



MASON BASKETBALL

WNIT 2001, 2004, 2018

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Three Postseason Appearances (WNIT: 2001, 2004, 2018) | Two Atlantic 10 Players of the Year | One AP All-American | 18 All-Atlantic 10 Honorees

2022-23 SCHEDULE

Nov. 7	No. 17 MARYLAND	L, 51-88
Nov. 10	at Robert Morris	L, 52-53
Nov. 12	at Pittsburgh	L, 45-63
Nov. 16	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	W, 74-34
Nov. 19	LOYOLA (Md.)	W, 66-58
Nov. 21	WILLIAM & MARY	W, 71-61
Nov. 24	vs. No. 12 LSU&	L, 52-80
Nov. 25	vs. UAB&	L, 74-83

Dec. 1	EAST CAROLINA	W, 54-41
Dec. 3	AMERICAN	W, 71-59
Dec. 17	COPPIN STATE	W, 59-51
Dec. 19	at Florida International#	W, 72-64
Dec. 20	vs. Stephen F. Austin#	L, 62-90

Jan. 1	DAYTON*	L, 71-66
Jan. 5	at St. Bonaventure*	W, 49-44
Jan. 8	DUQUESNE*	W, 61-45
Jan. 11	at La Salle*	L, 62-69
Jan. 14	at VCU*	L, 45-55
Jan. 16	GEORGE WASHINGTON* (CBS)	W, 67-57
Jan. 21	at Richmond*	L, 58-73
Jan. 25	RHODE ISLAND*	7 p.m.
Jan. 28	DAVIDSON*	3 p.m.

Feb. 1	at Saint Louis*	12 p.m.
Feb. 5	at George Washington*	12 p.m.
Feb. 8	ST. BONAVENTURE* (NBC)	7 p.m.
Feb. 12	MASSACHUSETTS*	3 p.m.
Feb. 15	at Loyola Chicago*	7 p.m.
Feb. 19	at Fordham*	2 p.m.
Feb. 22	SAINT JOSEPH'S*	7 p.m.

Mar. 1-5 A-10 CHAMPIONSHIPS% TBA

All Times EST

% A-10 Championship

* Atlantic 10 contest

& Goombay Splash (Bimini, Bahamas)

Holiday Hoops Showdown (Miami, Fla.)

TELEVISION/STREAMING KEY

CBS - CBS Sports Network

NBC - NBC Sports (digital)



GEORGE MASON (10-10, 3-4 A-10)
PATRIOTS

GAME #21

Date Wednesday, Jan. 25
 Time 7 p.m.
 Location Fairfax, Va.
 Arena EagleBank Arena
 Broadcast ESPN+
 Audio GoMason Digital Network
 Series History URI leads, 5-4
 Series Streak URI, W3
 Last Meeting URI won, 59-49



RHODE ISLAND (16-3, 7-0 A-10)
RAMS

PATRIOT POINTS

► Despite a strong third quarter push, the Patriots fell to Richmond, 73-58, on the road last Saturday.

► The Patriots were led by 16 points from Taylor Jameson, who also contributed four rebounds, a block, an assist and a steal.

► Paula Suarez had a comprehensive night, contributing nine points, 4 assists, 3 rebounds, two blocks and a steal in 35 minutes of work.

► Nalani Kaysia knocked down a career-high nine free throws throughout the evening, as well as five rebounds, two assists and a steal while Nekhu Mitchell registered a team-high six rebounds off the bench.

► As a team, Mason committed just seven turnovers, the first time this season their turnover total was in single-digits.

► Mason currently has the fifth-best scoring defense in the A-10, limiting opponents to 62.0 points per game. Rebounding continues to be a bright spot for the Patriots, as they rank second in the conference with 13.3 offensive rebounds and fourth with 39.8 total rebounds per contest

► Taylor Jameson ranks 12th in the A-10 with 13.4 ppg and Nalani Kaysia ranks 14th with 0.8 bpg and 13th with 6.8 rpg.

► Coach Blair-Lewis is assisted by the same coaching staff consisting of Chandler McCabe, Niki Washington and Demetria Frank, as well as Andre Bolton, who serves as special assistant to the head coach.

► Brittany Ward returns for her second season as a graduate assistant, while five-year member of the George Mason women's basketball team, Livija Kaktaite, joins the staff as a graduate assistant as well.

► The Patriots welcome eight newcomers to the 2022-23 roster. That group includes four transfers: grad student Riley Childs (Boston Univ.), senior Sonia Smith (Sacred Heart), senior Trey Kennedy (Marist) and senior Nalani Kaysia (Charlotte- volleyball). Jada Brown, Nekhu Mitchell and Zahirah Walton joined Mason in August and Amy O'Hara in December after graduating high school in November.

► The Atlantic 10 Conference announced its Women's Basketball Championship will return to CHASE Fieldhouse in Wilmington, Del. from March 1-5, 2023.

PROBABLE STARTERS

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht	Cl	Pts	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Min
0	Taylor Jameson	G	5-6	Jr.	13.4	.343	.289	.816	3.2	1.7	31.7
4	Sonia Smith	G	5-7	Sr.	9.9	.361	.283	.682	2.6	2.7	28.4
14	Paula Suarez	G	6-0	So.	5.6	.406	.444	.578	2.2	2.8	25.8
15	J-Naya Ephraim	G	5-9	Gr.	4.6	.457	.571	.657	4.9	1.2	22.3
42	Nalani Kaysia	F	6-2	Sr.	7.0	.438	0.8 blk/qm	.444	6.8	0.8	23.4

KEY RESERVES

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht	Cl	Pts	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Min
1	Jazmyn Doster	C	6-2	Sr.	5.4	.479	0.7 blk/qm	.542	4.4	0.1	13.2
2	Tamia Lawhorne	F	6-0	Sr.	5.6	.283	.235	.588	2.6	0.4	17.0
3	Jada Brown	G	5-6	Fr.	3.1	.293	.250	1.000	0.9	0.3	9.8
5	Trey Kennedy	G	5-8	Sr.	1.2	.261	.222	.625	1.0	0.2	6.7
23	Nekhu Mitchell	F	6-0	Fr.	2.2	.354	.125	.471	2.9	0.4	11.7
25	Riley Childs	F	6-0	Gr.	5.9	.388	1.1 blk/qm	.615	4.8	0.9	20.5
30	Amy O'Hara	F	6-3	Fr.	1.3	.444	--	1.000	1.8	0.4	5.5
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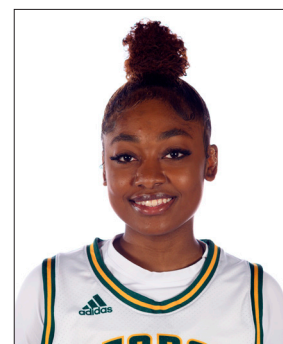
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Jr. • G • 5-6
Wichita, Kan.



#1 Jazmyn Doster
Sr. • C • 6-2
Norfolk, Va.



#2 Tamia Lawhorne
So. • F • 6-0
Amityville, N.Y.



#3 Jada Brown
Fr. • G • 5-6
Falls Church, Va.



#4 Sonia Smith
Sr. • G • 5-7
Upper Marlboro, Md. (Sacred Heart)



#5 Trey Kennedy
Sr. • G • 5-8
Lexington, N.C. (Marist)



#14 Paula Suarez
Fr. • G • 6-0
Pamplona, Spain



#15 J-Naya Ephraim
Sr. • G • 5-9
St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands (Illinois)



#23 Nekhu Mitchell
Fr. • F • 6-0
Baltimore, Md.



#25 Riley Childs
Gr. • F • 6-0
Medway, Mass. (Boston Univ.)



#30 Amy O'Hara
Fr. • F • 6-3
Hoppers Crossing, Australia



#35 Zahirah Walton
Fr. • F • 5-11
Seattle, Wash.






#42 Nalani Kaysia
Sr. • F • 6-2
Washington, D.C. (Charlotte)



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2022-23 Broadcast Roster

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MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball

Last Meeting: Rhode Island 59, Mason 49
Ryan Center | Kingston, R.I. | Jan. 15, 2022

KINGSTON, R.I. — A late fourth quarter run propelled Rhode Island past the George Mason women's basketball team on Saturday afternoon inside the Ryan Center in Kingston, R.I.

Mason (6-8, 0-2 A-10) pulled within five with seven minutes remaining before Rhode Island (12-3, 2-0 A-10) went on a 9-0 run to put the game out of reach. The Rams pulled away to earn the 59-49 victory.

Sophomore Taylor Jameson led the Patriots with a team-high 17 points on 7-of-13 shooting. Senior Amaya Scott added 12 points and seven rebounds while sophomore Angelee Rodriguez scored a career-high 10 points (5-8 FG) in her first career start as a Patriot.

Despite a strong defensive effort, Mason struggled offensively, shooting just 36.2 percent from the floor (21-58) and 23.5 percent from three-point range (4-17). The Patriots were held to season lows in points (49) and free throw percentage (.333).

TALE OF THE TAPE - GEORGE MASON vs. RHODE ISLAND

GEORGE MASON	CATEGORY	RHODE ISLAND
60.6	POINTS PER GAME	70.1
62.0	OPP. POINTS PER GAME	56.1
37.3	FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	43.8
39.1	OPP. FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	37.4
27.5	THREE-POINT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	36.6
32.0	OPP. THREE-POINT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE	29.1
62.2	FREE THROW PERCENTAGE	69.4
10.8	ASSISTS PER GAME	14.7
2.9	REBOUND MARGIN	8.5
-0.4	TURNOVER MARGIN	1.4

WEDNESDAY'S MATCHUP

MEDIA COVERAGE

Wednesday's match-up will be broadcast live on ESPN+. In addition, Brian McSweeney will call the game on the GoMason Digital Network, with streaming coverage beginning at approximately 6:45 p.m.

SERIES HISTORY

The Rams will visit Fairfax for the first time since 2019, which was also the last time Mason earned a victory over Rhode Island. The two teams' history dates back to 2014 when the Patriots joined the A-10, and URI holds a slight 4-5 advantage over Mason.

SCOUTING THE RAMS

Rhode Island wrapped non-conference play at 11-3, including a win streak of nine games stretching from Nov. 11 to Dec. 11. The Rams only three losses of the season are to two Ivy League members and an ACC team. Since a loss to Princeton on Dec. 28, the Rams have torn through the A-10 and remain the only undefeated team in the league. Their closest games were seven-point victories over Duquesne and reigning champ UMass.

The Rams are led on both sides of the court by Addie Maye Toure who is averaging a team-best 14.1 points (10th, A-10) and 8.0 rebounds (7th, A-10) per game. She has also registered a team-high 16 blocks and is the Rams' best free throw shooter, knocking down 43 of 55 attempts so far this season.

Sayawni Lassiter has dished out a team-high 94 assists (2nd, A-10) so far this season, averaging 4.9 per game (3rd, A-10) while contributing 2.0 steals (7th, A-10) and 7.8 points per game. Madison Hattix-Covington is second on the team in scoring with 9.9 points per game in a team-high 26.8 minutes while grabbing 5.2 rebounds per game.

