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## BULLDOG SPORTS NETWORK

940 AM ESPN Radio is the home of the Bulldog Sports Network. Fresno State football games are broadcast live on ESPN's 50,000-watt signal, allowing fans from all over the Valley to listen to Fresno State football games.

Paul Loeffler is the Voice of Bulldog football, and will be joined in 2018 by former Bulldog head coach Pat Hill (analyst) and former NFL and Bulldog defensive back Cameron Worrell (sideline reporter) for all Bulldog football games.

Station	Frequency
ESPN Radio	940 AM
ESPN Deportes	1600 AM



## "V" is for Valley

Fresno State prides itself on being the "Valley's team." This pride can be seen in the form of a large green V on the back of the Bulldog helmets, as a symbol to the agricultural community of the Central Valley of California. The San Joaquin Valley is the world's richest agricultural area in export dollars.

## Fresno State Identification

The University's formal name is Fresno State, not Cal State University, Fresno and not Fresno State University. Fresno St. is the acceptable shorter, less formal name for the University and is acceptable as a first text reference, as well as subsequent references.

The University prefers to never be referenced as just Fresno, only Fresno State or Fresno St. For graphics or abbreviations, we ask that you please use FS - not FSU, CSUF or Fresno. Another acceptable abbreviation is Fresno St.

# 2018 QUICK FACTS

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Location.....	Fresno, Calif.
Founded.....	1911
Enrollment.....	25,200
President.....	Dr. Joseph I. Castro
Director of Athletics.....	Terry Tumey
Faculty Athletic Rep(s).....	Dr. Dawn Lewis
.....	Dr. Juan Carlos Gonzalez
Senior Woman Administrator.....	Carrie Coll
Colors.....	Red and Blue
Nickname.....	Bulldogs
Conference.....	Mountain West

## TEAM HISTORY

First Year of Football.....	1921
Seasons.....	96
All-Time Record.....	599-423-27
All-Time Home Record.....	374-174-14
Away Record.....	213-232-13
Neutral Record (not including bowl games).....	0-2
All-Time Bowl Record.....	13-15
All-Time Mountain West Games Only.....	28-20
Conference Championships.....	27
Last Conference Championship.....	2013-Mountain West
MW Conference Championships ( <i>since 2012</i> ).....	2
MW Division Titles ( <i>since 2012</i> ).....	3
Bowl Appearances.....	28
Last Bowl.....	2017 Hawai'i Bowl
All-America Selections.....	117
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## STADIUM INFORMATION

Name.....	Bulldog Stadium (40,727)
Surface.....	FieldTurf
Completed.....	1980 (Beginning 38th Full Season)
First Game.....	Nov. 25, 1980 vs. Montana State
Record in Stadium.....	173-55-2
Largest Crowd.....	42,881 (5x in 2001)
Number of 40,000-plus crowds.....	33
Last sellout.....	9/13/14 vs. Nebraska (41,031)
Press Box Phone.....	(559) 278-5959

## TEAM INFORMATION

2017 Overall Record.....	10-4
2017 Mountain West Record (Finish).....	7-1 (1st, west division)
2017 Bowl.....	Hawai'i Bowl
2017 Final Ranking.....	AP (RV)   Coaches Poll (RV)
Starters Returning/Lost.....	17/8
Offense: 8/3   Defense: 7/4   Special Teams: 2/1	
Lettermen Returning/Lost.....	43/15
Offense: 21/5   Defense: 20/9   Special Teams: 2/1	
Base Offense.....	Pro-Style
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## COACHING STAFF

### Head Coach

Jeff Tedford (Fresno State, 1992)	
Career D-I Record (Years).....	92-61 (entering 13th)
Record at Fresno State (Years).....	10-4 (entering 2nd)

### Offensive Coordinator

Kalen DeBoer (Sioux Falls, 1998)

### Defensive Coordinator

Bert Watts (California, 2003)

### Defensive Line

Jamar Cain (New Mexico State, 2002)

### Running Backs/Special Teams Coordinator

Jamie Christian (Central Washington, 1999)

### Offensive Line

Ryan Grubb (Buena Vista, 1999)

### Wide Receivers

Kirby Moore (Boise State, 2012)

### Tight Ends

Scott Thompson (Fresno State, 2010)

### Linebackers

Kenwick Thompson (Harding, 1992)

### Defensive Backs

J.D. Williams (Fresno State, 1997)

### Asst. Running Backs/Special Teams

Lucus Gingold (California, 2014)

### Offensive Analyst

Brad Vonnahme (Utah State, 2011)

### Graduate Assistants (Offense)

D.J. Harper (Boise State, 2012) | Dylan Chmura (Michigan State, 2017)

### Graduate Assistants (Defense)

Matt Lea (UNLV, 2016) | C.J. McGorisk (Michigan, 2016)

### Head Strength & Conditioning Coach, Football

Andy Ward (Cal State Stanislaus, 2009)

### Assistant A.D. for Football Operations/Chief of Staff

Mike McHugh (Findlay, 1983)

### Director of Player Personnel

Spencer Harris (Washington, 2015)

### Assistant Director of Player Personnel

Quinn Tedford (California, 2015)

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**STARTERS RETURNING (17)****OFFENSE (8)**

Marcus McMaryion, QB, 6-2, 203, Sr.  
 Christian Cronk, LT, 6-5, 305, Sr.  
 Netane Muti, LG, 6-3, 310, So.  
 Micah St. Andrew, RG, 6-3, 348, Sr.  
 Kyle Riddering, TE, 6-6, 235, Sr.  
 KeeSean Johnson, WR, 6-2, 199, Sr.  
 Jamire Jordan, WR, 5-11, 170, Sr.  
 Ronnie Rivers, RB, 5-8, 175, So.

**DEFENSE (7)**

George Helmuth, LB, 6-1, 225, Sr.  
 Jeff Allison, LB, 6-0, 247, Jr.  
 James Bailey, LB, 6-1, 225, Sr.  
 Tank Kelly, DB, 5-10, 183, Sr.  
 Juju Hughes, DB, 5-11, 182, Jr.  
 Mike Bell, DB, 6-3, 203, Jr.  
 Jaron Bryant, DB, 6-1, 176, Jr.

**SPECIAL TEAMS (2)**

Blake Cusick, P, 6-2, 185, Jr.  
 Jacob Westberry, LS, 6-3, 248, So.

**STARTERS LOST (8)****OFFENSE (3)**

Aaron Mitchell, C  
 David Patterson, RT  
 Da'Mari Scott, WR

**DEFENSE (4)**

Nathan Madsen, DT  
 Malik Forrester, DT  
 Tobenna Okeke, DE  
 Robert Stanley, DE

**SPECIAL TEAMS (1)**

Jimmy Camacho, K

**MOST ACTIVE CAREER STARTS (20 GAMES +)**

WR	KeeSean Johnson (Sr.)	35
WR	Jamire Jordan (Sr.)	33
OL	Micah St. Andrew (Sr.)	31
LB	James Bailey (Sr.)	29
OL	Christian Cronk (Sr.)	26

**MOST ACTIVE CAREER GAMES PLAYED (30 GAMES +)**

LB	James Bailey (Sr.)	38
LB	George Helmuth (Sr.)	38
WR	KeeSean Johnson (Sr.)	38
WR	Jamire Jordan (Sr.)	38
TE	Kyle Riddering (Sr.)	35
OL	Micah St. Andrew (Sr.)	35
TE	David Tangipa (Sr.)	31
DB	Tank Kelly (Sr.)	30

**LETTERMEN RETURNING (43)**

**OFFENSE (21):** Justin Allen, Markus Boyer, Christian Cronk, Derrion Grim, Josh Hokit, Gunner Javernick, KeeSean Johnson, Saevion Johnson, Jamire Jordan, Marcus McMaryion, Jordan Mims, Netane Muti, Deonte O'Neal, Namani Parker, Jared Rice, Kyle Riddering, Ronnie Rivers, Micah St. Andrew, David Tangipa, Syrus Tuitele, Quireo Woodley

**DEFENSE (20):** Jeff Allison, Kevin Atkins, James Bailey, Mike Bell, Jaron Bryant, Sherman Coleman Jr., Damien DeGruy, Jasad Haynes, George Helmuth, Juju Hughes, Keiti Iakopo, Kwami Jones, Tank Kelly, Maamaloa Mafi, Ka'Lonn Milton, Arron Mosby, Emeka Ndoh, Justin Rice, Trent Soechting, Andrew Wright

**SPECIAL TEAMS (2):** Blake Cusick, Jacob Westberry

**REDSHIRTS RETURNING (15)**

**OFFENSE (9):** Dontae Bull, Chris Coleman, Patrick Elima-Jeune, Daniel Moraga, Zane Pope, Michiah Quick, Jorge Reyna, Chantz Russell, Zelan Tupuola

**DEFENSE (5):** Chris Brown, Alex Cruz, Wylan Free, Chris Gaston, Mykal Walker

**SPECIAL TEAMS (1):** Asa Fuller

**OTHER SQUADMEN RETURNING (22)**

**OFFENSE (10):** Nick Aibuedefe, Brian Burt, Frank Dalena, Anthony Grayson Jr., Delvon Hardaway, Romello Harris, Logan Hughes, Kevin Parker, Cody Pound, Matt Smith

**DEFENSE (11):** Patrick Belony, Matt Boateng, Richard Cage, Tainoa Foster, Kenny Gagnon, Kevin Jeanniton, Kesomi Mafi, Bryson Ogelsby, Deonte Perry, Leevel Tatum III, Messiah Tyler

**SPECIAL TEAMS (1):** Patrick Williams Jr.

**ROSTER ADDITIONS (30)**

**OFFENSE (15):** Nick Abbs, Austin Alexander, Ricardo Arias, Marc-David Bien-Aime, Joseph Bonner IV, Erik Brooks, Steven Comstock, Emoryie Edwards, Jace Fuamatu, Hunter Raquet, Tyrone Sampson Jr., Cam Sutton, Jared Torres, Khai Williams, Ben Wooldridge

**DEFENSE (12):** Shawn Dourseau, Alex Dumais, Rian Fields, Dorrzel Hicks, Isaiah Johnson, Sherwin King Jr., Matt Kjeldgaard, Matt Lawson, Kilifi Leaaetola, Ricky McCoy, Leonard Payne, David Tate Jr.

**SPECIAL TEAMS (3):** Shane Ciucci, Carson King, Mateo Thompson

**LETTERMEN LOST (15)**

**OFFENSE (5):** Kyle Hendrickson, Aaron Mitchell, David Patterson, Da'Mari Scott, Chason Virgil

**DEFENSE (9):** Malik Forrester, Justin Green, Johnny Johnson Jr., Nathan Madsen, Tobenna Okeke, Nela Otukolo, DeShawn Potts, Robert Stanley, Stephen Van Hook

**SPECIAL TEAMS (1):** Jimmy Camacho



# FAST FACTS ABOUT FRESNO STATE

## The University

California State University, Fresno was founded as Fresno State Normal School in 1911, became a teacher's college in 1921, and has offered advanced degrees since 1949. The university's popular nickname is "Fresno State." Our mascot is the Bulldog.

