

# ILLINOIS STATE FOOTBALL

40 ALL-AMERICANS • 16 NFL DRAFT PICKS • 315 MVFC SELECTIONS • THREE-TIME MVFC CHAMPIONS • SEVEN FCS PLAYOFF APPEARANCES

## 2018 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent (TV)	Time/Result
Sept. 1	SAINT XAVIER (NBCS+/ESPN+)	W, 46-0
Sept. 8	EASTERN ILLINOIS (NBCS+/ESPN+)	W, 48-10
Sept. 22	at Colorado State	W, 35-19
Sept. 29	at Missouri State* (ESPN+)	L, 21-24
Oct. 6	WESTERN ILLINOIS (NBCS/ESPN+)	W, 33-16
Oct. 13	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS* (ESPN3)	2 p.m.
Oct. 20	at North Dakota State* (ESPN+)	2:30 p.m.
Oct. 27	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE* (ESPN3)	Noon
Nov. 3	at Northern Iowa* (NBCS/ESPN+)	1 p.m.
Nov. 10	at Indiana State* (ESPN3)	Noon
Nov. 17	YOUNGSTOWN STATE* (NBCS/ESPN+)	Noon

Home games in CAPS. All times Central.

\* Missouri Valley Football Conference game

NBC - Game broadcast on NBC Sports Chicago

ESPN3/+ - Game streamed on ESPN3/ESPN+

## ILLINOIS STATE COACHES

Brock Spack (f)	Head Coach
Kurk Beathard (pb)	Offensive Coordinator/QB
Travis Niekamp(pb)	Defensive Coordinator/ILB
Brian Anderson (f)	WR
Mike Banks (pb)	Asst. DB
Cody Deti (f)	DB
Harold Etheridge (f)	OL
Khenon Hall (f)	RB
Brian Hendricks (f)	DL
Moose McClain (f)	Assoc. Head Coach/FB,TE
Nick Meyer (pb)	Quality Control
Kye Stewart (f)	OLB

Game location: f - field, pb - press box

## REDBIRD SPORTS NETWORK

Dick Luedke, play-by-play  
Ted Schmitz, analyst  
Craig Bertsche, sideline

## VALLEY FOOTBALL ON ESPN3

Brad Wells, play-by-play  
Danan Hughes, analyst  
Kelly Burke, sideline

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## SOUTHERN ILLINOIS AT NO. 12 ILLINOIS STATE



**Southern Illinois**

1-4 Overall

0-2 MVFC

**Illinois State**

4-1 Overall

1-1 MVFC

**Date:** Oct. 13, 2018

**Time:** 2 p.m. CT

**Site:** Normal, Illinois

**Stadium:** Hancock Stadium

**Capacity:** 13,391

**Series:** Southern Illinois leads 41-36-3

**Watch:** Valley Football On ESPN3

**Listen:** WJBC 1230 AM / 93.7 FM / Tuneln

### THE GAME

Coming off a much-needed bounce back effort at Hancock Stadium last weekend with a win over in-state rival Western Illinois, No. 12 Illinois State (4-1, 1-1 MVFC) will welcome in another longtime Land of Lincoln foe in Southern Illinois (1-4, 0-2 MVFC) for Homecoming Saturday.

### THE SERIES

The Redbirds and the Salukis will meet for the 81st time, with SIU leading the all-time series 41-36-3. SIU snapped a three-game losing streak to ISU with 42-7 win over the Redbirds last season in Carbondale. Overall, Illinois State is 4-5 against Southern Illinois since 2009 when Brock Spack took over as head coach of the program, but the Redbirds have won the last two contests against the Salukis at Hancock Stadium.

### THE COACHES

**Illinois State: Brock Spack (Purdue, 1983)** is in his 10th season as the head coach at Illinois State (72-41). Spack has led the Redbirds to four FCS playoff appearances, including three-straight from 2014-16 and guided the Redbirds to back-to-back shares of the MVFC title in 2014-15. His 2014 team advanced to the NCAA FCS National Championship game, the first in the program's history.

**Southern Illinois: Nick Hill (Southern Illinois, 2008)** is in his third season as the Southern Illinois head coach (9-18). Hill previously served as the Salukis' quarterback coach and offensive coordinator, before taking over as head coach before the 2016 season. In 2016, the Salukis ranked in the top-10 nationally in passing offense, total offense and scoring offense for nearly the entire year.

### THE @REDBIRDFB PROGRAM

- 7 FCS playoff appearances (1998, 1999, 2006, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016)
- 5-time FCS quarterfinalists (1999, 2006, 2012, 2014, 2015)
- 2-time FCS semifinalists (1999, 2014)
- The team is 46-11 at home under Spack's guidance
- ISU is 29-5 at Hancock Stadium since 2013
- The team tied a program-record cumulative GPA of 2.94 in the Spring 2017 semester

### HEAD COACH BROCK SPACK

When **Brock Spack** was named the 20th head coach in Illinois State football history prior to the 2009 season, it did not just mark the beginning of a new era in Redbird Football, but it also signaled the beginning of an entirely new belief system for the type of football program that Illinois State could field. Since that time, the Redbirds have posted eight .500 or better campaigns, including a 13-2 record in 2014 on way to the FCS National Championship game. Spack guided the Redbirds to three-straight playoff appearances from 2014-16 and four in the past six seasons overall. Spack heads into his tenth season ranked second in ISU program history in wins (72) and has the best winning percentage among coaches with more than one year at the helm.

#### ILLINOIS STATE YEAR-BY-YEAR

2009.....	6-5
2010.....	6-5
2011.....	7-4
2012.....	9-4 (FCS quarterfinals)
2013.....	5-6
2014.....	13-2 (FCS runner-up)
2015.....	10-3 (FCS quarterfinals)
2016.....	6-6 (FCS first round)
2017.....	6-5
2018.....	4-1
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>72-41 (.637)</b>

#### WINS BREAKDOWN

Home.....	46-11
Away.....	26-29
Neutral.....	0-1
Conference (regular season).....	47-27
Non-Conference (regular season).....	21-9
FCS Playoffs.....	5-4

**QUICK FACTS**

Institution ..... Illinois State University  
 Location ..... Normal, Ill.  
 Founded ..... 1857  
 Enrollment ..... 20,635  
 Nickname ..... Redbirds  
 Colors ..... Red (PMS 186) & White  
 Mascot ..... Reggie Redbird  
 Affiliation ..... NCAA Division I  
     ..... Football Championship Subdivision (FCS)  
 Conference ..... Missouri Valley Football  
 Facility ..... Hancock Stadium  
 Capacity ..... 13,391  
 University President ..... Dr. Larry Dietz  
 Director of Athletics ..... Larry Lyons  
 NCAA Faculty Representative ..... Dr. Jeri Beggs

**COACHING STAFF**

Head Coach ..... Brock Spack, 72-41 (10th Year)  
 Alma Mater ..... Purdue, 1983  
 Assoc. Head Coach ..... Moose McLain (TE)  
 Offensive Coordinator ..... Kurt Beathard (QB)  
 Defensive Coordinator ..... Travis Niekamp (ILB)  
 Assistant Coaches ..... Brian Anderson (WR)  
     ..... Mike Banks (Asst. DB)  
     ..... Cody Deti (DB)  
     ..... Harold Etheridge (OL)  
     ..... Khenon Hall (RB/Recruiting)  
     ..... Brian Hendricks (DL)  
     ..... Kye Stewart (OLB)  
     ..... Nick Meyer (Quality Control)  
 Director of Football Operations ..... Alicia Mays  
 Athletic Trainer ..... Dane Langellier  
 Equipment Manager ..... Nick Watson  
 Strength & Conditioning Coach ..... Jim Lathrop  
 Video Coordinator ..... Rick Geitz  
 Football Secretary ..... Pam Merna

**WEEKLY MEDIA LUNCHEONS**

Tuesday, Aug. 28 at noon  
 Tuesday, Sept. 4 at noon  
 Tuesday, Sept. 11 at noon  
 Tuesday, Sept. 18 at noon  
 Tuesday, Sept. 25 at noon  
 Tuesday, Oct. 2 at noon  
 Tuesday, Oct. 9 at noon  
 Tuesday, Oct. 16 at noon  
 Tuesday, Oct. 17 at noon  
 Tuesday, Oct. 23 at noon  
 Tuesday, Oct. 30 at noon  
 Tuesday, Nov. 6 at noon  
 Tuesday, Nov. 13 at noon

**THE BROCK SPACK SHOW**

Illinois State football fans can mark their calendars for Thursdays during the 2018 football season, as Schooners will host and WJBC 1230-AM will broadcast The Brock Spack Show, presented by Bud Light, live each week from 6-7 p.m.

The long-time home to the weekly coaches show, Schooners is located at 810 East Grove Street in Bloomington, and sits just off the corner of Grove and Clinton Streets.

Shows will begin Thursday, Aug. 30, and every following Thursday throughout the season, Coach Spack and a special player guest will join co-hosts Dick Luedke and Ted Schmitz for the hour to talk about the previous week's game and the upcoming opponent for the Redbirds.

**THE GAME WEEK SCHEDULE**

A quick look at Illinois State's media availability on game week. All appointments can be made by calling the athletics communications office at (309) 438-7748.

<b>SOUTHERN ILLINOIS GAME WEEK SCHEDULE</b>													
Sunday	7	Monday	8	Tuesday	9	Wednesday	10	Thursday	11	Friday	12	Saturday	13
<b>Film Study and Practice</b> No player/coach availability		<b>OFF DAY</b>		<b>Player/Coach Interviews</b> Available after practice (approx. 10:30 a.m.)  <b>Media Luncheon</b> Kaufman Football Building - Noon		<b>Player/Coach Interviews</b> Available after practice (approx. 10:30 a.m.)		<b>Player/Coach Interviews</b> Available after practice (approx. 10:30 a.m.)  <b>Brock Spack Show</b> Schooners 6-7 p.m.		<b>Walk Through</b> No player/coach availability		<b>Southern at Illinois State</b> 2 p.m. CT	

**CLEAR BAG POLICY**

The Illinois State Athletics Department will institute a new clear bag safety policy for fans and patrons attending games at Hancock Stadium during the 2018 season. Ensuring the safety of Redbird fans and guests is a top priority for ISU Athletics, and this new policy falls in line with similar safety measures instituted all over the country in collegiate and professional athletic venues. Media members **MAY STILL BRING IN BAGS**, however they **MUST** check in at the designated GATE 5 media entrance on game day and have their bag checked and tagged.

**REDBIRD SPORTS NETWORK**

WJBC (AM 1230, FM 93.7), the flagship station of Illinois State athletics, will serve as the host of the Redbird Sports Network.

- **WJBC AM 1230, FM 93.7 (BLOOMINGTON-NORMAL)**
- **WJEZ FM: CLASSIC HITS 98.9 (PONTIAC)**

**REQUESTING CREDENTIALS**

Credentials (game and parking) can be obtained by contacting the Athletics Communications Office, Campus Box 7130, Normal, IL, 61790-7130. Requests must be received on official letterhead at least two days prior to the game. Passes that are not mailed will be available at the Will Call window at the main ticket gate on the East side of the stadium 90 minutes prior to kickoff.

**PRACTICE PROCEDURES**

Most practices are open to the media, but only the first 15 minutes are available to photographers/videographers. For all other media, it is recommended that an advance call be made to the athletics communications office to check on the status of practice for a particular day.

**REGULAR-SEASON INTERVIEW POLICIES**

- **Head Coach: Brock Spack** will do general interviews following practice Tuesday-Thursday. All other requests for interviews must be submitted to the athletics communications office at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled interview.
- **Assistant Coaches:** Arrangements should be made through the athletics communication office. Most interviews will be conducted after practice Tuesday-Thursday.
- **Players:** All interviews with players will take place at the media luncheon or after practice Tuesday and Wednesday. Media should request players at least 24 hours in advance. Players who attend the Tuesday luncheon will not be available following practice that day.
- **Postgame:** The Illinois State locker room is closed at all times. Head coach **Brock Spack** and requested players will be brought to the designated interview area. At home, the postgame media conference will take place on the fourth floor of the Hancock Stadium press box.

**POST GAME INTERVIEW PROCEDURES**

Postgame interviews following home contests are conducted in the Hancock Stadium press box (fourth floor). A golf cart is available to transport representatives from the visiting team to the interview area. TV lighting is also provided and there is wireless Internet access in the room.

After road games, representatives will be brought to a designated area. The locker room is closed at all times.

**THIS WEEK'S OPPONENT**

- Southern Illinois University is located in Carbondale, Illinois, and has an enrollment of 14,554 students. The Salukis are members of the Missouri Valley Football Conference.
- SIU returns 51 lettermen and 17 starters from last year's squad that finished 4-7 overall and 2-6 in conference play.
- The Salukis picked up a season-opening 49-10 win over Ohio Valley Conference foe Murray State, but have dropped their last four contests in a row. SIU has been close in the majority of those games, losing the last three by a combined 14 points.
- For the third-straight week, Southern Illinois came up on the short end of a one-score game, falling to Youngstown State, 17-14, last Saturday at Stambaugh Stadium. The Salukis led for most of the contest and appeared to make a game-winning stop on defense with a 14-6 lead and five minutes remaining in the 4th quarter, however the Penguins tied the game, 14-14, with 4:36 remaining before making a 34-yard field goal with 26 seconds to go to win the contest.
- Running back DJ Davis has become SIU's feature back, surpassing 100 yards in the first four games of the season. Also a prolific receiver and return man, Davis is seventh all-time at SIU with 3,424 all-purpose yards.
- Bryce Notree leads the SIU defense with 36 total tackles to go along with an interception and four tackles for loss. Four players have at least 20 or more tackles on the season and Anthony Knighton leads the team with four sacks and 5.5 TFLs.