Date: 01/15/22
Time: 7:00 PM
Location: 473
Site: Ryan Center, South Kingston, RI
Referee: Lauren Nemecek, John Caputo, Paulant Spurrack-Walsh

George Mason 49															
#	Player	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	ORB	DRB	REB	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
11	Scott, Amaya	*	32	6-14	0-0	0-0	2-5	2	2	1	5	2	0	12	
33	Rodriguez, Angeline	*	18	5-8	0-0	0-0	1-3	4	2	0	1	1	0	10	
03	Wassell, Jordan	*	31	2-10	1-4	0-0	0-8	8	3	1	1	1	1	5	
20	Adams, Jayla	*	36	0-8	0-3	3-4	0-4	4	1	4	2	0	2	3	
02	Lashorne, Tanna	*	33	1-4	0-2	0-0	0-2	2	2	1	1	0	2	2	
00	Jameson, Taylor	*	26	7-13	3-7	0-0	0-4	4	1	1	1	0	0	17	
14	Suarez, Paula	*	14	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	
10	Williams, Charrel	*	13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals			200	21-58	4-17	3-4	9-29	32	13	10	13	8	8	49	

Team Summary	FG	3PT	FT
1st Quarter	4-16 25.00 %	1-5 20.00 %	1-2 50.00 %
2nd Quarter	6-14 42.86 %	1-5 20.00 %	0-1 0.00 %
3rd Quarter	6-14 42.86 %	2-4 50.00 %	0-0 0.00 %
4th Quarter	5-14 35.71 %	0-3 0.00 %	2-6 33.33 %
Total	21-58 36.2 %	4-17 23.5 %	3-9 33.3 %

Technical Fouls: none
Lead Changes: 2 (times)
Points off Turnovers: 11
Score Time: 2 (times)
Points in the Paint: 20
Largest Lead: 10
Fast Break Points: 0

Shore Island 99															
#	Player	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	ORB	DRB	REB	PF	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
01	Carmichael, Dany	*	30	8-14	3-5	0-0	1-2	2	0	2	0	0	0	18	
10	Toure, Addie Maye	*	31	8-16	0-0	3-5	1-5	6	4	2	0	0	1	19	
21	Elmore, Dee	*	35	4-10	0-0	2-3	2-10	12	2	1	2	2	0	10	
00	Williams, Charrel	*	38	2-9	1-2	2-2	1-4	15	1	3	4	0	2	7	
02	Prosser, Merve Plute	*	31	3-10	0-1	0-0	3-10	13	2	2	2	0	3	6	
12	Dismore, Anissa	*	17	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-3	3	0	0	2	0	0	2	
13	Blair, Emma	*	12	0-4	0-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	
05	Hendley, Yanni	*	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
13	Vargas, Hector	*	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	
20	Toure, Maye	*	2	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
10	TS&M	*	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-2	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Totals			200	24-58	6-13	7-14	9-27	46	10	13	18	2	6	59	

Team Summary	FG	3PT	FT
1st Quarter	5-16 31.25 %	3-5 60.00 %	0-4 0.00 %
2nd Quarter	4-12 33.33 %	0-3 0.00 %	5-7 71.43 %
3rd Quarter	8-17 47.06 %	0-1 0.00 %	0-0 0.00 %
4th Quarter	7-14 50.00 %	1-4 25.00 %	2-3 66.67 %
Total	24-58 41.4 %	4-13 30.8 %	7-14 50.0 %

Technical Fouls: none
Lead Changes: 2 (times)
Points off Turnovers: 11
Score Time: 2 (times)
Points in the Paint: 12
Largest Lead: 0
Fast Break Points: 11

HISTORY vs. RHODE ISLAND

All-Time Series: 4-5; Home: 2-1, Away: 2-4

01/15/2022	at Rhode Island	L, 49-59
02/05/2021	at Rhode Island	L, 21-63
02/01/2020	at Rhode Island	L, 42-47
01/27/2019	vs. Rhode Island	W, 75-69
01/14/2018	at Rhode Island	W, 92-53
02/15/2017	vs. Rhode Island	W, 60-51
02/13/2016	at Rhode Island	W, 68-65
01/24/2015	vs. Rhode Island	L, 45-57
01/11/2014	at Rhode Island	L, 40-59



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ATLANTIC 10 PRESEASON POLL

School (First-Place Votes)	Points
1. Massachusetts (15)	225
2. La Salle	188
3. Rhode Island	184
4. Fordham	183
5. VCU	152
6. Saint Joseph's	140
7. Davidson	135
8. Richmond	125
9. Duquesne	109
10. Dayton	99
11. George Washington	82
12. Saint Louis	73
13. Loyola Chicago	41
14. George Mason	38
15. St. Bonaventure	26

2022-23 ATLANTIC 10 STANDINGS

	- Conf. -	- Overall -
Rhode Island	7-0 1.000	16-3 .842
UMass	5-1 .833	15-4 .789
Fordham	5-2 .714	13-7 .650
La Salle	4-2 .667	13-8 .619
Davidson	3-2 .600	10-9 .526
Saint Joseph's	4-3 .571	14-5 .737
George Washington	4-3 .571	12-8 .600
Duquesne	3-4 .429	13-7 .650
George Mason	3-4 .429	10-10 .500
Richmond	2-3 .400	12-6 .667
Saint Louis	2-4 .333	6-15 .286
VCU	2-4 .333	5-13 .278
Dayton	2-5 .286	3-15 .167
Loyola Chicago	1-5 .167	6-13 .316
St. Bonaventure	1-6 .143	4-18 .182

PRESEASON vs. POSTSEASON A-10

Year	Preseason Poll	Finish	Diff (+/-)
2021-22	14th	14th	0
2020-21	14th	14th	0
2019-20	6th	13th	-7
2018-19	8th	7th	+1
2017-18	8th	4th	+4
2016-17	11th	10th	+1
2015-16	11th	9th	+2
2014-15	11th	12th	-1
2013-14	11th	12th	-1

MASON ALL-TIME A-10 RECORD

Year	Overall (A-10)	Finish	Postseason
2021-22	10-19 (3-12)	14th	A-10 2nd Round
2020-21	3-18 (0-14)	14th	A-10 1st Round
2019-20	9-21 (3-13)	13th	A-10 1st Round
2018-19	16-14 (8-8)	7th	A-10 1st Round
2017-18	24-10 (11-5)	4th	WNIT Second Round
2016-17	13-17 (6-10)	10th	A-10 1st Round
2015-16	12-19 (6-10)	9th	A-10 Quarterfinals
2014-15	13-17 (5-11)	12th	A-10 Second Round
2013-14	8-23 (1-15)	12th	A-10 1st Round

2022-23 PROSPECTUS

Mason returns six letter winners including five players who played in at least 20 games in 2021-22. The Patriots will be led by the duo of senior Jazmyn Doster and junior Taylor Jameson. Doster returns for her senior season after leading last year's squad in rebounding (6.4) and blocks (20). Meanwhile, Jameson returns as the top point-scorer from last year's team. She averaged just under 10 points per game (9.8), including two games of over 20 points. Senior forward Tamia Lawhorne was just behind Jameson, averaging 9.0 points and was the Patriots' best 3-point shooter a year ago, shooting at a .352 clip with 45 makes.

WINNING WAYS

In her first season at Mason, head coach Vanessa Blair-Lewis helped lead the Patriots to their first double-digit win total since 2018-2019 when the team finished with a 16-14 record. George Mason more than tripled their win total from 2020-21, winning 10 games last season, including a 75-71 victory over SEC powerhouse and NCAA Tournament selection Florida on Dec. 1. Further more, the Patriots won their first A-10 post-season game since 2018 when they were victorious in the First Round of the A-10 Tournament with a 65-50 win over St. Louis. The Patriots were the first No. 14 seed to upset its opponent in the A-10 Tournament, dating back to the league expansion in 2015.

TRANSFER PATS

The Patriots have six student-athletes on their roster who began their college basketball careers elsewhere. Mason welcomes back J-Naya Ephraim (Illinois) after a successful first year as a senior in the green and gold. The Patriots also welcome graduate transfer and Patriot League All-Rookie selection Riley Childs (Boston University), senior transfer and All-NEC honoree Sonia Smith (Sacred Heart), senior transfer and All-MAAC member Trey Kennedy (Marist) and senior transfer Nalani Kaysia (Charlotte) to Fairfax.

SENIOR STRONG

Featuring three transfers, the senior class is now five strong. Senior Nalani Kaysia will put on a basketball jersey for the first time since high school, transferring into Mason after a successful Division I volleyball career at UNC Charlotte, where she was a NCCSIA All-State selection and tallied over 500 kills, 250 digs and 150 blocks in three seasons. As a group, the rest of the senior class of Jazmyn Doster, Tamia Lawhorne, Sonia Smith and Trey Kennedy averaged 9.6 points, 4.4 rebounds and 26.5 minutes per game last season.

What to Watch, Career Milestones

Mason Career Blocked Shots List

1. Trish Halpin	1996-00	236
2. Janaa Pickard	2009-14	190
3. Valerie Douglas	1981-85	136
4. Beverly McLaughlin	1984-88	107
5. Karen Bruining	1987-92	83
6. Jazmyn Doster	2019-Pres.	74
7. Talisha Watts	2011-15	72
Jacy Bolton	2016-20	72
9. Vernessa Neamo	2000-04	69
10. Veronica Holland	1986-89	66
11. Amber Easter	2009-13	65
12. Ann Johnson	1979-81	64
13. Moni Akintunde	2004-08	62

2022-23 Starting Lineups

vs. Maryland: Doster, Ephraim, Jameson, Lawhorne, Smith
 vs. Robert Morris: Doster, Ephraim, Jameson, Lawhorne, Smith
 vs. Pittsburgh: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. Charleston So.: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. Loyola: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. William & Mary: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. LSU: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. UAB: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. East Carolina: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. American: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. Coppin State: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. FIU: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. Stephen F. Austin: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. Dayton: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. St. Bonaventure: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith
 vs. Duquesne: Childs, Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Suarez
 vs. La Salle: Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Lawhorne, Suarez
 vs. VCU: Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Lawhorne, Suarez
 vs. George Washington: Brown, Ephraim, Kaysia, Smith, Suarez
 vs. Richmond: Ephraim, Jameson, Kaysia, Smith, Suarez
 vs. Rhode Island:
 vs. Davidson:
 vs. Saint Louis:
 vs. George Washington:
 vs. St. Bonaventure:
 vs. Massachusetts:
 vs. Loyola Chicago:
 vs. Fordham:
 vs. Saint Joseph's:



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2022-23 MASON BY THE NUMBERS

OVERALL	
Leading at the half	9-2
Trailing at half	1-8
Tied at the half	0-0
Playing overtime	0-0
Shooting 50 percent or better from the field	4-0
Shooting between 40-50 percent	2-1
Shooting less than 40 percent	4-9
Opponent shoots 50 percent or better	0-3
Opponent shoots between 40-50 percent	3-4
Opponent shoots less than 40 percent	7-3
Mason outrebounds the opposition	9-3
Opponent outrebounds Mason	1-6
Teams are tied in rebounds	0-1
Mason shoots 70 percent or better on FT	5-2
Mason makes 7-or-more 3-pointers	4-2
Opponent makes 7-or-more 3-pointers	4-5
Mason has fewer than 15 turnovers	2-4
Mason has fewer turnovers than opposition	4-5
Mason has more turnovers than opposition	6-5
Turnovers are tied	0-0
Playing in EagleBank Arena	8-2
Playing on the road	2-5
Playing on a neutral floor	0-3
Game is decided by 1-5 points	1-2
Game is decided by 6-9 points	3-2
Game is decided by 10-14 points	4-1
Game is decided by 15+ points	2-5
Mason led with 5:00 to go	9-1
Mason trailed with 5:00 to go	1-8
Mason scored 70+ points	4-1
Mason scored under 70	6-9
Playing at night	5-5
Playing in the afternoon/morning	5-5
One player in double figures	0-5
Two players in double figures	4-0
Three players in double figures	5-5
Four or more players in double figures	0-0
All five starters in double figures	0-0
No players with double figures	1-0
In November	3-5
In December	4-1
In January	3-4
In February	0-0
In March	0-0
On Sunday	1-1
On Monday	3-1
On Tuesday	0-1
On Wednesday	1-2
On Thursday	2-2
On Friday	0-1
On Saturday	3-2

HOMESTAND

The Patriots will kick off their season playing four of six games in EagleBank Arena. Mason will open the season with 2022 Sweet 16 team Maryland before heading out on a two-game road trip in Pittsburgh to play Robert Morris (Nov. 10) and Pitt (Nov. 12). The Patriots will then return for three-straight home games in Fairfax, hosting Charleston Southern (Nov. 16), Loyola (Md.) (Nov. 19) and William & Mary (Nov. 21). George Mason struggled at home last year, going just 2-10 in EagleBank, and will look to flip the script and get off to a strong start in 2022 on their home court.