## Affiliation

Fresno State is one of 23 campuses in the California State University, the nation's largest four-year university system. One out of every 20 Americans with a college degree earned it from the CSU.

## Accreditation

The university is accredited by the California Board of Education and the Western Association of Schools and Colleges. It has 26 nationally accredited departmental programs, among the highest number within the CSU system.

## Enrollment

Fresno State's enrollment hit a record-high of 25,000 in fall 2017, and the university graduated a record of more than 6,000 students at its May 2018 commencement. Historically, about 80 percent of Fresno State's graduates chose to stay and work in California's Central Valley.

## Faculty and Staff

As of fall 2017, Fresno State employed 2,567 full- and part-time faculty and staff. About 96 percent of the tenured faculty hold doctoral or other terminal degrees in their areas of study.

## Location

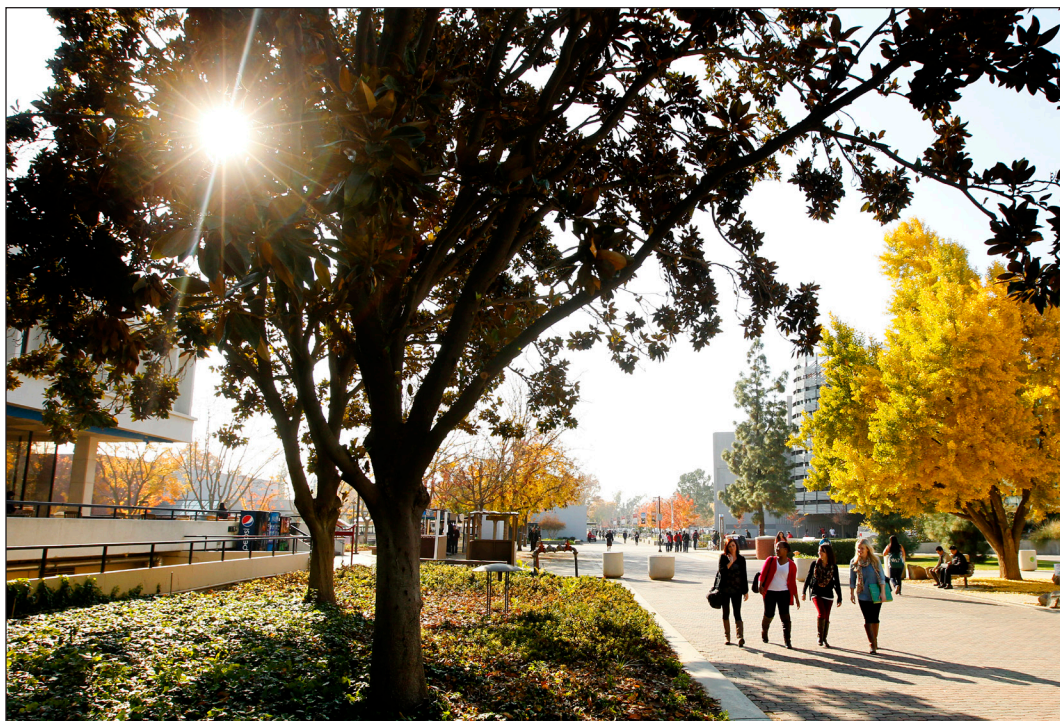
Fresno State's 388-acre main campus and its 1,011-acre University Farm are located at the northeast edge of Fresno, California, at the foot of the majestic Sierra Nevada mountain range. The surrounding San Joaquin Valley is one of the richest agricultural areas in the world, and Fresno is the fifth largest city in California. The university is within about an hour's drive of the entrance to three national parks and within just over a three-hour drive from San Francisco and Los Angeles.

## Academic Schools and Divisions

Jordan College of Agricultural Sciences and Technology; College of Arts and Humanities; Craig School of Business; Kremen School of Education and Human Development; Lyles College of Engineering; College of Health and Human Services; College of Science and Mathematics; College of Social Sciences.

## Academic Calendar

Fall semester: late August through December. Spring semester: mid-January through mid-May. The university also offers summer and winter intersessions.



## Quickfacts Fall 2017

Select Year Fall 2017

### Enrollment

Total Headcount	25,168	
	Number	Percent
Undergraduate	22,189	88.2%
Graduate	2,220	8.8%
Postbaccalaureate	759	3.0%

### Gender

Female	14,846	59.0%
Male	10,322	41.0%

### Ethnicity

African American	747	3.0%
American Indian	101	0.4%
Asian	3,401	13.5%
Hispanic	12,399	49.3%
Pacific Islander	43	0.2%
White	4,929	19.6%
Other/Unknown	1,950	7.7%
Non-Resident Alien	1,598	6.3%

International Student	924	3.7%
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### Service Area

Fresno, Madera, Kings and Tulare Counties	19,836	78.8%
Central Valley	22,063	87.7%

### Average Age

Undergraduate	21.9
Graduate & Post baccalaureate	29.8

### First Generation - Undergraduates

First Generation	15,162	68.3%
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### Pell Grant Eligibility - Undergraduates

Eligible	13,694	61.7%
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### Full-Time and Part-Time Enrollment

Full-Time	21,468	85.3%
Part-Time	3,700	14.7%

### Undergraduate

Full-Time	19,393	87.4%
Part-Time	2,796	12.6%

### Graduate

Full-Time	1,448	65.2%
Part-Time	772	34.8%

### Postbaccalaureate

Full-Time	627	82.6%
Part-Time	132	17.4%

### Average Course Load

All Students	13.1
Undergraduate	13.4
Graduate	10.0
Postbaccalaureate	12.9

### Employees

Total Number	2,567	
Faculty	1,538	59.9%
T/TT	635	41.3%
Non-T/TT	903	58.7%
Full-Time	799	52.0%
Part-Time	739	48.0%
Staff	867	33.8%
Full-Time	846	97.6%
Part-Time	21	2.4%
Manager	162	6.3%
Full-Time	161	99.4%
Part-Time	1	0.6%

### First-Year Retention Rate

First-Time, Full-Time Freshman	80.5%
New, Full-Time Transfers	85.8%



# FRESNO, CALIFORNIA

Fresno County is conveniently located in Central California, within a three hour drive of San Francisco and Los Angeles. We are known for our great year-round weather, boasting over 300 days of sunshine a year. Fresno County also features a diverse selection of dining, shopping, and attractions - all within 90 minutes of three national parks. With so much to see and do, Fresno is truly California's year-round playground!



## FACTS ABOUT THE FRESNO REGION

- California's Central Valley is a large flat valley that dominates the central portion of the state.
- The Central Valley stretches approximately 450 miles from northwest to southeast inland and parallel to the Pacific Ocean, covering approximately 22,500 square miles making it slightly smaller than the state of West Virginia.
- The San Joaquin Valley is the southern half of California's Central Valley and is bordered by the Sierra Nevada Mountain Range to the east and Coast Range to the west.
- The San Joaquin Valley's geological age is approximately 2-3 million years old making it rich in fossils and petroleum.
- Kings Canyon National Park at 8,200 feet deep is 2,200 feet deeper than the Grand Canyon.
- Hume Lake Dam, built in 1908, was the world's first reinforced concrete, multiple arch dam.
- Fresno County, which includes the exact center of the State of California, is comprised of 15 cities.
- Fresno County is known as the Agricultural Capital of the World producing 350 crops worth approximately \$6.8 billion.
- Fresno County's largest crop is grapes, with award winning wines now competing with the best in the world.
- Fresno, a major city in the San Joaquin Valley was founded in 1805 by Gabriel Moraga who named Fresno after the ash trees.
- Fresno is the fifth largest city in California with a population over one half million.
- One of the only places in America with such close proximity to three national parks within a 90 minute drive making it the perfect hub city for National Park Visitors.
- Visitors can see, taste and experience firsthand fruits, vegetables, nuts, dairy, and meat that feeds the world.
- 120 distinct cultures.
- 300 days of sunshine.
- Rich in education and innovation and home to California State University Fresno.
- Award Winner: Community Medical Center (CMC) is the San Joaquin Valley's largest hospital system and home of the world's first Generation 4 Cyberknife.
- Sierra Sky Park opened in 1947 as the world's first fly-in community.
- Home of William Saroyan, Pulitzer Prize Winning Playwright.

*courtesy to Fresno/Clovis Convention & Visitors Bureau*





# BULLDOG STADIUM



Bulldog Stadium has been the home of the Fresno State football team since it first opened in 1980. Entering its 38th full season hosting the football team in 2018, the 40,727-seat facility has established itself as one of the most difficult places to play for visiting teams.

Fresno State has found great success in its home facility, owning a record of 173-55-2, a winning percentage of 75 percent. Since the turn of the century, the 'Dogs have posted a 75-31 home record, which was aided by a 5-1 mark last year under first-year head coach Jeff Tedford.

Some of the monumental home victories at Bulldog Stadium include winning back-to-back Mountain West Championships on its home field in 2012 and 2013. The 2013 edition was the inaugural Mountain West Championship game, led by the dynamic offensive duo of Derek Carr and Davante Adams against Utah State.

Other notable games include a 44-24 win over No. 10 Oregon State in 2001 - the highest ever ranked opponent to come to Fresno until No. 5 Boise State traveled to town in 2011. Last season, the Bulldogs defeated No. 23 Boise State, 28-17, and rose into the nation's top 25 after the win.

Fresno State has been able to bring in some of the nation's top teams to Bulldog Stadium over the years. Included on that list are Baylor, BYU, Cal, Cincinnati, Colorado, Illinois, Kansas State, Nebraska, Ole Miss, Oregon, Oregon State (twice), Rutgers and Wisconsin. Looking ahead to more nonconference foes, the 'Dogs will welcome Minnesota from the Big Ten in 2019 and Oregon State from the Pac-12 in 2022.

The Red Wave has packed Bulldog Stadium to its limit countless times over the years. In 2000, the Bulldogs set a new single-season attendance record when they averaged 42,410 fans, the 22nd-best mark in the nation. The following season, in which Fresno State achieved a program-record national ranking of No. 8, was even better. The Bulldogs set a new record by averaging 42,802 fans, including stadium single-game records of 42,881 in each of the last five contests of that year. In all, Fresno State has played 33 games in the stadium with 40,000 or more fans in the stands.

Original construction of Bulldog Stadium began in June of 1979, following what was then the most successful capital fundraising project ever undertaken in the San Joaquin Valley. Local residents raised in excess of \$7 million for the project. No state tax dollars or student fees were used to build the stadium.

Built partially below ground level with the playing field 37 feet below grade, the bowl features a low profile appearance. A unique cantilevered lighting system extends toward the field and is directed downward to concentrate lighting on the playing surface.

Bulldog Stadium underwent a two-phase expansion project in 1991, which included the addition of more than 10,000 seats -- increasing the stadium's capacity from 30,000 to 41,031 -- and the construction of 22 sky suites. Other improvements included additional restrooms and concession facilities.