**LAST TIME VS. THE SALUKIS (10/14/17)**

Southern Illinois jumped out to an early lead and never looked back, as the Salukis secured a Homecoming victory over Illinois State by a score of 42-7 at Saluki Stadium. Starting quarterback **Jake Kolbe** connected with **Spencer Schnell** for a 19-yard score to get the Redbirds on the board with 49 seconds left in the third quarter, but that would be it as ISU turned the ball over three times in the SIU victory.

**CAPTAIN KIRK**

After sitting out the entire 2017 season, junior safety **Luther Kirk** returned to the team looking to make an impact in the Redbird secondary in 2018. His actions in the offseason led to his teammates voting him a team captain and his performance through five games in 2018 has shown just how much he was missed. In a big win over Western Illinois, Kirk put the game away with a crucial pick six that he returned 39 yards for a touchdown with 4:28 left to put the Redbirds up by ten points at 26-16. The interception was his second in as many weeks and his team-leading third of the season. He has also set a career-best with 23 tackles on the season, as he and the rest of the Redbird defense have already tied the 2017 team interception total through just five contests.

**HOME SWEET HOME**

There's just something about playing in front of the Redbird football fans at Hancock Stadium, as ISU improved to 29-5 in games played at home since the stadium was renovated in 2013 following it's in-state victory over Western Illinois. Overall, the Redbirds are 46-11 at home under the leadership of head coach **Brock Spack** and are 3-0 this season against teams from the state of Illinois on their home turf in 2018, with Southern Illinois coming in for a Homecoming matchup in Normal.

**THE FIRST AXIOM OF WINNING**

ISU head coach **Brock Spack** tells his team often that "the first axiom of winning is not beating yourself." Turning the football over is the easiest way to kill a game's momentum and send your team into a spiral in the loss column. So far, the Redbirds have heeded that warning and only turned the ball over once in 2018, while forcing 11 takeaways on defense for a +10 mark in the turnover column. ISU has a +2.00 turnover margin, which ranks No. 2 in the FCS, and is No. 1 in the country in turnovers lost with one, tying with North Carolina Central and Cornell.

**TEAM STATISTICAL COMPARISON**

	SIU	ILS
Scoring	172	183
Points Per Game	34.4	36.6
Points Allowed Per Game	36.4	13.8
First Downs	144	104
Rushing Yards Per Game	225.0	198.0
Rushing Defense Per Game	174.6	103.6
Passing Yards Per Game	260.4	227.2
Passing Defense Per Game	262.8	186.0
Total Offense Per Game	485.4	425.2
Total Defense Per Game	437.4	289.6
Int. Thrown/Opp. Int. Thrown	8/6	0/9
Sacks By/Allowed	16/8	9/8
Kickoff Return Avg.	17.7	23.6
Punt Return Avg.	1.5	7.9
Fumbles Lost/Gained	5/4	1/2
Penalties	45-429	36-315
Avg. Time of Possession	32:42	31:02
3rd-Down Conversions	34/81 (42%)	25/68 (37%)
4th-Down Conversions	6/10 (40%)	6/9 (67%)

**PRESEASON HONORS AND WATCH LISTS**

**Mitchell Brees - S**

- MVFC Preseason All-Conference (2nd)

**Drew Himmelman - OL**

- HERO Sports Preseason All-America (3rd)
- MVFC Preseason All-Conference (1st)

**Tylor Petkovich - TE**

- MVFC Preseason All-Conference (2nd)

**James Robinson - RB**

- HERO Sports Preseason All-America (2nd)
- MVFC Preseason All-Conference (1st)

**Spencer Schnell - WR**

- MVFC Preseason All-Conference (1st)

**2017 TEAM INFORMATION**

2017 Record .....	6-5
Home .....	3-2
Away .....	3-3
2017 Missouri Valley Football Record .....	4-4
2017 Missouri Valley Football Finish .....	T-4th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....	42/23
Starters Returning/Lost.....	12/10
Specialists Returning/Lost.....	1/3

**2018 VALLEY FOOTBALL STANDINGS**

	VALLEY			OVERALL		
	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT
North Dakota State	2	0	1.000	5	0	1.000
South Dakota	2	0	1.000	3	2	.600
<b>Illinois State</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.500</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.800</b>
South Dakota State	1	1	.500	3	1	.750
Missouri State	1	1	.500	3	2	.600
Northern Iowa	1	1	.500	2	3	.400
Western Illinois	1	1	.500	2	3	.400
Youngstown State	1	1	.500	2	3	.450
Indiana State	0	2	.000	2	4	.400
Southern Illinois	0	2	.000	1	4	.200

**THIS WEEK IN VALLEY FOOTBALL**

**Saturday, Oct. 13:**

- Missouri State at Indiana State (ESPN+) 1 p.m.
- Southern Illinois at #12 Illinois State (ESPN3) 2 p.m.
- Youngstown State at #2 South Dakota State (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
- Northern Iowa at #24 South Dakota (ESPN+) 6 p.m.
- #1 North Dakota State at Western Illinois (ESPN+) 6 p.m.

**REDBIRD MVFC WEEKLY HONORS**

- Brady Davis - QB Newcomer (9/2)
- Brady Davis - QB Newcomer (9/9)
- JT Bohlsen - P Special Teams (9/23)
- Devin Taylor - DB Defense (9/23)

**2018 MISSOURI VALLEY FOOTBALL CONFERENCE PRESEASON POLL**

- 1. North Dakota State (39)..... 390
- 2. South Dakota State ..... 340
- 3. UNI ..... 270
- 4. Youngstown State..... 258
- 5. Illinois State ..... 248**
- 6. South Dakota ..... 206
- 7. Western Illinois ..... 163
- 8. Southern Illinois..... 139
- 9. Missouri State..... 90
- 10. Indiana State ..... 41



**REDBIRDS RANK AMONG THE BEST**

Illinois State ranks No. 12 in the most recent AFCA Coaches' Poll and STATS FCS Top 25 Poll and sits near the top of the FCS in several categories. ISU boasts second-best turnover margin in the country (2.20), the seventh-best scoring defense (13.8 ppg) and is 16th in the FCS in scoring offense (36.6 ppg). The Redbirds also sit in the top ten in the FCS at No. 3 in passes intercepted (9), No. 6 in team passing efficiency defense (98.01) and No. 8 in fourth down conversion percentage defense (.188).

**QUEST FOR A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**

Four teams from the Land of Lincoln appear on the 2018 Illinois State football schedule, and the Redbirds would like to bring home a 'state championship' with victories against their in-state foes. The Redbirds have already defeated a trio of in-state opponents this year, as they opened with a 46-0 victory of Saint Xavier and then beat Eastern Illinois by a score of 48-10 the following week in the annual Mid-America Classic. Last week's 33-16 win over Western Illinois made it three in a row against teams from the Land of Lincoln, and the Redbirds hope to make it 4-0 this weekend against Southern Illinois.

**RUMBLE ON MR. ROBINSON**

Heading into 2018, **James Robinson** was on many pre-season lists and was expected to be one of the better backs in the FCS. Through five games, he is proving that he deserves that attention. The junior from Rockford, Illinois, ranks in the top 15 in the FCS in four different rushing categories and is No. 4 overall with his eight rushing touchdowns. He also ranks No. 4 in the FCS in total touchdowns with 9 and No. 5 in scoring at 10.8 points per game. His rushing yards per game average of 116.2 ranks third in the MVFC and he is tied for the league lead in rushing touchdowns with eight and scoring. Robinson has run for over 100 yards in three of the last four contests and scored multiple touchdowns in three contests, including a career-best tying three touchdowns in last week's win over Western Illinois.

**GETTING DEFENSIVE**

The Redbirds have become accustomed to finding the end zone on the defensive side of the football in recent years, and they kept that streak alive in the win over Western Illinois thanks to an impressive pick six by **Luther Kirk**. The 39-yard interception return for a score was the first for ISU since **Mitchell Brees** returned one 35 yards for a score last year in the season-opener vs. Butler. ISU has now scored a defensive touchdown in each of the last ten seasons under the leadership of head coach Brock Spack.

**REDBIRD DÉJÀ VU**

The Redbirds scored their first touchdown of the game against Missouri State in the third quarter, when quarterback **Brady Davis** found **Spencer Schnell** in the corner of the end zone for a five-yard touchdown. After a **Luther Kirk** interception gave the Redbirds the ball right back in great field position, Davis and Schnell connected for another touchdown on the same exact play with the same exact result, as Schnell made the grab in the same corner from four-yards out to put the Redbirds up 14-10 at the time. With his two touchdowns, Schnell upped his season total to four to lead the team and Davis has now thrown 10 touchdowns on the season to six different receivers.

**MATHEWS MAKING HIS MARK**

After spending the majority of his time as a practice squad member and a special teams contributor for the Redbirds, senior linebacker **Zackary Mathews** has made the most out of his starting opportunity in 2018. The Rockford, Illinois, native leads the team with 46 total tackles with 4.0 TFLs this season and ranks sixth in the MVFC with 9.2 tackles per game. Against Missouri State, Mathews smashed previous career-bests with 16 total stops and 10 solo tackles against the Bears to lead the way defensively for ISU.

### FEAR THE BIRDS

Heading into the game at Colorado State, six other FCS teams had picked up wins over FBS opponents in 2018. With the hashtag #FearTheFCS at the ready, Illinois State increased that number to seven with a big 35-19 win over the Rams at Canvas Stadium. The victory was the second-straight for the Redbirds against a FBS foe, following a 9-7 win at Northwestern in 2016, and the third for the Redbirds since a 2012 win at Eastern Michigan. Overall, the victory was the sixth over a FBS foe for the Redbirds in program history.

### ROMEO, ROMEO, WHEREFORE ART THOU ROMEO?

Defensive end **Romeo McKnight's** performance at Colorado State was worthy of a Shakespearean sonnet. The Iowa transfer was a thorn in the side of the Rams' offense all day in a big 35-19 win for the Redbirds. McKnight recorded six tackles, two sacks, two TFLs and was credited with a quarterback hurry in the victory for ISU. His two sacks were the only ones for the Redbirds, who held a 538-391 advantage in total offense thanks to a stout effort up front by the Redbird defense. After adding two more TFLs at Missouri State and a sack against Western Illinois, McKnight leads the Redbirds with six on the season.

### EDGAR BREAKS OUT

Redshirt freshman **Andrew Edgar** has shown that he is someone to keep an eye on in the potent Redbird offense. The Chicago native recorded his first touchdown in a Redbird uniform and finished with 82 yards in a win over Eastern Illinois. He followed that up with his first career 100-plus yard receiving effort with 111 yards on five receptions in the 35-19 win over Colorado State. Through five games, Edgar is averaging 16.5 yards per catch and is second on the team with 248 receiving yards.

### SPREADING THE FOOTBALL AROUND

At the end of spring camp, the Redbirds had three healthy wide receivers and a lot of question marks at the position. Impressive performances during fall camp alleviated some of those worries, and performances through the first four contests have led head coach **Brock Spack** to call the position a strength. Led by senior **Spencer Schnell** (30 rec., 432 yds. 4 TD), the group also features redshirt freshman **Andrew Edgar** (15 rec., 248 yds., 1 TD) and transfer **Braxton Haley** (11 rec., 144 yds.) who have both played well in their first games as Redbirds.

### TWO FOR TWO FOR DAVIS

For the second time in as many weeks, quarterback **Brady Davis** was named the Missouri Valley Football Conference Newcomer of the Week for his dominating performance vs. Eastern Illinois. The Memphis transfer completed 17-of-23 (74 percent) of his passes for a career-high 317 yards with four touchdowns through the air and another on the ground. He found **Spencer Schnell** for a 97-yard touchdown pass (2nd longest in school history) in the second quarter to headline a dominating offensive performance for the Redbirds that saw them rack up 582 yards of total offense. Through five games, Davis is tied for third in the MVFC with 10 passing touchdowns and ranks third in passing efficiency with a mark of 146.1. Davis has also attempted 134 passes without an interception in 2018.

### 97 YARDS TO PAYDIRT

The Illinois State defense had just forced a big turnover on downs midway through the second quarter against Eastern Illinois, however it resulted in the ISU offense being backed up against its own goalline at the 3-yard line. That's when Redbird offensive coordinator **Kurt Beathard** dialed up a surprise for the Panthers, as quarterback **Brady Davis** faked the handoff and dropped back three yards into the endzone and launched a playaction pass to a streaking **Spencer Schnell**, who caught the ball near midfield and ran away from the EIU defender for a 97-yard touchdown reception. The touchdown connection tied for the second-longest in school history behind a 98-yard touchdown pass from **Kevin Glenn** to **Rickey Garrett** at Indiana State in 1998.

### MEMORABLE MOMENTS VS. SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

#### ■ OCT. 24, 1992 AT ILLINOIS STATE

In a 35-11 win against the Salukis, senior running back **Toby Davis** ran for 248 yards, which ranks third in ISU history, on a school-record 48 carries.

#### ■ OCT. 19, 2002 AT ILLINOIS STATE

The Redbirds shut down nation's No. 1 scoring offense and quarterback **Mike Souza** threw for 275 yards and rushed for a pair of touchdowns in the 35-14 win over the Salukis.

#### ■ OCT. 15, 2005 AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

Illinois State scored 21 points in the first quarter on the way to a 61-35 defeat of the No. 1 ranked Salukis at McAndrew Stadium. Running back **Brian Thompson** rushed for 165 yards and four touchdowns on the ground and quarterback **Luke Drone** threw for 319 yards and three touchdowns, 180 yards of which fell into the arms of **Laurent Robinson**.

#### ■ OCT. 14, 2006 AT ILLINOIS STATE

In front of the sixth-largest crowd in Hancock Stadium history (17,237), the No. 5 ranked Redbirds scored 30 unanswered points, while limiting the No. 7 Salukis to just 10 points on Homecoming. **Pierre Rembert** rushed for 137 yards and a touchdown in the win and **Pierre Jackson** (131) and **Jason Horton** (120) each recorded over 100 yards receiving in the 37-10 win.

