times	FT	4, three times
3, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23	FTA	3, at Kennesaw State, 1/2/23
4, at Austin Peay, 1/21/23	OReb	4, at Austin Peay, 1/21/23
5, at Tennessee, 12/7/22	DReb	5, at Tennessee, 12/7/22
7, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	Reb	7, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
8, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	Asst	8, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
3, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	Steals	3, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	Blocks	3, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
2, at Central Arkansas, 1/5/23	Points	2, t Central Arkansas, 1/5/23
19, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22		19, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22

UKOMADU DEBUT

John Ukomadu threw down five dunks in his debut as a Colonel in the season-opener against Miami (Ohio)-Middletown. He finished 9-for-10 from the field, scored 19 points and pulled down seven rebounds.

ALL-AMERICAN

John Ukomadu was chosen as a second team NJCAA All-American after the 2021-22 season.

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

John Ukomadu was selected to the all-region team, the all-conference team, the conference all-defensive team and was picked as the conference defensive player of the year at Macomb CC in 2021-22.

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	21	9-10	.900	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	2	5	7	2	2	2	3	0	19	
WESTERN KENTUCKY	8	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-3	.000	4	1	5	0	0	3	0	1	0	
at Cincinnati	13	2-5	.400	0-1	.000	0-2	.000	1	2	3	1	0	2	1	0	4	
at Georgia State	13	2-4	.500	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	2	1	1	0	0	5	
vs. UNC Asheville	6	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	17	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	3	3	0	0	1	1	1	7	
BRESCIA	18	4-12	.333	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	1	7	8	1	2	1	1	1	8	
at James Madison	14	4-6	.667	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1	3	4	0	0	2	0	0	10	
at Tennessee	14	1-5	.200	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	5	1	6	4	0	0	0	0	2	
BOYCE	17	5-10	.500	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	4	3	7	1	3	0	0	0	11	
at Northern Kentucky	13	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	3	5	1	0	0	2	0	1	
RADFORD	8	1-2	.500	1-1	1.000	2-2	1.000	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	
UNC GREENSBORO	11	4-6	.667	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	8	
QUEENS	14	3-6	.500	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	1	4	5	0	1	0	0	0	7	
at Kennesaw State	13	2-7	.286	0-2	.000	3-3	1.000	2	2	4	1	1	2	1	1	7	
at Central Arkansas	17	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	2	3	0	0	2	3	2	12	
LIBERTY	10	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	1	3	
FLA. GULF COAST	14	2-3	.667	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	3	3	6	0	1	3	1	1	5	
STETSON	11	1-3	.333	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	1	2	3	3	0	1	0	0	2	
at Lipscomb	15	2-6	.333	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	4	
at Austin Peay	10	3-6	.500	0-1	.000	2-4	.500	1	2	3	2	1	1	0	0	8	
at Bellarmine	10	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	
BELLARMINE	8	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

UKOMADU, John

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring			
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK STL
2022-23	EKU	23-0	297/12.9	55-110	.500	8-34	.235	12-23	.522	34	53	87	3.8	24-0	13	23	8 15
TOTAL		23-0	297/12.9	55-110	.500	8-34	.235	12-23	.522	34	53	87	3.8	24-0	13	23	8 15
																	130 5.7



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DARDAN KAPITI**Forward • 6-10 • 213 • Junior****Prishtina, Kosovo • Florida Atlantic****The Kapiti File***Won gold medal in the 2018 FIBA U18 European Championship***Season and Career Highs**

Season	Career
22, at Cincinnati, 11/13/22	22, at Cincinnati, 11/13/22
6, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	6, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
10, vs FGCU, 1/12/23	10, vs FGCU, 1/12/23
1, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	1, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
1, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	2, vs. Flagler, 11/5/19
4, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	4, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
6, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	6, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22
3, three times	5, vs. Fla. College, 12/21/20
4, two times	4, four times
5, three times	7, vs. Florida College, 12/21/20
4, at Austin Peay, 1/21/23	4, at Austin Peay, 1/21/23
2, two times	2, five times
3, two times	3, two times
13, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	13, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	11	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	2	3	1	0	1	2	0	2
WESTERN KENTUCKY	12	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	2
at Cincinnati	22	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	6	
at Georgia State	17	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	4	
vs. UNC Asheville	12	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3	2	5	1	1	3	0	0	5	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	13	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	2	0	1	0	2	2	
BRESCIA	9	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	4-6	.667	0	3	3	2	1	1	1	0	6	
at James Madison	Did Not Play																
at Tennessee	3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	
BOYCE	18	6-7	.857	1-1	1.000	0-1	.000	1	4	5	1	0	2	0	3	13	
at Northern Kentucky	11	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	2	
RADFORD	8	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	
UNC GREENSBORO	16	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-3	.000	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	3	4	
QUEENS	4	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	4	0	2	0	2	0	
at Kennesaw State	14	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	1	0	
at Central Arkansas	13	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	3	1	4	2	1	1	0	0	2	
LIBERTY	14	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	1	3	3	0	2	0	1	2	
FLA. GULF COAST	18	5-10	.500	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	2	2	4	3	1	0	0	1	11	
STETSON	13	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	1	4	5	2	0	0	0	1	8	
at Lipscomb	13	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	2	1	3	1	1	0	0	2	3	
at Austin Peay	19	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3	1	4	1	4	0	1	1	9	
at Bellarmine	11	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
BELLARMINE	Did Not Play																
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

KAPITI, Dardan

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	FAU	18-0	99/5.5	17-25	.680	0-2	.000	2-2	1.000	10	10	20	1.1	21-0	1	2	4	2	36	2.0
2020-21	FAU	20-0	157/7.9	18-30	.600	0-0	.000	4-18	.222	17	21	38	1.9	33-1	10	17	8	5	40	2.0
2021-22	FAU	14-0	62/4.4	8-18	.444	0-0	.000	3-4	.750	8	9	17	1.2	7-0	0	4	4	4	19	1.4
2022-23	EKU	21-0	270/12.9	37-70	.529	1-1	1.000	10-26	.385	21	28	49	2.3	37-0	10	19	21	9	85	4.0
TOTAL FOR EKU		21-0	270/12.9	37-70	.529	1-1	1.000	10-26	.385	21	28	49	2.3	37-0	10	19	21	9	85	4.0
TOTAL		73-0	588/8.1	80-143	.559	1-3	.333	19-50	.380	56	68	124	1.7	98-1	21	42	37	20	180	2.5

TOP-10 IN BLOCKS

Dardan Kapiti is fifth in the ASUN with 1.00 blocks per game.