NEWCOMERS TO NOTE

George Mason also welcomed three true freshmen to campus in August. Local Virginia product Jada Brown joins Mason after a successful high school career at New Hope Academy. Nekhu Mitchell joins the roster from McDonogh, boasting First-Team All-League honors and a Tournament MVP nod in 2020. She was also a two-time team captain for the Eagles as a junior and senior. Rounding out the freshman class is Zahirah Walton, who hails from Kent, Washington and graduated from Kentlake High School, and previously starred at East Catholic High School. Throughout her high school career, she accumulated team MVP honors, First Team All-League honors and was named to the Washington 3A State All-Tournament Team in 2019-20. The Patriots were also joined by Australian native Amy O'Hara in mid-December after graduating from Bacchus Marsh Grammar School in November. The Hoppers Crossing native is a three-time Australian Basketball Junior Championship gold medalist (2022, U20; 2019, U16; 2018, U16) and played for Keilor Thunder Basketball club. She was also a three-time Basketball Australia National Performance Camp selection and was selected for the U19 Women's GEMS Camp this past year.

RECORD WATCH

There are several Patriots who have already etched their names into the record books at George Mason, and will continue to rewrite history throughout the season. Senior Jazmyn Doster highlights this chase, as she already ranks 13th all-time at Mason in career blocks with 60. The center will also look to move up the list in career rebounds, as she has grabbed 412 (33rd) so far in the first three years of her career.

Senior Tamia Lawhorne and junior Taylor Jameson both currently rank in the top-30 all time in George Mason program history in 3-pointers made. Lawhorne has tallied 62 (25th) and was the team-leader in the category last season, while Jameson has tallied 56 (28th) in just two seasons as a Patriot.

MISCELLANEOUS STATS

DOUBLE-FIGURE SCORING	Season	Career
Sonia Smith	9	37
Taylor Jameson	13	33
Riley Childs	3	26
Trey Kennedy		23
Tamia Lawthorne	5	21
Jazmyn Doster	2	12
Nalani Kaysia	7	7
J-Naya Ephraim	1	5
Paula Suarez	3	3
20-POINT GAMES	Season	Career
Sonia Smith	1	6
Taylor Jameson	3	5
Tamia Lawthorne		3
Trey Kennedy		2
Jazmyn Doster	1	2
Riley Childs		1
DOUBLE-DOUBLES	Season	Career
Riley Childs		9
Jazmyn Doster		6
Nalani Kaysia	2	2
DOUBLE-FIGURE REBOUNDING	Season	Career
Riley Childs	1	21
Jazmyn Doster		9
Nalani Kaysia	4	4
J-Naya Ephraim	3	3
Nekhu Mitchell	1	1

FIRST TIME OUT

Mason is 19-30 all-time in season openers, and is 5-5 in its last 10 openers. Coach Blair-Lewis was the third Mason women's basketball head coach to be victorious in their Mason coaching debut.

Coach Jim Wolfe/Jim Conklin (1974-75): W vs. Mount Vernon Col., 127-14

Coach Becky Burch (1976-77): W vs. CNU, 58-55

Coach Vanessa Blair-Lewis (2021-22): W at Florida International, 69-67

PLAYOFF SUCCESS

Last season, Mason became the first No. 14-seed to earn a win in the Atlantic 10 tournament, defeating Saint Louis, 65-50 in the First Round. Tamia Lawhorne led the Patriots with a career-high 24 points and made a career-best six three-pointers to go along with five rebounds. Her six three-pointers are the second-most made in a single game in Atlantic 10 Championship history.



MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location	Fairfax, Va. 22020-4444
Founded	1957 (University Status, 1972)
Enrollment	39,510
Nickname / Colors	Patriots / Green and Gold
Arena (Capacity)	EagleBank Arena (7,860)
Press Row Phone	703-993-3044
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Atlantic 10 Conference
President	Dr. Gregory Washington
Interim Athletic Director	Nena Rogers
Athletic Website	GoMason.com

BASKETBALL STAFF

Head Coach	Vanessa Blair-Lewis (Mount St. Mary's '92)
Overall Record	326-321 (24th season)
Record at Mason	10-19 (Second Season)
Assistant Coaches	Chandler McCabe (Providence '12) Niki Washington (SIU Carbondale '99) Demetria Frank (Bethune-Cookman '12)
Special Assistant to Head Coach	Andre Bolton
Director of Basketball Operations	Riley Walker
Graduate Managers	Livija Kaktaitė, Brittany Ward
Administrative Assistant	Meghan McVay
Athletic Trainer	Tessa Boccumini
Basketball Office Number	(703) 993-3240

HISTORY

First Year of Basketball	1973-74
Overall All-time Record	612-692 (.470) 561-692 (.447) with NCAA win vacations
All-time Home Record	231-183 (.558)
All-time Atlantic 10 Record (2013-pres./7 yrs)	40-86 (.317)
Postseason Appearances	Three (WNIT)
Appearances/years	
2018 WNIT	W, Stephen F. Austin, 82-75, First Round L, Virginia Tech, 78-69, Second Round
2004 WNIT	L, Seton Hall, 61-56 (OT), First Round
2001 WNIT	L, Georgetown, 66-56, First Round

TEAM INFORMATION

2022-23 Overall Record	10-10
Atlantic 10 Record (Finish)	3-4 (—)
Home Record	8-2
Away Record	2-5
Neutral Record	0-3
Starters Returning/Lost	3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	6/7
Newcomers	7

2021-22 SEASON IN REVIEW

	Total	Home	Away	Neutral
2021-22 Overall Record	10-19	2-10	6-8	2-1
2021-22 Conference Record	3-12	1-7	2-5	0-0
A-10 Finish	14th (reg. season)			
A-10 Tournament	First Round vs. SLU, 65-50 Second Round vs. Fordham, 50-66			

RETURNING PLAYERS (2021-22 AVERAGES)

Name	PPG	RPG	FG%
Tamia Lawhorne*	9.0	3.4	37.3
Jazmyn Doster*	5.6	6.4	41.3
Taylor Jameson*	9.8	2.9	36.9
Paula Suarez	2.8	1.7	31.9
J-Naya Ephraim	2.3	3.2	28.4

LETTERWINNERS LOST (2021-22 AVERAGES)

Name	PPG	RPG	FG%
Amaya Scott*	15.8	6.2	45.3
Jordan Wakefield*	8.4	4.3	30.7
Jayla Adams	5.2	2.9	27.4
Livija Kaktaitė	1.0	1.2	16.7
Rachel Balzer	1.0	0.6	25.0
Vanessa Laumbach	0.9	0.9	23.5
Milica Manojlovic	0.0	0.5	0.00

* Denotes 2021-22 starter; ^ Denotes redshirt

NEWCOMERS

Name	P	Ht	Hometown/Previous School
Sonia Smith	G	5-7	Upper Marlboro, Md./Sacred Heart
Trey Kennedy	G	5-8	Lexington, N.C./Marist
Nekhu Mitchell	F	6-0	Baltimore, Md./McDonogh
Riley Childs	F	6-0	Medway, Mass./Boston Univ.
Zahirah Walton	F	5-11	Seattle, Wash./Kentlake
Nalani Kaysia	F	6-2	Washington, D.C./Charlotte
Jada Brown	G	5-6	Falls Church, Va./New Hope Academy

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HEAD COACH VANESSA BLAIR-LEWIS

Second Season at Mason; 24th overall

Overall Record: 326-321

Record at Mason: 10-19

- Vanessa Blair-Lewis begins her second season at Mason as the ninth head coach in the history of the Patriot women's basketball program in 2022-23.
- Last season, she led the Patriots to the first double-digit win total since the 2018-19 season while coaching the team to their first post season win since 2018.
- The four-time MEAC Coach of the Year, Blair-Lewis led Bethune-Cookman to a 196-168 (.538) overall record and six winning seasons, rebuilding a program that had only had two winning seasons in the 19 seasons prior to her arrival.
- In 2019-20, the Wildcats finished 23-6 overall and 15-1 in MEAC play for its fourth regular season championship in the last five years. The team earned a bid to the WNIT before the remainder of the season was canceled due to COVID-19.
- In 2018-19, she led Bethune-Cookman to the MEAC Tournament Championship and its first NCAA Tournament berth in program history. The Wildcats defeated Norfolk State to clinch the program's first tournament championship since 1984 and earned a No. 16 seed in the NCAA Tournament.
- Blair-Lewis became the first women's head coach in MEAC history to win the award three consecutive years and four times overall.
- As a Division I Head Coach, she has recruited and coached 37 all-conference team selections, as well as three Players of the Year, one Rookie of the Year, and six Defensive Players of the Year.
- A 22-year coaching veteran, Blair-Lewis previously served as the head women's basketball coach of her alma mater, Mount St. Mary's. From 1998 to 2007, she led Mount St. Mary's to 120 overall wins and a 97-67 (.591) NEC record, two 20+ win seasons, and two NEC Regular Season Championships.
- As a player, she set the Mount's single-game, season and career records in blocked shots. A two-time NEC Player of the Year, she was inducted into the Mount St. Mary's Sports Hall of Fame in 2002, NEC Hall of Fame in 2013 and her playing jersey was retired in 2019.
- Mentored six Academic All-Patriot League honorees, three Academic All-District II recognitions and one Academic All-American.