The first phase entailed filling in the panels beyond the north and south end zones with bench seating and the reconfiguration of the seating on the stadium's east side. The second phase, completed prior to the 1992

## DIRECTIONS TO BULLDOG STADIUM

### FROM THE NORTH:

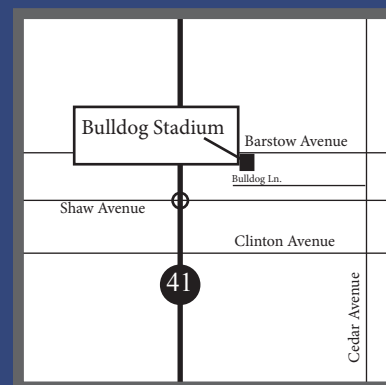
- Take State Route 99 south to the Shaw Ave. exit. Turn left on Shaw Ave.
- Travel east on Shaw to Cedar Ave. (approx. 15 miles).
- Turn left on Cedar, then left on Bulldog Lane. Proceed less than one block to Gate 10.

### FROM THE SOUTH:

- Take State Route 99 north to Freeway 41 (north -- they merge just past Jensen Ave.)
- Proceed to the Shaw Ave. exit, and travel east on Shaw to Cedar Ave. (approx. 3 miles).
- Turn left on Cedar, then left on Bulldog Lane. Proceed less than one block to Gate 10.

### FROM THE FRESNO AIR TERMINAL:

- Exit the airport parking lot, turning right at the signal.
- Follow the curve (Clinton Ave.) to Cedar Ave.
- Turn right on Cedar. Proceed approximately five miles to Bulldog Lane. Turn left and proceed less than one block to Gate 10.



# BULLDOG STADIUM

season, featured the addition of the sky suites, each of which includes seating for 20, among other amenities. At its present state, chair seating is available for more than 5,000 spectators on the west side of the stadium between the 18-yard lines to accommodate the contributors of the \$7 million. There are also 4,240 chair-back seats on the east side and the rest of the stadium seating is on aluminum benches.

In the summer of 2011, Bulldog Stadium received a face-lift when FieldTurf was installed as the new playing surface. The \$1.2 million project was funded completely by private donations. Most recently, a new high-definition video and ribbon board were installed in the north end zone before the start of the 2015 season and new fencing before the start of the 2016 season.

At its present state, University President Joseph I. Castro anticipates that Bulldog Stadium will see approximately \$45 million in upgrades in the near future that will modernize the stadium with a focus on improving the existing restrooms, concession stands and the path of travel around the stadium. He also intends to replace the seating and better the existing skyboxes in that plan.

On Nov. 25, 1980, the first game was played at Bulldog Stadium, uniquely closing the season after playing their first five home games at Ratcliffe Stadium. Fresno State defeated Montana State 21-14 in the season finale. The first full season began in 1981, starting with a 23-16 win over Oregon on Sept. 5 led by then-quarterback and now-head coach Jeff Tedford.

Bulldog Stadium was also home to the California Raisin Bowl from 1981-91. Fresno State played in the game five times, winning the title on four occasions. In 1994, the Stadium hosted friendly matches prior to the FIFA World Cup.

## RANKED TEAMS TO ENTER BULLDOG STADIUM

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Result</u>
Oct. 8, 1994	No. 22 BYU	BYU 32, Fresno St. 30
Nov. 19, 1994	No. 10 Colorado St.	Colorado St. 44, Fresno St. 42
Sept. 2, 2001	No. 10 Oregon St.	<b>Fresno St. 44</b> , Oregon St. 24
Nov. 21, 2003	No. 20 Boise St.	Boise St. 31, Fresno St. 17
Sept. 9, 2006	No. 20 Oregon	Oregon 31, Fresno St. 24
Sept. 13, 2008	No. 10 Wisconsin	Wisconsin 13, Fresno St. 10
Sept. 18, 2009	No. 8 Boise St.	Boise St. 51, Fresno St. 34
Nov. 14, 2010	No. 21 Nevada	Nevada 35, Fresno St. 34
Oct. 7, 2011	No. 5 Boise St.	Boise St. 57, Fresno St. 7
Sept. 13, 2014	No. 21 Nebraska	Nebraska 55, Fresno St. 19
Sept. 19, 2015	No. 21 Utah	Utah 45, Fresno St. 24
Nov. 25, 2017	No. 23 Boise State	<b>Fresno St. 28</b> , Boise St. 17

## HIGHEST ATTENDED GAMES at BULLDOG STADIUM

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Dec. 1, 2001	Utah State	W, 70-21	42,881
Nov. 23, 2001	San Jose State	W, 40-21	42,881
Nov. 3, 2001	Rice	W, 52-24	42,881
Oct. 19, 2001	Boise State	L, 35-30	42,881
Sept. 29, 2001	Louisiana Tech	W, 38-28	42,881
Nov. 10, 2005	Boise State	W, 27-7	42,701
Oct. 15, 2005	Utah State	W, 53-21	42,701
Sept. 19, 2004	Portland State	W, 27-17	42,662
Sept. 2, 2001	No. 10 Oregon State	W, 44-24	42,410
Sept. 13, 2008	No. 10 Wisconsin	L, 13-10	42,387

## BULLDOG STADIUM QUICK FACTS

First Game: .....	11/25/80
.....vs. Montana State (W, 21-14)	
Capacity: .....	40,727
All-Time Record: .....	173-55-2 (.750)
..... 37 Full Seasons (38 seasons total)	
Surface: .....	FieldTurf
Highest Attended Game: .....	42,881 (5x)
40,000+ Games .....	33
Last 40,000+ Game.....	Sept. 13, 2014
.....	41,031 vs. No. 21 Nebraska

## BULLDOG STADIUM RECORD

<u>Year</u>	<u>Record (bowl)</u>	<u>Avg. Attendance</u>
1980	1-0	25,684
1981	2-3	21,458
1982	7-0 (1-0)	24,861
1983	3-4	26,414
1984	4-2	29,223
1985	5-0-1 (1-0)	31,992
1986	8-0	33,573
1987	5-1	33,568
1988	5-0 (1-0)	33,371
1989	7-0 (1-0)	33,788
1990	6-0-1	32,881
1991	6-0 (0-1)	34,039
1992	5-1	35,225
1993	6-0	39,536
1994	3-4	36,171
1995	4-2	33,499
1996	3-3	37,373
1997	4-2	34,262
1998	4-1	37,102
1999	6-0	37,231
2000	5-0	41,369
2001	5-1	42,802
2002	5-1	39,133
2003	5-1	38,603
2004	4-1	39,777
2005	5-1	39,306
2006	3-3	38,552
2007	5-1	36,290
2008	2-3	37,864
2009	4-1	33,578
2010	5-2	34,120
2011	2-4	29,298
2012	6-0	30,915
2013	7-0	36,917
2014	4-2	34,876
2015	2-4	29,036
2016	1-5	25,493
2017	5-1	30,632
<b>Totals</b>	<b>173-55-2 (.750)</b>	<b>33,994 Avg.</b>
<b>38 Seasons</b>	<b>230 games</b>	<b>(7,818,563 total)</b>



## OFFENSIVE OUTLOOK

**Starters Returning/Lost:** 8/3  
**Letterwinners Returning/Lost:** 21/5  
**Redshirts Returning:** 9  
**Other Squadmen Returning:** 10  
**Newcomers:** 15

**Starters Returning (8)**

QB, Marcus McMaryion (6-2, 203, Sr.)  
 OL, Christian Cronk (6-5, 305, Sr.)  
 OL, Netane Muti (6-3, 310, So.)  
 OL, Micah St. Andrew (6-3, 348, Sr.)  
 TE, Kyle Riddering (6-6, 235, Sr.)  
 WR, KeeSean Johnson (6-2, 199, Sr.)  
 WR, Jamire Jordan (5-11, 170, Sr.)  
 RB, Ronnie Rivers (5-8, 175, So.)

**Starters Lost (3)**

OL, Aaron Mitchell  
 OL, David Patterson  
 WR, Da'Mari Scott

**Notable Returnees**

QB, Jorge Reyna (6-0, 215, R Jr.)  
 WR, Michiah Quick (5-11, 180, RSr.)  
 RB, Josh Hokit (6-1, 220, Jr.)  
 RB, Jordan Mims (5-11, 192, So.)  
 OL, Syrus Tuitele (6-6, 305, So.)

**A SEASON TO BUILD ON**

*An outlook leading into the 2018 Fresno State football season*



The Fresno State football team experienced a monumental turnaround in 2017, a turnaround so dramatic, it will forever be known as the second time in FBS history that a team won double-digit games just one season removed from a double-digit loss season. Furthermore, the Bulldogs' 10-4 season will stand for the time being in the FBS record books tied for the second-best win improvement in FBS history having improved by eight games – just a half game back from the all-time best turnaround.

The renaissance was led by Fresno State alumnus Jeff Tedford in his first year as the Bulldogs' head coach. Tedford, a quarterback for the Bulldogs from 1981-82 and assistant coach from 1992-97, restored the pride and tradition of Bulldog football. As a result, attendance spiked as Fresno State ranked No. 7 in the Football Bowl Subdivision for the greatest jump in attendance from the previous year, increasing by an average of 5,139 fans per game in 2017. Bulldog Stadium saw its best average attendance in the last three years.

The season included an appearance in the nation's top 25, clinching the Mountain West's West Division crown and the Bulldogs' first trip to the MW Championship Game since 2014. Fresno State capped its season with its first bowl victory since 2007, a 33-27 victory over Houston from the American Athletic Conference, at the Hawai'i Bowl.

Fresno State was one of 26 schools to finish

2017 with double-digit wins. Of those 26, just three joined Fresno State from the Pacific time zone (San Diego State, USC and Washington) while the 'Dogs were the only West Coast team to win a bowl game last season.

Coach Tedford was honored as the Mountain West Coach of the Year, and the team had 16 student-athletes recognized with MW postseason honors – the most for the Bulldogs in a single-season since joining the conference in 2012.

All this in only one season, which sits as the foundation for the Tedford era to build on in 2018. Fresno State returns 17 starters and 43 lettermen from last season's team while Tedford kept his staff intact outside of one departure. There are just 13 teams that return more starters than Fresno State in 2018.

**OFFENSE**

With eight starters returning to the offensive side of the ball, Fresno State ties for 14th in the FBS in that category. Of those eight, five are two-year returning starters and two are three-year returning starters (KeeSean Johnson and Jamire Jordan). In total, the eight starters own a combined 175 career Fresno State starts between them.

Tedford, known as a quarterback guru having a history of first round NFL Draft picks under his mentorship in Kyle Boller (Cal), David Carr (Fresno State), Trent Dilfer (Fresno State), Joey Harrington (Oregon),

**RETURNING OFFENSIVE LEADERS FROM 2017**

<b>Passing</b>	<b>GP/GS</b>	<b>C-A</b>	<b>Pct.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>TD/Int</b>	<b>Lg</b>	<b>Avg/g</b>
McMARYION, Marcus	14/11	218-351	62.1	2,726	14/5	81	194.7
<b>Rushing</b>	<b>GP/GS</b>	<b>Att.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>Lg</b>	<b>Yds/G</b>
MIMS, Jordan	14/3	151	627	4.2	6	24	44.8
HOKIT, Josh	14/4	128	583	4.6	7	26	41.6
RIVERS, Ronnie	13/7	101	480	4.8	5	30	36.9
<b>Receiving</b>	<b>GP/GS</b>	<b>Rec.</b>	<b>Yds.</b>	<b>Avg.</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>Lg</b>	<b>Avg/g</b>
JOHNSON, KeeSean	14/13	77	1,013	13.2	8	81	72.4
JORDAN, Jamire	14/13	27	562	20.8	3	70	40.1
RICE, Jared	13/6	22	388	17.6	2	65	29.8



Aaron Rogers (Cal) and Akili Smith (Oregon), turned over the keys to Valley native and Oregon State transfer Marcus McMaryion after the third game of the 2017 season and never looked back.

