



2026 GAME NOTES

SCHEDULE

Bye Week: Oct. 17

SEPTEMBER

5	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI (ESPN+)	Noon
12	*at Iowa (NBC)	6:30 p.m.
19	BOWLING GREEN (ESPN2)	11 a.m.
26	*UTAH	TBA

OCTOBER

3	*WEST VIRGINIA (HC)	TBA
9	*at BYU (ESPN)	9:15 p.m.
24	*at Arizona	TBA
31	*OKLAHOMA STATE	TBA

NOVEMBER

7	*at Baylor	TBA
14	*CINCINNATI	TBA
20	*at UCF (FS1)	5 p.m.
28	*KANSAS STATE	TBA

DECEMBER

4	+Big 12 Football Championship (ABC)	7 p.m.
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ALL TIMES CENTRAL

* Big 12 Conference Game

^ Iowa Corn Cy-Hawk Series HC - Homecoming

+ Big 12 Football Championship (Arlington, Texas)

QUICK FACTS

Location	Ames, Iowa
Founded	1858
Enrollment	31,105
Nickname	Cyclones
Mascot	Cy
Colors	Cardinal & Gold
Affiliation	NCAA Division I FBS
Conference	Big 12
Facility	MidAmerican Energy Field at Jack Trice Stadium
Capacity	61,500
President	David Cook
Director of Athletics	Jamie Pollard
All-Time Record	585-685-46 (.462)

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IOWA STATE FOOTBALL

58 ALL-AMERICANS | 129 NFL DRAFT PICKS | 19 BOWL GAME APPEARANCES

THE MATCHUP



IOWA STATE
CYCLONES

VS



SOUTHEAST MISSOURI
REDHAWKS

Overall Record	0-0
Big 12 Record	0-0
Rankings (AP/Coaches)	NR/NR
Head Coach	Jimmy Rogers
Overall Record	33-9 (4th year)
ISU Record	0-0 (1st year)

Overall Record	1-0
OVC-Big South Record	0-0
Rankings (AP/Coaches)	NR/NR
Head Coach	Tom Matukewicz
Overall Record	69-71 (13th year)
SEMO Record	68-71 (13th year)

BROADCAST INFORMATION

Date/Time: Sept. 5, 2026 / Noon
Location/Stadium (Capacity): Ames, Iowa / MidAmerican Energy Field at Jack Trice Stadium (61,500)



Play-by-Play: Shawn Kenney
Analyst: Todd Doxzon



Play-by-Play: John Walters
Analyst: Eric Heft
Sideline: Ryan Harklau

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Live stats available on
cyclones.com

THE LEAD

Iowa State opens the Jimmy Rogers era against Southeast Missouri. It is the 135th season in program history and ISU's 52nd season playing at Jack Trice Stadium. The Cyclones are facing SEMO for the second time in five seasons (2022).

KEY STORYLINES

- Rogers, who has spent the previous three seasons at South Dakota State (2023-24) and Washington State (2025), makes his Cyclone debut as a head coach ... he is the 34th head coach in program history.
- The Cyclone roster underwent a nearly complete overhaul ... of the 126 players on the roster, 83 are newcomers to the program.
- Iowa State has posted a winning record in eight of the last 10 seasons.
- Since the start of the 2024 season, ISU owns a .731 winning percentage (19-7), tied for 17th nationally during that time and third among Big 12 teams.
- ISU has 26 wins since the start of 2023, a new school record for victories in a three-year period and among the nation's top 30 during that period ... it is third-best among Big 12 teams.
- ISU has had a player post either 100 rushing or receiving yards in nine-straight games.
- ISU has rushed for at least 150 yards in seven-straight games, its longest streak since 2020 ... only four FBS teams (ISU, Navy, South Alabama, Utah) have a streak of at least seven games with 150 rushing yards.
- Iowa State makes the transition from Jon Heacock's three-man defensive front to four in the trenches, which has brought Rogers and new defensive coordinator Jesse Bobbit great success at South Dakota State and Washington State ... Rogers and Bobbit's system has been stout, ranking first (FCS), fifth (FCS) and 15th (FBS) nationally in total defense in three seasons at their previous stops.
- Cyclone quarterback Jaylen Raynor transferred in after three seasons at Arkansas State ... he is second nationally among active QBs with 36 career starts, winning 20 games ... Raynor leads the nation's active signal callers with eight fourth quarter game-winning drives ... he has played at Jack Trice Stadium previously, starting games against the Cyclones the last two seasons, which included in Ames in 2024.
- Iowa State returns one of the nation's top kickers in Kyle Konrardy ... Konrardy has five 50-yard kicks in his career, including a pair of game-winners from 54 yards and a career-best of 63 yards.
- Isaac Terrell had a breakout junior season playing defensive end at Washington State in 2025 ... he was named Pac-12 Conference Top Defensive Line Performer after finishing with 28 tackles, including 12 for loss and seven sacks.
- Between Konrardy and RB/Return Specialist Aiden Flora, ISU returns five Big 12 Special Teams Player of the Week honorees from 2025 ... the Cyclones also added Cameron Pettaway, who was an FWAA All-American and First Team All-MAC as a kick returner.