BLAIR-LEWIS AS A HEAD COACH

Year	School	Record	Conf.	Postseason
1998-99	Mount St. Mary's	21-7	18-2	
1999-00	Mount St. Mary's	20-9	14-4	
2000-01	Mount St. Mary's	15-14	13-5	
2001-02	Mount St. Mary's	12-16	9-9	
2002-03	Mount St. Mary's	10-18	8-10	
2003-04	Mount St. Mary's	9-19	8-10	
2004-05	Mount St. Mary's	9-19	8-10	
2005-06	Mount St. Mary's	12-16	9-9	
2006-07	Mount St. Mary's	12-17	10-8	
2008-09	Bethune-Cookman	12-17	4-12	
2009-10	Bethune-Cookman	17-15	9-7	
2010-11	Bethune-Cookman	13-17	5-11	
2011-12	Bethune-Cookman	10-19	7-9	
2012-13	Bethune-Cookman	12-17	7-9	
2013-14	Bethune-Cookman	12-18	8-8	
2014-15	Bethune-Cookman	13-17	9-7	
2015-16	Bethune-Cookman	18-13	12-4	WNIT First Round
2016-17	Bethune-Cookman	21-11	15-1	WNIT First Round
2017-18	Bethune-Cookman	24-7	15-1	WNIT First Round
2018-19	Bethune-Cookman	21-11	11-5	NCAA First Round
2019-20	Bethune-Cookman	23-6	15-1	WNIT (Canceled)
2020-21	Bethune-Cookman	Season Canceled Due to COVID-19		
2021-22	George Mason	10-19	3-12	A-10 Second Round
Totals		326-321	217-154	
Overall winning percentage (.511)				

THE BLAIR-LEWIS FILE

Full Name: Vanessa Blair-Lewis
Hometown: Upper Marlboro, Md.
Education: B.S. in Sociology, Mount St. Mary's, 1992; M.S. in Business Administration, Mount St. Mary's, 2007
Family: Husband, Eric; Sons, Blair & Bryce

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

20+ Win Seasons (6)
 2019-20, 2018-19, 2017-18, 2016-17, 1999-00, 1998-99

Winning Seasons (9)
 2019-20, 2018-19, 2017-18, 2016-17, 2015-16, 2009-10, 2001-02, 1999-00, 1998-99

Conference Coach of the Year (5)
 2017-18, 2016-17, 2015-16, 2009-10 MEAC & 1998-99 NEC

Conference Regular Season Championships (6)
 2019-20, 2017-18, 2016-17, 2015-16 MEAC
 2000-01, 1998-99 NEC

Conference Tournament Championships (1)
 2018-19 MEAC

NCAA Tournament Berths (1)
 2018-19

WNIT Berths (4)
 2019-20, 2017-18, 2016-17, 2015-16



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Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School (Previous School)
0	Taylor Jameson	G	Jr.	5-6	Wichita, Kan./Wichita Heights
1	Jazmyn Doster	C	Sr.	6-2	Norfolk, Va./Lake Taylor
2	Tamia Lawhorne	F	Sr.	6-0	Amityville, N.Y./Long Island Lutheran
3	Jada Brown	G	Fr.	5-6	Falls Church, Va./New Hope Academy
4	Sonia Smith	G	Sr.	5-7	Upper Marlboro, Md./National Christian Academy (Sacred Heart)
5	Trey Kennedy	G	Sr.	5-8	Lexington, N.C./Susquehanna Valley (Marist)
14	Paula Suárez	G	So.	6-0	Pamplona, Spain/IES Mateo Hernandez
15	J-Naya Ephraim	G	Gr.	5-9	St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands/Southern Durham (Illinois)
23	Nekhu Mitchell	F	Fr.	6-0	Baltimore, Md./McDonogh
25	Riley Childs	F	Gr.	6-0	Medway, Mass./Medway (Boston University)
30	Amy O'Hara	F	Fr.	6-3	Hoppers Crossing, Victoria, Australia/Bacchus Marsh
35	Zahirah Walton	F	Fr.	5-11	Seattle, Wash./Kentlake
42	Nalani Kaysia	F	Sr.	6-2	Washington, D.C./Sidwell Friends (Charlotte)

Head Coach: Vanessa Blair-Lewis (Mount St. Mary's, '92), Second Season

Associate Head Coach/Recruiting Coordinator: Chandler McCabe (Providence, '12), Second Season

Associate Head Coach/Director of Analytics: Niki Washington (SIU Carbondale, '99), Second Season

Assistant Coach/Director of Player Development: Demetria Frank (Bethune-Cookman, '12), Second Season

Special Assistant to Head Coach: Andre Bolton (Christopher Newport, '95), Second Season

Graduate Assistant: Brittany Ward (Dayton, '20), Second Season

Graduate Assistant: Livija Kaktaitė (George Mason, '22), First Season

Director, Basketball Operations: Riley Walker (Northwest, '16), First Season

Pronunciation Guide

J-Naya Ephraim: juh-NY-uh EH-from

Tamia Lawhorne: Tuh-mee-uh

Nekhu Mitchell: Neh-koo

Zahirah Walton: Zah-HERE-ah

Alphabetical Roster

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School (Previous School)
3	Jada Brown	G	Fr.	5-6	Falls Church, Va./New Hope Academy
25	Riley Childs	F	Gr.	6-0	Medway, Mass./Medway (Boston University)
1	Jazmyn Doster	C	Sr.	6-2	Norfolk, Va./Lake Taylor
15	J-Naya Ephraim	G	Gr.	5-9	St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands/Southern Durham (Illinois)
0	Taylor Jameson	G	So.	5-6	Wichita, Kan./Wichita Heights
42	Nalani Kaysia	F	Sr.	6-2	Washington, D.C./Sidwell Friends (Charlotte)
5	Trey Kennedy	G	Sr.	5-8	Lexington, N.C./Susquehanna Valley (Marist)
2	Tamia Lawhorne	F	Sr.	6-0	Amityville, N.Y./Long Island Lutheran
23	Nekhu Mitchell	F	Fr.	6-0	Baltimore, Md./McDonogh
30	Amy O'Hara	F	Fr.	6-3	Hoppers Crossing, Victoria, Australia/Bacchus Marsh
4	Sonia Smith	G	Sr.	5-7	Upper Marlboro, Md./National Christian Academy (Sacred Heart)
14	Paula Suárez	G	So.	6-0	Pamplona, Spain/IES Mateo Hernandez
35	Zahirah Walton	F	Fr.	5-11	Seattle, Wash./Kentlake

ROSTER BREAKDOWN BY CLASS

Grad (2)

J-Naya Ephraim
Riley Childs

Seniors (5)

Jazmyn Doster
Tamia Lawhorne
Sonia Smith
Trey Kennedy
Nalani Kaysia

Juniors (1)

Taylor Jameson

Sophomores (1)

Paula Suarez

Freshmen (4)

Jada Brown
Nekhu Mitchell
Amy O'Hara
Zahirah Walton

BY STATE/COUNTRY

Washington, D.C. (1)

Nalani Kaysia

Kansas (1)

Taylor Jameson

Maryland (2)

Sonia Smith
Nekhu Mitchell

Massachusetts (1)

Riley Childs

North Carolina (1)

Trey Kennedy

New York (1)

Tamia Lawhorne

Virginia (2)

Jazmyn Doster
Jada Brown

Washington (1)

Zahirah Walton

Australia (1)

Amy O'Hara

Spain (1)

Paula Suarez

U.S. Virgin Islands (1)

J-Naya Ephraim



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#0 | TAYLOR JAMESON

Junior | Guard | 5-6

Wichita, Kan.

Wichita Heights

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Averaging a team-best 13.4 ppg this season
- Set season-bests with three assists and four 3-pointers made against Charleston Southern on Nov. 16
- Contributed season-best seven rebounds against William & Mary on Nov. 21.
- Set a new career-high of 26 points on a career best eight made field goals with a season-best four 3-point field goals and three steals against FIU on Dec. 19.

2022-23 GAME BY GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
Maryland	33	5	1	4	0-4-4	0	2	0	0	15
RMU	32	4	0	7	0-4-4	1	3	0	3	15
Pittsburgh	30	1	0	0	0-2-2	2	3	0	2	2
Charleston So.	30	6	4	2	1-4-5	3	2	0	3	18
Loyola Md.	37	6	3	4	1-3-4	1	2	0	1	19
W&M	33	6	3	6	1-6-7	2	3	0	0	21
LSU	32	3	0	5	1-1-2	2	1	0	1	11
UAB	30	5	3	1	2-2-4	0	1	0	1	14
East Carolina	34	3	2	0	0-0-0	2	2	0	0	8
American	31	7	2	2	1-1-2	1	3	0	1	18
Coppin St.	38	7	3	3	0-2-2	3	3	0	2	20
FIU	37	8	4	6	0-5-5	2	2	0	3	26
SFA	25	1	1	3	2-2-4	2	3	0	1	6
Dayton	32	2	0	5	0-2-2	2	3	0	2	9
St. Bonaventure	33	2	2	2	1-2-3	2	5	1	1	8
Duquesne	31	3	2	2	3-2-5	4	2	0	0	10
La Salle	25	3	1	2	0-4-4	2	2	0	2	9
VCU	22	2	0	2	1-0-1	1	0	0	0	6
GW	31	4	2	6	0-2-2	1	5	1	0	16
Richmond	35	6	4	0	0-4-4	1	1	1	1	16

CAREER HIGHS

Points.....26, vs. FIU (12/19/22)
 Rebounds.....8, at Duquesne (01/26/22)
 Assists.....6, last vs. St. Bonaventure (01/23/22)
 Steals.....3, last vs. Charleston So. (11/16/22)
 Blocks.....1, last at Richmond (1/21/23)
 FG Made.....8, vs. FIU (12/19/22)
 3FG Made.....5, at GW (02/16/22)
 FT Made.....7, at Robert Morris (11/10/22)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points.....26, vs. FIU (12/19/22)
 Rebounds.....7, vs. William & Mary (11/21/22)
 Assists.....4, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 Steals.....3, last vs. FIU (12/19/22)
 Blocks.....1, last at Richmond (1/21/23)
 FG Made.....8, vs. FIU (12/19/22)
 FG Attempts.....20, vs. FIU (12/19/22)
 3FG Made.....4, last at Richmond (1/21/23)
 3FG Attempts.....10, at Richmond (1/21/23)
 FT Made.....7, at Robert Morris (11/10/22)
 FT Attempts.....8, at Robert Morris (11/10/22)

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- Has three siblings; Tyler, Marque and Patrick
- Four-year varsity letterwinner in basketball at Wichita Heights
- Averaged 14 points, six assists and three rebounds per game as a senior
- Claimed the sub-state championship in 2019-20 and 2018-19
- Earned presidential silver award for academic excellence in high school

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- One of just four players to appear in every game last season.
- 16 double-digit scoring performances during her sophomore campaign, up from four during freshman year, including a stretch of five-straight games from Jan. 21- Feb. 2, 2022.
- Has made at least one field goal in 51 out of 54 games in her career
- Earned a spot on the A-10 Weekly Honor Roll for performances vs. Pitt and Navy (7.5 ppg, 3.0 rpg, 2.5 apg) in the first week of her collegiate career

CAREER STATISTICS

				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
2020-21	GMU	22-8	512/23.3	42-121	.347	18-49	.367	24-34	.706	16	46	62	2.8	40-1	32	46	1	17	126	5.7
2021-22	GMU	29-26	825/28.4	92-249	.369	38-121	.314	62-82	.756	12	71	83	2.9	55-1	59	77	4	29	284	9.8
2022-23	GMU	19-18	598/31.5	78-230	.339	33-118	.280	62-76	.816	14	46	60	3.2	38-0	33	47	2	23	251	13.2
TOTAL		70-52	1935/27.6	212-600	.353	89-288	.309	148-192	.771	42	163	205	2.9	133-2	124	170	7	69	661	9.4



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#1 | JAZMYN DOSTER

Senior | Center | 6-2
Norfolk, Va.
Lake Taylor

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Set a season-best with three blocks against Loyola Md. on Nov. 19. The senior moved up to 12th all-time at Mason with 63 career blocks.
- Tallied a career-best 25 points on 7-11 shooting and 11-15 free throws (career-high) against Univ. Alabama at Birmingham on Nov. 25 at the Goombay Splash Classic in Bimini, Bahamas
- Has pulled down a season-high eight rebounds against UAB and American