McMaryion stepped foot on a Fresno State practice field for the first time on Aug. 13 during the Bulldogs' 2017 fall camp and learned the team and system at a rapid pace. Despite that, he was 9-2 as a starter and was the first Bulldog to complete better than 60 percent of his passes since Derek Carr did so in 2013. The 2018 season is looking even brighter now that the Dinuba native will have had a spring and full fall camp to prepare for his senior campaign.

And with that, McMaryion will have all the tools necessary to succeed as it could be argued the Bulldogs have the top receiving corps in the Mountain West.

Senior KeeSean Johnson, the Bulldogs' active leader in career starts (35), enters 2018 as the nation's leader in consecutive games with a reception at 36. He needs just 54 receptions and 1,222 receiving yards to become the program's all-time leader in each of those categories entering his senior campaign with 180 career catches and 2,123 career receiving yards. Pair that with senior Jamire Jordan, a 33-game career starter with 188 career catches and 1,815 career receiving yards alongside senior-transfer Michiah Quick, from Oklahoma, and McMaryion should have all the firepower needed for a deadly aerial attack.

A very deep receiving corps also includes junior Derrion Grim, senior Justin Allen, senior Brian Burt, redshirt freshman Chris Coleman, and potential true freshmen playmakers in Ricardo Arias and Emoryie Edwards, who should all compete for playing time.

The Bulldogs' return their starter at tight

end, senior Kyle Riddering, who will play alongside heavily relied upon junior Jared Rice. Riddering made nine starts in 2017 while Rice earned six, with four of those six starts coming in two tight end sets. Riddering, who is utilized more so on the line of scrimmage, caught eight passes for 54 yards and a touchdown last season. Meanwhile, Rice, who will also attach, is found downfield more often than not. Rice posted 22 receptions for 388 yards and two scores in 2017, which included a breakout performance in the Hawai'i Bowl, posting single game career bests in receptions (6) and receiving yards (84).

The ground game was a four-man attack a year ago, three of which were underclassmen in then-true freshmen Jordan Mims and Ronnie Rivers and then-true sophomore Josh Hokit. Joined by Deonte O'Neal, who was a junior, all four are back to do it again in 2018. In fact, Fresno State returns 95 percent of its rushing yards from a year ago. Only 99 yards were lost from last year's ground game from departed wide receiver Da'Mari Scott (93) and quarterback Chason Virgil (6).

The freshmen duo of Mims and Rivers, who combined for 11 starts, accounted for 1,107 rushing yards while Hokit logged 583 yards, amounting to 1,690 yards of the team's 2,170 rushing yards. With Rivers anticipated to miss the start of the season due to a foot injury suffered in the spring, the door is open for Mims, Hokit or O'Neal to secure more of the workload, while now-eligible Romello Harris, a transfer from Washington State that sat out in 2017, could see some additional carries as well.

But it all starts up front, and if the Bulldogs' offensive line produces anything near to what it did in 2017, Fresno State is set for success. Fresno State allowed just seven sacks through 12 regular season games; the unit allowed 10 sacks over 14 games, equaling 0.71 sacks allowed per game, which ranked No. 3 in the nation. There were just four other teams that

held their opponents under 1.00 sacks per game (Army, Marshall, Appalachian State) in 2017. Of those four, Fresno State was the only team that played 14 or more games. The 'Dogs allowed more than one sack in a game just twice in 2017 (at Alabama/at Boise State) and held six opponents without a sack.

The Bulldogs return three of the five offensive linemen that each started all 14 games last season. Back in 2018 include seniors Christian Cronk (LT) and Micah St. Andrew (RG), and sophomore Netane Muti (LG). Those three together combine for 71 career starts. St. Andrew is the team's

## OFFENSE AT A GLANCE...

### QUARTERBACKS

*LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST: 1/1*

**SENIORS:** Marcus McMaryion

**JUNIORS:** Jorge Reyna#

**SOPHOMORES:** Hunter Raquet\*

**FRESHMEN:** Steven Comstock\*,

Ben Woolridge\*

### RUNNING BACKS

*LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST: 5/0*

**SENIORS:** Deonte O'Neal

**JUNIORS:** Josh Hokit, Khai Williams\*

**SOPHOMORES:** Romello Harris, Saevion

Johnson, Jordan Mims, Ronnie Rivers

**FRESHMEN:** None

### WIDE RECEIVERS

*LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST: 5/1*

**SENIORS:** Justin Allen, Brian Burt, Anthony

Grayson Jr., Delvon Hardaway, KeeSean

Johnson, Jamire Jordan, Namani Parker,

Michiah Quick#

**JUNIORS:** Frank Dalena, Derrion Grim

**SOPHOMORES:** Kevin Parker

**FRESHMEN:** Ricardo Arias\*, Erik Brooks\*,

Chris Coleman#, Emoryie Edwards\*, Patrick

Elima-Jeune#, Zane Pope#

### TIGHT ENDS

*LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST: 4/1*

**SENIORS:** Gunner Javernick,

Kyle Riddering, David Tangipa

**JUNIORS:** Jared Rice, Cam Sutton\*

**SOPHOMORES:** None

**FRESHMEN:** Austin Alexander\*, Daniel

Moraga#, Jared Torres\*

### OFFENSIVE LINE

*LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST: 6/2*

**SENIORS:** Markus Boyer, Christian Cronk,

Logan Hughes, Micah St. Andrew

**JUNIORS:** Nick Abbs\*, Nick Aibuedefe, Cody Pound

**SOPHOMORES:** Netane Muti, Matt Smith,

Syrus Tuitele, Quiero Woodley

**FRESHMEN:** Marc-David Bien-Aime\*,

Joseph Bonner IV\*, Donte Bull#, Jace

Fuamatu\*, Chantz Russell#, Tyrone Sampson Jr., Zelan Tupuola#

**bold - returning letterman**

\* newcomer | # utilized redshirt in 2017

	Career GP	'17 GP	Career Starts	'17 Starts	Consec. Starts
KeeSean Johnson	38	14	35	13	10
Jamire Jordan	38	14	33	13	10
Kyle Riddering	35	14	18	9	1
Micah St. Andrew	35	14	31	14	29
David Tangipa	31	14	1	0	0
Christian Cronk	26	14	26	14	26
Josh Hokit	26	14	6	4	0
Justin Allen	25	14	0	0	0
Jared Rice	24	13	6	6	1
Deonte O'Neal	21	13	4	4	0
Gunner Javernick	14	14	0	0	0
Marcus McMaryion	14	14	11	11	11
Jordan Mims	14	14	3	3	0
Netane Muti	14	14	14	14	14
Markus Boyer	13	13	0	0	0
Derrion Grim	13	13	0	0	0
Ronnie Rivers	13	13	7	7	2
Quiero Woodley	13	13	0	0	0
Namani Parker	12	12	1	1	0
Logan Hughes	11	0	6	0	0

## DEFENSIVE OUTLOOK

**Starters Returning/Lost:** 7/4  
**Letterwinners Returning/Lost:** 20/9  
**Redshirts Returning:** 5  
**Other Squadmen Returning:** 11  
**Newcomers:** 12

**Starters Returning (7)**

LB, George Helmuth (6-1, 225, Sr.)  
 LB, Jeff Allison (6-0, 242, Jr.)  
 LB, James Bailey (6-1, 225, Sr.)  
 DB, Tank Kelly (5-10, 183, Sr.)  
 DB, Juju Hughes (5-11, 182, Jr.)  
 DB, Mike Bell (6-3, 203, Jr.)  
 DB, Jaron Bryant (6-1, 176, Jr.)

**Starters Lost (4)**

DL, Nathan Madsen  
 DL, Malik Forrester  
 DL, Tobenna Okeke  
 DL, Robert Stanley

**Notable Returnees**

DL, Kevin Atkins (6-2, 300, So.)  
 DL, Jasad Haynes (6-1, 283, Jr.)  
 DL, Kwami Jones (6-2, 250, Jr.)  
 DL, Emeka Ndoh (6-0, 250, Sr.)  
 DB, Arron Mosby (6-4, 218, So.)

## RETURNING DEFENSIVE LEADERS FROM 2017

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds	Sacks/Yds	Int-Yds
ALLISON, Jeff	14	79	47	126	5.5-22	2.0-13	.
HELMUTH, George	14	58	31	89	8.0-32	4.0-22	.
BELL, Mike	12	51	26	77	3.0-9	.	1-18
HUGHES, Juju	14	54	17	71	7.0-14	1.0-4	1-0
BAILEY, James	14	39	32	71	4.5-9	.	.
BRYANT, Jaron	14	50	17	67	2.5-7	.	4-64
KELLY, Anthoula	14	37	8	45	3.0-9	.	1-0
HAYNES, Jasad	14	10	11	21	2.0-4	.	.
ATKINS, Kevin	14	7	12	19	2.0-6	.	.
SOECHTING, Trent	14	5	6	11	.	.	.
JONES, Kwami	13	6	4	10	2.0-5	1.0-4	.

leader with the most consecutive starts at 29, while Cronk (26) and Muti (14) have started every game they have played for the Bulldogs.

Candidates to fill the two vacated spots of center and right guard are Markus Boyer (C), a transfer from UCLA who sat behind Aaron Mitchell on the depth chart last season, and sophomore Syrus Tuitele (RG), who sat behind David Patterson on the two-deep. It's likely that Muti will shift to left tackle and Cronk will slide inside to left guard if things develop as they did in the spring. St. Andrew took reps at center throughout the spring, but that was without Boyer practicing. Look for Boyer to compete to secure that role and St. Andrew to stay put at right guard, but he'll be ready to move to center if necessary. In addition, Quireo Woodley and Marc-David Bien-Aime will compete for playing time at guard while Nick Abbs and Nick Aibuede will challenge for playing time at tackle.

**DEFENSE**

It will be hard to replicate what the Bulldogs' defense produced last year, having one of their most dominant seasons over the past 30 years, ranking No. 10 in the FBS in scoring defense (17.9), No. 11 in rushing defense (113.4), No. 15 in total defense (320.6) and No. 13 in fumbles recovered (12). That squad will return seven starters in 2018.

If the Bulldogs have any question marks, it will be because the defensive line lost all four of its starters. On the flip side, Fresno State returns its entire back seven.

Of all the Bulldogs' position groups, the defensive line saw the most rotation throughout 2017 so it will not be a complete rebuild. Sophomore Kevin Atkins (DL), sophomore Damien DeGruy (DE), junior Jasad Haynes (DL), junior Keiti Iakopo (DL), junior Kwami Jones (DE) and senior Emeka Ndoh (DE) all saw significant reps during the 2017 season. Atkins gained the most experience of that group seeing five starts, one in the middle of the season and the final four games of the year.