DK HANDS OUT CAREER-HIGH FOUR ASSISTS

Dardan Kapiti finished with a career-best four assists to go along with nine points, four rebounds and a block at Austin Peay (Jan. 21).

THREE MORE BLOCKS

For the second time this season, Dardan Kapiti blocked a career-best three shots in a game against UNC Greensboro (Dec. 22).

FIRST 3-POINTER

Dardan Kapiti connected on a 3-pointer from the top of the key with 11:40 left in the game against Boyce (Dec. 10). It was the first three of his career on just his third-ever attempt.

KAPITI BIG GAME

Dardan Kapiti set new career-highs for field goals (6), 3-point field goals (1), blocks (3) and points (13) against Boyce (Dec. 10).

SEASON-HIGH AGAINST CINCY

Dardan Kapiti scored a season-best six points on 3-of-5 shooting while playing a career-high 22 minutes in the game against Cincinnati (Nov. 13).

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Dardan Kapiti won a gold medal in the 2018 FIBA U18 European Championship. He averaged 10 points and eight rebounds per game in the 2019 FIBA U20 European Championship.



20 **BRYSON PERRY**
Guard • 5-9 • 158 • Sophomore
Richmond, Ky. • Mount St. Joseph Univ.

The Perry File

Academic All-State

Averaged 13.8 points and 5.0 assists as a senior at Model

Season and Career Highs

Season	Career
---	Min 4, vs. Manchester, 2/5/22
---	FG none
---	FGA 3, vs. Manchester, 2/5/22
---	3FG none
---	3FGA 1, vs. Manchester, 2/5/22
---	FT none
---	FTA none
---	OReb 1, vs. Manchester, 2/5/22
---	DReb 1, two times
---	Reb 2, vs. Manchester, 2/5/22
---	Asst none
---	Steals none
---	Blocks none
---	Points none

COMING HOME

After playing one season at Mount St. Joseph University, Bryson Perry has returned home to Richmond.

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN																	
WESTERN KENTUCKY																	
at Cincinnati																	
at Georgia State																	
vs. UNC Asheville																	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce																	
BRESCIA																	
at James Madison																	
at Tennessee																	
BOYCE																	
at Northern Kentucky																	
RADFORD																	
UNC GREENSBORO																	
QUEENS																	
at Kennesaw State																	
at Central Arkansas																	
LIBERTY																	
FLA. GULF COAST																	
STETSON																	
at Lipscomb																	
at Austin Peay																	
at Bellarmine																	
BELLARMINE																	
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

PERRY, Bryson

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	MSJ	3-0	10/3.4	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.0	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL FOR ECU		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
TOTAL		3-0	10/3.4	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.0	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

**21****DAVID ONANINA****Center • 6-8 • 230 • Freshman****Yaoundé, Cameroon • Bishop O'Connell HS****The Onanina File***247Sports composite three-star rating**Ranked as the 48th-best center in the nation by 247Sports***HIGHLY RANKED CENTER**

David Onanina had a 247Sports composite three-star rating. He was ranked as the 48th-best center in the nation by 247Sports and as the 13th-best prospect in the state of Virginia.

Season and Career Highs

<u>Season</u>		<u>Career</u>
---	Min	---
---	FG	---
---	FGA	---
---	3FG	---
---	3FGA	---
---	FT	---
---	FTA	---
---	OReb	---
---	DReb	---
---	Reb	---
---	Asst	---
---	Steals	---
---	Blocks	---
---	Points	---

Game-by-Game Statistics

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>GS</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>FG-A</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>3FG-A</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>FT-A</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>Off</u>	<u>Def</u>	<u>Tot</u>	<u>PF</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN																	
WESTERN KENTUCKY																	
at Cincinnati																	
at Georgia State																	
vs. UNC Asheville																	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce																	
BRESCIA																	
at James Madison																	
at Tennessee																	
BOYCE																	
at Northern Kentucky																	
RADFORD																	
UNC GREENSBORO																	
QUEENS																	
at Kennesaw State																	
at Central Arkansas																	
LIBERTY																	
FLA. GULF COAST																	
STETSON																	
at Lipscomb																	
at Austin Peay																	
at Bellarmine																	
BELLARMINE																	
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	



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MICHAEL MORENO

Forward • 6-7 • 225 • Junior

Georgetown, Ky. • Scott County HS

The Moreno File

Three-time first team all-state selection

2-time Fan-Voted ASUN Preseason Player of the Year (2021 & 2022)