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MEDIA INFORMATION

COACH ROGERS MEDIA INTERVIEWS

■ **TUESDAY:** Jimmy Rogers' weekly press conference will take place every Tuesday of game week at approximately 12:15 p.m. The press conference will be held inside the media room located on the second floor of the Stark Performance Center.

■ **POSTGAME:** For home games, Coach Rogers' postgame press conference will take place inside the media room located on the second floor of the Stark Performance Center.

For road games, Coach Rogers' postgame press conference will be held in the visiting team's postgame room.

STUDENT-ATHLETE INTERVIEWS

■ **TUESDAY:** Select student-athletes will be available prior to Coach Rogers' weekly press conference at approximately 11:30 a.m. inside the media room located on the second floor of the Stark Performance Center.

■ **POSTGAME:** For home games, select student-athletes will be available following Rogers' postgame press conference inside the media room located on the second floor of the Stark Performance Center.

For road games, select student-athletes will be available following Coach Rogers' postgame press conference in the visiting team's postgame room.

COORDINATOR INTERVIEWS

■ **TUESDAY:** Offensive coordinator Tyler Roehl and defensive coordinator Jesse Bobbit will be available on alternating Tuesdays after student-athlete interviews are completed but prior to Coach Rogers' weekly press conference.

VIDEO ON-DEMAND

All coach and student-athlete interviews are available following the press conference on-demand at Cyclones.com or in Iowa State's media share folder.

Credentialed media can request access to the media share folder by contacting a member of the Iowa State Athletics Communications team.

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JACK TRICE STADIUM GAMEDAY INFORMATION

MEDIA WILL CALL

For media members picking up their credentials, pickup can be arranged **Monday-Friday of game week** at the Iowa State Athletics Communications Offices on the second floor of the Jacobson Athletic Building.

On Gameday, credential pickup is located at the ticket office inside the Jacobson Athletic Building, located on the north side of Jack Trice Stadium. Gameday pickup opens three hours prior to kickoff. Those needing to obtain their credential from will call will have their names on a pass list at the Fast Pass entrance between Lot 85E and the Jacobson Building.

MEDIA PARKING

Media members approved for media parking can park in Lot G10 located at the end of the pedestrian bridge on the east side of Jack Trice Stadium. The entrance for Lot G10 is located on S 4th Street near the Haunted Forest.

Parking passes are digital and accessed via mobile devices through email via Ticketmaster.

MEDIA ENTRANCE

Media will enter the stadium through the Jacobson Athletic Building on the north end of Jack Trice Stadium. Proceed up the stairs to the second floor to the east concourse to the base of the press box.

PRESS BOX

The press box elevator will be held for home and visiting coaches five minutes prior to the game, five minutes prior to halftime and at the end of the game.

The press box will close **TWO** hours following the game's conclusion.

Cheering is not permitted on the media level of the press box and a professional work environment is to be maintained at all times.

PHOTO/VIDEO WORK AREA

A photo/video work area is available in the common space outside of the Iowa State Athletics Communications offices on the second floor of the Jacobson Athletic Building.

POSTGAME MEDIA WORK AREA

Additional media work space is available inside Hunziker Auditorium, located on the second floor of the Jacobson Athletic Building, following the game. The Jacobson Athletic Building will close **THREE** hours after the game's conclusion.

STATS DISTRIBUTION

Live stats can be accessed at cyclones.com.

Box scores will also be distributed at the half and postgame.