Statistically, Ndoh stands out the most of the returners on the defensive line, having posted 5.0 tackles for loss, including 4.0 sacks.

Haynes returns the most tackles on the line from last year with 21, while Atkins was just behind with 19.

In addition, there are a handful of newcomers that will challenge the group above for playing time: freshmen Isaiah Johnson, Matt Lawson and Leonard Payne could all be impact players in 2018. Senior Patrick Belony, who has played in 16 career games but only four a year ago will also be looking to get into the mix.

Look for Jones and Ndoh to get the nod on the ends, Atkins and Haynes on the inside. But with so many vying for positioning, the look of the line could change quickly with so many options.

If the Bulldog wide receivers don't get honors for top position group in the league, the linebacker trio of junior middle linebacker Jeff Allison, and senior outside backers James Bailey and George Helmuth are next up to vie for that honor. Despite 16 Bulldogs picking up all-league honors in 2017, Allison was the sole player to earn first-team distinction last year. With a team leading 126 tackles, Allison was one of 15 FBS players to record 126 or more, and was one of two underclassmen with 126 or more. His tackle total was the most posted by a Bulldog since 2007.

Bailey, who has been making starts for the Bulldogs since his freshman year, enters 2018 as the team's active leader in career tackles with 177. Meanwhile, Helmuth, once a walk-on that was used sparingly, started the first game of his career in the fourth game of the season in 2017 and did not miss a start from that point on. He entered his junior season last year with 24 career tackles and broke out in 2017 with 89 tackles, including 8.0 TFLs and 4.0 sacks.

In the secondary, Fresno State returns eight of its nine interceptions produced a year ago. Leading the team in that department was junior Jaron Bryant. The 13-game starter at cornerback in 2017 was one of 13 FBS players to record multiple interception touchdown returns as he scored twice with a team-best four interceptions. The Bulldogs other starting corner, senior Tank Kelly, returns



	Career GP	'17 GP	Career Starts	'17 Starts	Consec. Starts
James Bailey	38	14	29	14	26
George Helmuth	38	14	11	11	11
Tank Kelly	30	14	11	10	9
Jeff Allison	26	14	14	14	14
Juju Hughes	26	14	14	14	14
Trent Soechting	26	14	0	0	0
Jaron Bryant	25	14	13	13	11
Mike Bell	24	12	10	9	9
Jasad Haynes	19	14	0	0	0
Patrick Belony	16	4	1	0	0
Justin Rice	16	10	1	0	0
Kevin Atkins	14	14	5	5	4
Maamaloa Mafi	14	14	0	0	0
Arron Mosby	14	14	0	0	0
Kwami Jones	13	13	0	0	0
Emeka Ndoh	13	13	0	0	0
Damien DeGruy	12	12	0	0	0
Keiti Iakopo	12	12	0	0	0
Ka'Lonn Milton	12	11	0	0	0
Andrew Wright	11	11	0	0	0

as arguably the Bulldogs' top cover corner despite not posting the same interception numbers as his counterpart. Kelly, known as one of the fastest players on the squad, led the team with nine pass break ups in 2017 and notched 45 tackles.

The safety spots both return with junior strong safety Juju Hughes and junior free safety Mike Bell. Hughes, a 14-game starter, ranked tied for fourth on the team with 71 tackles and recorded 7.0 tackles for loss and eight pass deflections. Bell missed the first two games of the season, but that did not stop him from leading all defensive backs with 77 tackles, including 51 solo stops.

Even though the Bulldogs have all four members of the secondary back, it will be stout with competition. Coming off their redshirt seasons as true freshmen are corners Wylan Free and Chris Gaston, who will be strong competition. Senior corners Matt Boateng and Sherman Coleman, Jr. will also be looking for time. The cornerback group could prove to be the team's most competitive group in 2018.

Junior strong safety Ka'Lonn Milton and sophomore free safety Arron Mosby will provide stability to the safety positions while Kesomi Mafi, coming off an ACL injury in 2017, could see some time in the secondary after playing linebacker last year.

### SPECIALISTS

The Bulldogs lost their big leg in place kicker Jimmy Camacho, who set the program record for most made field goals (25) in a single season. Fresno State brought in junior-transfer Mateo Thompson and freshman Shane Ciucci to compete for the job, along with returning redshirt freshman Asa Fuller.

Stability remains in both the punter and long snapper slots. Junior Blake Cusick will continue punting duties for a third-straight season while sophomore Jacob Westberry

enters year two with the long snapping duties.

### THE SCHEDULE

The 2018 schedule allows Fresno State to open the season at home for the fifth time entering its seventh year in the Mountain West. The season starts with Idaho on Sept. 1, an opponent entering its first year in the FCS Big Sky after spending the past four seasons as an FBS Sun Belt affiliate.

The Bulldogs will not face the gauntlet of traveling to back-to-back College Football Playoff opponents in Alabama and Washington like last season, but this year's slate will challenge the team early with back-to-back nonconference road

contests at Minnesota (Big Ten) on Sept. 8 and at UCLA (Pac-12) on Sept. 15.

Like 2017, Fresno State will observe its sole Saturday off (Sept. 22) after being on the road for two-straight nonconference games for week 2 and week 3. What will be different is the nonconference portion of the schedule will wrap up in September as the 'Dogs host Toledo on Sept. 29.

The 2018 season marks the second year of the four-year cycle of MW conference games, therefore the Bulldogs' MW schedule will mirror 2017 but with the host-site flipped for all eight opponents. It starts Oct. 6 at Nevada.

In fact, four of the Bulldogs' first six conference games are on the road before closing the season at home with back-to-back home games.

Fresno State's conference home opener is Oct. 13, against Wyoming. They then travel to face their second-straight Mountain Division opponent, New Mexico, on Oct. 20.

Oct. 27 will be homecoming for Fresno State when they host Hawai'i. And then it's back on the road for two straight games before hosting the final two games of the regular season.

Fresno State is at UNLV on Nov. 3 and then is faced with a short week as it travels to Boise State on Nov. 9 for its only Friday game of the season.

With an extra days rest, Fresno State returns home to host San Diego State on Nov. 17 and closes the year with San Jose State on Nov. 24.

The Mountain West Championship game will be played on Dec. 1.

### DEFENSE/SPECIAL TEAMS AT A GLANCE...

#### DEFENSIVE LINE

**LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST:** 7/6

**SENIORS:** Patrick Belony, Emeka Ndoh

**JUNIORS:** Jasad Haynes, Keiti Iakopo,

**Kwami Jones**, Ricky McCoy\*, Mykal Walker#

**SOPHOMORES:** Kevin Atkins, Damien

**DeGruy**, Kevin Jeanniton, Leavel Tatum III, Andrew Wright

**FRESHMEN:** Alex Dumais\*, Matt

Kjeldgaard\*, Isaiah Johnson\*, Matt Lawson\*, Leonard Payne\*

#### LINEBACKERS

**LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST:** 5/1

**SENIORS:** James Bailey, George Helmuth,

Kesomi Mafi, Trent Soechting

**JUNIORS:** Jeff Allison, Dorrzel Hicks\*,

**Justin Rice**, Messiah Tyler

**SOPHOMORES:** Richard Cage, Tainoa Foster, David Tate Jr.\*

**FRESHMEN:** Alex Cruz#, Rian Fields\*, Sherwin King Jr.\*, Kilifi Leaaetoo\*

#### DEFENSIVE BACKS

**LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST:** 8/2

**SENIORS:** Matt Boateng, Sherman Coleman, Jr.,

**Tank Kelly**, Maamaloa Mafi,

**Ka'Lonn Milton**

**JUNIORS:** Mike Bell, Jaron Bryant,

**Juju Hughes**, Bryson Oglesby

**SOPHOMORES:** Kenny Gagnon, Arron

**Mosby**, Deonte Perry

**FRESHMEN:** Chris Brown#, Shawn

Dorseau\*, Wylan Free#, Chris Gaston#

#### SPECIALISTS

**LETTERMEN RETURNING/LOST:** 2/1

**SENIORS:** None

**JUNIORS:** Blake Cusick, Mateo Thompson\*

**SOPHOMORES:** Jacob Westberry, Patrick Williams Jr.

**FRESHMEN:** Shane Ciucci\*, Asa Fuller#, Carson King\*

**bold - returning letterman**

\* newcomer | # utilized redshirt in 2017

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

77	Nick Abbs	OL
79	Nick Aibuedefe	OL
25	Austin Alexander	TE
13	Justin Allen	WR
9	Jeff Allison	LB
81	Ricardo Arias	WR
90	Kevin Atkins	DT
7	James Bailey	LB
4	Mike Bell	DB
94	Patrick Belony	DT
71	Marc-David Bien-Aime	OL
26	Matt Boateng	DB
56	Joseph Bonner IV	OL
51	Markus Boyer	OL
85	Erik Brooks	WR
35	Chris Brown	DB
14	Jaron Bryant	DB
72	Dontae Bull	OL
26	Brian Burt	WR
42	Richard Cage	LB
97	Shane Ciucci	K
8	Chris Coleman	WR
25	Sherman Coleman Jr.	DB
17	Steven Comstock	QB
58	Christian Cronk	OL
51	Alex Cruz	DE
47	Blake Cusick	P
19	Frank Dalena	WR
1	Damien DeGruy	DE
10	Shawn Dourseau	DB
43	Alex Dumais	DL
4	Emoryie Edwards	WR
5	Patrick Elima-Jeune	WR
16	Rian Fields	LB
50	Tainoa Foster	LB
8	Wylan Free	DB
74	Jace Fuamatu	OL
37	Asa Fuller	K
28	Kenny Gagnon	DB
2	Chris Gaston	DB
84	Anthony Grayson Jr.	WR
7	Derrion Grim	WR
82	Delvon Hardaway	WR
32	Romello Harris	RB
93	Jasad Haynes	DT
34	George Helmuth	LB
41	Dorzel Hicks	LB
33	Josh Hokit	RB
23	Juju Hughes	DB
62	Logan Hughes	OL
98	Keiti Iakopo	DT
80	Gunner Javernick	TE
96	Kevin Jeanniton	DE
18	Isaiah Johnson	DL
3	KeeSean Johnson	WR
24	Saevion Johnson	RB
33	Kwami Jones	DE
1	Jamire Jordan	WR