#### ■ NOV. 22, 2014 AT ILLINOIS STATE

Quarterback **Tre Roberson** racked up 413 yards of total offense and accounted for four touchdowns, as No. 7 Illinois State secured a share of the Missouri Valley Football Conference Championship, after the Redbirds defeated the Salukis, 44-29, at Hancock Stadium.



**BRIAN  
THOMPSON**

**NCAA DIVISION I FCS  
NATIONAL RANKINGS**

TEAM STATISTICS	RANK	AVG.
Total Offense	38	425.2
Rushing Offense	37	198.0
Passing Offense	57	227.2
Team Passing Efficiency	38	140.68
Scoring Offense	T-16	36.6
Total Defense	14	289.6
Rushing Defense	15	103.6
Passing Yards Allowed	24	186.0
Team Passing Efficiency Defense	6	98.01
Scoring Defense	7	13.8
Turnover Margin	2	2.00
3rd Down Conversion Pct	62	0.368
4th Down Conversion Pct	T-16	0.667
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense	13	0.289
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense	8	0.188
Red Zone Offense	T-21	0.905
Red Zone Defense	17	0.692
Net Punting	25	38.32
Punt Returns	67	7.92
Kickoff Returns	33	23.56
First Downs Offense	56	104
First Downs Defense	T-21	84
Fewest Penalties Per Game	73	7.20
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game	T-66	63.00
Time of Possession	42	31:01

INDIVIDUALS IN THE TOP 30	RANK	VALUE
Brady Davis - Passing Touchdowns	25	10
Brady Davis - Passing Yards Per Completion	20	14.28
Luther Kirk - Interceptions Per Game	8	.60
James Robinson - All Purpose Yards	16	139.60
James Robinson - Rush Yards Per Carry	15	6.60
James Robinson - Rushing Touchdowns	4	8
James Robinson - Rushing Yards	15	581
James Robinson - Rushing Yards Per Game	15	116.2
James Robinson - Scoring	5	10.8
James Robinson - Total Touchdowns	4	9
Spencer Schnell - Punt Returns	28	8.8
Spencer Schnell - Receiving Touchdowns	24	4
Spencer Schnell - Receiving Yards	30	432
Spencer Schnell - Receptions Per Game	26	6.0
Christian Uphoff - Kickoff Returns	22	25.7

**DEFOREST DOES IT AGAIN**

For the second week in a row, linebacker **Ty DeForest** found the ball in his hands after an interception. After nearly returning an interception for a touchdown in the season-opener versus Saint Xavier, DeForest took away another when he stepped in front of EIU quarterback Harry Woodbery's pass for his second interception in as many weeks. That takeaway resulted in three points for the Redbirds, as **Sam Fenlason** connected from 37 yards to put ISU up 31-0.

**CLASSIC DOMINANCE**

The annual playing of the Mid-America Classic between Illinois State and Eastern Illinois is one of the oldest and most competitive in the FCS, however the past two outcomes have been skewed heavily in the favor of the Redbirds. ISU has gone 6-4 overall against EIU since head coach **Brock Spack** took over in 2009, but the 'Birds have dominated the Panthers the past two years by a combined margin of 92-24 in a pair of victories to bring their lead in the all-time series to 56-42-9. The 38-point margin of victory in ISU's 48-10 win was the Redbirds' largest in the series since 1992, when they defeated the Panthers, 48-7, at Hancock Stadium.

**10 FOR 10**

Ten seasons and ten wins in home openers for the Redbirds under the leadership of head coach **Brock Spack**. Thanks to a 46-0 shutout win over Saint Xavier, Illinois State has now picked up a victory in the home opener for 10-straight years dating back to Spack's first career win, a 38-7 win over Austin Peay in the 2009 home opener. The home dominance is not a new trend for the Redbirds, who are a combined 45-11 at home during Spack's tenure and 28-5 at Hancock Stadium since the renovation of the facility in 2013.

**INTERCEPTIONS GALORE**

Not only did Illinois State shut out Saint Xavier and hold the Cougars to -30 yards rushing, the Redbirds also recorded three interceptions to go along with a fumble recovery in the contest. **Ty DeForest**, **Luther Kirk** and **Mitchell Brees** each recorded picks for ISU, which had not recorded three interceptions in a game since Oct. 29, 2016, when **DraShane Glass**, **La'Darius Newbold** and **Willie Edwards** each snagged INTs.

**A WINNING TRADITION**

The Redbirds' 6-5 overall record and a 4-4 mark in MVFC play in 2017 was the eighth .500 or better effort in the last nine seasons under the leadership of head coach **Brock Spack**, who began his tenure at ISU with 6-5 records in both 2009-10. That consistency of winning has not been seen at Illinois State since the 1940's, when the Redbirds posted seven winning seasons in eight years from 1943-50 under the guidance of coaches **Howard Hancock** and **Edwin Struck**. Overall, the Redbirds have amassed a 71-41 (.634) record under the leadership of Spack, the highest winning percentage of any football head coach with more than one season.

**REDBIRDS IN THE PROS**

ISU is well represented in the NFL, as six players were named to 53-man opening day rosters in 2018. Nearly 160 former FCS standouts made the cut, with Harvard at the top among FCS schools with nine players on NFL rosters. Delaware, Illinois State, James Madison and North Dakota State tied for second with six players each.

*Here is a list of the former Redbirds on active NFL rosters or practice squads:*

**BJ Bello** - Arizona Cardinals (practice squad)  
**Davontae Harris** - Cincinnati Bengals  
**Shelby Harris** - Denver Broncos  
**Mike Liedtke** - Tampa Bay Buccaneers  
**Cameron Meredith** - New Orleans Saints  
**James O'Shaughnessy** - Jacksonville Jaguars  
**Nate Palmer** - Tennessee Titans

**O CAPTAIN, MY CAPTAIN**

Voted on by the team at the conclusion of fall camp, the Redbirds selected senior quarterback **Jake Kolbe**, senior wide receiver **Spencer Schnell**, junior safety **Luther Kirk** and senior running back **Nick Kielbasa** as their captains for the 2018 season. They will be joined each game by another senior voted on each week by the coaching staff.

**MEDIA AND COACHES SELECT ILLINOIS STATE FIFTH IN MVFC PRESEASON POLL**

Illinois State was picked in the top half of the ultra-competitive Missouri Valley Football Conference, as the Redbirds were picked fifth in the annual preseason poll conducted by league coaches, media and sports information directors. North Dakota State has earned the league title for seven-straight years and was a unanimous choice at the top spot, receiving all 39 first-place tallies and a total of 390 points. South Dakota State earned the second spot in the poll, finishing with 340 total points, followed by UNI (270), Youngstown State (258), Illinois State (248) and South Dakota (206).

**FIVE 'BIRDS EARN MVFC PRESEASON HONORS**

A quartet of Illinois State offensive standouts were selected to the 2018 Missouri Valley Football Conference preseason team and senior safety **Mitchell Brees** earned a spot on the defensive team in the annual vote. Running back **James Robinson**, offensive tackle **Drew Himmelman** and wide receiver **Spencer Schnell** were named to the MVFC preseason first team and tight end **Tylor Petkovich** was tabbed as a second-team selection. Brees was the lone Redbird defender on the list, as he was named a second-team selection.

**DUO NAMED PRESEASON ALL-AMERICANS**

A pair of Illinois State football standouts have landed on the HERO Sports 2018 FCS Preseason All-America Team, as running back **James Robinson** and offensive tackle **Drew Himmelman** were honored by the organization. Robinson was tabbed as a second-team selection, while Himmelman was named a third-team pick. Robinson was tabbed as a sophomore All-American by HERO Sports following the 2017 season, after he ranked second in the MVFC and No. 11 in the FCS in rushing touchdowns (12) and third in the conference in rushing yards (933). Himmelman was selected as a freshman All-American by HERO Sports last season, after he started all nine games he played in at left tackle for the Redbirds as a redshirt freshman.

**10 REDBIRD GAMES TO BE BROADCAST ON ESPN**

The Missouri Valley Football Conference will have more than 50 events on ESPN's networks during the 2018 season, including 10 contests that will feature the Illinois State football program. The Conference will produce eight league games, two of which will feature the Redbirds, as part of its 2018 Game of the Week package with each streaming live on "Valley Football on ESPN" -- the league's co-branded digital network.

**BOOMER MAKES THE BALLOT**

When the National Football Foundation (NFF) & College Hall of Fame announced the names on the 2019 ballot for induction into the College Football Hall of Fame earlier this spring, and Illinois State's Boomer Grigsby was among those listed for selection. Grigsby, a three-time First-Team All-American (2002-04) and the Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) career leader in total (550) and solo (325) tackles, joins the list along with 75 players and six coaches from the Football Bowl Subdivision, and 94 players and 29 coaches from the divisional ranks. The announcement of the 2017 Class will be made Friday, Jan. 6, 2017, in Tampa, Florida. The class will then be inducted at the 60th NFF Annual Awards Dinner Dec. 5, 2017, at the landmark Waldorf Astoria Hotel in New York City.

**STATS FCS TOP 25 POLL**

Team (first-place votes)	Record	Prv Rank
1. <b>North Dakota State*</b> (160)	5-0	1
2. <b>South Dakota State*</b>	3-1	3
3. Kennesaw State	5-1	4
4. Eastern Washington	5-1	5
5. Elon	4-1	10
6. James Madison	4-2	2
6. Wofford	4-1	7
8. Jacksonville State	4-1	8
9. McNeese	5-1	9
10. North Carolina A&T	5-1	11
11. Nicholls	4-2	12
12. <b>ILLINOIS STATE*</b>	4-1	15
13. Weber State	3-2	6
14. UC Davis	4-1	16
15. Sam Houston State	3-2	17
16. Rhode Island	4-1	18
17. Towson	4-1	23
18. Central Arkansas	3-2	20
19. Stony Brook	4-2	13
20. Colgate	5-0	21
21. Maine	3-2	25
22. Montana	4-2	14
23. East Tennessee State	5-1	NR
24. South Dakota	3-2	NR
25. Princeton	4-0	NR

(-) - indicate first-place votes  
 \* Missouri Valley Football Conference member  
 2018 Illinois State opponent

**AFCA FCS COACHES POLL**

Team (first-place votes)	Record	Prv Rank
1. <b>North Dakota State*</b> (26)	5-0	1
2. Kennesaw State	5-1	3
3. Eastern Washington	5-1	T-4
4. Wofford	4-1	6
5. <b>South Dakota State*</b>	3-1	T-4
6. Elon	4-1	9
7. Jacksonville State	4-1	8
8. James Madison	4-2	2
9. McNeese	5-1	10
10. North Carolina A&T	5-1	11
11. Nicholls	4-2	12
12. <b>ILLINOIS STATE*</b>	4-1	14
13. Weber State	3-2	7
14. Sam Houston State	3-2	16
15. Rhode Island	4-1	17
16. Central Arkansas	3-2	18
17. Colgate	5-0	20
18. Towson	4-1	24
19. UC Davis	4-1	21
20. Stony Brook	4-2	13
21. Princeton	4-0	23
22. Maine	3-2	25
23. Montana	4-2	15
24. East Tennessee State	5-1	NR
25. Villanova	3-3	19

(-) - indicate first-place votes  
 \* Missouri Valley Football Conference member  
 2018 Illinois State opponent

**REDBIRDS IN THE POLLS**

	STATS	COACHES
Preseason	21	20
Week 1	19	19
Week 2	19	T18
Week 3	16	15
Week 4	9	10
Week 5	15	14
Week 6	12	12

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**Offense**

Player	2018	Career
Anderson	0	2
Biegalski	0	3
Davis	5	5
Gillum	0	3
Haley	4	4
Hirsch	5	9
Himmelman	5	14
Kanugh	5	22
Kolbe	0	23
McCloy	5	6
Megginson	5	5
Mikkelson	0	6
O'Day	5	16
Petkovich	4	20
Rients	0	5
Robinson	5	17
Schnell	5	22
Taula	1	1
M. Smith	0	3

**Defense**

Player	2018	Career
Brees	5	27
Clark	5	8
DeForest	5	6
Edwards	5	14
Harris	5	24
Kirk	5	5
Kelly-Martin	0	7
Lewan	5	5
Mathews	5	5
McKnight	1	1
Ridgeway	5	5
Swaine	4	8
Taylor	5	5

**OFFENSE**

POS	NO	NAME	HT	WT	CL	SGP	CGP	HOMETOWN
LT	71	Drew Himmelman	6-10	315	So.	5	15	Geneseo, Ill.
	77	Evan Day	6-6	310	RFr.	2	2	Batavia, Ill.
LG	59	Gabe Megginson	6-5	315	Jr.	5	5	Jacksonville, Ill.
	73	Erik Mikkelson	6-3	325	Jr.	2	10	Oswego, Ill.
C	72	Garrett Hirsch	6-2	300	So.	5	12	Towanda, Ill.
	70	Drew Bones	6-4	335	RFr.	1	1	Ottawa, Kan.
RG	61	Chad Kanugh	6-6	315	Sr.	5	24	Franklin, Wis.
	75	Jared Rients	6-5	305	Jr.	3	11	Minonk, Ill.
RT	53	Donavin O'Day	6-6	310	Sr.	5	18	Fort Wayne, Ind.
	67	Cole Anderson	6-4	285	So.	5	17	Gurnee, Ill.
TE	85	Tylor Petkovich	6-6	245	Sr.	5	41	St. John, Ind.
	87	Robert Gillum	6-5	260	So.	5	16	Kansas City, Mo.
WR	11	Spencer Schnell	5-9	185	Sr.	5	28	Elkhart, Ind.
	8	Jordan Birch	6-2	220	So.	5	15	Wichita, Kan.
WR	84	Andrew Edgar	6-0	190	RFr.	5	5	Chicago, Ill.
	83	Matt Biegalski	6-2	220	Sr.	5	36	Winfield, Ill.
WR	13	Braxton Haley	6-2	195	Jr.	5	5	Athens, Ga.
	10	Arturo Romero	5-10	190	Sr.	2	2	Manchester, Mo.
QB	4	Brady Davis	6-4	210	Jr.	5	5	Columbus, Miss.
	16	Jake Kolbe	6-3	215	Sr.	3	37	Naperville, Ill.
RB	25	James Robinson	5-10	220	Jr.	5	25	Rockford, Ill.
	21	Markel Smith	5-11	230	Jr.	5	16	St. Louis, Mo.
FB	46	Timothy McCloy II	6-0	240	So.	5	15	Lake In The Hills, Ill.
	31	Nico Muto	5-9	270	RFr.	1	1	New Lenox, Ill.