2022-23 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
Maryland	17	2	0	3	4-3-7	0	2	0	0	7
RMU	14	1	0	1	2-3-5	0	1	0	0	3
Pittsburgh	7	1	0	0	0-2-2	0	0	0	0	2
Charleston So.	8	1	0	0	4-3-7	0	1	0	0	2
Loyola Md.	11	1	0	2	2-4-6	0	0	3	0	4
W&M	17	4	0	1	2-3-5	0	2	0	0	9
LSU	14	1	0	0	3-1-4	0	0	1	1	2
UAB	26	7	0	11	3-5-8	0	2	0	1	25
East Carolina	23	5	0	7	4-3-7	0	2	2	1	17
American	16	4	0	1	3-5-8	0	4	2	1	9
Coppin St.	10	1	0	1	0-1-1	0	0	0	0	3
FIU	10	0	0	2	2-2-4	0	3	2	0	2
SFA	12	2	1	2	1-1-2	0	1	1	1	7
Dayton	9	1	0	1	2-2-4	0	0	0	1	3
St. Bonaventure	14	2	0	0	1-3-4	0	0	1	0	4
Duquesne	15	1	0	0	2-3-5	0	1	1	1	2
La Salle	8	0	0	0	2-0-2	0	0	0	0	0
VCU	17	1	0	0	3-2-5	1	2	1	1	2
GW	4	0	0	0	1-1-2	0	0	0	0	0

CAREER HIGHS

Points..... 25, vs. UAB (11/25/22)
Rebounds..... 13, last vs. Bowling Green (11/27/21)
Assists 4, at SMU (12/31/19)
Steals 2, last at GW (02/16/22)
Blocks..... 4, last at La Salle (1/24/21)
FG Made..... 10, vs. Navy (11/29/20)
3FG Made..... 1, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
FT Made 11, vs. UAB (11/25/22)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points..... 25, vs. UAB (11/25/22)
Rebounds..... 8, last vs. American (12/03/22)
Assists 1, at VCU (01/14/23)
Steals 1, last at VCU (01/14/23)
Blocks..... 3, vs. Loyola Md. (11/19/22)
FG Made..... 7, vs. UAB (11/25/22)
FG Attempts 11, vs. UAB (11/25/22)
3FG Made..... 1, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
3FG Attempts 1, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
FT Made 11, vs. UAB (11/25/22)
FT Attempts 15, vs. UAB (11/25/22)

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- First Team Class 4 All-State, All-Class Region A and First Team All-Eastern District honoree
- Led her team to the Class 4 State Championship. In the championship game, posted a game-high 17 points, 14 boards and three blocks
- Averaged 10 points, 13 rebounds and three blocks per game in HS
- Oldest of 12
- Enjoys reading, drawing and watching Korean dramas

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- Appeared in 28 games, making 24 starts as a junior
- Has posted six double-doubles in her career as well as 12 double-digit scoring performances
- First 20-spot of her career vs. Navy on Nov. 29, 2020 with 22 points on 10-of-20 shooting
- Finished second on the team in rebounds with 179, including a team-best 116 defensive boards, last season
- Led the team with 20 blocks last season, and sits at No. 13 all-time at Mason

CAREER STATISTICS

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	GMU	27-11	295/10.9	28-78	.359	0-0	.000	10-23	.435	46	52	98	3.6	59-2	14	15	13	4	66	2.4
2020-21	GMU	22-17	402/18.3	51-124	.411	0-0	.000	24-45	.533	53	82	135	6.1	74-5	12	31	27	11	126	5.7
2021-22	GMU	28-24	547/19.5	59-143	.413	0-2	.000	38-54	.704	63	116	179	6.4	89-2	17	38	20	11	156	5.6
2022-23	GMU	19-2	252/13.2	35-73	.479	1-1	1.000	32-59	.542	38	45	83	4.4	46-1	1	21	14	11	103	5.4
TOTAL		96-54	1496/15.6	173-418	.414	1-3	.333	104-181	.575	200	295	495	5.2	268-10	44	105	74	37	451	4.7



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#2 | TAMIA LAWHORNE

Senior | Forward | 6-0
Amityville, N.Y.
Long Island Lutheran

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Set a season-best with 17 points on 5-8 shooting, including 4-6 from 3-point range
- Tallied a career-best four assists against William & Mary on Nov. 21 with a season-best five rebounds and 15 points on a season-high six made field goals

2022-23 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
Maryland	19	2	1	0	0-2-2	1	0	0	0	5
RMU	20	0	0	0	1-3-4	0	3	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	15	1	0	0	0-2-2	1	2	0	0	2
Charleston So.	16	1	0	0	1-1-2	0	1	0	1	2
Loyola Md.	21	5	4	3	1-1-2	1	2	0	0	17
W&M	21	6	3	0	0-5-5	4	0	0	1	15
LSU	28	4	2	0	1-1-2	0	6	0	1	10
UAB	9	2	1	0	1-0-1	0	2	0	0	5
East Carolina	19	0	0	0	1-4-5	0	1	0	0	0
American	17	3	0	0	1-3-4	1	1	0	2	6
Coppin St.	9	0	0	0	0-2-2	0	1	0	0	0
FIU	18	2	1	2	0-3-3	0	0	0	0	7
SFA	14	3	1	0	2-0-2	0	1	0	1	7
Dayton	12	0	0	0	1-0-1	0	0	0	0	0
St. Bonaventure	8	1	0	0	2-1-3	0	3	0	0	2
Duquesne	24	5	3	2	2-4-6	0	1	0	1	15
La Salle	29	4	4	2	1-1-2	0	3	0	1	14
VCU	14	1	0	0	0-1-1	0	2	0	0	2
GW	6	0	0	0	0-1-1	0	3	0	0	0
Richmond	21	1	0	1	0-3-3	0	0	0	2	3

CAREER HIGHS

Points.....24, vs. Saint Louis (03/02/22)
Rebounds.....9, last at Navy (11/28/21)
Assists.....4, vs. William & Mary (11/21/22)
Steals.....3, last at Navy (11/28/21)
Blocks.....2, last vs. Saint Louis (03/02/22)
FG Made.....8, last at Duquesne (1/22/20)
3FG Made.....6, vs. Saint Louis (03/02/22)
FT Made.....7, last at Pitt (11/25/20)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points.....17, vs. Loyola Md. (11/19/22)
Rebounds.....6, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
Assists.....4, vs. William & Mary (11/21/22)
Steals.....2, last at Richmond (1/21/23)
Blocks.....
FG Made.....6, vs. William & Mary (11/21/22)
FG Attempts.....12, last vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
3FG Made.....4, last at La Salle (1/11/23)
3FG Attempts.....10, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
FT Made.....3, vs. Loyola Md. (11/19/22)
FT Attempts.....4, vs. Loyola Md. (11/19/22)

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- Averaged 13 points a game as a junior at St. Anthony's in New York
- Transferred to Long Island Lutheran for her senior season
- All-Conference and All-League selection; Named Rookie of the Year
- Has three siblings; Taniesha, Tishana and twin Taylor

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- Led the 2021-22 squad with 45 made 3-point field goals, including six in the First Round of the A-10 Tournament. That mark is good for second-most in A-10 Tournament history.
- Has posted double-figure scoring 16 times in her career, including 12 times last season.
- Holds three games of scoring over 20 points, one of just four on the team with multiple of these games.

CAREER STATISTICS

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	GMU	27-7	390/14.4	47-136	.346	13-39	.333	32-49	.653	30	40	70	2.6	38-0	7	35	9	14	139	5.1
2020-21	GMU	10-4	102/10.2	6-27	.222	4-16	.250	8-10	.800	6	11	17	1.7	5-0	3	12	1	4	24	2.4
2021-22	GMU	25-14	583/23.3	78-209	.373	45-128	.352	23-39	.590	23	61	84	3.4	61-1	18	36	5	14	224	9.0
2022-23	GMU	19-4	319/16.8	40-137	.292	20-81	.247	9-16	.563	15	34	49	2.6	26-1	8	29	1	10	109	5.7
TOTAL		81-29	1393/17.2	171-509	.336	82-264	.311	72-114	.632	74	146	220	2.7	130-2	36	112	16	42	496	6.1



MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball



#4 | SONIA SMITH

Senior | Guard | 5-7

Upper Marlboro, Md.

National Christian Academy | Sacred Heart

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Posted the first double-digit scoring performance at Mason against Pittsburgh to go along with a season-high seven rebounds
- Matched her then-season-best of 15 points against No. 12 LSU on Nov. 24 and averaged 33.0 minutes and 13.5 points/game at the Goombay Splash Classic to earn Bimini Division All-Star honors
- Set season-bests against American on Dec. 3 with six assists, five made free throws and three steals
- Set a new season-best against GW on Jan. 16 with her first 20-point performance in a Patriots' uniform. The point guard also contributed four assists, two steals and two rebounds.

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- Averaged 10.8 points, 4.5 assists and 3.1 rebounds per game during her time at prestigious National Christian Academy
- Hit the 1,000 point mark during a career high 41-point performance her senior year.
- Nominated for 2018-19 McDonald's All-American Game
- Has four brothers: Keith, Kyle, Kristian and Kollin. Kyle and Kollin are both D1 track athletes.

2022-23 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
Maryland	18	1	0	1	0-1-1	2	3	0	0	3
RMU	33	3	1	2	0-4-4	3	4	1	1	9
Pittsburgh	35	5	2	3	2-5-7	2	6	0	1	15
Charleston So.	26	4	1	2	0-1-1	4	2	0	2	11
Loyola Md.	27	1	0	1	1-2-3	4	4	0	0	3
W&M	16	4	0	0	0-1-1	1	5	0	1	8
LSU	36	6	3	0	1-2-3	2	1	0	1	15
UAB	31	4	0	4	0-1-1	2	1	0	1	12
East Carolina	35	5	2	1	1-5-6	3	4	0	0	13
American	33	2	0	5	1-0-1	6	5	0	3	9
Coppin St.	34	2	0	4	1-2-3	3	2	0	3	8
FIU	33	4	2	1	1-1-2	4	4	0	0	11
SFA	21	2	1	0	0-3-3	2	4	0	1	5
Dayton	33	4	0	3	2-0-2	3	1	0	0	11
St. Bonaventure	18	4	0	0	1-2-3	2	1	1	1	8
VCU	20	2	1	0	0-3-3	0	0	0	0	5
GW	36	8	2	2	0-2-2	4	2	0	2	20
Richmond	27	5	2	1	0-0-0	1	0	0	1	13

CAREER HIGHS

Points..... 24, at St. Francis (Pa.) (02/26/22)
 Rebounds..... 10, at Fairleigh Dickinson (01/12/22)
 Assists..... 11, vs. St. Francis (Pa.) (01/23/22)
 Steals..... 5, at Bryant (02/11/22)
 Blocks..... 2, vs. St. Francis Brooklyn (02/29/20)
 FG Made..... 9, at Hartford (11/10/21)
 3FG Made..... 3, last vs. LSU (11/24/22)
 FT Made..... 8, last vs. Central Conn. State (01/17/22)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points..... 20, vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
 Rebounds..... 7, at Pittsburgh (11/12/22)
 Assists..... 6, vs. American (12/03/22)
 Steals..... 3, last vs. Coppin St. (12/17/22)
 Blocks..... 1, at Robert Morris (11/10/22)
 FG Made..... 8, vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
 FG Attempts..... 14, vs. American (12/03/22)
 3FG Made..... 3, vs. LSU (11/24/22)
 3FG Attempts..... 9, vs. LSU (11/24/22)
 FT Made..... 5, vs. American (12/03/22)
 FT Attempts..... 6, vs. American (12/03/22)

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- Named to the NEC All-Rookie Team in 2019-20 after appearing in every game and registering nine double-digit scoring performances.
- Selected to the All-NEC Third Team last season after leading Sacred Heart in scoring at 13.0 ppg.
- Has posted 32 double-digit scoring performances and five 20-point performances in her career.