POSTGAME PRESS CONFERENCE

Iowa State's postgame press conference will take place in the media room located on the second floor of the Stark Performance Center.

The visiting team postgame press conference room is located on the field level of the Jacobson Athletic Building. To access, media should enter through the double doors underneath the Iowa State marching band section in the north end zone.



THE ROGERS FILE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Born: March 13, 1987 (age 39)
Hometown: Chandler, Ariz.
High School: Hamilton
Wife: Haley
Children: Daughter: Reese; Son: Trace
Education: South Dakota State (2009)

PLAYING CAREER

2006-09 South Dakota State, Linebacker

COACHING CAREER

2010-11 South Dakota State, GA
2011-12 Florida Atlantic, GA
2013-18 South Dakota State, Linebackers
2019-21 South Dakota State, Co-Def. Coordinator/
Asst. Head Coach/ Linebackers
2022 South Dakota State, Def. Coordinat
2023-24 South Dakota State, Head Coach
2025 Washington State, Head Coach
2026-present Iowa State, Head Coach

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS (2)

2022 South Dakota State (def. coordinator)
2023 South Dakota State (head coach)

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS (6)

2007 Great West - South Dakota State (player)
2016 Missouri Valley Football - South Dakota State (assistant)
2020 Missouri Valley Football - South Dakota State (assistant)
2022 Missouri Valley Football - South Dakota State (assistant)
2023 Missouri Valley Football - South Dakota State (HC)
2024 Missouri Valley Football - South Dakota State (HC)

FCS PLAYOFF/BOWL GAME APPEARANCES AS A COACH (13)

2013 South Dakota State, FCS Second Round
2014 South Dakota State, FCS Second Round
2015 South Dakota State, FCS First Round
2016 South Dakota State, FCS Quarterfinals
2017 South Dakota State, FCS Semifinals
2018 South Dakota State, FCS Semifinals
2019 South Dakota State, FCS Second Round
2020 South Dakota State, FCS Runner-Up
2021 South Dakota State, FCS Semifinals
2022 South Dakota State, FCS National Champions
2023 South Dakota State, FCS National Champions
2024 South Dakota State, FCS Semifinals
2025 Washington State, Famous Idaho Potato Bowl*

* Did Not Coach

HONORS

2023 Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year
2022 FootballScoop Coordinator of the Year

HEAD COACH JIMMY ROGERS

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ROGERS QUICK HITS

- Became the 34th head football coach in Iowa State history on Dec. 5, 2025 when he agreed to a six-year contract that runs through the 2031 season.
- Was part of a 29-game winning streak at South Dakota State from 2022-23.
- On staff when South Dakota State won three-straight Missouri Valley Football Conference championships (2022-24) and five total championships.
- Member of two FCS National Championship teams at South Dakota State, both as an assistant coach and a head coach: 2022 (defensive coordinator) & 2023 (head coach).
- Owns a 21-6 (.778) record in his first season at his previous two coaching stops ... overall as a college coach (exluding grad assistant), has posted a 130-45 record.
- Has never coached on a team that posted a losing record since becoming a full-time assistant coach in 2013.
- Two-time all-conference linebacker at South Dakota State ... team went 29-17 overall and won the Great West Conference in 2007 ... member of 2009 team that was first in program history to reach the FCS Playoffs.

JIMMY ROGERS YEAR-BY-YEAR BREAKDOWN

Year	School	Record	Conf.	Postseason	Non-Con	Home	Road	Neutral	vs. Top 25
2023	South Dakota State	15-0	8-0	FCS National Champs	7-0	9-0	4-0	2-0	10-0
2024	South Dakota State	12-3	7-1	FCS Semifinals	5-2	8-0	4-3	0-0	6-3
At South Dakota State		27-3 (.800)	15-1 (.938)	Two Playoff Berths	12-2	17-0	8-3	2-0	16-3
2025	Washington State	6-6	0-0	Famous Idaho Potato Bowl*	6-6	5-1	1-5	0-0	0-3
At Washington State		6-6 (.500)	0-0 (.000)	One Bowl Game	6-6	5-1	1-5	0-0	0-3
2026	Iowa State	0-0	0-0	-	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
At Iowa State		0-0 (.000)	0-0 (.000)	-	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Overall		33-9 (.786)	15-1 (.938)	3 Postseason App.	18-8	22-1	9-8	2-0	16-6
Overall FBS		6-6 (.500)	0-0 (.000)	1 Bowl Game	6-6	5-1	1-5	0-0	0-3

*Did Not Coach 2025 Famous Idaho Potato Bowl



ROSTER BREAKDOWN

- By the numbers breakdown of the Cyclone roster this season:

0

ISU returns zero starters on offense and defense, making it the only Power-4 program with no experience returning. The only other FBS team with zero starters returning is North Texas.