**DEFENSE**

POS	NO	NAME	HT	WT	CL	SGP	CGP	HOMETOWN
DE	8	Romeo McKnight	6-5	250	So.	5	5	Crystal Lake, Ill.
	92	Matt Swaine	6-7	245	Sr.	5	37	Rochester, Ill.
NOSE	99	John Ridgeway	6-6	325	RFr.	5	5	Bloomington, Ill.
	96	Jacob Powell	6-1	275	So.	5	10	Hartland, Wis.
DE	94	Jason Lewan	6-6	270	RFr.	5	5	Yorkville, Ill.
	79	Trey Georgie	6-5	285	So.	5	13	Lawrence, Kan.
JACK	95	Jason Harris	6-5	245	Jr.	5	26	Barrington, Ill.
	52	Ryan Guhl	6-2	245	So.	5	5	Indianapolis, Ind.
SLB	6	Tuvone Clark	6-2	250	Jr.	5	27	St. Louis, Mo.
	58	Decxavier Kelly-Martin	6-3	225	So.	5	27	Plainfield, Ill.
MLB	50	Ty DeForest	6-0	250	Jr.	5	28	Marshall, Wis.
	5	Zeke Vandenburg	6-3	235	RFr.	5	5	Freeport, Ill.
WLB	39	Zackary Mathews	6-1	240	Sr.	5	16	Rockford, Ill.
	47	DeMarco Washington	6-3	235	Jr.	5	17	Peoria, Ill.
CB	20	Willie Edwards	6-1	200	Jr.	5	19	Wichita, Kan.
	16	Iverson Brown	6-1	190	Fr.	2	2	Fairview Heights, Ill.
SS	9	Mitchell Brees	6-3	215	Sr.	5	34	West Allis, Wis.
	24	Christian Uphoff	6-3	195	So.	5	16	Washington, Ill.
FS	14	Luther Kirk	6-2	195	Jr.	5	27	Garland, Texas
	10	Malachi Broadnax	6-3	215	So.	5	13	DeSoto, Texas
CB	3	Devin Taylor	6-1	200	So.	5	16	Lansing, Mich.
	19	Charles Woods	6-1	175	Fr.	5	5	Dallas, Texas

**SPECIALISTS**

POS	NO	NAME	HT	WT	CL	SGP	CGP	HOMETOWN
KO	36	Sam Fenlason	6-2	225	Jr.	5	5	San Diego, Calif.
	41	JT Bohlken	6-0	210	So.	5	6	Jefferson City, Mo.
PK	41	JT Bohlken	6-0	210	So.	5	6	Jefferson City, Mo.
	36	Sam Fenlason	6-2	225	Jr.	5	5	San Diego, Calif.
P	41	JT Bohlken	6-0	210	So.	5	6	Jefferson City, Mo.
	36	Sam Fenlason	6-2	225	Jr.	5	5	San Diego, Calif.
KR	8	Jordan Birch	6-2	220	So.	5	15	Andover, Kan.
	19	Charles Woods	6-1	175	Fr.	5	5	Dallas, Texas
KR	24	Christian Uphoff	6-3	195	So.	5	16	Washington, Ill.
	20	Willie Edwards	6-1	200	Jr.	5	21	Wichita, Kan.
PR	11	Spencer Schnell	5-9	185	Sr.	5	28	Elkhart, Ind.
	10	Arturo Romero	5-10	190	Sr.	2	2	Manchester, Mo.
HO	11	Spencer Schnell	5-9	185	Sr.	5	28	Elkhart, Ind.
	83	Matt Biegalski	6-2	220	Sr.	5	36	Winfield, Ill.
LS	54	Paul Monaco	6-0	215	So.	5	16	Wheaton, Ill.
	48	Joey Malinowski	6-1	250	Fr.	0	0	Bloomington, Ill.

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown (HS/Previous School)
3	Devin Taylor	6-1	200	DB	R-So.	Lansing, Mich. / Sexton HS
4	Brady Davis	6-4	210	QB	Jr.	Columbus, Miss. / Memphis
5	Bryce Jefferson	6-2	215	QB	Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. / Decatur Central HS
5	Zeke Vandenburg	6-3	235	LB	R-Fr.	Freeport, Ill. / Freeport HS
6	Tuvone Clark	6-2	250	LB	Jr.	St. Louis, Mo. / McCluer South-Berkeley HS
7	Tristan Smith	6-2	210	QB	So.	Murphy, Texas / Bishop Lynch HS
8	Jordan Birch	6-1	220	RB	So.	Wichita, Kan. / Andover Central HS
8	Romeo McKnight	6-5	250	DE	So.	Crystal Lake, Ill. / Iowa
9	Mitchell Brees	6-3	215	S	Sr.	West Allis, Wis. / Greendale HS
10	Malachi Broadnax	6-3	215	S	So.	DeSoto, Texas / Trinity Christian HS
10	Arturo Romero	5-10	190	WR	Sr.	Manchester, Mo. / Iowa State
11	Spencer Schnell	5-9	180	WR	Sr.	Elkhart, Ind. / Ohio
12	Paul Engram	5-11	225	LB	Jr.	Detroit, Mich. / Western Michigan
12	Taylor Grimes	5-11	180	WR	Fr.	Godley, Texas / Godley HS
13	Braxton Haley	6-2	195	WR	Jr.	Athens, Ga. / Cincinnati
14	Luther Kirk	6-2	195	DB	Jr.	Garland, Texas / Garland HS
15	Eric Rogers	6-4	200	WR	Fr.	St. Louis, Mo. / East St. Louis HS
16	Iverson Brown	6-1	190	DB	Fr.	Fairview Heights, Ill. / Althoff Catholic HS
16	Jake Kolbe	6-3	215	QB	Sr.	Naperville, Ill. / Naperville Central HS
17	Trenton Hatfield	6-2	200	RB	R-Fr.	Muncie, Ind. / Muncie Central HS
19	Charles Woods	6-1	175	DB	Fr.	Dallas, Texas / Kimball HS
20	Kevin Brown	5-9	170	RB	Fr.	East St. Louis, Ill. / East St. Louis HS
20	Willie Edwards	6-1	200	DB	Jr.	Wichita, Kan. / Wichita East HS
21	Peyton Jones	6-1	200	DB	R-Fr.	Kansas City, Mo. / Archbishop O'Hara HS
21	Markel Smith	5-11	230	RB	Jr.	St. Louis, Mo. / Central Missouri
22	Eric Scott	6-2	200	DB	R-Fr.	Basehor, Kan. / Basehor Linwood HS
23	Clayton Isbell	6-3	220	S	Fr.	St. Charles, Ill. / St. Charles East HS
24	Christian Uphoff	6-3	195	DB	R-So.	Washington, Ill. / Washington HS
25	Mike Gardner	5-11	210	DB	Fr.	Cedar Hill, Texas / DeSoto HS
25	James Robinson	5-10	220	RB	Jr.	Rockford, Ill. / Lutheran HS
27	Brian Adams	5-7	185	RB	Fr.	Springfield, Ill. / Sacred Heart Griffin HS
28	Luke Bennyhoff	5-10	190	DB	Fr.	Peoria, Ill. / Dunlap
29	Julian Haynie	6-2	215	DB	Fr.	Rockford, Ill. / Guilford HS
30	Josh Barajas	6-2	245	LB	Jr.	Valparaiso, Ind. / Notre Dame
31	Nico Muto	5-9	270	FB	R-Fr.	New Lenox, Ill. / Lincoln-Way Central HS
33	Nick Kielbasa	5-10	215	RB	Sr.	Huntley, Ill. / Hampshire HS
34	Connor Janes	6-2	250	LB	Jr.	Saint Joseph, Ill. / St. Joseph-Ogden HS
35	Spencer DeForest	6-0	175	DB	Fr.	Cambridge, Wis. / Cambridge HS
36	Sam Fenlason	6-2	225	K/P	Jr.	San Diego, Calif. / Idaho
38	Trevor Bond	6-1	175	K	Fr.	McCordsville, Ind. / Mt. Vernon HS
39	Zackary Mathews	6-1	240	LB	Sr.	Rockford, Ill. / Boylan Catholic HS
41	JT Bohlken	6-0	210	K/P	So.	Jefferson City, Mo. / Jefferson City HS
42	Dylan Draka	6-0	240	LB	So.	Wheeling, Ill. / Wheeling HS
43	Nathan Bax	6-4	240	TE	Fr.	Jefferson City, Mo. / Helias HS
45	Damien Jackson	6-3	230	LB	Fr.	Elkhart, Ind. / Concord HS
46	Timothy McCloy II	6-0	240	FB	So.	Lake In The Hills, Ill. / Huntley HS
47	DeMarco Washington	6-3	235	LB	Jr.	Peoria, Ill. / Notre Dame HS
48	Jonathan Hamilton	6-2	225	TE	R-Fr.	Chicago, Ill. / West Point
48	Joey Malinowski	6-1	250	LS	Fr.	Bloomington, Ill. / Central Catholic HS
49	Aiden Bresnahan	6-0	205	K	R-Fr.	LaGrange Park, Ill. / Tulsa
50	Ty DeForest	6-0	250	LB	Jr.	Marshall, Wis. / Wisconsin
52	Ryan Guhl	6-2	245	DL	So.	Indianapolis, Ind. / Cathedral HS
53	Donavin O'Day	6-6	310	OL	Sr.	Fort Wayne, Ind. / Snider HS

No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown (HS/Previous School)
54	Paul Monaco	6-0	215	LS	So.	Wheaton, Ill. / Wheaton Warrenville South HS
55	Giavion Mason	6-0	225	LB	Fr.	Bourbonnais, Ill. / Bishop McNamara HS
56	Landen Vesley	6-3	240	LB	Fr.	Sterling, Ill. / Newman Central Catholic HS
57	Kenton Wilhoit	6-1	230	LB	Fr.	Oak Grove, Mo. / Oak Grove HS
58	Dex Kelly-Martin	6-3	225	LB	Jr.	Plainfield, Ill. / Nazareth Academy
59	Gabe Megginson	6-5	315	OL	Jr.	Jacksonville, Ill. / Illinois
60	Zach Starforth	6-4	320	OL	Fr.	Peculiar, Mo. / Raymore-Peculiar HS
61	Chad Kanugh	6-6	315	OL	Sr.	Franklin, Wis. / Franklin HS
62	Peyton Asche	6-7	290	OL	Fr.	Pearl City, Ill. / Pearl City-Eastland HS
65	Jaden Hacha	6-1	270	DL	Fr.	Frankfort, Ill. / Lincoln-Way East HS
66	Ben Baker	6-8	305	OL	Jr.	Geneva, Ill. / Geneva HS
67	Cole Anderson	6-4	285	OL	R-So.	Gurnee, Ill. / Warren Township HS
68	Bradley Novak	6-7	315	OL	So.	Brimfield, Ill. / Brimfield HS
69	Daniel Witherspoon	6-7	315	OL	R-Fr.	Washington, Ill. / Washington HS
70	Drew Bones	6-4	335	OL	R-Fr.	Ottawa, Kan. / Ottawa HS
71	Drew Himmelman	6-10	315	OL	So.	Geneseo, Ill. / Geneseo HS
72	Garrett Hirsch	6-2	300	OL	So.	Towanda, Ill. / Normal Community HS
73	Erik Mikkelson	6-3	325	OL	Jr.	Oswego, Ill. / Oswego HS
74	Zach Mueller	6-5	295	OL	Fr.	Schofield, Wis. / D.C. Everest HS
75	Jared Rients	6-5	305	OL	Jr.	Minonk, Ill. / Fieldcrest HS
76	Kobe Buffalomeat	6-7	315	OL	Fr.	Lawrence, Kan. / Lawrence HS
77	Evan Day	6-6	310	OL	R-Fr.	Batavia, Ill. / Batavia HS
78	John Ames	6-5	275	OL	R-Fr.	Wildwood, Mo. / De Smet Jesuit HS
79	Trey Georgie	6-5	285	DL	So.	Lawrence, Kan. / Lawrence HS
80	Jacob Carl	6-4	240	TE	Fr.	Galesburg, Ill. / Galesburg HS
81	Tanner Taula	6-6	245	TE	R-Fr.	Independence, Mo. / Blue Springs HS
82	Austin Nagel	6-1	185	WR	Fr.	Lemont, Ill. / Lemont HS
83	Matt Biegalski	6-2	220	WR	Sr.	Winfield, Ill. / Wheaton North HS
84	Andrew Edgar	6-0	190	WR	R-Fr.	Chicago, Ill. / St. Patrick HS
85	Tylor Petkovich	6-6	240	TE	Sr.	St. John, Ind. / Andean HS
86	Stephen Halusan	6-3	210	WR	Fr.	New Berlin, Wis. / Eisenhower HS
87	Robert Gillum	6-5	260	TE	So.	Kansas City, Mo. / Central HS
88	Nick Hesse	5-10	175	WR	Fr.	Normal, Ill. / Normal Community HS
89	Tristan Bailey	6-3	195	WR	Fr.	Columbus, Ind. / Columbus North HS
90	Steven Podkulski	6-4	290	DL	So.	Joliet, Ill. / Lincoln-Way Central HS
91	Josh Dinga	6-6	235	DL	Fr.	Sun Prairie, Wis. / Sun Prairie HS
92	Matt Swaine	6-7	245	DE	Sr.	Rochester, Ill. / Rochester HS
94	Jason Lewan	6-6	270	DL	R-Fr.	Yorkville, Ill. / Yorkville HS
95	Jason Harris	6-5	245	LB	Jr.	Barrington, Ill. / Barrington HS
96	Jacob Powell	6-1	275	DL	So.	Hartland, Wis. / Arrowhead HS
97	Dalton Tevis	6-4	240	DL	Fr.	Normal, Ill. / Normal Community HS
98	Peter Bussone	6-1	305	DL	Fr.	Normal, Ill. / Normal Community HS
99	John Ridgeway	6-6	315	DL	R-Fr.	Bloomington, Ill. / Bloomington HS