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous School)
1	Damien DeGruy	DE	6-3	246	So.	2nd	New Orleans, La. (McDonogh 35)
1	Jamire Jordan	WR	5-11	170	Sr.	5th	Lancaster, Calif. (Highland)
2	Chris Gaston	DB	6-1	181	RFr.	2nd	La Puente, Calif. (Bishop Amat)
2	Michiah Quick	WR	5-11	180	RSr.	5th	Fresno, Calif. (Central East/Oklahoma)
3	KeeSean Johnson	WR	6-2	199	Sr.	5th	East Palo Alto, Calif. (Palo Alto)
3	Mykal Walker	DE	6-3	220	RJr.	4th	Vacaville, Calif. (Vacaville/Azusa Pacific)
4	Mike Bell	DB	6-3	203	Jr.	4th	Moreno Valley, Calif. (Citrus Hill)
4	Emoryie Edwards	WR	5-11	187	Fr.	1st	Tulare, Calif. (Tulare Union)
5	Patrick Elima-Jeune	WR	6-0	190	RFr.	2nd	Inglewood, Calif. (Morningside)
5	Emeka Ndoh	DE	6-0	250	Sr.	4th	Hanford, Calif. (Immanuel/De Anza College)
6	Tank Kelly	DB	5-10	183	Sr.	5th	Galena Park, Texas (Galena Park)
6	Marcus McMaryion	QB	6-2	203	Sr.	5th	Dinuba, Calif. (Dinuba/Oregon State)
6	Ben Wooldridge	QB	6-2	205	Fr.	1st	Pleasanton, Calif. (Foothill)
7	James Bailey	LB	6-1	225	Sr.	4th	Austin, Texas (Lake Travis)
7	Derrion Grim	WR	6-1	194	Jr.	3rd	Stockton, Calif. (McNair/Nebraska/Delta JC)
8	Chris Coleman	WR	5-11	183	RFr.	2nd	Bakersfield, Calif. (Garces Memorial)
8	Wylan Free	DB	6-2	178	RFr.	2nd	Compton, Calif. (Lynwood)
9	Jeff Allison	LB	6-0	242	Jr.	3rd	Miami, Fla. (Langston Hughes [Ga.])
10	Shawn Dourseau	DB	5-10	170	Fr.	1st	Perris, Calif. (Citrus Hill)
10	Jorge Reyna	QB	6-0	215	RJr.	4th	Downey, Calif. (Pasadena/West LA College)
11	Sherwin King Jr.	LB	5-11	227	Fr.	1st	Fresno, Calif. (Sunnyside)
11	Dejonte O'Neal	RB	5-7	175	Sr.	4th	Fresno, Calif. (Bullard)
13	Justin Allen	WR	5-11	192	Sr.	5th	Los Angeles, Calif. (Mater Dei)
13	Kesomi Mafi	LB	5-11	228	Sr.	5th	Oakland, Calif. (Oakland/Laney College)
14	Jaron Bryant	DB	6-1	176	Jr.	3rd	Fort Worth, Texas (Duncanville)
15	Daniel Moraga	TE	6-3	240	RFr.	2nd	Oxnard, Calif. (Pacifica)
15	Arron Mosby	DB	6-4	218	So.	2nd	Sanger, Calif. (Sanger)
16	Rian Fields	LB	6-5	185	Fr.	1st	Irvine, Calif. (Irvine)
16	Jared Rice	TE	6-5	230	Jr.	4th	Modesto, Calif. (Central Catholic)
17	Steven Comstock	QB	6-0	195	Fr.	1st	Glendora, Calif. (Northview)
17	Deonte Perry	DB	6-0	183	So.	3rd	Canoga Park, Calif. (Canoga Park)
18	Isaiah Johnson	DL	6-3	228	Fr.	1st	Modesto, Calif. (Downey)
18	Hunter Raquet	QB	6-3	200	So.	2nd	Santa Cruz, Calif. (San Benito/Monterey Peninsula College)
19	Frank Dalena	WR	5-8	154	Jr.	4th	Fresno, Calif. (San Joaquin Memorial)
20	Kilifi Leaetoea	LB	6-2	219	Fr.	1st	Menlo Park, Calif. (Menlo-Atherton)
20	Ronnie Rivers	RB	5-8	175	So.	2nd	Brentwood, Calif. (Freedom)
22	Jordan Mims	RB	5-11	192	So.	2nd	East Palo Alto, Calif. (Menlo-Atherton)
22	Trent Soechting	LB	6-3	225	Sr.	5th	Katy, Texas (Cinco Ranch/Blinn College)
23	Juju Hughes	DB	5-11	182	Jr.	3rd	Hanford, Calif. (Hanford)
23	Kevin Parker	WR	5-6	150	So.	3rd	Oakland, Calif. (Skyline)
24	Saevion Johnson	RB	6-0	200	So.	3rd	Pearland, Texas (Pearland Dawson)
25	Austin Alexander	TE	6-5	228	Fr.	1st	Sacramento, Calif. (Capital Christian)
25	Sherman Coleman Jr.	DB	5-9	170	Sr.	5th	Houston, Texas (Westside/Cisco College)
26	Matt Boateng	DB	6-0	175	Sr.	5th	Toronto, Canada (IMG Academy/Kansas/Arizona Western College)
26	Brian Burt	WR	5-11	194	Sr.	4th	East Wenatchee, Wash. (Eastmont/Ventura College)
27	Ka'Lonn Milton	DB	6-0	185	Jr.	4th	Fresno, Calif. (Buchanan/Fresno City College)
27	Zane Pope	WR	6-2	191	RFr.	2nd	Moorpark, Calif. (Moorpark)
28	Kenny Gagnon	DB	5-11	185	So.	3rd	La Quinta, Calif. (Desert Christian Academy)
28	Bryson Oglesby	DB	5-11	195	Jr.	4th	Houston, Texas (Fort Bend Austin)
29	Justin Rice	LB	6-2	225	Jr.	3rd	Modesto, Calif. (Central Catholic)
30	Messiah Tyler	LB	5-8	225	Jr.	4th	Murrieta, Calif. (Vista Murrieta/University of La Verne)
30	Khai Williams	RB	5-10	209	Jr.	4th	Fresno, Calif. (Edison/Fresno City College)
31	Andrew Wright	DE	6-2	237	So.	3rd	Buena Park, Calif. (Buena Park)
32	Romello Harris	RB	5-11	188	So.	3rd	Tulare, Calif. (Tulare Union/Washington State)
33	Josh Hokit	RB	6-1	220	Jr.	3rd	Clovis, Calif. (Clovis)
33	Kwami Jones	DE	6-2	250	Jr.	3rd	San Mateo, Calif. (Serra/College of San Mateo)
34	George Helmuth	LB	6-1	225	Sr.	5th	Fresno, Calif. (Clovis North)
35	Chris Brown	DB	5-11	188	RFr.	2nd	Modesto, Calif. (Modesto Christian)
36	Cam Sutton	TE	6-6	222	Jr.	3rd	Moreno Valley, Calif. (Norco/Riverside City College)
37	Asa Fuller	K	6-2	227	RFr.	2nd	Fountain Valley, Calif. (Servite)
38	Maamaloa Mafi	DB	5-11	193	Sr.	4th	Oakland, Calif. (Oakland/Laney College)
39	Mateo Thompson	K	5-7	155	Jr.	3rd	Murrieta, Calif. (Murrieta Mesa/Saddleback JC)
41	Dorzel Hicks	LB	5-10	221	Jr.	3rd	Sacramento, Calif. (Grant/College of San Mateo)
42	Richard Cage	LB	6-1	220	So.	2nd	Corona, Calif. (Eleanor Roosevelt)
43	Alex Dumais	DL	6-3	259	Fr.	1st	Montreal, Canada (Saint Paul-CA)
44	Leevel Tatum III	DT	6-0	250	So.	3rd	Fresno, Calif. (Edison/UNLV)
45	Carson King	P	6-0	182	Fr.	1st	Livermore, Calif. (Freedom)
46	David Tate Jr.	LB	6-2	220	So.	3rd	Fresno, Calif. (Edison/UNLV)
47	Blake Cusick	P	6-2	185	Jr.	4th	Monrovia, Calif. (Monrovia)



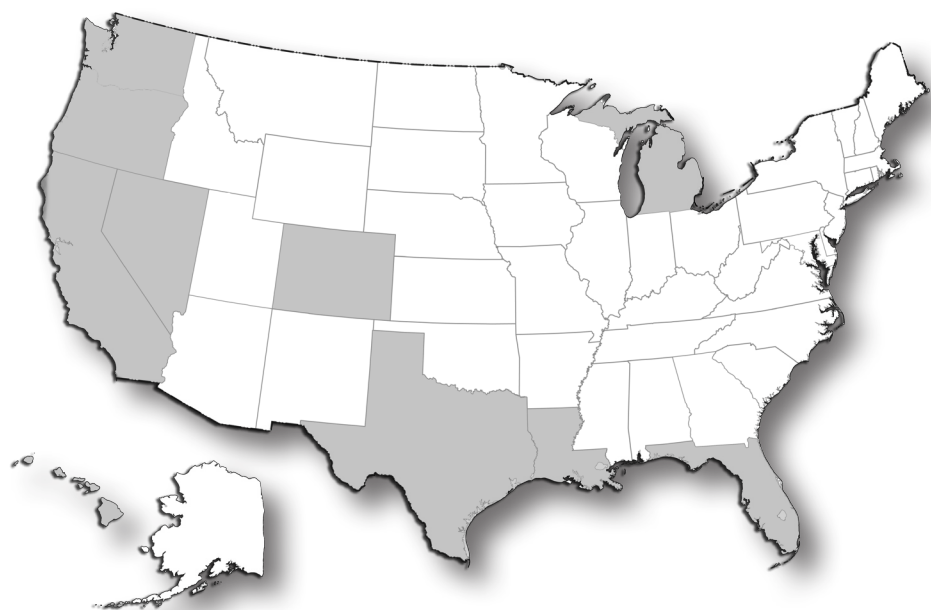
6	Tank Kelly	DB
45	Carson King	P
11	Sherwin King Jr.	LB
92	Matt Kjeldgaard	DL
60	Matt Lawson	DL
20	Kilifi Leaetoea	LB
13	Kesomi Mafi	LB
38	Maamaloa Mafi	DB
99	Ricky McCoy	DL
6	Marcus McMaryion	QB
27	Ka'Lonn Milton	DB
22	Jordan Mims	RB
15	Daniel Moraga	TE
15	Arron Mosby	DB
52	Netane Muti	OL
5	Emeka Ndoh	DE
11	Dejonte O'Neal	RB
28	Bryson Oglesby	DB
23	Kevin Parker	WR
87	Namani Parker	WR
55	Leonard Payne	DL
17	Deonte Perry	DB
27	Zane Pope	WR
55	Cody Pound	OL
2	Michiah Quick	WR
18	Hunter Raquet	QB
10	Jorge Reyna	QB
16	Jared Rice	TE
29	Justin Rice	LB
89	Kyle Riddering	TE
20	Ronnie Rivers	RB
67	Chantz Russell	OL
50	Tyrone Sampson Jr.	OL
73	Micah St. Andrew	OL
59	Matt Smith	OL
22	Trent Soechting	LB
36	Cam Sutton	TE
88	David Tangipa	TE
46	David Tate Jr.	LB
44	Leevel Tatum III	DT
39	Mateo Thompson	K
86	Jared Torres	TE
65	Syrus Tuitele	OL
75	Zelan Tupuola	OL
30	Messiah Tyler	LB
3	Mykal Walker	DE
53	Jacob Westberry	LS
30	Khai Williams	RB
54	Patrick Williams Jr.	LS
66	Quireo Woodley	OL
6	Ben Wooldridge	QB
31	Andrew Wright	DE