CAREER STATISTICS

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	SH	30-11	638/21.3	81-211	.384	28-81	.346	37-49	.755	11	50	61	2.0	54-2	58	69	9	30	227	7.6
2020-21	SH	14-0	320/22.9	38-117	.325	3-26	.115	28-36	.778	13	30	43	3.1	24-0	32	44	3	11	107	7.6
2021-22	SH	25-23	784/31.3	119-318	.374	28-83	.337	60-81	.741	16	71	87	3.5	53-1	105	87	6	44	326	13.0
2022-23	GMU	17-16	482/28.3	61-171	.357	15-54	.278	29-40	.725	11	35	46	2.7	32-2	47	48	2	15	166	9.8
TOTAL FOR GMU		17-16	482/28.3	61-171	.357	15-54	.278	29-40	.725	11	35	46	2.7	32-2	47	48	2	15	166	9.8
TOTAL		86-50	2223/25.9	299-817	.366	74-244	.303	154-206	.748	51	186	237	2.8	163-5	242	248	20	100	826	9.6



MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball



#14 | PAULA SUAREZ

Sophomore | Guard | 6-0

Pamplona, Spain

IES Mateo Hernandez

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Set a new career-high in assists with five on Nov. 21 vs. William & Mary and has matched that number twice against SFA on Dec. 20 and against La Salle on Jan. 11
- Matched her career high of five rebounds and set a new career-best of made field goals (four) against Coppin St. on Dec. 17
- Registered her first double-digit performance of her career against Duquesne on Jan. 8 with 11 points on 4-9 FG shooting and 3-6 from the free throw line.
- Scored a career-high of 12 points on 100% shooting from three-point range (4-4) against VCU on Jan. 14.

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- Played for Perfumerias Avenida, a women's basketball league in Spain
- Made her professional debut at just 17 years old
- Played 13 minutes and had two assists in Perfumerias Avenida's victory over Turkey's Ismin Beleyespor, 98-72
- Also plays for her province of Navarra where she won the league title six times
- Member of Spain's U-16 and U-17 National Teams
- Has three siblings; Javier, Maria and Christina

2022-23 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
Maryland	27	1	1	2	1-3-4	4	3	0	1	5
RMU	28	2	0	5	1-3-4	3	1	0	1	9
Pittsburgh	19	1	1	0	0-1-1	1	2	0	1	3
Charleston So.	21	2	0	1	0-1-1	2	2	0	1	5
Loyola Md.	19	1	0	0	0-0-0	3	1	0	1	2
W&M	25	1	0	2	0-1-1	5	2	0	0	4
LSU	13	1	0	1	0-0-0	1	2	0	0	3
UAB	18	1	0	0	0-3-3	2	1	0	1	2
East Carolina	17	2	0	2	0-3-3	1	2	0	1	6
American	24	1	0	1	0-2-2	1	3	0	2	3
Coppin St.	23	4	0	0	0-5-5	0	2	0	0	8
FIU	31	0	0	0	0-3-3	3	2	0	0	0
SFA	29	4	0	0	1-1-2	5	2	1	1	8
Dayton	22	0	0	2	2-2-4	4	4	0	0	2
St. Bonaventure	26	1	0	0	0-2-2	1	1	1	2	2
Duquesne	36	4	0	3	0-2-2	3	3	0	1	11
La Salle	32	3	0	4	0-1-1	5	6	0	1	10
VCU	31	4	4	0	0-1-1	4	4	0	2	12
GW	38	3	2	0	0-2-2	3	2	1	2	8
Richmond	35	3	0	3	0-3-3	4	1	2	1	9

CAREER HIGHS

Points..... 12, at VCU (01/14/23)
 Rebounds..... 5, last vs. Coppin St. (12/17/22)
 Assists..... 5, last at La Salle (1/11/23)
 Steals..... 2, last vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
 Blocks..... 2, at Richmond (1/21/23)
 FG Made..... 4, last at VCU (01/14/23)
 3FG Made..... 4, at VCU (01/14/23)
 FT Made..... 5, at Robert Morris (11/10/23)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points..... 12, at VCU (01/14/23)
 Rebounds..... 5, vs. Coppin St. (12/17/22)
 Assists..... 5, last at La Salle (1/11/23)
 Steals..... 2, vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
 Blocks..... 2, at Richmond (1/21/23)
 FG Made..... 4, last at VCU (01/14/23)
 FG Attempts..... 10, at VCU (01/14/23)
 3FG Made..... 4, at VCU (01/14/23)
 3FG Attempts..... 4, at VCU (01/14/23)
 FT Made..... 5, at Robert Morris (11/10/22)
 FT Attempts..... 8, at Robert Morris (11/10/22)

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- One of just four players to appear in every game last season.
- Averaged 21.5 minutes off the bench in her rookie year.
- Ranked third on the team in assists with 39 in 2021-22.

CAREER STATISTICS

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	GMU	29-9	623/21.5	29-91	.319	10-40	.250	12-20	.600	12	38	50	1.7	30-0	39	48	3	13	80	2.8
2022-23	GMU	19-4	479/25.2	36-88	.409	8-18	.444	23-39	.590	5	36	41	2.2	20-0	51	45	4	18	103	5.4
TOTAL		48-13	1102/23.0	65-179	.363	18-58	.310	35-59	.593	17	74	91	1.9	50-0	90	93	7	31	183	3.8



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#15 | J-NAYA EPHRAIM

Graduate Student | Guard | 5-9
St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands
Southern Durham | Illinois

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Set a new career-high in rebounding against Charleston Southern, securing 11 boards to post her first career double-digit rebounding performance.
- Matched her career-high of one block and four steals against American on Dec. 3
- Matched her season high with three assists against SFA on Dec. 20
- Matched her career-best of 11 points against Dayton on perfect shooting from the field (4-4) including a career-best-matching two makes from beyond the arc.
- Matched her career-high set earlier this season vs. Duquesne with 15 rebounds against GW on Jan. 16. She also dished out a season-high four assists.

2022-23 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
Maryland	31	2	1	4	1-4-5	3	2	0	0	9
RMU	16	0	0	0	0-2-2	1	0	0	0	0
Pittsburgh	19	1	0	0	0-1-1	2	2	0	0	2
Charleston So.	20	3	0	2	4-7-11	1	0	0	1	8
Loyola Md.	22	0	0	5	3-2-5	1	1	0	0	5
W&W	24	2	0	0	2-0-2	0	0	0	0	4
LSU	21	2	0	0	0-1-1	1	1	0	1	4
UAB	33	3	0	0	1-4-5	1	0	0	3	6
East Carolina	21	1	0	0	0-3-3	2	3	0	0	2
American	22	3	0	0	1-3-4	0	1	1	4	6
Coppin St.	17	0	0	0	0-2-2	2	1	0	0	0
FIU	20	0	0	4	1-4-5	0	1	0	1	4
SFA	26	1	0	1	1-2-3	3	1	0	0	3
Dayton	20	4	2	1	0-2-2	1	1	0	0	11
St. Bonaventure	24	1	0	5	3-4-7	0	1	0	1	7
Duquesne	26	3	0	0	4-11-15	2	1	0	0	6
La Salle	23	2	1	0	2-2-4	0	3	0	0	5
VCU	13	1	0	0	0-3-3	0	1	0	0	2
GW	34	2	0	1	1-14-15	4	1	0	1	5
Richmond	14	1	0	0	1-1-2	0	1	0	0	2

CAREER HIGHS

Points..... 11, last vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
Rebounds..... 15, last vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
Assists 6, vs. Merrimack (12/10/19)
Steals 4, last vs. American (12/03/22)
Blocks..... 1, last vs. American (12/03/22)
FG Made..... 5, last at St. Bonaventure (02/26/22)
3FG Made..... 2, last vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
FT Made 6, vs. Austin Peay (11/13/19)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points..... 11, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
Rebounds..... 15, last vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
Assists 4, vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
Steals 4, vs. American (12/03/22)
Blocks..... 1, vs. American (12/03/22)
FG Made 4, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
FG Attempts 7, vs. Maryland (11/07/22)
3FG Made..... 2, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
3FG Attempts 2, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
FT Made 5, last vs. St. Bonaventure (01/05/23)
FT Attempts 6, last vs. St. Bonaventure (01/05/23)

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- Four-time Big Eight All-Conference honoree
- Two-time All-State honoree; NCBCA 2017 First Team All-District
- 2017 Big Eight Conference Player of the Year
- Participated in the RDU All-Star game
- Represented the Virgin Islands on both the U16 and U17 National Teams
- Four-year member of the A/B Honor Roll
- Has three siblings, J-Meka, John and Rasidi

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- In her first season at Mason, appeared in 23 games, making 11 starts.
- Matched her career-high with 11 points.
- Has tallied four double-digit scoring performances throughout her career
- Played in 81 games, making 32 starts, over three seasons with Illinois.

CAREER STATISTICS

				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	Illini	28-4	525/18.8	34-96	.354	3-18	.167	25-35	.714	10	63	73	2.6	44-0	37	42	3	15	96	3.4
2019-20	Illini	30-16	538/17.9	29-97	.299	3-19	.158	27-45	.600	7	67	74	2.5	40-0	47	50	3	26	88	2.9
2020-21	Illini	23-12	520/22.6	32-104	.308	11-40	.275	25-41	.610	3	44	47	2.0	35-2	37	63	4	16	100	4.3
2021-22	GMU	23-11	433/18.8	19-67	.284	4-25	.160	11-19	.579	12	62	74	3.2	40-0	17	21	1	16	53	2.3
2022-23	GMU	19-19	433/22.8	31-68	.456	4-6	.667	23-35	.657	24	71	95	5.0	34-0	24	21	1	12	89	4.7
TOTAL FOR GMU		42-30	867/20.6	50-135	.370	8-31	.258	34-54	.630	36	133	169	4.0	74-0	41	42	2	28	142	3.4
TOTAL		123-62	2451/19.9	145-432	.336	25-108	.231	111-175	.634	56	307	363	3.0	193-2	162	197	12	85	426	3.5



MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball



#25 | RILEY CHILDS

Graduate Student | Forward | 6-0
Medway, Mass.
Medway | Boston University

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Matched her career-high in blocks with three against Pittsburgh on Nov. 12 and against Coppin St. on Dec. 17. She equaled her three registered on Dec. 5, 2020 against Dartmouth.
- Registered the first double-digit scoring performance as a Patriot (10) against Charleston Southern
- Leads the team averaging 1.2 blocks/game
- Has dished out a season-best two assists three times this season, most recently against Coppin St.
- Had her best game in a Mason uniform against FIU with a season-high 15 points, eight rebounds, two assists with one steal and one rebound
- Set a new season-best in rebounding with her first double-digit performance as a Patriot with 10 boards.