Majoring in business

Season and Career Highs

Season	Career
34, vs. Western Ky., 11/10/22	Min 50, vs. Kennesaw St., 02/03/22
12, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	FG 12, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
23, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	FGA 23, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
11, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	3FG 11, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
22, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	3FGA 22, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
4, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23	FT 5, vs. SIUE, 02/08/20
4, four times	FTA 6, vs. SIUE, 02/08/20
5, at Lipscomb, 1/19/23	OReb 6, four times
7, three times	DReb 9, vs. Kennesaw St., 02/03/22
12, at Lipscomb, 1/19/23	Reb 13, vs. Ohio Chillicothe, 11/12/19
5, vs. Brescia, 11/23/22	Asst 6, two times
3, two times	Steals 5, two times
2, two times	Blocks 3, two times
35, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	Points 35, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	•	19	7-11	.636	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	2	5	7	2	4	1	1	2	18
WESTERN KENTUCKY	•	34	3-10	.300	3-8	.375	1-2	.500	1	4	5	1	0	0	1	1	10
at Cincinnati	•	29	2-7	.286	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	1	4	5	1	2	2	1	0	6
at Georgia State	•	27	4-7	.571	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	3	3	6	2	2	0	3	1	10
vs. UNC Asheville	•	33	6-11	.545	5-8	.625	2-2	1.000	0	6	6	2	1	1	2	2	19
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	•	28	2-8	.250	1-7	.143	0-0	.000	1	6	7	0	3	3	1	1	5
BRESCIA	•	23	4-9	.444	2-7	.286	1-1	1.000	1	7	8	1	5	0	1	0	11
at James Madison	•	24	2-7	.286	2-7	.286	3-4	.750	0	4	4	3	1	2	0	1	9
at Tennessee	•	26	2-11	.182	2-7	.286	0-0	.000	4	4	8	2	1	4	1	0	6
BOYCE	•	24	12-23	.522	11-22	.500	0-0	.000	2	4	6	2	2	0	2	0	35
at Northern Kentucky	•	27	3-5	.600	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	3	5	8	2	0	1	0	0	7
RADFORD	•	29	4-9	.444	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	3	1	4	2	3	0	0	0	10
UNC GREENSBORO	•	29	5-11	.455	4-8	.500	2-2	1.000	1	5	6	2	1	1	1	0	16
QUEENS	•	26	4-7	.571	2-4	.500	1-4	.250	3	4	7	0	3	0	0	0	11
at Kennesaw State	•	27	7-11	.636	6-10	.600	3-4	.750	3	5	8	2	1	2	2	0	23
at Central Arkansas	•	23	4-7	.571	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	2	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	12
LIBERTY	•	30	2-8	.250	1-5	.200	1-1	1.000	0	3	3	1	2	0	2	0	6
FLA. GULF COAST	•	26	5-11	.455	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	2	4	6	0	0	1	0	0	14
STETSON	•	29	6-11	.545	5-10	.500	4-4	1.000	1	4	5	1	4	0	0	0	21
at Lipscomb	•	29	4-10	.400	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	5	7	12	2	0	1	3	0	8
at Austin Peay	•	30	1-8	.125	0-7	.000	1-2	.500	2	2	4	13	1	1	0	0	3
at Bellarmine	•	30	8-16	.500	4-9	.444	1-2	.500	3	6	9	12	0	2	0	0	21
BELLARMINE	•	32	4-7	.571	2-5	.400	1-1	1.000	0	7	7	2	4	0	0	0	11
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at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

MORENO, Michael

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	EKU	33-22	844/25.6	103-226	.456	43-124	.347	36-57	.632	66	136	202	6.1	52-1	43	30	9	25	285	8.6
2020-21	EKU	29-28	782/27.0	108-219	.493	64-140	.457	16-25	.640	39	103	142	4.9	39-0	46	31	10	36	296	10.2
2021-22	EKU	31-22	817/26.4	138-311	.444	67-187	.358	21-31	.677	66	109	175	5.6	41-0	54	23	15	41	364	11.7
2022-23	EKU	23-23	632/27.5	101-225	.449	69-167	.413	21-31	.677	43	101	144	6.3	32-0	44	21	8	25	292	12.7
TOTAL		116-95	3076/26.5	450-981	.459	243-618	.393	94-144	.653	214	449	663	5.7	164-1	187	105	42	127	1237	10.7

MIKE IN NCAA RANKINGS

Michael Moreno is 16th in the nation with 69 three-pointers, he is 24th with 3.00 three-pointers per game and 31st with a 41.3 three-point field goal percentage.

ASUN RANKINGS

Moreno is tied for third in the ASUN in 3-point FGs (3.00/game), fourth in 3-point percentage (41.3 percent), 17th in scoring (12.70) and 12th in rebounding (6.26).

SNAPPING OUT OF IT

Moreno was 0-for-11 from 3-point range in his previous two games before making four triples against Bellarmine (Jan. 26). All four came within a 2:34 stretch in the second half.

HITTING THE BOARDS

Moreno had a season-high 12 rebounds at Lipscomb (Jan. 19), just one short of his career-best.

ASUN PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Moreno was chosen as the ASUN Player of the Week on Jan. 16 after averaging 17.5 points, 5.5 rebounds and 2.0 assists in two wins. He shot 50 percent from the field and 47 percent from behind the 3-point line.

MOST 3-POINTERS IN THE NATION

Moreno's 11 three-pointers against Boyce (Dec. 10) are tied for the most in a game by a D-I player this season. It is the second-most in a game in ASUN history.

MIKE BREAKS 3-POINT RECORDS

Moreno hit 11 three-pointers against Boyce (Dec. 10) and broke the ECU record of 10 set by Glenn Casey at Eastern Illinois on Jan. 2, 2014. He also set a new program mark with 22 three-point attempts in a game.

CAREER-HIGH 35

In addition to breaking the program record with 11 three-pointers in a game, Moreno finished with a career-best 35 points against Boyce (Dec. 10). He also set career-bests for field goals (12), field goals attempted (23), 3-point field goals (11) and 3-point field goals attempted (22). He had six rebounds, two assists and two steals.

MIKE ON ECU SCORING LIST

With 21 points against Bellarmine (Jan. 26), Moreno moved past Bruce Jones (1977-81) and Bobby Washington (1966-69) into 21st on ECU's all-time scoring list. He now has 1,237 career points and is two points away from matching Jamie Ross (1988-92) for 20th with 1,239 points.

PRESEASON ALL-ASUN

Moreno was chosen to the 2022-23 ASUN Preseason All-Conference Team.

FANS LOVE MIKE

For the second straight year, fans voted Moreno as the ASUN Preseason Player of the Year.

MOVING UP THE REBOUNDING LIST

Michael Moreno has 663 career rebounds. He is 15th on ECU's all-time rebounds list and 18 rebounds behind Bob Tolan (1962-65) in 14th with 681.

REBOUND IN EVERY GAME

Moreno has played in every ECU game of his career and has grabbed at least one rebound in all those games. His streak is at 116 straight games with a rebound.

SCORING STREAK

Moreno did not score in his first game as a Colonel, but he has in every game since -- a streak of 115 straight games.