50	Tainoa Foster	LB	6-2	195	So.	3rd	Honolulu, Hawai'i (Kamehameha)
50	Tyrone Sampson Jr.	OL	6-2	320	Fr.	1st	East Pointe, Mich. (East English Village Prep)
51	Markus Boyer	OL	6-1	300	Sr.	4th	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Edison/Saddleback JC/UCLA)
51	Alex Cruz	DE	6-2	235	RFr.	2nd	Concord, Calif. (Concord)
52	Netane Muti	OL	6-3	310	So.	3rd	Wahiawa, Hawai'i (Leilehua)
53	Jacob Westberry	LS	6-3	248	So.	3rd	Bradenton, Fla. (Saint Stephen's Episcopal)
54	Patrick Williams Jr.	LS	6-3	205	So.	3rd	Vacaville, Calif. (Vacaville)
55	Leonard Payne	DL	6-2	260	Fr.	1st	Downey, Calif. (St. Pius X-St. Matthias Academy)
55	Cody Pound	OL	6-4	295	Jr.	4th	Durham, Calif. (Durham/Butte College)
56	Joseph Bonner IV	OL	6-3	310	Fr.	1st	Hanford, Calif. (Hanford East)
57	Jace Fuamatu	OL	6-3	330	Fr.	1st	Bellflower, Calif. (St. John Bosco)
58	Christian Cronk	OL	6-5	305	Sr.	4th	Oceanside, Calif. (Oceanside/Riverside CC)
59	Matt Smith	OL	5-11	280	So.	3rd	Long Beach, Calif. (St. John Bosco)
60	Matt Lawson	DL	6-0	295	Fr.	1st	Ontario, Calif. (Colony)
62	Logan Hughes	OL	6-4	285	Sr.	4th	Las Vegas, Nev. (Green Valley/Victor Valley College)
65	Syrus Tuitele	OL	6-6	305	So.	2nd	Chico, Calif. (Pleasant Valley)
66	Quireo Woodley	OL	6-4	295	So.	2nd	Murrieta, Calif. (Murrieta Valley)
67	Chantz Russell	OL	6-6	270	RFr.	2nd	Petaluma, Calif. (Marin Catholic)
71	Marc-David Bien-Aime	OL	6-5	350	Fr.	1st	Montreal, QC, Canada (Montmorency College)
72	Dontae Bull	OL	6-6	324	RFr.	2nd	Victoria, Canada (Belmont Secondary)
73	Micah St. Andrew	OL	6-3	348	Sr.	5th	Rialto, Calif. (Eisenhower)
75	Zelan Tupuola	OL	6-2	295	RFr.	2nd	Carson, Calif. (J Serra Catholic)
77	Nick Abbs	OL	6-5	293	Jr.	3rd	Portland, Ore. (Gresham/Fresno City College)
79	Nick Aibuedefe	OL	6-4	274	Jr.	4th	Sacramento, Calif. (Capital Christian)
80	Gunner Javernick	TE	6-6	253	Sr.	5th	Canon City, Colo. (Canon City/Ventura Junior College)
81	Ricardo Arias	WR	6-1	205	Fr.	1st	Fresno, Calif. (Clovis West)
82	Delvon Hardaway	WR	6-1	197	Sr.	6th	Los Angeles, Calif. (Dorsey)
84	Anthony Grayson Jr.	WR	6-1	170	Sr.	5th	Redlands, Calif. (Redlands East Valley)
85	Erik Brooks	WR	5-7	162	Fr.	1st	Corona, Calif. (Roosevelt)
86	Jared Torres	TE	6-5	240	Fr.	1st	Visalia, Calif. (El Diamante)
87	Namani Parker	WR	6-4	198	Sr.	5th	Roseville, Calif. (Oakmont/American River)
88	David Tangipa	TE	6-5	240	Sr.	5th	Sacramento, Calif. (Foothill)
89	Kyle Riddering	TE	6-6	235	Sr.	5th	Fresno, Calif. (Clovis North)
90	Kevin Atkins	DT	6-2	300	So.	3rd	Murrieta, Calif. (Vista Murrieta)
92	Matt Kjeldgaard	DL	6-2	285	Fr.	1st	Oakdale, Calif. (Oakdale)
93	Jasad Haynes	DT	6-1	283	Jr.	4th	Fresno, Calif. (Clovis North)
94	Patrick Belony	DT	6-1	305	Sr.	5th	N Miami Beach, Fla. (N Miami Beach/Antelope Valley College)
96	Kevin Jeanniton	DE	6-2	245	So.	3rd	Fresno, Calif. (Edison)
97	Shane Ciucci	K	5-8	170	Fr.	1st	Livonia, Mich. (Divine Child)
98	Keiti Iakopo	DT	5-11	295	Jr.	3rd	Santa Ana, Calif. (Fountain Valley/Golden West College)
99	Ricky McCoy	DL	6-2	300	Jr.	4th	Fresno, Calif. (Roosevelt/Washington)

### Coaching Staff

Jeff Tedford - Head Coach  
 Kalen Deboer - Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator  
 Bert Watts - Defensive Coordinator  
 Jamar Cain - Assistant Coach (Defensive Line)  
 Jamie Christian - Assistant Coach (Running Backs/Special Teams Coordinator)  
 Ryan Grubb - Assistant Coach (Offensive Line/Run Game Coordinator)  
 Kirby Moore - Assistant Coach (Wide Receivers)  
 Scott Thompson - Assistant Coach (Tight Ends)  
 Kenwick Thompson - Assistant Coach (Linebackers)  
 J.D. Williams - Assistant Coach (Defensive Backs)  
 Lucas Gingold - Assistant Coach (Asst. for Running Backs/Special Teams)  
 Brad Vonnahme - Offensive Analyst  
 Andy Ward - Head Strength and Conditioning Coach, Football  
 Dylan Chmura - Offensive Graduate Assistant  
 D.J. Harper - Offensive Graduate Assistant  
 Matt Lea - Defensive Graduate Assistant  
 C.J. McGorisk - Defensive Graduate Assistant

## GEOGRAPHICAL ROSTER

**CALIFORNIA (87)**

<u>Bakersfield:</u>	<u>Chris Coleman</u>
<u>Bellflower:</u>	<u>Jace Fuamatu</u>
<u>Brentwood:</u>	<u>Ronnie Rivers</u>
<u>Buena Park:</u>	<u>Andrew Wright</u>
<u>Canoga Park:</u>	<u>Deonte Perry</u>
<u>Carson:</u>	<u>Zelan Tupuola</u>
<u>Chico:</u>	<u>Syrus Tuitele</u>
<u>Clovis:</u>	<u>Josh Hokit</u>
<u>Compton:</u>	<u>Wylan Free</u>
<u>Concord:</u>	<u>Alex Cruz</u>
<u>Corona:</u>	<u>Erik Brooks</u>
	<u>Richard Cage</u>
<u>Dinuba:</u>	<u>Marcus McMaryion</u>
<u>Downey:</u>	<u>Leonard Payne</u>
	<u>Jorge Reyna</u>
<u>Durham:</u>	<u>Cody Pound</u>
<u>East Palo Alto:</u>	<u>Jordan Mims</u>
<u>Fountain Valley:</u>	<u>Asa Fuller</u>
<u>Fresno:</u>	<u>Ricardo Arias</u>
	<u>Frank Dalena</u>
	<u>Jasad Haynes</u>
	<u>George Helmuth</u>
	<u>Kevin Jeanniton</u>
	<u>Sherwin King Jr.</u>
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	<u>Ka'Lonn Milton</u>
	<u>Dejonte O'Neal</u>
	<u>Michiah Quick</u>
	<u>Kyle Riddering</u>
	<u>David Tate Jr.</u>
	<u>Leevel Tatum III</u>
	<u>Khai Williams</u>
<u>Glendora:</u>	<u>Steven Comstock</u>
<u>Hanford:</u>	<u>Joseph Bonner IV</u>
	<u>Juju Hughes</u>
	<u>Emeka Ndoh</u>
<u>Huntington Beach:</u>	<u>Markus Boyer</u>
<u>Ingewood:</u>	<u>Patrick Elima-Jeune</u>
<u>Irvine:</u>	<u>Rian Fields</u>

<u>La Puente:</u>	<u>Chris Gaston</u>
<u>La Quinta:</u>	<u>Kenny Gagnon</u>
<u>Lancaster:</u>	<u>Jamire Jordan</u>
<u>Livermore:</u>	<u>Carson King</u>
<u>Long Beach:</u>	<u>Matt Smith</u>
<u>Los Angeles:</u>	<u>Justin Allen</u>
	<u>Delvon Hardaway</u>
<u>Modesto:</u>	<u>Chris Brown</u>
	<u>Isaiah Johnson</u>
	<u>Jared Rice</u>
	<u>Justin Rice</u>
<u>Monrovia:</u>	<u>Blake Cusick</u>
<u>Moorpark:</u>	<u>Zane Pope</u>
<u>Moreno Valley:</u>	<u>Mike Bell</u>
	<u>Cam Sutton</u>
<u>Murrieta:</u>	<u>Kevin Atkins</u>
	<u>Mateo Thompson</u>
	<u>Messiah Tyler</u>
	<u>Quireo Woodley</u>
<u>Oakdale:</u>	<u>Matt Kjeldgaard</u>
<u>Oakland:</u>	<u>Kesomi Mafi</u>
	<u>Maamaloa Mafi</u>
	<u>Kevin Parker</u>
<u>Oceanside:</u>	<u>Christian Cronk</u>
<u>Ontario:</u>	<u>Matt Lawson</u>
<u>Oxnard:</u>	<u>Daniel Moraga</u>
<u>Palo Alto:</u>	<u>KeeSean Johnson</u>
<u>Perris:</u>	<u>Shawn Dourseau</u>
<u>Petaluma:</u>	<u>Chantz Russell</u>
<u>Pleasanton:</u>	<u>Ben Wooldridge</u>
<u>Redlands:</u>	<u>Anthony Grayson Jr.</u>
<u>Rialto:</u>	<u>Micah St. Andrew</u>
<u>Roseville:</u>	<u>Namani Parker</u>
<u>Sacramento:</u>	<u>Nick Aibuedefe</u>
	<u>Austin Alexander</u>
	<u>Dorzel Hicks</u>
	<u>David Tangipa</u>
<u>San Mateo:</u>	<u>Kwami Jones</u>
<u>Santa Ana:</u>	<u>Keiti Iakopo</u>
<u>Santa Cruz:</u>	<u>Hunter Raquet</u>

<u>Sanger:</u>	<u>Arron Mosby</u>
<u>Stockton:</u>	<u>Derrion Grim</u>
<u>Tulare:</u>	<u>Emoryie Edwards</u>
	<u>Romello Harris</u>
<u>Vacaville:</u>	<u>Mykal Walker</u>
	<u>Patrick Williams Jr.</u>
<u>Visalia:</u>	<u>Jared Torres</u>

**COLORADO (1)**

<u>Canon City:</u>	<u>Gunner Javernick</u>
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**FLORIDA (3)**

<u>Bradenton:</u>	<u>Jacob Westberry</u>
<u>Miami:</u>	<u>Jeff Allison</u>
<u>North Miami Beach:</u>	<u>Patrick Belony</u>

**HAWAII (2)**

<u>Honolulu:</u>	<u>Tainoa Foster</u>
<u>Wahiawa:</u>	<u>Netane Muti</u>

**LOUISIANA (1)**

<u>New Orleans:</u>	<u>Damien DeGruy</u>
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**MICHIGAN (2)**

<u>East Pointe:</u>	<u>Tyrone Sampson Jr.</u>
<u>Livonia:</u>	<u>Shane Ciucci</u>

**NEVADA (1)**

<u>Las Vegas:</u>	<u>Logan Hughes</u>
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**OREGON (1)**

<u>Portland:</u>	<u>Nick Abbs</u>
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**TEXAS (7)**

<u>Austin:</u>	<u>James Bailey</u>
<u>Fort Worth:</u>	<u>Jaron Bryant</u>
<u>Galena Park:</u>	<u>Tank Kelly</u>
<u>Houston:</u>	<u>Sherman Coleman Jr.</u>
	<u>Bryson Ogelsby</u>
<u>Katy:</u>	<u>Trent Soechting</u>
<u>Pearland:</u>	<u>Saevion Johnson</u>

**WASHINGTON (1)**

<u>East Wenatchee:</u>	<u>Brian Burt</u>
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**CANADA (4)**

<u>Toronto (Ontario):</u>	<u>Matt Boateng</u>
<u>Montreal (Quebec):</u>	<u>Marc-David Bien-Aime</u>
	<u>Alex Dumias</u>
<u>Victoria (B.C.):</u>	<u>Dontae Bull</u>



# 2018 PRESEASON DEPTH CHART

## OFFENSE

### Quarterback

- 6 Marcus McMaryion (6-2, 203, Sr.)  
 10 Jorge Reyna (6-0, 215, R Jr.)