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- Boston Globe All-Scholastic and named Tri-Valley MVP as a senior in basketball and volleyball.
- Finished high school career with 1,103 points in basketball and held the Medway shot put school record.
- Four-time All Star in track & field, three-time All Star in both basketball and volleyball

2022-23 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
RMU	27	4	0	0	0-8-8	1	2	1	0	8
Pittsburgh	18	1	1	1	0-0-0	2	2	3	1	4
Charleston So.	18	5	0	0	1-1-2	1	1	2	2	10
Loyola Md.	25	1	1	1	1-3-4	2	1	2	2	4
W&M	20	1	0	4	2-6-8	0	3	1	0	6
LSU	8	0	0	0	0-1-1	1	1	0	0	0
UAB	26	3	0	1	2-4-6	0	2	1	0	7
East Carolina	26	0	0	3	1-5-6	0	3	0	1	3
American	16	0	0	1	1-4-5	0	1	0	0	1
Coppin St.	24	3	0	0	2-3-5	2	2	3	0	6
FIU	25	7	1	0	3-5-8	2	1	1	1	15
SFA	21	4	2	0	3-0-3	1	1	1	0	10
Dayton	33	3	0	2	2-4-6	0	0	0	1	8
St. Bonaventure	17	1	1	3	4-6-10	1	1	1	0	6
Duquesne	4	0	0	0	0-0-0	0	0	0	1	0

CAREER HIGHS

Points..... 21, at New Hampshire (11/12/19)
Rebounds..... 16, at Holy Cross (02/20/21)
Assists..... 5, vs. Holy Cross (02/17/21)
Steals..... 4, at American (02/22/20)
Blocks..... 3, last vs. Coppin St. (12/17/22)
FG Made..... 9, at New Hampshire (11/12/19)
3FG Made..... 3, at Northeastern (12/01/21)
FT Made..... 5, vs. American (03/11/21)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points..... 15, vs. FIU (12/19/22)
Rebounds..... 10, vs. St. Bonaventure (01/05/23)
Assists..... 2, last vs. FIU (12/19/22)
Steals..... 2, last vs. Loyola Md. (11/19/22)
Blocks..... 3, last vs. Coppin St. (12/17/22)
FG Made..... 7, vs. FIU (12/19/22)
FG Attempts..... 14, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
3FG Made..... 2, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
3FG Attempts..... 5, at Pittsburgh (11/12/22)
FT Made..... 4, vs. William & Mary (11/21/22)
FT Attempts..... 4, last vs. St. Bonaventure (01/05/23)

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- Finished her four-year career at BU ranked fifth all-time in program history with 7.5 rebounds per game
- Named to the Patriot League All-Rookie team in 2018-19 after averaging 7.3 ppg and 7.2 rpg.
- Throughout her career, has posted 23 double-digit scoring performances, 20 double-digit rebounding performances, and nine double-doubles.

CAREER STATISTICS

				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	BU	25-10	634/25.4	73-175	.417	6-35	.171	30-46	.652	52	128	180	7.2	49-1	27	58	14	17	182	7.3
2019-20	BU	30-30	851/28.4	88-222	.396	14-42	.333	24-47	.511	54	176	230	7.7	67-2	50	56	13	21	214	7.1
2020-21	BU	14-11	325/23.2	37-74	.500	8-17	.471	19-26	.731	34	78	112	8.0	31-0	30	25	4	11	101	7.2
2021-22	BU	16-8	347/21.7	33-95	.347	12-35	.343	16-21	.762	16	90	106	6.6	22-1	12	30	9	16	94	5.9
2022-23	GMU	14-13	303/21.6	33-84	.393	6-31	.194	16-26	.615	21	51	72	5.1	29-0	13	21	16	8	88	6.3
TOTAL FOR GMU		14-13	303/21.6	33-84	.393	6-31	.194	16-26	.615	21	51	72	5.1	29-0	13	21	16	8	88	6.3
TOTAL		99-72	2460/24.8	264-650	.406	46-160	.288	105-166	.633	177	523	700	7.1	198-4	132	190	56	73	679	6.9



MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball



#42 | NALANI KAYSIA

Senior | Forward | 6-2

Washington, D.C.

Sidwell Friends | Charlotte

2022-23 HIGHLIGHTS

- Posted her first double-digit scoring performance against Loyola Md. with 10 points on Nov. 19
- Set and hit her career-high of 11 points in back-to-back games against American (Dec. 3) and Coppin St. (Dec. 17)
- Posted her first double-double on a career-high 19 points and 14 rebounds against Dayton on Jan. 1 to go with a personal best two steals as well as an assist and a block.
- Set career-highs in blocks (4) and assists (3) as a part of a comprehensive night against Duquesne on Jan. 8 with nine points, eight rebounds and two steals.
- Tallied her second-career double-double with 10 points and 10 rebounds on Jan. 11 at La Salle

PERSONAL/HIGH SCHOOL INFO

- Three-sport athlete at Sidwell Friends School, where she earned All-League, All-State and All-Met honors in basketball, volleyball and track & field.
- Totaled 1,035 points and 1,300 rebounds throughout her highschool career, averaging a double-double during her final three seasons.
- As a senior, she averaged 12.0 points and 13.6 rebounds per game.
- Also named to the All-USA Today First Team as a senior.

2022-23 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Min	FG	3FG	FT	O-D-R	A	TO	B	S	Pt
Maryland	19	1	0	0	1-4-5	0	3	2	0	2
RMU	21	3	0	2	3-3-6	0	0	1	0	8
Pittsburgh	34	4	0	1	6-7-13	1	3	1	0	9
Charleston So.	22	2	0	0	4-4-8	0	4	0	1	4
Loyola Md.	31	5	0	0	0-6-6	0	3	2	0	10
W&M	22	0	0	0	1-5-6	0	0	2	0	0
LSU	18	0	0	1	1-2-3	0	1	0	0	1
UAB	9	0	0	0	0-2-2	0	0	0	0	0
East Carolina	17	1	0	0	0-0-0	1	3	0	0	2
American	21	5	0	1	6-2-8	0	1	0	1	11
Coppin St.	30	5	0	1	4-5-9	1	1	0	0	11
FIU	15	2	0	1	1-2-3	0	1	0	1	5
SFA	10	1	0	0	1-2-3	1	1	0	0	2
Dayton	33	7	0	5	6-8-14	1	1	1	2	19
St. Bonaventure	25	1	0	1	5-5-10	1	2	0	0	3
Duquesne	24	3	0	3	3-5-8	3	2	4	2	9
La Salle	23	4	0	2	5-5-10	2	2	0	0	10
VCU	28	3	0	1	1-6-7	0	0	1	1	7
GW	34	7	0	0	3-6-9	1	5	1	1	14
Richmond	30	2	0	9	3-2-5	2	1	0	2	13

CAREER HIGHS

Points..... 19, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
 Rebounds..... 14, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
 Assists..... 3, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 Steals..... 2, last at Richmond (1/21/23)
 Blocks..... 4, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 FG Made..... 7, last vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
 3FG Made.....
 FT Made..... 9, at Richmond (1/21/23)

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points..... 19, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
 Rebounds..... 14, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
 Assists..... 3, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 Steals..... 2, last at Richmond (1/21/23)
 Blocks..... 4, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 FG Made..... 7, last vs. George Washington (01/16/23)
 FG Attempts..... 13, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)
 3FG Made.....
 3FG Attempts.....
 FT Made..... 9, at Richmond (1/21/23)
 FT Attempts..... 12, vs. Dayton (1/1/23)

CAREER NOTABLES/HONORS

- Joins the Patriots after a successful three-year career of Division I volleyball at Charlotte.
- Tallied over 500 kills, 250 digs and 150 blocks throughout three seasons.
- Named to the NCCSIA All-State Second team in 2019 and the Charlotte Invitational All-Tournament team in 2021.

CAREER STATISTICS

				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	GMU	19-17	435/22.9	54-120	.450	0-0	.000	19-52	.365	51	79	130	6.8	31-0	13	33	15	10	127	6.7
TOTAL		19-17	435/22.9	54-120	.450	0-0	.000	19-52	.365	51	79	130	6.8	31-0	13	33	15	10	127	6.7



MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball



#5 Trey Kennedy • Sr. • G • 5-8 • Lexington, N.C./Susquehanna Valley • Marist

- Named to the All-MAAC Third Team as a sophomore in 2020-21 after starting every game for Marist and setting career highs in four statistical categories.
- Averaged 10.6 points and 4.3 rebounds per game last season, good for second on the team in both categories.
- Has posted 23 double-digit scoring performances in their career and has eclipsed the 20-point mark twice.
- Twice named All-Division in highschool, as well as the State Final Four MVP, Federation MVP and the State Class B Player of the Year in 2017-18.

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points 9, at VCU (01/14/23)
 Rebounds..... 4, last at VCU (01/14/23)
 Assists 2, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 Steals 2, last at Richmond (1/21/23)
 Blocks
 FG Made 3, at VCU (01/14/23)
 3FG Made..... 1, last vs. Charleston So. (11/16/22)
 FT Made 3, at VCU (01/14/23)

				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	Marist	26-0	166/6.4	18-53	.340	7-23	.304	10-23	.435	3	12	15	0.6	17-0	11	29	1	12	53	2.0
2020-21	Marist	22-22	660/30.0	76-202	.376	35-93	.376	26-46	.565	12	54	66	3.0	37-0	42	61	2	27	213	9.7
2021-22	Marist	20-20	641/32.1	76-233	.326	29-106	.274	31-50	.620	14	71	85	4.3	38-1	42	47	7	35	212	10.6
2022-23	GMU	15-0	101/6.7	6-22	.273	2-9	.222	5-8	.625	5	10	15	1.0	7-0	3	6	0	3	19	1.3
TOTAL FOR GMU		15-0	101/6.7	6-22	.273	2-9	.222	5-8	.625	5	10	15	1.0	7-0	3	6	0	3	19	1.3
TOTAL		83-42	1567/18.9	176-510	.345	73-231	.316	72-127	.567	34	147	181	2.2	99-1	98	143	10	77	497	6.0



#30 Amy O'Hara • Fr. • F • 6-3 • Hoppers Crossing, Australia/Bacchus Marsh

- Joins the Patriots after graduating from Bacchus Marsh Grammar School in November
- A participant in the last four Australian Basketball Junior Championships, O'Hara most recently earned a gold medal at the 2022 U20 Championship
- Previously was a two-time U16 gold medalist (2018, 2019) and won the silver medal at the U18 Championships (2021)
- Three-time Basketball Australia National Performance Camp selection
- Selected for the U19 Women's GEMS Camp this year
- Has started on the Puerto Rico National Team since age 16.
- Plays for Keilor Thunder Basketball club in the NBL1 South Conference

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points 6, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
 Rebounds..... 7, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
 Assists 1, last at VCU (01/14/23)
 Steals 1, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
 Blocks
 FG Made 2, vs. SFA (12/20/22)
 3FG Made.....
 FT Made 2, vs. SFA (12/20/22)

				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	GMU	7-0	40/5.7	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	5	7	12	1.7	5-0	3	3	0	1	10	1.4
TOTAL		7-0	40/5.7	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	5	7	12	1.7	5-0	3	3	0	1	10	1.4



MASON BASKETBALL

2022-23 Women's Basketball



#3 Jada Brown • Fr. • G • 5-6 • Falls Church, Va./New Hope Academy

- Played for New Hope Academy in Landover Hills, Md.
- Member of the DMV Lady Tigers for club ball.
- Has one sibling, Jordan.