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ISAIAH COZART

Forward • 6-7 • 240 • Senior

Richmond, Ky. • Western Kentucky

The Cozart File

Three-star high school prospect by 247Sports and Rivals
Gatorade Kentucky Player of the Year
2-time first team all-state

Season and Career Highs

Season	Min	Career
31, vs. Radford, 12/17/22	FG	31, vs. Radford, 12/17/22
7, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23	FGA	7, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23
12, vs. Radford, 12/17/22	3FG	12, vs. Radford, 12/17/22
none	3FGA	none
none	FT	none
6, two times	FTA	6, two times
8, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22	OReb	8, vs. Middletown, 11/7/22
7, vs. Radford, 12/17/22	DReb	7, vs. Radford, 12/17/22
9, vs. Western Ky., 11/10/22	Reb	9, vs. Western Ky., 11/10/22
14, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23	Asst	14, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23
2, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	Steals	2, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
3, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	Blocks	3, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
8, vs. Queens, 12/31/22	Points	8, vs. Queens, 12/31/22
16, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23		16, vs. Stetson, 1/14/23

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN	•	17	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	6-8	.750	2	6	8	2	0	0	2	1	12
WESTERN KENTUCKY	•	21	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3	9	12	1	0	2	1	0	2
at Cincinnati	•	12	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1	2	3	3	0	0	0	2	2
at Georgia State	•	23	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	3	5	8	1	1	2	0	3	10
vs. UNC Asheville	•	21	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	5	6	2	1	1	1	3	10
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce	•	22	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	5	6	2	0	1	1	0	6
BRESCIA	•	7	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1	1	0	1	0	4
at James Madison	•	20	5-6	.833	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	2	3	5	2	0	1	0	0	11
at Tennessee	•	26	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3	2	5	2	0	0	0	2	5
BOYCE	•	18	6-8	.667	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	3	5	8	0	2	0	3	1	13
at Northern Kentucky	•	24	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	3	5
RADFORD	•	31	5-12	.417	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	7	5	12	1	0	1	0	3	11
UNC GREENSBORO	•	24	3-3	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	2	0	1	0	0	6
QUEENS	•	27	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4	4	8	3	1	1	0	8	8
at Kennesaw State	•	26	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	2	7	9	1	0	1	0	1	7
at Central Arkansas	•	27	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	5	6	11	2	0	1	1	2	8
LIBERTY	•	26	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	4	6	1	0	1	1	2	8
FLA. GULF COAST	•	20	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	3	5	8	2	1	0	0	3	10
STETSON	•	27	7-11	.636	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	6	8	14	1	0	0	0	5	16
at Lipscomb	•	23	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	6	1	7	0	0	2	0	3	8
at Austin Peay	•	21	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	3	3	6	0	0	2	1	2	12
at Bellarmine	•	29	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	6-6	1.000	6	4	10	0	0	1	0	1	12
BELLARMINE	•	25	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	2	6
JACKSONVILLE ST.																	
KENNESAW ST.																	
at Queens																	
at Liberty																	
CENTRAL ARKANSAS																	
NORTH ALABAMA																	
at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

COZART, Isaiah

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	WestKy	19-0	88/4.6	7-13	.538	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	5	12	17	0.9	16-0	0	3	5	2	14	0.7
2020-21	WestKy	11-0	66/6.0	9-14	.643	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	8	14	22	2.0	9-0	1	3	5	1	18	1.6
2021-22	WestKy	18-0	107/5.9	10-15	.667	0-0	.000	4-7	.571	11	16	27	1.5	3-0	0	1	11	2	24	1.3
2022-23	EKU	23-23	519/22.6	81-130	.623	0-0	.000	30-54	.556	67	97	164	7.1	34-0	7	19	49	10	192	8.3
TOTAL FOR EKU		23-23	519/22.6	81-130	.623	0-0	.000	30-54	.556	67	97	164	7.1	34-0	7	19	49	10	192	8.3
TOTAL		71-23	780/11.0	107-172	.622	0-0	.000	34-61	.557	91	139	230	3.2	62-0	8	26	70	15	248	3.5

ANOTHER DOUBLE-DOUBLE

Isaiah Cozart recorded his third double-double of the season with 12 points and 10 rebounds at Bellarmine (Jan. 26).

SINGLE SEASON BLOCKS RECORD

Isaiah Cozart is just six blocks away from matching Nick Mayo's program single season record of 55 set in 2018-19.

ASUN RANKINGS

Isaiah Cozart is first in the ASUN, and 22nd in the country, in blocks (2.13 bpg). He is also third in the league in rebounding (7.13 rpg).

ASUN NEWCOMER OF THE WEEK

Isaiah Cozart was chosen as the ASUN Newcomer of the Week on Jan. 16 after averaging 13 points, 11 rebounds and four blocks while shooting 69 percent from the field and 100 percent at the free throw line in two EKU wins.

DOUBLE-DOUBLE AGAINST FIRST PLACE STETSON

Isaiah Cozart finished with a double-double against then first place Stetson (Jan. 14), registering a career-high 16 points and a career-best 14 rebounds to go along with five blocks. He also had a new career-high seven field goals.

BLOCK PARTY SPONSORED BY COZART

Cozart blocked a career-best and program record eight shots against Queens (Dec. 31). Tariq Balogun (Nov. 11, 2021), Nick Mayo (Jan. 26, 2017) and Eric Stutz (Feb. 2, 2013) blocked seven shots in a game.

SECOND-MOST BLOCKS IN NCAA

Isaiah Cozart's eight blocks against Queens (Dec. 31) is tied for the second most by any player in the nation this season.

3+3 = 6

Isaiah Cozart had six blocks in the first two games at the Capital Classic, swatting three shots in each game against Georgia State (Nov. 18) and UNC Asheville (Nov. 19).

INTERIOR FORCE

Isaiah Cozart scored 12 points and grabbed eight rebounds in his EKU debut.

3-STAR PROSPECT

As a high school senior, Isaiah Cozart was rated as a three-star prospect by 247Sports and Rivals.

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Isaiah Cozart was named the Gatorade Kentucky Boys Basketball Player of the Year and was a finalist for Kentucky Mr. Basketball as a high school senior in 2019.