### Running Back

- 22 Jordan Mims (5-11, 192, So.)  
 33 Josh Hokit (6-1, 220, Jr.)  
 or 11 Dejonte O'Neal (5-7, 175, Sr.)

### Left Tackle

- 52 Netane Muti (6-3, 310, So.)  
 79 Nick Aibuede (6-4, 274, Jr.)

### Left Guard

- 58 Christian Cronk (6-5, 305, Sr.)  
 66 Quireo Woodley (6-4, 295, So.)

### Center

- 51 Markus Boyer (6-1, 300, Sr.)  
 59 Matt Smith (5-11, 280, So.)

### Right Guard

- 73 Micah St. Andrew (6-3, 348, Sr.)  
 71 Marc-David Bien-Aime (6-5, 350, Fr.)

### Right Tackle

- 65 Syrus Tuitele (6-6, 305, So.)  
 77 Nick Abbs (6-5, 293, Jr.)

### Wide Receiver

- 1 Jamire Jordan (5-11, 170, Sr.)  
 7 Derrion Grim (6-1, 194, Jr.)

### Wide Receiver

- 3 KeeSean Johnson (6-2, 199, Sr.)  
 8 Chris Coleman (5-11, 183, R Fr.)

### Wide Receiver

- 2 Michiah Quick (5-11, 180, R Sr.)  
 13 Justin Allen (5-11, 192, Sr.)

### Tight End

- 89 Kyle Riddering (6-6, 235, Sr.)  
 or 16 Jared Rice (6-5, 230, Jr.)

## DEFENSE

### End

- 33 Kwami Jones (6-2, 250, Jr.)  
 3 Mykal Walker (6-3, 220, R Jr.)

### Tackle

- 93 Jasad Haynes (6-1, 283, Jr.)  
 98 Keiti Iakopo (5-11, 295, Jr.)

### Tackle

- 90 Kevin Atkins (6-2, 300, So.)  
 94 Patrick Belony (6-1, 305, Sr.)

### End

- 5 Emeka Ndoh (6-0, 250, Sr.)  
 1 Damien DeGruy (6-3, 246, So.)

### Linebacker

- 34 George Helmuth (6-1, 225, Sr.)  
 42 Richard Cage (6-1, 220, So.)

### Linebacker

- 9 Jeff Allison (6-0, 242, Jr.)  
 29 Justin Rice (6-2, 225, Jr.)

### Linebacker

- 7 James Bailey (6-1, 225, Sr.)  
 13 Kesomi Mafi (5-11, 228, Sr.)

### Cornerback

- 6 Tank Kelly (5-10, 183, Sr.)  
 2 Chris Gaston (6-1, 181, R Fr.)

### Strong Safety

- 23 Juju Hughes (5-11, 182, Jr.)  
 27 Ka'Lonn Milton (6-0, 185, Jr.)

### Free Safety

- 4 Mike Bell (6-3, 205, Jr.)  
 15 Arron Mosby (6-4, 217, So.)

### Cornerback

- 14 Jaron Bryant (6-0, 176, Jr.)  
 8 Wylan Free (6-2, 178, R Fr.)

## SPECIAL TEAMS

### Place Kicker

- 97 Shane Ciucci (5-8, 170, Fr.)  
 or 37 Asa Fuller (6-2, 227, R Fr.)  
 or 39 Mateo Thompson (5-7, 155, Jr.)

### Punter

- 47 Blake Cusick (6-2, 190, Jr.)

### Long Snapper

- 53 Jacob Westberry (6-3, 250, So.)  
 54 Patrick Williams, Jr. (6-3, 207, So.)

### Holder

- 47 Blake Cusick (6-2, 185, Jr.)  
 10 Jorge Reyna (6-0, 215, R Jr.)

### Kick Returner

- 11 Dejonte O'Neal (5-7, 175, Sr.)  
 1 Jamire Jordan (5-11, 170, Sr.)

### Punt Returner

- 11 Dejonte O'Neal (5-7, 175, Sr.)  
 1 Jamire Jordan (5-11, 170, Sr.)

## Pronunciation Guide

Nick Aibuede.....Ab-U-deaf-ch  
 Marc-David Bein-Aime.....Be-N-ah-me  
 Jaron Bryant.....Jair-un  
 Damien DeGruy.....Da-Grew  
 Patrick Elima-Juene.....e-Lee-ma June  
 Tainoa Foster.....Tie-Noah  
 Wylan Free.....Way-lynn  
 Derrion Grim.....Dare-E-On  
 Anthoula "Tank" Kelly.....An-thu-la  
 George Helmuth.....HEL-myth  
 Josh Hokit.....Ho-kit  
 Jamire Jordan.....Jameer  
 Keiti Iakopo.....K-T yah-Ko-Po  
 Kesomi Mafi.....ke-So-Me  
 Maamaloa Mafi.....Ma-ma-low-ah  
 Netane Muti.....Nuh-tahn-E, Moo-T

Emeka Ndoh.....ah-Mec-ah, en-doh  
 Dejonte O'Neal.....Dijon-teh  
 Namani Parker.....Na-monn-E  
 Deonte Perry.....Dee-On-teh  
 Michiah Quick.....Mih-kai-ah  
 Trent Soechting.....Sec-Ting  
 David Tangipa.....Tong-E-Pa  
 Leevil Tatum.....Lee-velle  
 Syrus Tuitele.....Two-tell-E  
 Zelan Tupuola.....Z-lynn, Tu-Pu-Oh-La  
 Quireo Woodley.....Keer-E-O

Kalen DeBoer.....K-lynn  
 Brad Vonnahme.....Va-Nom-E

## SCHEDULE/FUTURES

## 2018 BULLDOG FOOTBALL SCHEDULE (ALL TIMES PACIFIC)

September	1	Idaho		7 p.m.	facebook
	8	at Minnesota		4:30 p.m.	FS1
	15	at UCLA		7:30 p.m.	FS1
	29	Toledo		TBA	ESPN NETWORKS
October	6	at Nevada*		TBA	ESPN NETWORKS
	13	Wyoming*		TBA	ESPN NETWORKS
	20	at New Mexico*		TBA	ESPN NETWORKS
	27	Hawai'i* (Homecoming)		TBA	ESPN NETWORKS
November	3	at UNLV*		7:30 p.m.	CBS SPORTS NETWORK
	9	at Boise State*		7:15 p.m.	ESPN 2
	17	San Diego State*		7:30 p.m.	CBS SPORTS NETWORK
	24	San Jose State*		TBA	ESPN NETWORKS

ESPN Networks: Means ESPN must alert the two schools associated no less than 12 days before the designated game day what time kick off will be and what platform it will be distributed on (ESPN, ESPN2, ESPNNews, ESPNU or ESPN3).

The Mountain West Championship game will take place on December 1 featuring the two divisional champions.

**Indicators**

\* MW conference game

**BULLDOG FOOTBALL CHANNEL FINDER...**

AT&T UVERSE  
CBS Sports Network 643, 1643  
ESPN: 602, 1602  
ESPN2: 606, 1606  
ESPNNews: 604, 1604  
ESPNU: 605, 1605  
FS1: 652, 1652

COMCAST (FRESNO MARKET)  
Big 10 Network: 403  
CBS Sports Network: 418, 732  
ESPN: 32, 724  
ESPN2: 33, 725  
ESPNNews: 402, 726  
ESPNU: 420, 788  
FS1: 35, 731

DIRECTV  
CBS Sports Network: 221  
ESPN: 206  
ESPN2: 209  
ESPNNews: 207  
ESPNU: 208  
FS1: 219

DISH NETWORK  
CBS Sports Network: 158  
ESPN: 140  
ESPN2: 144  
ESPNNews: 142  
ESPNU: 141  
FS1: 150

## FUTURE BULLDOG FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

2019			2020			2021			2022
Date	Opponent	Location	Date	Opponent	Location	Date	Opponent	Location	
A31	at USC	Los Angeles, CA	S12	at Colorado	Boulder, CO	S4	at Oregon	Eugene, OR	Sept. 3 -- Sacramento State
S7	Minnesota	Fresno, CA	S26	at Texas A&M	College Station, TX	S18	at UCLA	Los Angeles, CA	Sept. 10 -- Oregon State
S21	Sacramento State	Fresno, CA	O17	New Mexico State	Fresno, CA	TBD	TBD		Sept. 17 -- at USC
S28	at New Mexico State	Las Cruces, NM	TBD	TBD		TBD	TBD		
	Colorado State*	Fresno, CA		Air Force*	Fresno, CA		Boise State*	Fresno, CA	2023
	Nevada*	Fresno, CA		Hawai'i*	Fresno, CA		Nevada*	Fresno, CA	Sept. 16 -- at Arizona State
	UNLV*	Fresno, CA		San Diego State*	Fresno, CA		UNLV*	Fresno, CA	2024
	Utah State*	Fresno, CA		San Jose State*	Fresno, CA		New Mexico*	Fresno, CA	Aug. 31 -- at Oregon State
	at Air Force*	USAF		at Colorado State*	Fort Collins, CO		at Hawai'i*	Honolulu, HI	Sept. 14 -- at UCLA
	at Hawai'i*	Honolulu, HI		at Nevada*	Reno, NV		at San Diego State*	San Diego, CA	
	at San Diego State*	San Diego, CA		at UNLV*	Las Vegas, NV		at San Jose State*	San Jose, CA	2025
	at San Jose State*	San Jose, CA		at Utah State*	Logan, UT		at Wyoming*	Laramie, WY	Aug. 30 -- at USC

\* = Mountain West game

All future conference game dates are TBD