<b>Offense</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>RB</b>
Saint Xavier	Himmelman	Megginson	Hirsch	Kanugh	O'Day	Petkovich	Taula (TE)	Schnell	McCloy (FB)	Davis	Robinson
Eastern Illinois	Himmelman	Megginson	Hirsch	Kanugh	O'Day	Petkovich	Haley	Schnell	McCloy (FB)	Davis	Robinson
at Colorado State	Himmelman	Megginson	Hirsch	Kanugh	O'Day	Petkovich	Haley	Schnell	McCloy (FB)	Davis	Robinson
at Missouri State	Himmelman	Megginson	Hirsch	Kanugh	O'Day	McCloy (FB)	Haley	Schnell	Edgar	Davis	Robinson
Western Illinois	Himmelman	Megginson	Hirsch	Kanugh	O'Day	Petkovich	Haley	Schnell	McCloy (FB)	Davis	Robinson
Southern Illinois											
at North Dakota State											
South Dakota State											
at Northern Iowa											
at Indiana State											
Youngstown State											

<b>Defense</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>NG</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>JACK</b>	<b>SLB</b>	<b>MLB</b>	<b>WLB</b>	<b>CB</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>CB</b>
Saint Xavier	Swaine	Ridgeway	Lewan	Harris	Clark	DeForest	Mathews	Edwards	Brees	Kirk	Taylor
Eastern Illinois	Swaine	Ridgeway	Lewan	Harris	Clark	DeForest	Mathews	Edwards	Brees	Kirk	Taylor
at Colorado State	Swaine	Ridgeway	Lewan	Harris	Clark	DeForest	Mathews	Edwards	Brees	Kirk	Taylor
at Missouri State	Swaine	Ridgeway	Lewan	Harris	Clark	DeForest	Mathews	Edwards	Brees	Kirk	Taylor
Western Illinois	McKnight	Ridgeway	Lewan	Harris	Clark	DeForest	Mathews	Edwards	Brees	Kirk	Taylor
Southern Illinois											
at North Dakota State											
South Dakota State											
at Northern Iowa											
at Indiana State											
Youngstown State											

<b>Specialists</b>	<b>KO</b>	<b>PK</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>HO</b>	<b>PR</b>	<b>KR</b>	<b>KR</b>	<b>LS</b>
Saint Xavier	Fenlason	Fenlason	Bohken	Schnell	Schnell	Uphoff	Birch	Monaco
Eastern Illinois	Fenlason	Fenlason	Bohken	Schnell	Schnell	Uphoff	Birch	Monaco
at Colorado State	Fenlason	Fenlason	Bohken	Schnell	Schnell	Uphoff	Birch	Monaco
at Missouri State	Fenlason	Fenlason	Bohken	Schnell	Schnell	Uphoff	Birch	Monaco
Western Illinois	Fenlason	Fenlason	Bohken	Schnell	Schnell	Uphoff	Birch	Monaco
Southern Illinois								
at North Dakota State								
South Dakota State								
at Northern Iowa								
at Indiana State								
Youngstown State								

		P/S	SXU	EIU	CSU	MSU	WIU	SIU	NDSU	SDSU	UNI	INS	YSU
27	Adams, Brian	1/-	...	...	...	XXX	...						
78	Ames, John	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						
67	Anderson, Cole	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						
89	Bailey, Tristan	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...						
30	Barajas, Josh	2/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...						
28	Bennyhoff, Luke	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
83	Biegalski, Matt	4/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						...
8	Birch, Jordan	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
41	Bohlsen, JT	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
38	Bond, Trevor	1/-	...	XXX	...	...	...						...
70	Bones, Drew	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
9	Brees, Mitchell	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
10	Broadnax, Malachi	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
1D	Brown, Iverson	2/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	...						...
76	Buffalomeat, Kobe	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
98	Bussone, Peter	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
6	Clark, Tuone	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
4	Davis, Brady	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
77	Day, Evan	2/-	XXX	XXX	...	...	...						...
50	DeForest, Ty	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
91	Dinga, Josh	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
42	Draka, Dylan	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
84	Edgar, Andrew	5/2	XXX	XXX	START	START	START						XXX
20	Edwards, Willie	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
36	Fenlason, Sam	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
2G	Gardner, Mike	2/-	XXX	XXX	...	...	...						...
79	Georgie, Trey	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
87	Gillum, Robert	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
12	Grimes, Taylor	2/-	XXX	XXX	...	...	...						...
52	Guhl, Ryan	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
18	Hadden, Antonio	1/-	...	XXX	...	...	...						...
13	Haley, Braxton	5/4	XXX	START	START	START	START						START
95	Harris, Jason	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
17	Hatfield, Trenton	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
71	Himmelman, Drew	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
72	Hirsch, Garrett	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
34	Janes, Connor	3/-	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...						...
2D	Jones, Peyton	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
61	Kanugh, Chad	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
58	Kelly-Martin, Dex	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
33	Kielbasa, Nick	4/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX						XXX
14	Kirk, Luther	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
16	Kolbe, Jake	3/-	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...						...
94	Lewan, Jason	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
39	Mathews, Zackary	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
46	McCloy, Tim	5/4	START	START	XXX	START	START						START
8D	McKnight, Romeo	5/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START						START
59	Meggison, Gabe	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
73	Mikkelsen, Erik	2/-	XXX	XXX	...	...	...						...
54	Monaco, Paul	3/-	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...						...
31	Muto, Nico	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
82	Nagel, Austin	2/-	XXX	XXX	...	...	...						...
53	O'Day, Donavin	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
2	Patterson, Kentre	3/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...						...
85	Petkovich, Tylor	5/4	START	START	START	XXX	START						START
96	Powell, Jacob	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
99	Ridgeway, John	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
75	Rients, Jared	4/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX						XXX
25	Robinson, James	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
1W	Romero, Arturo	2/-	XXX	XXX	...	...	...						...
11	Schnell, Spencer	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
22	Scott, Eric	4/-	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX						XXX
21	Smith, Markel	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
7	Smith, Tristan	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
92	Swaine, Matt	5/4	START	START	START	START	START						XXX
81	Taula, Tanner	5/1	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
3	Taylor, Devin	5/5	START	START	START	START	START						START
24	Uphoff, Christian	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
5	Vandenburgh, Zeke	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX
47	Washington, DeMarco	4/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...						...
57	Wilhoit, Kenton	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...						...
19	Woods, Charles	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX						XXX

**#27 • Brian Adams • RB**

Rushing Yards: ..... 0 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Rushing Attempts: ..... 1 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Rushing TDs: ..... 0  
 Long Rush: ..... 0

**#30 • Josh Barajas • LB**

Tackles: ..... 2 vs. Butler, 9-2-17  
 Solos: ..... 2 vs. Butler, 9-2-17  
 Assists: ..... 0  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#28 • Luke Bennyhoff • DB**

Tackles: ..... 1, three times  
 Solos: ..... 1, twice  
 Assists: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#83 • Matt Biegalski • WR**

Receptions: ..... 2 at Missouri State, 9-23-17  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 14 at Missouri State, 9-23-17  
 Touchdowns: ..... 0  
 Long Reception: ..... 12 at South Dakota State, 11-11-17

**#8 • Jordan Birch • RB**

Rushing Yards: ..... 52 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Rushing Attempts: ..... 9 at Eastern Illinois, 9-16-17  
 Rushing TDs: ..... 1, twice  
 Long Rush: ..... 32 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Receptions: ..... 3 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 23 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Touchdowns: ..... 0  
 Long Reception: ..... 17 at Missouri State, 9-29-18

**#41 • JT Bohlken • P**

Punts: ..... 9 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18  
 Punt Yards: ..... 423 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18  
 Punt Avg.: ..... 51.4 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Long Punt: ..... 61 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18  
 Inside 20: ..... 5 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18  
 Field Goal Attempts: ..... 1, twice  
 Field Goal Makes: ..... 1 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18  
 Long Field Goal: ..... 22 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18

**#9 • Mitchell Brees • DB**

Tackles: ..... 11 vs. Southern Illinois, 10-15-16  
 Solos: ..... 8 vs. Southern Illinois, 10-15-16  
 Assists: ..... 6, twice  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 2.0 vs. Southern Illinois, 10-15-16  
 Interceptions: ..... 1, four times

**#10 • Malachi Broadnax • DB**

Tackles: ..... 7 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Solos: ..... 5 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Assists: ..... 2 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#6 • Tuvone Clark • LB**

Tackles: ..... 7 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Solos: ..... 3, twice  
 Assists: ..... 5 at Missouri State, 9-23-17  
 Sacks: ..... 1.5 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17  
 TFLs: ..... 1.5, twice

**#4 • Brady Davis • QB**

Completions: ..... 17 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Attempts: ..... 23 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Passing Yards: ..... 17 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 TD Passes: ..... 4 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Longest Pass: ..... 97 (TD) vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 TD Rushes: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Longest Rush: ..... 6 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#50 • Ty DeForest • LB**

Tackles: ..... 8 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Solos: ..... 4, twice  
 Assists: ..... 7 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Sacks: ..... 1.0, twice  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0, twice  
 Interceptions: ..... 1, twice

**#42 • Dylan Draka • LB**

Tackles: ..... 2 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Solos: ..... 2 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Assists: ..... 0  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#84 • Andrew Edgar • WR**

Receptions: ..... 5 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 111 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Touchdowns: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Long Reception: ..... 43 at Colorado State, 9-22-18

**#20 • Willie Edwards • DB**

Tackles: ..... 8 at Southern Illinois, 10-14-18  
 Solos: ..... 5 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Assists: ..... 5 at Southern Illinois, 10-14-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 at Youngstown State, 10-28-17  
 Interceptions: ..... 1 vs. South Dakota State, 10-29-16

**#36 • Sam Fenlason • K**

Field Goal Attempts: ..... 3 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Field Goal Makes: ..... 2 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Long Field Goal: ..... 38 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 PAT Makes: ..... 6 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Touchbacks: ..... 5 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18

**#25 • Mike Gardner • DB**

Tackles: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Solos: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Assists: ..... 0  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#79 • Trey Georgie • DL**

Tackles: ..... 5 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Solos: ..... 1, twice  
 Assists: ..... 4 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#87 • Robert Gillum • TE**

Receptions: ..... 1, three times  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 80 at Eastern Illinois, 9-16-17  
 Touchdowns: ..... 1, twice  
 Long Reception: ..... 80 at Eastern Illinois, 9-16-17

**#52 • Ryan Guhl • DL**

Tackles: ..... 4, three times  
 Solos: ..... 2 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Assists: ..... 3, twice  
 Sacks: ..... 0.5 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 TFLs: ..... 2.0 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#13 • Braxton Haley • WR**

Receptions: ..... 4 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 53, twice  
 Touchdowns: ..... 0  
 Long Reception: ..... 35 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18

**#95 • Jason Harris • DL**

Tackles: ..... 9 at Eastern Illinois, 9-16-17  
 Solos: ..... 5 vs. Youngstown State, 10-8-16  
 Assists: ..... 5 at Eastern Illinois, 9-16-17  
 Sacks: ..... 1.0, twice  
 TFLs: ..... 1.5 vs. Butler, 9-2-17

**#17 • Trenton Hatfield • RB**

Rushing Yards: ..... 20 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Rushing Attempts: ..... 4 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Rushing TDs: ..... 0  
 Longest Rush: ..... 9 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Receptions: ..... 1 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 17 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Touchdowns: ..... 0  
 Long Reception: ..... 17 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18

**#58 • Decxavier Kelly-Martin • LB**

Tackles: ..... 7 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17  
 Solos: ..... 3 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Assists: ..... 5 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17  
 Sacks: ..... 1.0 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 TFLs: ..... 1.5 twice  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#33 • Nick Kielbasa • RB**

Rushing Yards: ..... 40 vs. Valparaiso, 9-3-16  
 Rushing Attempts: ..... 8, twice  
 Rushing TDs: ..... 1 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Longest Rush: ..... 33 vs. Valparaiso, 9-3-16

**#14 • Luther Kirk • S**

Tackles: ..... 8 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Solos: ..... 4 at Youngstown State, 10-10-15  
 Assists: ..... 6 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 1, three times

**#16 • Jake Kolbe • QB**

Completions: ..... 30 at Northwestern, 9-10-16  
 Attempts: ..... 41 at Northwestern, 9-10-16  
 Passing Yards: ..... 345 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17  
 TD Passes: ..... 4 at Western Illinois, 11-5-16  
 Longest Pass: ..... 77 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17  
 TD Rushes: ..... 1, five times  
 Longest Rush: ..... 58 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-17-16  
 Interceptions: ..... 3, twice

**#94 • Jason Lewan • DL**

Tackles: ..... 4, twice  
 Solos: ..... 2 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Assists: ..... 3 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#39 • Zackary Mathews • LB**