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TAELOM MARTIN

Guard • 6-5 • 180 • Junior

Springfield, Mass. • Southern Idaho

The Martin File

Top-60 players in the nation and 4-star high school prospect
 Played for former UConn HC Jim Calhoun at Saint Joseph
 Majoring in sport management

Season and ECU Career Highs

Season	Min	ECU Career
2, two times	FG	2, two times
1, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	FGA	1, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22
1, two times	3FG	1, two times
none	3FGA	none
none	FT	none
none	FTA	none
none	OReb	none
none	DReb	none
none	Reb	none
none	Asst	none
none	Steals	none
none	Blocks	none
2, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22	Points	2, vs. Boyce, 12/10/22

Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	S	Blk	Pts
MIAMI-MIDDLETOWN																	
WESTERN KENTUCKY																	
at Cincinnati																	
at Georgia State																	
vs. UNC Asheville																	
vs. Texas A&M-Commerce																	
BRESCIA	2	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
at James Madison																	
at Tennessee																	
BOYCE	2	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
at Northern Kentucky																	
RADFORD																	
UNC GREENSBORO																	
QUEENS																	
at Kennesaw State																	
at Central Arkansas																	
LIBERTY																	
FLA. GULF COAST																	
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at North Florida																	
at Jacksonville																	

MARTIN, Taelon

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring				
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL
2019-20	USJ	28-7	658/23.5	117-230	.509	18-66	.273	46-62	.742	26	83	109	3.9	63-0	48	59	12	39
2022-23	EKU	2-0	4/1.8	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1-0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL FOR ECU		2-0	4/1.8	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1-0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		30-7	661/22.0	118-232	.509	18-66	.273	46-62	.742	26	83	109	3.6	64-0	48	59	12	39

FIRST BASKET

Taelon Martin scored his first points as a Colonel against Boyce (Dec. 10).

JUCO PROSPECT

Taelon Martin was rated as the 35th best junior college prospect by JUCORecruiting.com following the 2021-22 season.

HIGH SCHOOL PROSPECT

Taelon Martin was one of the top-60 players in the country, and rated as a four-star prospect by Rivals as a high school senior in 2019.



The A.W. Hamilton File

Hometown	Georgetown, Ky.
Wife	Chelsea
Children	Charleigh, Andy, Archie
College	Marshall (B.S. Communications, 2005)

Coaching Experience

Marshall University	2005-06
Graduate Assistant	
Hargrave Military Academy	2006-11
Assistant Coach	
Hargrave Military Academy	2011-17
Head Coach	
North Carolina State Univ.	2017-18
Assistant Coach	

Coaching Accomplishments

- 2022 recruiting class was ranked as high as 65th in the country by 247Sports and included the program's first-ever ESPN four-star freshman recruit.
- Voted the 2020 Ohio Valley Conference Coach of the Year after leading EKU to an impressive turnaround during the 2019-20 season. He was the first EKU coach to win that award since 1987.
- Spent the 2017-18 season as an assistant coach under Kevin Keatts at North Carolina State University ... helped lead the Wolfpack to the NCAA Tournament with a 21-12 record, including wins over No. 2 Arizona, No. 2 Duke and No. 10 North Carolina.
- Hargrave reached unprecedented levels of success during Hamilton's six-year tenure as head coach, compiling a record of 237-22, averaging 40 wins per season and winning the 2016 National Prep Championship.
- During Hamilton's 11 years with the program, Hargrave produced 113 NCAA Division I players, 33 NCAA Division II players, one McDonald's All-American, one Parade All-American and nine NBA players.

The assault on the record book during A.W. Hamilton's tenure as head coach continued in 2021-22 as the team broke nine more program records. In four seasons at the helm, Hamilton's Colonels have now broken 30 records.

Hamilton restocked the roster for 2022-23 with the highest rated Eastern Kentucky class in the internet recruiting era. EKU's class was ranked 65th in the country by 247Sports, higher than such programs as South Carolina (66th), Kansas State (67th), Connecticut (73rd), Georgia (79th), Oklahoma State (81st), Arizona (83rd), Mississippi State (86th) and North Carolina State (94th).

The class included Eastern Kentucky's first-ever ESPN four-star freshman recruit in point guard Leland Walker, three-star point guard Tayshawn Comer, former four-star high school prospect Taelon Martin, former three-star forward and Gatorade Kentucky Player of the Year Isaiah Cozart, three-star high school center David Onanina, junior college All-American John Ukomadu and Kentucky Mr. Basketball Turner Buttry. Walker and Comer were rated among the top-40 high school point guards in the nation.

Hamilton also reached a special milestone in 2021-22. EKU's win over North Alabama on Feb. 16, 2022, was Hamilton's 300th victory as a head coach.

Fan excitement around the program showed when a new season ticket record was set before the season started.

Additional records broken during the 2021-22 season include 3-pointers in a game (25), 3-pointers attempted in a game (51), 3-pointers made (363) and attempted (1,029) in a season, and 3-point field goals in a road game (18). EKU's 25 three-pointers on Dec. 15 was just one short of tying the ASUN record and three away from matching the NCAA Division I record of 28.

The momentum from winning 38 games combined and advancing to back-to-back conference tournament semifinals during the 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons had the national media picking the Colonels to win the ASUN and make an NCAA Tournament appearance in 2021-22.

For the second straight season, Eastern Kentucky led its conference in scoring, averaging 79 points per game. The Colonels were the 16th highest scoring team in the nation. EKU also ranked second in the country in turnover margin (+5.84), third in 3-pointers per game (11.71), fourth in steals per game (10.19) and seventh in turnovers forced (17.42).

"The Most Exciting 40 Minutes In Sports" led Colonel basketball fans to McBrayer Arena all season long. EKU finish second in the ASUN with an average home attendance of nearly 2,800 per game.

A 22-7 season in 2020-21 featured the most conference wins in program

history (15) and the most conference road victories (8) ever. Eastern Kentucky also led the nations in steals (10.3 per game). Hamilton's squad was ranked as high as No. 12 in the College Insider Mid-Major Top 25 and concluded the season ranked 25th.

Under Hamilton's guidance, Wendell Green Jr. set the freshman program record for most assists in a season (149), broke the overall program mark with 15 assists in a game and was selected to the Freshman All-America Team.

The team's 22 victories tied for the third most in program history and EKU's .759 winning percentage was the Colonels' best since the 1964-65 season (56 years). It was also the highest winning percentage by any NCAA Division I team in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The squad began the 2020-21 season with a 14-2 mark, the best start for an Eastern Kentucky team in 74 years. The seven losses were the fewest in a season since 1964-65 (56 years).

EKU's 27 conference wins combined during the 2019-20 and 2020-21 seasons are the most-ever for the program over a two-year period.

Behind a high-octane offense and pressure defense, Eastern Kentucky led the conference in scoring (81.8 ppg), steals per game, 3-pointers per game (9.6), turnover margin (+6.3) and turnovers forced (19.1 per game) in 2020-21.

Eastern Kentucky's success in 2020-21 led to Hamilton being chosen as a finalist for the Hugh Durham National Coach of the Year Award.