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points 9, vs. St. Bonaventure (01/05/23)
 Rebounds..... 4, at VCU (01/14/23)
 Assists 2, at La Salle (1/11/23)
 Steals 2, last at La Salle (1/11/23)
 Blocks
 FG Made 3, last vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 3FG Made..... 2, vs. Duquesne (01/08/23)
 FT Made 2, last at La Salle (1/11/23)

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	GMU	11-1	109/9.9	12-39	.308	7-26	.269	6-6	1.000	2	9	11	1.0	11-0	3	3	0	5	37	3.4
TOTAL		11-1	109/9.9	12-39	.308	7-26	.269	6-6	1.000	2	9	11	1.0	11-0	3	3	0	5	37	3.4



#23 Nekhu Mitchell • Fr. • F • 6-0 • Baltimore, Md./McDonogh

- Played for McDonogh High School in Owings Mills, Maryland.
- Two-time team captain.
- Earned First Team All-League honors as a senior and was named MVP of the Rose Classic in 2020.
- Played AAU ball for Fairfax Stars.
- Has four siblings: Gyasi, Denzel, Asi-Yahola and Aman

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points 6, last vs. LSU (11/24/22)
 Rebounds..... 13, vs. LSU (11/24/22)
 Assists 2, last vs. Charleston So. (11/16/22)
 Steals 2, vs. William & Mary (11/21/22)
 Blocks 1, vs. UAB (11/25/22)
 FG Made 3, at Pittsburgh (11/12/22)
 3FG Made..... 1, vs. LSU (11/24/22)
 FT Made 3, at La Salle (1/11/23)

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	GMU	19-0	220/11.6	16-44	.364	1-7	.143	8-17	.471	23	28	51	2.7	27-0	8	15	2	8	41	2.2
TOTAL		19-0	220/11.6	16-44	.364	1-7	.143	8-17	.471	23	28	51	2.7	27-0	8	15	2	8	41	2.2



#35 Zahirah Walton • Fr. • F • 5-11 • Seattle, Wash./Kentlake

- Graduated from Kentlake High School and previously starred at East Catholic High School where she was named MVP and First Team All-League.
- Averaged 15 points, 10 rebounds and two assists per game as a junior.
- Named to the Washington 3A State All-Tournament Team in 2019-20.
- Played AAU for the Northwest Greyhounds.
- Has three siblings: Jaleel, Troy Jr. and Andre.

2022-23 SEASON HIGHS

Points
 Rebounds.....
 Assists
 Steals
 Blocks
 FG Made
 3FG Made.....
 FT Made



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2022-23 George Mason Overall Statistics

2022-2023 George Mason University Women's Basketball Overall Statistics (as of Jan 16, 2023)

Overall Record: 10-9 Conf: 3-3 Home: 8-2 Away: 2-4 Neutral: 0-3

#	Player	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG		3PT		FT		Rebounds				PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
					FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG								
00	Jameson, Taylor	19-18	599	31.5	78-230	.339	33-118	.280	62-76	.816	14	46	60	3.2	38	0	33	47	2	23	251	13.2
04	Smith, Sonia	17-16	484	28.5	61-171	.357	15-54	.278	29-40	.725	11	35	46	2.7	32	2	47	48	2	15	166	9.8
42	Kaysia, Nalani	19-17	437	23.0	54-120	.450	0-0	.000	19-52	.365	51	79	130	6.8	31	0	13	33	15	10	127	6.7
25	Childs, Riley	15-14	308	20.5	33-85	.388	6-31	.194	16-26	.615	21	51	72	4.8	29	0	13	21	16	9	88	5.9
02	Lawhorne, Tamia	19-4	318	16.7	40-137	.292	20-81	.247	9-16	.563	15	34	49	2.6	26	1	8	29	1	10	109	5.7
14	Suárez, Paula	19-4	481	25.3	36-88	.409	8-18	.444	23-39	.590	5	36	41	2.2	20	0	51	45	4	18	103	5.4
01	Doster, Jazmyn	19-2	251	13.2	35-73	.479	1-1	1.000	32-59	.542	38	45	83	4.4	46	1	1	21	14	11	103	5.4
15	Ephraim, J-Naya	19-19	432	22.7	31-68	.456	4-6	.667	23-35	.657	24	71	95	5.0	34	0	24	21	1	12	89	4.7
03	Brown, Jada	11-1	107	9.7	12-39	.308	7-26	.269	6-6	1.000	2	9	11	1.0	11	0	3	3	0	5	37	3.4
23	Mitchell, Nekhu	19-0	219	11.5	16-44	.364	1-7	.143	8-17	.471	23	28	51	2.7	27	0	8	15	2	8	41	2.2
30	O'Hara, Amy	7-0	39	5.6	4-9	.444	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	5	7	12	1.7	5	0	3	3	0	1	10	1.4
05	Kennedy, Trey	15-0	99	6.6	6-22	.273	2-9	.222	5-8	.625	5	10	15	1.0	7	0	3	6	0	3	19	1.3
13	Rodriguez, Angelee	8-0	26	3.3	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	2	3	5	0.6	4	0	0	1	0	0	10	1.3
Total		19	3800	200.0	410-1091	.376	97-351	.276	236-380	.621	257	510	767	40.4	310	4	207	312	57	125	1153	60.68
Opponents			3800	200.0	416-1079	.386	120-379	.317	215-319	.674	198	494	692	36.4	367	11	218	294	68	139	1167	61.42

Team Statistics	GMU	OPP
SCORING	1153	1167
Points Per Game	60.7	61.4
Scoring Margin	-0.7	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	410-1091	416-1079
Field Goal Pct	.376	.386
3 POINT FG-ATT	97-351	120-379
3PT FG Pct	.276	.317
3PT Made Per Game	5.1	6.3
FREE THROWS-ATT	236-380	215-319
FT Pct	.621	.674
FT Made Per Game	12.4	11.3
REBOUNDS	767	692
Rebounds Per Game	40.4	36.4
Rebounds Margin	4.0	-
ASSISTS	207	218
Assists Per Game	10.9	11.5
TURNOVERS	312	294
Turnovers Per Game	16.4	15.5
Turnovers Margin	-0.9	-
Assist/Turnover Ratio	0.7	0.7
STEALS	125	139
Steals Per Game	6.6	7.3
BLOCKS	57	68
Blocks Per Game	3.0	3.6
ATTENDANCE	8,917	2,138
Dates/Avg Per Date	10-892	6-356
Neutral Site #/Avg	-	3-217

Conf	Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Att.
	11/07/22	MARYLAND	L	51-88	1,513
	11/10/22	at Robert Morris	L	52-53	276
	11/12/22	at Pittsburgh	L	45-63	437
	11/16/22	CHARLESTON SO.	W	74-34	617
	11/19/22	LOYOLA MARYLAND	W	66-58	737
	11/21/22	WILLIAM & MARY	W	71-61	712
	11/24/22	vs LSU	L	52-80	255
	11/25/22	vs UAB	L	74-83	251
	12/01/22	EAST CAROLINA	W	54-41	679
	12/03/22	AMERICAN	W	71-59	667
	12/17/22	COPPIN ST.	W	59-51	753
	12/19/22	at FIU	W	72-64	0
	12/20/22	vs SFA	L	62-90	146
*	01/01/23	DAYTON	L	66-71	876
*	01/05/23	at St. Bonaventure	W	49-45	81
*	01/08/23	DUQUESNE	W	61-45	1,243
*	01/11/23	at La Salle	L	62-69	211
*	01/14/23	at VCU	L	45-55	1,133
*	01/16/23	GEORGE WASHINGTON	W	67-57	1,120

* = Conference game

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
George Mason	254	267	305	327	1153
Opponents	263	281	328	295	1167



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2022-2023 George Mason University Women's Basketball Overall Statistics (as of Jan 16, 2023)

Conference Games Only

Conf: 3-3 Home: 2-1 Away: 1-2 Neutral: 0-0

#	Player	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG		3PT		FT		Rebounds				PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
					FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG								
04	Smith, Sonia	4-3	106	26.5	18-49	.367	3-14	.214	5-9	.556	3	7	10	2.5	4	0	9	4	1	3	44	11.0
42	Kaysia, Nalani	6-6	168	28.0	25-59	.424	0-0	.000	12-27	.444	23	35	58	9.7	15	0	8	12	7	6	62	10.3
00	Jameson, Taylor	6-5	175	29.2	16-62	.258	7-35	.200	19-22	.864	5	12	17	2.8	14	0	12	17	2	5	58	9.7
14	Suárez, Paula	6-4	185	30.8	15-43	.349	6-11	.545	9-15	.600	2	10	12	2.0	8	0	20	20	2	8	45	7.5
15	Ephraim, J-Naya	6-6	140	23.3	13-20	.650	3-4	.750	7-13	.538	10	36	46	7.7	13	0	7	8	0	2	36	6.0
02	Lawhorne, Tamia	6-2	93	15.5	11-37	.297	7-26	.269	4-4	1.000	6	7	13	2.2	6	0	0	9	0	2	33	5.5
25	Childs, Riley	3-3	54	18.0	4-13	.308	1-3	.333	5-8	.625	6	10	16	5.3	3	0	1	1	1	2	14	4.7
03	Brown, Jada	6-1	90	15.0	9-33	.273	5-22	.227	4-4	1.000	1	7	8	1.3	9	0	3	3	0	4	27	4.5
05	Kennedy, Trey	4-0	52	13.0	3-11	.273	0-4	.000	3-4	.750	5	5	10	2.5	3	0	3	0	0	2	9	2.3
01	Doster, Jazmyn	6-0	68	11.3	5-20	.250	0-0	.000	1-4	.250	11	11	22	3.7	8	0	1	3	3	3	11	1.8
23	Mitchell, Nekhu	6-0	48	8.0	2-9	.222	0-1	.000	3-7	.429	3	4	7	1.2	6	0	1	0	1	2	7	1.2
30	O'Hara, Amy	5-0	21	4.2	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	3	1	4	0.8	3	0	2	3	0	0	4	0.8
Total		6	1200	200.0	123-359	.343	32-120	.267	72-117	.615	92	161	253	42.2	92	0	67	85	17	39	350	58.33
Opponents			1200	200.0	122-332	.367	37-125	.296	61-86	.709	54	167	221	36.8	110	4	59	92	20	35	342	57.00

Team Statistics	GMU	OPP
SCORING	350	342
Points Per Game	58.3	57.0
Scoring Margin	1.3	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	123-359	122-332
Field Goal Pct	.343	.367
3 POINT FG-ATT	32-120	37-125
3PT FG Pct	.267	.296
3PT Made Per Game	5.3	6.2
FREE THROWS-ATT	72-117	61-86
FT Pct	.615	.709
FT Made Per Game	12.0	10.2
REBOUNDS	253	221
Rebounds Per Game	42.2	36.8
Rebounds Margin	5.4	-
ASSISTS	67	59
Assists Per Game	11.2	9.8
TURNOVERS	85	92
Turnovers Per Game	14.2	15.3
Turnovers Margin	1.1	-
Assist/Turnover Ratio	0.8	0.6
STEALS	39	35
Steals Per Game	6.5	5.8
BLOCKS	17	20
Blocks Per Game	2.8	3.3
ATTENDANCE	3,239	1,425
Dates-Avg Per Date	3-1,080	3-475
Neutral Site #-Avg	-	0-0

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Att.
01/01/23	DAYTON	L	66-71	876
01/05/23	at St. Bonaventure	W	49-45	81
01/08/23	DUQUESNE	W	61-45	1243
01/11/23	at La Salle	L	62-69	211
01/14/23	at VCU	L	45-55	1133
01/16/23	GEORGE WASHINGTON	W	67-57	1120

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
George Mason	81	92	74	103	350
Opponents	87	74	88	93	342