Tackles: ..... 16 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Solos: ..... 10 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Assists: ..... 6, twice  
 Sacks: ..... 1.0 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 TFLs: ..... 2.0 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#46 • Tim McCloyn • FB**

Rushing Yards: ..... 1 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Rushing Attempts: ..... 1 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Rushing TDs: ..... 0  
 Longest Rush: ..... 1 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Receptions: ..... 1 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 19 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17  
 Touchdowns: ..... 0  
 Long Reception: ..... 19 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17

**#8 • Romeo McKnight • DL**

Tackles: ..... 7 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Solos: ..... 3 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Assists: ..... 4 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Sacks: ..... 2.0 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 TFLs: ..... 2.0, twice  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#82 • Austin Nagel • WR**

Receptions: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 11 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Touchdowns: ..... 0  
 Long Reception: ..... 11 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18

**#86 • Tylor Petkovich • TE**

Receptions: ..... 7 at Northern Arizona, 10-7-17  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 54 at Missouri State, 10-17-15  
 Touchdowns: ..... 1, three times  
 Long Reception: ..... 30 vs. Indiana State, 9-30-17

**#96 • Jacob Powell • DL**

Tackles: ..... 3 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Solos: ..... 0  
 Assists: ..... 3 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#99 • John Ridgeway • DL**

Tackles: ..... 6 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Solos: ..... 3 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Assists: ..... 3 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Sacks: ..... 1.0 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#25 • James Robinson • RB**

Rushing Yards: ..... 193 vs. South Dakota, 10-21-17  
 Rushing Attempts: ..... 29 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18  
 Rushing TDs: ..... 3, twice  
 Long Rush: ..... 87 vs. South Dakota, 10-21-17  
 Receptions: ..... 6 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 97 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Touchdowns: ..... 1, twice  
 Long Reception: ..... 43 at Missouri State, 9-29-18

**#10 • Arturo Romero • WR**

Receptions: ..... 1 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 4 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Touchdowns: ..... 0  
 Long Reception: ..... 4 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18

**#11 • Spencer Schnell • WR**

Receptions: ..... 9, twice  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 191 vs. South Dakota, 10-21-17  
 Touchdowns: ..... 2, twice  
 Long Reception: ..... 97 (TD) vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18

**#22 • Eric Scott • DB**

Tackles: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Solos: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Assists: ..... 0  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#21 • Markel Smith • RB**

Rushing Yards: ..... 124 at Youngstown State, 10-28-17  
 Rushing Attempts: ..... 21 vs. South Dakota, 10-21-17  
 Rushing TDs: ..... 1, six times  
 Long Rush: ..... 57 at Eastern Illinois, 9-16-17  
 Receptions: ..... 2 at Missouri State, 9-23-17  
 Receiving Yards: ..... 60 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Touchdowns: ..... 1 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Long Reception: ..... 60 at Colorado State, 9-22-18

**#7 • Tristan Smith • QB**

Completions: ..... 2 at Indiana State, 9-24-16  
 Attempts: ..... 5 at Indiana State, 9-24-16  
 Passing Yards: ..... 18 at North Dakota State, 10-1-16  
 TD Passes: ..... 0  
 Longest Pass: ..... 9 vs. Valparaiso, 9-3-16  
 TD Rushes: ..... 0  
 Longest Rush: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#92 • Matt Swaine • DL**

Tackles: ..... 9 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-17-16  
 Solos: ..... 4, twice  
 Assists: ..... 5 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-17-16  
 Sacks: ..... 1.0, six times  
 TFLs: ..... 2.0 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-17-16  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#3 • Devin Taylor • DB**

Tackles: ..... 8 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Solos: ..... 6 at Colorado State, 9-22-18  
 Assists: ..... 4 at Missouri State, 9-29-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 0  
 Interceptions: ..... 1, three times

**#24 • Christian Uphoff • S**

Tackles: ..... 3, twice  
 Solos: ..... 3 vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18  
 Assists: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Sacks: ..... 1.0 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0  
 Long Kickoff Return: ..... 100 at South Dakota State, 11-11-17

**#5 • Zeke Vandenburg • LB**

Tackles: ..... 4 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Solos: ..... 2 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Assists: ..... 2 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 vs. Saint Xavier, 9-1-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#47 • DeMarco Washington • LB**

Tackles: ..... 8 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Solos: ..... 2 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Assists: ..... 6 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**#19 • Charles Woods • DB**

Tackles: ..... 4 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Solos: ..... 3 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Assists: ..... 1 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Sacks: ..... 0  
 TFLs: ..... 1.0 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18  
 Interceptions: ..... 0

**GAME RESULTS**

Date	Opponent	Score	W/L	Attendance
Sept. 1, 2018	Saint Xavier	46-0	W	9,157
Sept. 8, 2018	Eastern Illinois	48-10	W	8,914
Sept. 22, 2018	at Colorado State	35-19	W	26,259
Sept. 29, 2018	at Missouri State*	21-24	L	12,224
Oct. 6, 2018	Western Illinois*	33-16	W	8,516

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**TEAM STATISTICS**

	ILS	OPP
SCORING	183	69
POINTS PER GAME	36.6	13.8
FIRST DOWNS	104	84
RUSHING YARDAGE	990	518
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	1084	683
YARDS LOST RUSHING	94	165
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	192	177
AVERAGE PER RUSH	5.2	2.9
AVERAGE PER GAME	198.0	103.6
TDS RUSHING	13	4
PASSING YARDAGE	1136	930
COMP-ATT-INT	84-151-0	90-170-9
AVERAGE PER PASS	7.5	5.5
AVERAGE PER CATCH	13.5	10.3
AVERAGE PER GAME	227.2	186.0
TDS PASSING	10	5
TOTAL OFFENSE	2126	1448
TOTAL PLAYS	343	347
AVERAGE PER PLAY	6.2	4.2
AVERAGE PER GAME	425.2	289.6
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS	9-212	18-390
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS	12-95	10-91
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS	9-121	0-0
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	23.6	21.7
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	7.9	9.1
INT RETURN AVERAGE	13.4	0.0
FUMBLES-LOST	3-1	3-2
PENALTIES-YARDS	36-315	31-293
AVERAGE PER GAME	63.0	58.6
PUNTS-YARDS	28-1264	29-1298
AVERAGE PER PUNT	45.1	44.8
NET PUNT AVERAGE	38.3	40.1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	33-2009	17-1027
AVERAGE PER KICK	60.9	60.4
NET KICK AVERAGE	40.0	40.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME	31:02	28:58
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	25/68	22/76
3RD-DOWN PCT	37%	29%
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	6/9	3/16
4TH-DOWN PCT	67%	19%
SACKS BY-YARDS	9-73	8-62
MISC YARDS	0	7
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	24	9
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	4-8	3-3
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	1-1
RED-ZONE SCORES	(19-21) 90%	(9-13) 69%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(16-21) 76%	(8-13) 62%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(23-24) 96%	(6-8) 75%
ATTENDANCE	26587	38483
GAMES/AVG PER GAME	3/8862	2/19242

**SCORE BY QUARTERS**

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Illinois State	23	55	45	60	0	183
Opponents	15	14	27	13	0	69

**RUSHING**

	G	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Robinson,James	5	88	600	19	581	6.6	8	57	116.2
Smith,Markel	5	55	306	6	300	5.5	2	50	60.0
Birch,Jordan	5	11	74	2	72	6.5	1	32	14.4
Kielbasa,Nick	4	10	37	2	35	3.5	1	7	8.8
Hatfield,Trenton	5	4	20	0	20	5.0	0	9	4.0
McCloy,Tim	5	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
Adams,Brian	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Haley,Braxton	5	1	0	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.2
TEAM	3	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.7
Davis,Brady	5	16	41	45	-4	-0.2	1	8	-0.8
Kolbe,Jake	3	4	5	17	-12	-3.0	0	5	-4.0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>1084</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>198.0</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>103.6</b>

**PASSING**

	G	Effic	Att-Cmp-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Davis,Brady	5	146.11	74-134-0	55.2	1057	10	97	211.4
Kolbe,Jake	3	109.29	9-14-0	64.3	75	0	17	25.0
Smith,Tristan	1	66.80	1-2-0	50.0	4	0	4	4.0
TEAM	3	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>140.68</b>	<b>84-151-0</b>	<b>55.6</b>	<b>1136</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>227.2</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>98.01</b>	<b>90-170-9</b>	<b>52.9</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>186.0</b>

**RECEIVING**

	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Schnell,Spencer	5	30	432	14.4	4	97	86.4
Edgar,Andrew	5	15	248	16.5	1	43	49.6
Haley,Braxton	5	11	144	13.1	0	35	28.8
Robinson,James	5	10	119	11.9	1	43	23.8
Petkovich,Tylor	5	5	49	9.8	2	15	9.8
Birch,Jordan	5	4	36	9.0	0	17	7.2
Smith,Markel	5	3	70	23.3	1	60	14.0
Gillum,Robert	5	2	7	3.5	1	4	1.4
Hatfield,Trenton	5	1	17	17.0	0	17	3.4
Nagel,Austin	2	1	11	11.0	0	11	5.5
Romero,Arturo	2	1	4	4.0	0	4	2.0
Adams,Brian	1	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-1.0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>1136</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>227.2</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>186.0</b>

**PUNT RETURNS**

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Schnell, Spencer	11	97	8.8	0	20
Robinson, James	1	-2	-2.0	0	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>

**INTERCEPTIONS**

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Kirk, Luther	3	51	17.0	1	39
DeForest, Ty	2	43	21.5	0	43
Taylor, Devin	2	0	0.0	0	0
Uphoff, Christian	1	0	0.0	0	0
Brees, Mitchell	1	27	27.0	0	27
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>43</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**KICK RETURNS**

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Uphoff, Christian	7	180	25.7	0	58
Birch, Jordan	2	32	16.0	0	19
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>58</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>45</b>

**FUMBLE RETURNS**

	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**SCORING**

	TD	FGs	Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
Robinson, James	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	54
Fenlason, Sam	0	3-6	19-20	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	28
Schnell, Spencer	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Smith, Markel	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Petkovich, Tylor	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Bohlken, JT	0	1-2	4-4	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	7
Birch, Jordan	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Kirk, Luther	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Edgar, Andrew	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Davis, Brady	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Gillum, Robert	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Kielbasa, Nick	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
TEAM	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2
Edwards, Willie	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	1	0	2
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>4-8</b>	<b>23-24</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>183</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>6-8</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>69</b>

**TOTAL OFFENSE**

	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Davis, Brady	5	150	-4	1057	1053	210.6
Robinson, James	5	88	581	0	581	116.2
Smith, Markel	5	55	300	0	300	60.0
Birch, Jordan	5	11	72	0	72	14.4
Kolbe, Jake	3	18	-12	75	63	21.0
Kielbasa, Nick	4	10	35	0	35	8.8
Hatfield, Trenton	5	4	20	0	20	4.0
Smith, Tristan	1	2	0	4	4	4.0
McCloy, Tim	5	1	1	0	1	0.2
Haley, Braxton	5	1	-1	0	-1	-0.2
TEAM	3	2	-2	0	-2	-0.7
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>1136</b>	<b>2126</b>	<b>425.2</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>1448</b>	<b>289.6</b>

**FIELD GOALS**

	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Fenlason, Sam	3-6	50.0	0-0	0-0	3-4	0-2	0-0	38	1
Bohlken, JT	1-2	50.0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	22	0

**PUNTING**

	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blk
Bohlken, JT	28	1264	45.1	68	5	2	13	13	0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1264</b>	<b>45.1</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1298</b>	<b>44.8</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>

**KICKOFFS**

	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Fenlason, Sam	32	1954	61.1	12	3			
Bohlken, JT	1	55	55.0	0	0			
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>60.9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1027</b>	<b>60.4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>24</b>

**ALL-PURPOSE**

	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Robinson, James	5	581	119	-2	0	0	698	139.6
Schnell, Spencer	5	0	432	97	0	0	529	105.8
Smith, Markel	5	300	70	0	0	0	370	74.0
Edgar, Andrew	5	0	248	0	0	0	248	49.6
Uphoff, Christian	5	0	0	0	180	0	180	36.0
Haley, Braxton	5	-1	144	0	0	0	143	28.6
Birch, Jordan	5	72	36	0	19	0	127	25.4
Kirk, Luther	5	0	0	0	0	51	51	10.2
Petkovich, Tylor	5	0	49	0	0	0	49	9.8
DeForest, Ty	5	0	0	0	0	43	43	8.6
Hatfield, Trenton	5	20	17	0	0	0	37	7.4
Kielbasa, Nick	4	35	0	0	0	0	35	8.8
Brees, Mitchell	5	0	0	0	0	27	27	5.4
Patterson, Kentre	4	0	0	0	13	0	13	3.2
Nagel, Austin	2	0	11	0	0	0	11	5.5
Gillum, Robert	5	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.4
Romero, Arturo	2	0	4	0	0	0	4	2.0
McCloy, Tim	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.2
Adams, Brian	1	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	-1.0
TEAM	3	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-0.7
Davis, Brady	5	-4	0	0	0	0	-4	-0.8
Kolbe, Jake	3	-12	0	0	0	0	-12	-4.0
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>1136</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>2554</b>	<b>510.8</b>
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1929</b>	<b>385.8</b>