During the 2020 calendar year, Eastern Kentucky had more wins (21) than any other Division I program in Kentucky.

In his second season in Richmond, Hamilton was voted the 2020 Ohio Valley Conference Coach of the Year. The Georgetown, Kentucky native was the first EKU coach to earn that award since 1987. He also earned the National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) District 18 Coach of the Year award.

Following a 6-12 conference record in 2018-19, the Colonels went 12-6 in 2019-20, reaching the league tournament for the first time since 2015.

Hamilton was hired as Eastern Kentucky University's 21st men's basketball head coach on March 23, 2018.

A former prep star at Scott County High School, Hamilton spent the 2017-18 season as an assistant coach under Kevin Keatts at North Carolina State. He helped lead the Wolfpack to the NCAA Tournament with a 21-12 record, including wins over No. 2 Arizona, No. 2 Duke and No. 10 North Carolina.

Before joining Keatts in Raleigh, Hamilton was the head coach at Hargrave Military Academy, from 2011 to 2017.

Hamilton earned a bachelor's of science in communications from Marshall in 2005.

Versus All Opponents

Albany	1-0
Alice Lloyd	2-0
Austin Peay	4-3
Belmont	1-6
Bellarmine	2-2
Boyce	1-0
Brescia	2-0
Campbellsville-Harrodsburg	1-0
Central Arkansas	1-2
Charleston Southern	1-1
Chattanooga	2-0
Cincinnati	0-1
Cleveland State	0-1
Duquesne	0-1
East Carolina	0-1
Eastern Illinois	5-1
Florida Gulf Coast	1-1
Florida International	0-1
Georgetown College	1-0
Georgia State	1-0
High Point	2-0
Jacksonville	0-1
Jacksonville State	4-4
James Madison	0-2
Kansas State	0-1
Kennesaw State	2-2
Kentucky	0-1
Liberty	1-1
Lipscomb	1-2
Louisville	0-1
Marshall	0-3
Miami (Ohio)-Middletown	1-0
Midway	2-0
Milwaukee	1-0
Morehead State	3-4
Murray State	0-4
North Alabama	1-1
Northern Iowa	0-1
Northern Kentucky	2-2
North Florida	2-0
Ohio-Chillicothe	1-0
Ohio Valley	1-0
Queens	1-0
Radford	1-1
SIU Edwardsville	2-2
South Carolina-Upstate	2-1
Southeast Missouri	3-1
Southern California	0-1
Stetson	1-1
Tennessee	0-2
Tennessee-Martin	4-0
Tennessee State	6-1
Tennessee Tech	5-1
Texas A&M-Commerce	0-1
Transylvania	1-0
UNC Asheville	1-0
UNC Greensboro	1-0
Western Kentucky	0-3
West Virginia	0-1
Xavier	0-2
TOTAL	78-68

GAME	FG	FGA	PCT	3-Point			FT	FTA	PCT	Rebounds			PF	A	TO	STL	BLK	PTS
				3FG	3FGA	PCT				OFF	DEF	TOT						
Miami-Middletown	15	59	.254	1	19	.053	21	22	.955	12	18	30	16	3	35	7	1	52
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	50	85	.588	19	40	.475	18	24	.750	21	32	53	21	34	18	24	4	137
Western Kentucky	24	56	.429	10	17	.588	8	14	.571	5	31	36	21	18	14	6	7	66
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	21	62	.339	10	31	.323	8	17	.471	15	29	44	18	10	16	2	3	60
at Cincinnati	30	69	.435	8	26	.308	19	26	.731	17	34	51	19	15	11	10	4	87
EASTERN KENTUCKY	26	64	.406	8	21	.381	9	20	.450	9	26	35	18	16	13	7	5	69
at Georgia State	25	51	.490	4	16	.250	7	8	.875	9	28	37	14	8	20	3	5	61
EASTERN KENTUCKY	25	62	.403	7	18	.389	5	10	.500	14	17	31	15	10	13	11	6	62
vs UNC Asheville	28	65	.431	10	25	.400	9	17	.529	10	21	31	15	14	9	12	2	75
EASTERN KENTUCKY	29	61	.475	7	18	.389	12	16	.750	10	33	43	18	13	15	5	8	77
vs Texas A&M-Commerce	31	66	.470	13	39	.333	0	1	.000	7	26	33	15	21	10	7	1	75
EASTERN KENTUCKY	23	53	.434	4	21	.190	11	13	.846	4	28	32	10	10	15	7	5	61
Brescia	32	81	.395	7	31	.226	13	17	.765	14	33	47	18	20	22	9	4	84
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	44	91	.484	19	45	.422	15	19	.789	16	37	53	14	29	14	12	6	122
at James Madison	36	59	.610	9	23	.391	16	21	.762	8	26	34	17	16	15	9	2	97
EASTERN KENTUCKY	30	69	.435	10	29	.345	10	18	.556	16	19	35	17	12	14	9	3	80
at Tennessee	24	60	.400	5	21	.238	31	41	.756	20	36	56	16	15	16	11	8	84
EASTERN KENTUCKY	15	68	.221	6	35	.171	13	18	.722	18	22	40	30	6	16	9	3	49
Boyce	27	61	.443	12	25	.480	13	19	.684	8	26	34	10	17	28	3	0	79
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	54	93	.581	23	50	.460	9	16	.563	17	29	46	17	35	5	18	4	140
at Northern Kentucky	21	48	.438	8	24	.333	14	21	.667	12	27	39	17	13	15	7	5	64
EASTERN KENTUCKY	22	58	.379	8	16	.500	9	21	.429	15	19	34	17	11	10	9	5	61
Radford	26	69	.377	6	21	.286	7	11	.636	21	26	47	20	15	17	9	6	65
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	23	62	.371	7	18	.389	14	23	.609	18	21	39	14	12	14	9	3	67
UNC Greensboro	22	55	.423	7	18	.389	13	17	.765	5	32	37	16	17	17	4	1	64
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	25	59	.424	6	22	.273	12	20	.600	6	28	34	18	17	9	7	3	68
Queens	29	72	.403	12	29	.414	13	13	1.000	14	25	39	14	18	12	6	0	83
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	33	70	.471	10	28	.357	12	17	.706	15	29	44	15	18	12	9	11	88
at Kennesaw State	26	58	.448	7	23	.304	20	30	.667	11	32	43	18	14	16	10	0	79
EASTERN KENTUCKY	24	66	.364	12	28	.429	15	24	.625	14	26	40	22	12	16	11	3	75
at Central Arkansas	31	67	.463	10	25	.400	3	8	.375	11	21	32	7	17	16	7	6	75
EASTERN KENTUCKY	33	68	.485	7	14	.500	4	9	.444	16	27	43	10	6	18	10	5	77
Liberty	23	59	.390	4	23	.174	9	11	.818	11	25	36	13	10	11	6	1	59
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	23	54	.426	10	22	.455	6	8	.750	8	27	35	14	16	13	6	5	62
Florida Gulf Coast	24	72	.333	8	28	.286	20	22	.909	19	22	41	11	10	9	6	2	76
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	36	74	.486	17	38	.447	8	9	.889	16	31	47	17	26	10	5	6	97
Stetson	24	60	.400	10	27	.370	12	18	.667	9	21	30	19	13	8	1	1	70
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	31	66	.470	9	28	.321	14	21	.667	15	30	45	19	23	8	2	6	85
at Lipscomb	29	70	.414	10	31	.414	7	7	100.0	12	32	44	11	20	11	4	2	75
EASTERN KENTUCKY	27	75	.360	4	28	.143	4	10	.400	17	24	41	12	6	9	6	5	62
at Austin Peay	23	52	.442	7	19	.368	6	6	1.000	4	23	27	15	12	18	7	8	59
EASTERN KENTUCKY	28	65	.431	2	14	.143	16	22	.727	16	24	40	9	14	9	12	3	74
at Bellarmine	28	54	.519	12	29	.414	4	7	.571	7	24	31	13	20	9	1	0	72
EASTERN KENTUCKY	24	59	.407	10	31	.323	13	16	.813	12	22	34	13	12	5	6	2	71
Bellarmine	25	56	.446	7	22	.318	6	12	.500	7	21	29	16	15	7	1	1	63
at EASTERN KENTUCKY	28	56	.500	7	22	.318	10	13	.769	9	28	37	11	15	8	2	3	73
Jacksonville State																		
at EASTERN KENTUCKY																		
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Eastern Kentucky University