	TACKLES					SACKS		PASS DEF			FUMBLES		BLKD	
	GP-GS	SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL/YDS	NO-YARDS	INT-YDS	BRUP	QBH	RCV-YDS	FF	KICK	SAF	
39 Mathews,Zackary	5	26	20	46	4.0-33	1.0-17	.	1	6	.	.	.	.	
8 McKnight,Romeo	5	13	10	23	6.0-28	3.0-22	.	2	6	.	.	.	.	
14 Kirk,Luther	5	11	12	23	.	.	3-51	1	.	.	.	.	.	
50 DeForest,Ty	5	8	14	22	1.0-1	.	2-43	3	3	1-0	.	.	.	
6 Clark,Tuvone	5	11	10	21	4.0-19	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	
20 Edwards,Willie	5	12	8	20	0.5-1	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	
9 Brees,Mitchell	5	11	9	20	2.0-2	.	1-27	2	1	.	.	.	.	
3 Taylor,Devin	5	12	7	19	1.0-4	.	2-0	4	.	.	.	1	.	
47 Washington,DeMarco	4	5	11	16	1.0-2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	
94 Lewan,Jason	5	7	8	15	1.0-3	.	.	1	1	1-0	.	.	.	
52 Guhl,Ryan	5	4	11	15	2.0-7	0.5-3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
99 Ridgeway,John	5	4	10	14	1.5-4	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
95 Harris,Jason	5	6	6	12	1.0-1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
58 Kelly-Martin,Dex	5	7	5	12	2.5-13	1.5-6	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
24 Uphoff,Christian	5	7	4	11	1.0-12	1.0-12	1-0	2	.	.	1	.	.	
10 Broadnax,Malachi	5	8	2	10	1.0-6	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
92 Swaine,Matt	5	2	8	10	1.5-10	1.0-10	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	
5 Vandenburg,Zeke	5	6	3	9	1.0-3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
79 Georgie,Trey	5	2	7	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
96 Powell,Jacob	5	.	5	5	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
19 Woods,Charles	5	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
17 Hatfield,Trenton	5	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
28 Bennyhoff,Luke	5	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
42 Draka,Dylan	5	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
25 Gardner,Mike	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
22 Scott,Eric	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
87 Gillum,Robert	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
78 Ames,John	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
54 Monaco,Paul	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
2 Patterson,Kentre	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
46 McCloyn,Tim	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
33 Kielbasa,Nick	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
34 Janes,Connor	3	.	1	1	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
16 Brown,Iverson	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
36 Fenlason,Sam	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TM TEAM	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>33-150</b>	<b>9-73</b>	<b>9-121</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	
<b>Opponents.....</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>27.0-91</b>	<b>8-62</b>	.	<b>17</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	.	

**ILLINOIS STATE INDIVIDUAL**

Rushed for 100 yards	145, James Robinson vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18
Rushed for 200 yards	217, Marshaun Coprich vs. Western Illinois, 12-5-15
Passed for 200 yards	226, Brady Davis at Missouri State, 9-29-18
Passed for 300 yards	317, Brady Davis vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18
Passed for 400 yards	473, Matt Brown vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-15-12
Had 10 receptions	10, Tyrone Walker at Appalachian State, 12-1-12
Had 100 yards receiving	111, Andrew Edgar at Colorado State, 9-22-18
Returned a punt for a TD	Anthony Warrum (62 yards) vs. Abilene Christian, 9-21-13
Returned a kickoff for a TD	Christian Uphoff (100 yards) at South Dakota State, 11-11-17
Returned an interception for a TD	Luther Kirk (39 yards) vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18
Returned a fumble for a TD	Matt McCown (26 yards) at Youngstown State, 10-28-17
Returned a blocked FG for a TD	Armando Andrade (85 yards) vs. W. Va. Tech, 8-31-00
Returned a blocked punt for a TD	Pat Meehan (10 yards) vs. Dayton, 9-1-12
Rushed for three touchdowns	3, James Robinson vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18
Threw three touchdown passes	3, Brady Davis at Missouri State, 9-29-18
Caught three touchdown passes	3, Anthony Warrum at South Dakota State, 11-7-15
Kicked three field goals	3, Sean Slattery vs. South Dakota, 10-21-17
Had a 70-yard run from scrimmage	87, James Robinson vs. South Dakota, 10-21-17
Had a 70-yard pass completion	97 (TD), Brady Davis to Spencer Schnell vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18
Had 20 tackles	22, Cameron Siskovic vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-16-06
Had a 50-yard field goal	51, Sean Slattery at Northern Arizona, 10-7-17
Had a 70-yard punt	70, Zach Breen vs. Western Illinois, 11-4-17

**ILLINOIS STATE TEAM**

400 yards rushing	410 at Indiana State, 10-4-08
300 yards rushing	331 vs. South Dakota, 10-21-17
400 yards passing	473 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-15-12
300 yards passing	328 vs. Eastern Illinois, 9-8-18
500 yards total offense	538 at Colorado State, 9-22-18
30 first downs	31 vs. Butler, 9-2-17
50 points	67 vs. Morgan State, 9-12-15
Scored a safety	Saint Xavier, 9-1-18
Posted a shutout	Illinois State 46, Saint Xavier 0, 9-1-18
Held an opponent under 100 yards rushing	57, Western Illinois, 10-6-18
Held an opponent under 100 yards passing	60, Saint Xavier, 9-1-18
Held an opponent under 200 total yards	30, Saint Xavier, 9-1-18
Held an opponent under 100 total yards	30, Saint Xavier, 9-1-18
Blocked a punt	Indiana State, 10-31-15
Blocked a field goal	at Missouri State, 9-23-17
Blocked an extra point attempt	vs. Western Illinois, 10-6-18

**OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL**

Rushed for 100 yards	125, Taryn Christion, South Dakota State, 11-11-17
Rushed for 200 yards	371, Jemaine Cook, Youngstown State, 11-06-10
Passed for 200 yards	220, Sean McGuire, Western Illinois, 10-6-18
Passed for 300 yards	440, Chris Streveler, South Dakota, 10-21-17
Passed for 400 yards	440, Chris Streveler, South Dakota, 10-21-17
Had 10 receptions	Billy Reed (14) and Jonathan Mixon (11), Southern Illinois, 11-14-15
Had 100 yards receiving	107, Olabisi Johnson, Colorado State, 9-22-18
Returned a punt for a TD	77, Gary Hunter, Dayton, 9-1-12
Returned a kickoff for a TD	David Johnson (98 yards), Northern Iowa, 11-1-14
Returned an interception for a TD	Mekhi Ware (47 yards), Indiana State, 9-30-17
Returned a fumble for a TD	Mike Lien (40 yards), South Dakota State, 9-24-11
Returned a blocked FG for a TD	Travis Williams (66 yards), Illinois, 9-6-03
Returned a blocked punt for a TD	Mack Weaver (15 yards), Eastern Illinois, 9-16-17
Rushed for three touchdowns	3, Jacobi Green, Richmond, 12-11-15
Threw three touchdown passes	4, Sam Straub, Southern Illinois, 10-14-17
Caught three touchdown passes	3, Robert Tonyan, Indiana State, 10-31-15
Kicked three field goals	3, Tyler Sievertsen, Northern Iowa, 11-19-11
Had a 70-yard run from scrimmage	73, Shepard Little, Eastern Illinois, 9-14-13
Had a 70-yard pass completion	71, Sean McGuire to Tony Tate, Western Illinois, 10-6-18
Had 20 tackles	22, L.J. Fort, Northern Iowa, 11-19-11
Had a 50-yard field goal	52, Kyle Dougherty, Southern Illinois, 11-21-08
Had a 70-yard punt	74, Jim Hannula, Northern Illinois, 9-30-78

**OPPONENT TEAM**

400 yards rushing	413, North Dakota State, 10-25-08
300 yards rushing	353, Southern Illinois, 10-2-10
400 yards passing	440, South Dakota, 10-21-17
300 yards passing	440, South Dakota, 10-21-17
500 yards total offense	554, South Dakota, 10-21-17
30 first downs	33, South Dakota, 10-21-17
50 points	59, Youngstown State, 10-12-13
Scored a safety	Missouri State, 10-17-15
Posted a shutout	Southern Illinois 17, Illinois State 0, 10-6-12
Held ISU under 100 yards rushing	88, Western Illinois, 11-4-17
Held ISU under 100 yards passing	42, Youngstown State, 10-28-17
Held ISU under 200 total yards	196, North Dakota State, 11-9-13
Held ISU under 100 total yards	94, Central State, 9-9-89
Blocked a punt	Eastern Illinois (TD), 9-16-17
Blocked a field goal	Missouri State, 9-29-18
Blocked an extra point attempt	Saint Xavier, 9-1-18

**ILLINOIS STATE SITUATIONAL STATS**

	<b>2018</b>
Playing at home	3-0
Playing on the road	1-1
Playing on a neutral field	0-0
Playing at night	2-0
Playing during the day	2-1
ISU scores on first possession	1-0
Opponent scores on first possession	1-0
ISU scores first	2-0
Opponent scores first	2-1
ISU leads after 1st quarter	2-0
Opponent leads after 1st quarter	2-1
ISU leads at halftime	3-0
Opponent leads at halftime	1-1
Tied at halftime	0-0
ISU leads after 3rd quarter	3-0
Opponent leads after 3rd quarter	1-1
Game goes into overtime	0-0
ISU has more total yards	3-0
Opponent has more total yards	1-1
ISU has more rushing yards	4-0
Opponent has more rushing yards	0-1
ISU has more passing yards	3-1
Opponent has more passing yards	1-0
ISU has more turnovers	0-0
Opponent has more turnovers	4-1
Teams have equal turnovers	0-0
ISU has more penalties	2-1
Opponent has more penalties	1-0
Penalties are equal	1-0
ISU has more time of possession	4-0
Opponent has more time of possession	0-1
ISU has 100-yard rusher	3-0
Opponent has 100-yard rusher	0-0
ISU scores at least 20 points	2-1
Opponent scores at least 20 points	0-1
ISU throws for 300 yards	1-0
Opponent throws for 300 yards	0-0
Playing on natural grass	0-0
Playing on artificial surface	4-1
ISU defense scores	1-0
Opponent defense scores	0-0
ISU returns KO/Punt for TD	0-0
Opponent returns KO/Punt for TD	0-0

## SAINT XAVIER AT NO. 20 ILLINOIS STATE

SEPTEMBER 1, 2018 // HANCOCK STADIUM // NORMAL, ILLINOIS

	SXU	ILS
Score	0	46
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	7	20
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	35--30	40-191
<b>PASSING YDS (NET)</b>	60	177
Passes Att-Comp-Int	23-8-3	31-19-0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	58-30	71-368
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-7	2-18
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-126	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	3-70
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-48.4	3-40.3
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	4-29	9-57
Possession Time	28:44	31:16
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 15	8 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 5	2 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	6-6

## Saint Xavier

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
E. Williams Jr.	8	21	2	19	0	8	2.4
Vance McShane	6	19	0	19	0	5	3.2
Nick Czeszewski	2	18	0	18	0	14	9.0
Jamarri Watson	7	15	8	7	0	8	1.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Alex Martinez	5-16-2	39	0	13	2
J. Hunniford	3-6-0	21	0	11	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Elliott Pipkin	3	27	0	13
Jair Myrick	2	17	0	11
Vance McShane	1	7	0	7
Nick Czeszewski	1	5	0	5

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Kyle Hassert	4	196	49.0	61	1	0
J. Hunniford	1	46	46.0	46	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Nick Czeszewski	1	7	0	7

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Nick Czeszewski	3	74	0	27
Vance McShane	2	42	0	25

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Danny Saracco	4-3	7	0.0	0.0
Tim Walsh	2-5	7	0.0	0.0
Josh Hettiger	5-1	6	1.0	1.5
Brenton Johnson	3-3	6	0.0	0.0

## Illinois State

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Birch,Jordan	5	54	2	52	1	32	10.4
Smith,Markel	9	51	0	51	1	11	5.7
Robinson,James	9	51	6	45	2	13	5.0
Kielbasa,Nick	8	29	2	27	1	7	3.4

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Davis,Brady	12-19-0	123	1	35	0
Kolbe,Jake	6-10-0	50	0	17	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Schnell,Spencer	5	39	0	17
Haley,Braxton	4	53	0	35
Edgar,Andrew	2	22	0	12
Robinson,James	2	4	0	2

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Bohlken,JT	3	121	40.3	68	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Robinson,James	1	-2	0	0
Schnell,Spencer	1	20	0	20

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
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Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Broadnax,Malach	5-2	7	0.0	1.0
Mathews,Zackary	2-3	5	1.0	2.0
Kelly-Martin,De	2-3	5	0.5	1.5
Georgie,Trey	1-4	5	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	12:32	ILS - Robinson,James 13 yd run (Fenlason,Sam kick), 1-13 0:07	0 - 7
	02:13	ILS - Petkovich,Tylor 15 yd pass from Davis,Brady (Fenlason,Sam kick), 2-9 0:39	0 - 14
2nd	08:35	ILS - Fenlason,Sam 37 yd field goal, 7-17 3:30	0 - 17
	04:27	ILS - Birch,Jordan 32 yd run (Fenlason,Sam kick), 6-55 2:08	0 - 24
3rd	11:27	ILS - Robinson,James 11 yd run (Fenlason,Sam kick), 6-65 0:00	0 - 31
	07:45	ILS - Smith,Markel 2 yd run (Fenlason,Sam kick), 7-24 2:08	0 - 38
4th	10:18	ILS - Kielbasa,Nick 7 yd run (Fenlason,Sam kick blockd), 10-61 4:35	0 - 44
	08:42	ILS - TEAM safety	0 - 46

**EASTERN ILLINOIS AT NO. 19 ILLINOIS STATE**

SEPTEMBER 8, 2018 // HANCOCK STADIUM // NORMAL, ILLINOIS

	EIU	ILS
Score	10	48
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	20	22
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	42-195	37-254
<b>PASSING YDS (NET)</b>	161	328
Passes Att-Comp-Int	36-22-1	24-18-0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	78-356	61-582
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-4
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-23	2-83
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-38.8	1-17.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-25	6-55
Possession Time	28:28	31:32
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 18	6 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 6	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	4-4