GAME HIGHS

POINTS	137	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
FG	50	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
FGA	91	vs. Brescia (11/23/22)
FG % ..	58.8 (50-85)	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
3FG	19	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
.....	19	vs. Brescia (11/23/22)
3FGA	45	vs. Brescia (11/23/22)
3FG % ..	50.0 (8-16)	at Northern Ky. (12/14/22)
FT	18	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
FTA	24	two times
FT % ..	84.6 (11-13)	vs. TAMUC (11/20/22)
REBOUNDS	53	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
.....	53	vs. Brescia (11/23/22)
ASSISTS	35	vs. Boyce (12/10/22)
STEALS	24	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
BLOCKS	11	vs. Queens (12/31/22)
TURNOVERS	18	vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
.....	18	at Central Arkansas (1/5/23)
FOULS	30	at Tennessee (12/7/22)

GAME LOWS

POINTS	49	at Tennessee (12/7/22)
FG	15	at Tennessee (12/7/22)
FGA	53	vs. TAMUC (11/20/22)
FG % ..	22.1 (15-68)	at Tennessee (12/7/22)
3FG	2	at Austin Peay (1/21/23)
3FGA	14	at Central Arkansas (1/5/23)
.....	14	at Austin Peay (1/21/23)
3FG % ..	14.3 (4-28)	at Lipscomb (1/19/23)
.....	14.3 (2-14)	at Austin Peay (1/21/23)
FT	4	at Central Arkansas (1/5/23)
.....	4	at Lipscomb (1/19/23)
FTA	8	vs. Liberty (1/8/23)
FT % ..	40.0 (4-10)	at Lipscomb (1/19/23)
REBOUNDS	31	at Georgia State (11/18/22)
ASSISTS	6	at Tennessee (12/7/22)
.....	6	at Central Arkansas (1/5/23)
.....	6	at Lipscomb (1/19/23)
STEALS	2	vs. Stetson (1/14/23)
.....	2	vs. Bellarmine (1/28/23)
BLOCKS	2	vs. Western Ky. (11/10/22)
.....	2	at Bellarmine (1/26/23)
TURNOVERS	5	vs. Boyce (12/10/22)
.....	5	at Bellarmine (1/26/23)
FOULS	9	at Austin Peay (1/21/23)

Preseason ASUN Coaches Poll

2022-23 PREDICTED ORDER OF FINISH

Selected by ASUN Head Basketball Coaches

1. Liberty (10)	192
2. Jacksonville (3)	171
3. Jacksonville State	148
4. FGCU	136
5. North Florida (1)	127
6. Lipscomb	116
.....	116
8. Kennesaw State	108
9. Austin Peay	88
10. Eastern Kentucky	87
11. Central Arkansas	52
12. Stetson	50
13. Queens	42
14. North Alabama	37

1st-place votes in parentheses.

Coaches were not allowed to rank their own team.

Opponent

GAME HIGHS

POINTS	97	James Madison (12/02/22)
FG	36	James Madison (12/02/22)
FGA	81	Brescia (11/23/22)
FG % ..	61.0 (36-59)	James Madison (12/02/22)
3FG	13	TAMUC (11/20/22)
3FGA	39	TAMUC (11/20/22)
3FG % ..	58.8 (10-17)	Western Kentucky (11/10/22)
FT	31	Tennessee (12/7/22)
FTA	41	Tennessee (12/7/22)
FT % ..	100.0 (13-13)	Queens (12/31/22)
.....	100.00 (6-6)	Austin Peay (1/21/23)
REBOUNDS	56	Tennessee (12/7/22)
ASSISTS	21	TAMUC (11/20/22)
STEALS	12	UNC Asheville (11/19/22)
BLOCKS	8	Austin Peay (1/21/23)
TURNOVERS	35	Middletown (11/7/22)
FOULS	21	Western Kentucky (11/10/22)