**Eastern Illinois**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
SCOTT, Jamal	17	99	3	96	1	31	5.6
BRANTLEY, John	11	47	5	42	0	14	3.8
JOHNSON, Isaiah	6	34	0	34	0	16	5.7
McCULLOUGH, D	4	20	0	20	0	6	5.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
WOODBERRY, Harry	13-21-1	109	0	45	0
BRANTLEY, John	9-15-0	52	0	10	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
HOLLINS, A.	7	74	0	45
PHILLIPS, Teriq	3	20	0	8
GOOCH, Aaron	3	0	0	10
COLUMBUS, Robert	2	15	0	13

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
BRUNO, Nick	4	155	38.8	45	2	1

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
REYNA, Matt	1	15	0	15
DEAN, Nolan	1	8	0	8

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
CAPUTO, Joe	7-6	13	0.0	1.0
WILLIAMS, Mark	7-1	8	0.0	0.0
PAGE, Cornelius	7-0	7	0.0	0.0
PRICE, Josh	4-1	5	0.0	0.0

**Illinois State**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Robinson, James	15	154	1	153	1	42	10.2
Smith, Markel	15	86	0	86	0	14	5.7
Davis, Brady	4	14	0	14	1	6	3.5
Birch, Jordan	2	3	0	3	0	2	1.5

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Davis, Brady	17-23-0	317	4	97	0
Kolbe, Jake	1-1-0	11	0	11	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Schnell, Spencer	8	174	2	97
Edgar, Andrew	4	82	1	42
Haley, Braxton	3	53	0	32
Nagel, Austin	1	11	0	11

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Bohlken, JT	1	17	17.0	17	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Schnell, Spencer	1	4	0	4

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Uphoff, Christia	2	83	0	58

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Mathews, Zackary	4-4	8	0.0	1.0
Washington, DeMa	2-6	8	0.0	1.0
Edwards, Willie	4-3	7	0.0	0.5
Kirk, Luther	3-2	5	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	02:31	ILS - Edgar, Andrew 42 yd pass from Davis, Brady (Fenlason, Sam kick), 8-95 3:39	0 - 7
2nd	11:35	ILS - Davis, Brady 3 yd run (Fenlason, Sam kick), 7-80 3:41	0 - 14
	08:25	ILS - Schnell, Spencer 97 yd pass from Davis, Brady (Fenlason, Sam kick), 1-97 0:13	0 - 21
	03:28	ILS - Schnell, Spencer 33 yd pass from Davis, Brady (Fenlason, Sam kick), 7-63 3:06	0 - 28
3rd	10:50	ILS - Fenlason, Sam 37 yd field goal, 6-13 3:26	0 - 31
	08:26	EIU - SEVERINO, Matt 39 yd field goal, 8-48 2:18	3 - 31
	05:48	ILS - Gillum, Robert 3 yd pass from Davis, Brady (Fenlason, Sam kick), 5-42 2:30	3 - 38
	01:18	EIU - SCOTT, Jamal 6 yd run (SEVERINO, Matt kick), 11-65 4:30	10 - 38
4th	12:21	ILS - Robinson, James 6 yd run (Fenlason, Sam kick), 7-75 3:57	10 - 45
	05:28	ILS - Fenlason, Sam 38 yd field goal, 8-35 4:29	10 - 48

**NO. 15 ILLINOIS STATE AT COLORADO STATE**

SEPTEMBER 22, 2018 // CANVAS STADIUM // FORT COLLINS, COLORADO

	ILS	CSU
Score	35	19
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	22	25
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	42-267	31-134
<b>PASSING YDS (NET)</b>	271	257
Passes Att-Comp-Int	29-14-0	44-24-2
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	71-538	75-391
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-26	3-20
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-17	4-119
Interception Returns-Yards	2-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-51.4	6-52.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-81	9-79
Possession Time	30:50	29:10
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 14	6 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	3-4

**Illinois State**

<b>Rushing</b>	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Robinson, James	22	185	1	184	2	57	8.4
Smith, Markel	14	65	0	65	1	14	4.6
Birch, Jordan	3	10	0	10	0	7	3.3
Kielbasa, Nick	2	8	0	8	0	6	4.0

<b>Passing</b>	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Davis, Brady	14-29-0	271	2	60	0

<b>Receiving</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Edgar, Andrew	5	111	0	43
Schnell, Spencer	5	69	0	18
Smith, Markel	1	60	1	60
Petkovich, Tylor	1	12	1	12

<b>Punting</b>	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Bohlken, JT	7	360	51.4	60	3	3

<b>Punt Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Schnell, Spencer	2	26	0	19

<b>Kick Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Uphoff, Christia	1	17	0	17

<b>Tackles</b>	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Mathews, Zackary	4-6	10	0.0	0.0
Taylor, Devin	6-2	8	0.0	0.0
Edwards, Willie	5-1	6	0.0	0.0
Kirk, Luther	2-4	6	0.0	0.0

**Colorado State**

<b>Rushing</b>	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
MATTHEWS, I.	14	75	4	71	0	13	5.1
KINSEY JR., M.	9	51	0	51	0	14	5.7
CARTA-SAMUELS	3	13	0	13	0	5	4.3
MCELROY, M.	1	4	0	4	0	4	4.0

<b>Passing</b>	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
CARTA-SAMUELS	15-27-1	142	2	38	0
HILL, C.	9-17-1	115	1	25	2

<b>Receiving</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
JOHNSON, O.	7	107	1	38
KINSEY JR., M.	4	63	1	22
HALL, N.	3	33	1	17
BUTLER, C.	3	25	0	12

<b>Punting</b>	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
STONEHOUSE, R.	6	315	52.5	68	1	1

<b>Punt Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
JOHNSON, O.	3	20	0	18

<b>Kick Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
HAWKINS, A.	3	89	0	45
PRENTICE, A.	1	30	0	30

<b>Tackles</b>	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
HICKS, J.	7-3	10	0.0	1.0
WATSON, J.	5-5	10	0.0	0.0
SMITH, C.	2-5	7	0.0	0.0
THOMAS, T.	1-5	6	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	02:21	CSU - JOHNSON, O. 9 yd pass from CARTA-SAMUELS (BRYAN, W. kick failed), 14-80 5:27	0 - 6
2nd	10:42	ILS - Robinson, James 2 yd run (Fenlason, Sam kick), 6-70 2:02	7 - 6
	00:02	ILS - Smith, Markel 1 yd run (Fenlason, Sam kick), 16-80 5:16	14 - 6
3rd	12:35	ILS - Petkovich, Tylor 12 yd pass from Davis, Brady (Fenlason, Sam kick), 5-75 0:00	21 - 6
	04:00	CSU - HALL, N. 17 yd pass from CARTA-SAMUELS (BRYAN, W. kick), 7-60 3:02	21 - 13
4th	09:25	ILS - Smith, Markel 60 yd pass from Davis, Brady (Fenlason, Sam kick), 3-51 1:17	28 - 13
	02:48	ILS - Robinson, James 57 yd run (Fenlason, Sam kick), 1-57 0:10	35 - 13
	01:36	CSU - KINSEY JR., M. 14 yd pass from HILL, C. (JACKSON, W. pass failed), 5-40 1:01	35 - 19

**NO. 9 ILLINOIS STATE AT MISSOURI STATE**

SEPTEMBER 29, 2018 // PLASTER STADIUM // SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI

	ILS	MSU
Score	21	24
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	18	23
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	26-128	48-162
<b>PASSING YDS (NET)</b>	240	232
Passes Att-Comp-Int	42-22-0	32-22-2
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	68-368	80-394
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	3-9
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-50	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	2-12	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-42.9	5-35.8
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-80	4-52
Possession Time	25:37	34:23
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 13	6 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-4	3-4

**Illinois State**

<b>Rushing</b>	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Smith,Markel	6	80	0	80	0	50	13.3
Robinson,James	13	56	2	54	0	15	4.2
Birch,Jordan	1	7	0	7	0	7	7.0
Adams, Brian	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

<b>Passing</b>	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Davis,Brady	20-38-0	226	3	43	2
Kolbe,Jake	2-3-0	14	0	8	1

<b>Receiving</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Robinson,James	6	97	1	43
Schnell,Spencer	5	71	2	37
Edgar,Andrew	4	33	0	12
Birch,Jordan	3	23	0	17

<b>Punting</b>	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Bohlken,JT	8	343	42.9	53	4	1

<b>Punt Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long

<b>Kick Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Uphoff,Christia	1	31	0	31
Birch,Jordan	1	19	0	19

<b>Tackles</b>	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Mathews,Zackary	10-6	16	0.0	0.0
Brees,Mitchell	3-6	9	0.0	0.0
Kirk,Luther	2-6	8	0.0	0.0
DeForest,Ty	1-7	8	0.0	0.0

**Missouri State**

<b>Rushing</b>	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Jason Randall	21	71	8	63	1	12	3.0
Peyton Huslig	17	55	3	52	1	10	3.1
Donovan Daniels	7	33	0	33	1	15	4.7
Damoriera Vick	2	15	0	15	0	8	7.5

<b>Passing</b>	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Peyton Huslig	22-32-2	232	0	36	1

<b>Receiving</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Damoriera Vick	7	99	0	36
Jordan Murray	4	53	0	18
Tyler Currie	4	35	0	16
Lorenzo Thomas	3	33	0	13

<b>Punting</b>	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Brendan Withrow	5	179	35.8	44	1	0

<b>Punt Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Tre Betts	2	11	0	10
Zack Sanders	1	-2	0	0

<b>Kick Returns</b>	No.	Yards	TD	Long

<b>Tackles</b>	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
McNeece Egbim	6-3	9	1.0	1.0
Darius Joseph	6-2	8	0.0	0.0
Angelo Garbutt	3-3	6	0.0	0.0
Kam Carter	3-2	5	0.0	1.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	03:54	MSU - Parker Lacina 42 yd field goal, 9-43 3:50	0 - 3
2nd	05:18	MSU - Peyton Huslig 5 yd run (Parker Lacina kick), 8-50 3:24	0 - 10
3rd	08:15	ILS - Schnell,Spencer 5 yd pass from Davis,Brady (Fenlason,Sam kick), 7-51 3:17	7 - 10
	07:04	ILS - Schnell,Spencer 4 yd pass from Davis,Brady (Fenlason,Sam kick), 2-19 0:37	14 - 10
	02:57	MSU - Donovan Daniels 5 yd run (Parker Lacina kick), 10-75 4:07	14 - 17
4th	07:56	MSU - Jason Randall 1 yd run (Parker Lacina kick), 10-80 4:33	14 - 24
	03:15	ILS - Robinson,James 43 yd pass from Davis,Brady (Fenlason,Sam kick), 2-43 0:17	21 - 24

## WESTERN ILLINOIS AT NO. 14 ILLINOIS STATE

OCTOBER 6, 2018 // HANCOCK STADIUM // NORMAL, ILLINOIS

	WIU	ILS
Score	16	33
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	9	22
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	21-57	47-150
<b>PASSING YDS (NET)</b>	220	120
Passes Att-Comp-Int	35-14-1	25-11-0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	56-277	72-270
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-55	7-47
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-122	4-62
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-39
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-45.2	9-47.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	11-108	4-42
Possession Time	24:07	35:53
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 14	4 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-4

## Western Illinois

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
McShane, Steve	8	19	1	18	0	5	2.2
Ratkovich, C.	1	11	0	11	0	11	11.0
Norris, Max	3	9	0	9	0	4	3.0
Johnson, V.	1	9	0	9	0	9	9.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
McGuire, Sean	14-35-1	220	2	71	2

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
McShane, Steve	4	41	1	35
Ratkovich, C.	4	19	0	9
Brunner, John	3	67	0	33
Tate, Tony	2	87	1	71

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Fellner, Adam	9	407	45.2	55	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
McShane, Steve	3	55	0	23

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Tate, Tony	3	83	0	41
Lesure, Isaiah	2	39	0	28

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Moon, Quentin	7-4	11	0.0	1.5
Saunders, K.	2-7	9	1.0	2.5
Carrera, Eric	5-3	8	0.0	0.0
Swenson, Pete	3-5	8	1.0	3.5

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Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Robinson, James	29	154	9	145	3	31	5.0
Smith, Markel	11	24	6	18	0	8	1.6
Davis, Brady	7	13	26	-13	0	6	-1.9

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Davis, Brady	11-25-0	120	0	27	4

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Schnell, Spencer	7	79	0	27
Haley, Braxton	2	25	0	14
Petkovich, Tylor	1	9	0	9
Robinson, James	1	7	0	7

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Bohlken, JT	9	423	47.0	61	5	1

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Schnell, Spencer	7	47	0	20

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Uphoff, Christia	3	49	0	22
Patterson, Kentr	1	13	0	13

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Mathews, Zackary	6-1	7	0.0	1.0
McKnight, Romeo	3-2	5	1.0	1.0
DeForest, Ty	4-0	4	0.0	0.0
Clark, Tuvone	3-1	4	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	11:41	WIU - Tate, Tony 16 yd pass from McGuire, Sean (Crosa, Sam kick blockd), 6-59 3:19	6 - 0
	11:41	ILS - Edwards, Willie PAT return	6 - 2
2nd	10:15	ILS - Robinson, James 12 yd run (Bohlken, JT kick), 7-46 3:44	6 - 9
	03:59	ILS - Bohlken, JT 22 yd field goal, 6-57 2:57	6 - 12
	01:00	WIU - McShane, Steve 35 yd pass from McGuire, Sean (Crosa, Sam kick), 1-35 0:08	13 - 12
3rd	07:21	WIU - Crosa, Sam 21 yd field goal, 7-77 4:05	16 - 12
4th	10:31	ILS - Robinson, James 11 yd run (Bohlken, JT kick), 6-52 3:11	16 - 19
	04:28	ILS - Kirk, Luther 39 yd interception return (Bohlken, JT kick)	16 - 26
	00:10	ILS - Robinson, James 2 yd run (Bohlken, JT kick), 7-25 3:06	16 - 33