GAME LOWS

POINTS	52	Middletown (11/7/22)
FG	15	Middletown (11/7/22)
FGA	48	Northern Kentucky (12/14/22)
FG % ..	25.4 (15-59)	Middletown (11/7/22)
3FG	1	Middletown (11/7/22)
3FGA	16	Georgia State (11/18/22)
3FG % ..	5.3 (1-19)	Middletown (11/7/22)
FT	0	TAMUC (11/20/22)
FTA	1	TAMUC (11/20/22)
FT % ..	0.0 (0-1)	TAMUC (11/20/22)
REBOUNDS	27	Austin Peay (1/21/23)
ASSISTS	3	Middletown (11/7/22)
STEALS	1	Stetson (1/14/23)
.....	1	Bellarmine (1/26/23)
.....	1	Bellarmine (1/28/23)
BLOCKS	0	Queens (12/31/22)
.....	0	Kennesaw State (1/2/23)
.....	0	Bellarmine (1/26/23)
TURNOVERS	7	Bellarmine (1/28/23)
FOULS	7	Central Arkansas (1/5/23)

Preseason ASUN Media Poll

2022-23 PREDICTED ORDER OF FINISH

Selected by ASUN Media Members

1. Liberty (20)	402
2. Jacksonville (8)	365
3. Jacksonville State	335
4. FGCU	331
5. Bellarmine	270
6. Kennesaw State	244
7. North Florida	207
8. Lipscomb (1)	202
9. Austin Peay (1)	189
10. Eastern Kentucky	186
11. Central Arkansas	159
12. North Alabama	101
13. Stetson	89
14. Queens	70

1st-place votes in parentheses.

INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Points	35	Michael Moreno, vs. Boyce (12/10/22)
Field Goals Made	12	Michael Moreno, vs. Boyce (12/10/22)
Field Goal Att.	23	Michael Moreno, vs. Boyce (12/10/22)
FG Pct (min 6 made)	90.0 (9-10)	John Ukomadu, vs. vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
3-Point FG Made	11	Michael Moreno, vs. Boyce (12/10/22)
3-Point FG Att.	22	Michael Moreno, vs. Boyce (12/10/22)
3-Pt FG Pct	75.0 (3-4)	Devontae Blanton, vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
(min 3 made)	75.0 (3-4)	Devontae Blanton, at James Madison (12/2/22)
Free Throws Made	7	Leland Walker, vs. Queens (12/31/22)
Free Throw Att.	8	Isaiah Cozart, vs. Middletown (11/7/22)
FT Pct (min 7 made)	100.0 (7-7)	Leland Walker, vs. Queens (12/31/22)
Rebounds	14	Isaiah Cozart, vs. Stetson (1/14/23)
Assists	11	Tayshawn Comer, vs. Stetson (1/14/23)
Steals	5	Tayshawn Comer, vs. Brescia (11/23/22)
Blocked Shots	8	Isaiah Cozart, vs. Queens (12/31/22)

Turnovers	6	Leland Walker, at Central Arkansas (1/5/23)
Fouls	5	Cooper Robb, vs. UNC Asheville (11/19/22)
	5	Devontae Blanton, vs. TAMUC (11/20/22)
	5	Tayshawn Comer at Tennessee (12/7/22)
	5	Cooper Robb at Tennessee (12/7/22)
	5	Tayshawn Comer at Kennesaw State (1/2/23)



Radio / Television Roster

**#0 Turner Buttry**

Guard • 5-11 • 165 • Fr.
Bowling Green, Ky.
Bowling Green High School

**#1 Tayshawn Comer**

Guard • 6-1 • 190 • Fr.
Indianapolis, Ind.
Cathedral High School

**#2 Leland Walker**

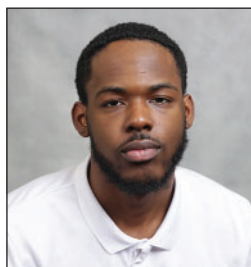
Guard • 6-1 • 185 • Fr.
Indianapolis, Ind.
Hargrave Military Academy

**#3 DaShawn Jackson**

Guard • 6-3 • 196 • So.
Lexington, Ky.
Frederick Douglass High School

**#5 Cooper Robb**

Guard • 6-1 • 184 • Sr.
Georgetown, Ky.
UNC Charlotte

**#10 Devontae Blanton**

Wing • 6-6 • 214 • Jr.
Macedonia, Ohio
St. Edward High School

**#11 Jackson Holt**

Guard • 6-4 • 185 • Fr.
Cincinnati, Ohio
Moravian Prep

**#12 Michael Wardy**

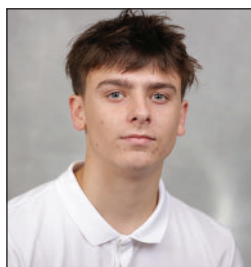
Forward • 6-7 • 203 • Sr.
Lincoln, Neb.
Southeast Community College

**#14 John Ukomadu**

Forward • 6-7 • 195 • Jr.
Southfield, Mich.
Macomb Community College

**#15 Dardan Kapiti**

Forward • 6-10 • 213 • Jr.
Prishtina, Kosovo
Florida Atlantic University

**#20 Bryson Perry**

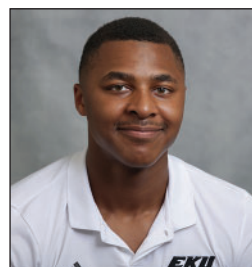
Guard • 5-9 • 158 • So.
Richmond, Ky.
Mount St. Joseph University

**#21 David Onanina**

Center • 6-8 • 230 • Fr.
Yaoundé, Cameroon
Bishop O'Connell High School

**#24 Michael Moreno**

Forward • 6-7 • 225 • Jr.
Georgetown, Ky.
Scott County High School

**#50 Isaiah Cozart**

Forward • 6-7 • 240 • Sr.
Richmond, Ky.
Western Kentucky University

**#55 Taelon Martin**

Guard • 6-5 • 180 • Jr.
Springfield, Mass.
College of Southern Idaho

**A.W. Hamilton**

Head Coach
Fifth Season
Marshall, 2005

**Mike Allen**

Asst. Coach/Recruiting Coord.
Fifth Season
Ohio, 2009

**Patrick Blake**

Assistant Coach
Fourth Season
Louisville, 2009

**Steve Lepore**

Assistant Coach
Fifth Season
Wake Forest, 2003

**Mason Cooper**

Director of Operations
First Season
Eastern Kentucky, 2020