5

The Cyclones brought in five transfers from NCAA Division II, led by LB Tristan Exline (UT Permian Basin), a First Team All-American in 2025.

10

ISU has 10 players from the Football Championship Subdivision (FCS).

1

One of the players, CB Seth Johnson, won the 2025 FCS National Championships at Montana State.

2

Two were FCS All-Americans in 2025: OL Braden Smith (Tarleton State) and LB Montreze Smith Jr. (Austin Peay).

4

Four of the 10 started their careers at the Power-4 Level: DE Caden Crawford (Iowa), S Micah Harper (BYU), WR Cody Jackson (Oklahoma), LB Montreze Smith Jr. (Duke).

6

Six played on teams that reached the FCS Playoffs in 2025.

10

Ten transfer players in the trenches on each side of the ball, the most among the position groups.

15

Fifteen players followed Rogers from Washington State to Iowa State.

16

ISU has 16 total starts returning from 2025 (WR Dominic Overby 3, DE Jace Gilbert 3, LB Carson Willich 3, S Drew Surges 3, S Caden Matson 1, CB David Coffey 1).

43

Forty-three players returned to Iowa State following the coaching change.

78

Seventy-eight of 121 players on last year's Iowa State roster left the program.

83

Iowa State has 83 newcomers on its roster this fall.

126

The roster with 126 players on it make it the third-largest non-service academy roster in FBS.

IOWA STATE FOOTBALL COACHING STAFF

Name	Position	Year at ISU	College
On Field Coaches			
Jalon Bibbs	Defensive Line	1st	Northern State
Rob Grande	Special Teams Coordinator	7th	Salisbury
Keith Heckendorf	Quarterbacks	1st	St. Cloud State
Seth Hestness	Tight Ends	1st	Wartburg
John Johnson	Running Backs	1st	Oklahoma State
Pete Menage	Safeties	1st	South Dakota State
Derrick Sherman	Wide Receivers	1st	Morgan State
Jake Thornton	Offensive Line	1st	Western Carolina
Ross Watson	SAM/Nickels/Pass Game Coord.	1st	Mount Union
In the Booth			
Mike Banks	Cornerbacks	1st	Illinois State
Jesse Bobbit	Defensive Coordinator	1st	South Dakota State
Tyler Roehl	Offensive Coordinator	1st	North Dakota State
Peyton Cox	Asst. Offensive Line	1st	Ole Miss
Preston Gordon	Asst. Defensive Line	1st	Rice
Houston Griffith	Asst. Defensive Backs	1st	Notre Dame
Jake Menage	Asst. Wide Receivers	1st	South Dakota State
Ron Pavlik	Asst. Special Teams	1st	South Dakota State
Jacob Studdard	Asst. Special Teams	1st	Grand Valley State
Sean Chambers	Quality Control/Offense	1st	Montana State
Matt Lenti	Quality Control/Defense	1st	Dayton
Kyle Saddler	Quality Control/Offense	1st	Augustana (S.D.)
Payton Shafer	Quality Control/Defense	1st	South Dakota State
Chris Campbell	Dir. of FB Str. & Cond.	1st	Iowa State
Tom Farniok	Deputy Dir. of FB Str. & Cond.	1st	Iowa State
Ramble Johnson	Asst. Strength & Conditioning	1st	Mississippi State
Nathan Peoples	Asst. Strength & Conditioning	1st	Mississippi State
Abe Spencer	Asst. Strength & Conditioning	1st	Oklahoma Christian
Football Support Staff			
Jon Shaeffer	Chief of Staff	1st	South Dakota State
Ricky Ciccone	General Manager	1st	Mount Union
Leon Douglas	Dir. of Player Development	1st	Missouri Western
Kris Kracht	Head of Player Performance & Culture	1st	Mary
Emma Breidenbach	Asst. Director/FB Operations	1st	Washington State
Erica Genise	Asst. for Football Operations	15th	Iowa
Tony Calcutta	Dir. of Recruiting	1st	Wesley (Del.)
Taylor Ewald	Dir. of On-Campus Recruiting	1st	North Dakota State
Alex Self	Dir. of Player Personnel	1st	Louisiana
Owen Baebler	Asst. Dir. of Player Personnel	1st	Washington State
Price Burton	Asst. Dir. of Player Personnel	1st	Northern Michigan
Andy Lucas	Dir. of Recruiting Communications	1st	UW-Whitewater
Nick Meltz	Recruiting Operations Asst.	1st	Washington State
Bailey Wright	Dir. of Creative	1st	Indiana
Max Paxton	Asst. Dir. of Creative	1st	Iowa State
Michael Montgomery	Dir. of FB Sports Medicine	1st	Iowa State
Samantha Carhart	Athletic Trainer	4th	Kent State
Nate Postma	Assoc. Dir./Sports Medicine	20th	Iowa State
Rosie Rabin	Athletic Trainer	1st	Indiana
Ty Wheeler	Athletic Trainer	1st	Missouri Southern
Abbie Parizek	Sports Dietitian - FB	4th	Iowa State



NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown (High School/Prev. School)	No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown (High School/Prev. School)
0	Zaimir Hawk***	DT	6-4	303	Jr.#	Hillside, N.J. (Hillside)	47	Tyler Burnstein	DE	6-4	243	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Liberty)
0	Cameron Pettaway	RB	5-10	190	So.#	Farmington Hills, Mich. (Farmington/Bowling Green)	48	Jack Bjorn**	TE	6-7	260	Sr.#	Parkville, Mo. (Park Hill South)
1	Jaylen Raynor	QB	6-1	208	Sr.	Winston-Salem, N.C. (East Forsyth/Arkansas State)	50	Jack Limbaugh	DE	6-3	235	Fr.#	Algona, Iowa (Algona)
1	Keyon Washington	CB	6-1	190	So.#	Waldorf, Md. (Saint Charles/Bowling Green)	51	Maasai King	OL	6-4	310	Sr.#	Camden, N.J. (Camden Big Picture Learning Academy/Akron)
2	Braden Awls	S	6-1	190	Sr.	Sylvania, Ohio (Toledo Central Catholic/Toledo)	52	Kingston Fotuallii	OL	6-3	295	Fr.	Seattle, Wash. (O'Dea)
2	Cody Jackson	WR	6-0	190	Sr.#	Richmond, Texas (Foster/Tarleton State)	53	Jaden Weaver	DT	6-3	300	Fr.	Chicago, Ill. (Carl Sandburg)
3	Arnold Barnes III	RB	5-10	220	Sr.	New Orleans, La. (Booker T. Washington/Tulane)	54	Cade Myer	OL	6-2	295	Sr.#	Frisco, Texas (Wakeland/Colorado School of Mines)
3	Seth Johnson	CB	5-10	180	So.#	Frisco, Texas (Reedy/Montana State)	55	Trevor Bindel	OL	6-4	310	Fr.#	Liberty, Mo. (Liberty/Washington State)
4	Micah Harper	S	5-10	189	Sr.#	Chandler, Ariz. (Basha/Montana)	55	Jace Gilbert*	DE	6-5	270	So.#	Waukesha, Wis. (Arrowhead)
4	Carter Pabst	WR	6-1	200	So.	Wichita, Kan. (Eisenhower/Washington State)	56	Colin Amick	OL	6-6	305	So.#	Sammamish, Wash. (Skyline/Montana)
5	Connor Moberly	QB	6-4	214	So.#	Altoona, Iowa (Southeast Polk)	56	Caleb Schmidt	LS	6-3	225	Jr.	Chaska, Minn. (Chaska/Minot State)
5	Beni Ngoyi***	CB	6-4	193	Jr.#	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln)	57	Ajibola Afuye	DE	6-5	250	Fr.	Stillwater, Minn. (Stillwater)
6	Zane Flores	QB	6-3	215	So.#	Gretna, Neb. (Gretna/Oklahoma State)	57	Gavin Schieler	LS	6-4	223	Fr.#	Normal, Ill. (Normal)
6	Drew Surges**	S	6-1	203	Jr.	Chicago, Ill. (St. Charles North)	59	Daniel Howard	DT	6-3	270	Fr.	Chicago, Ill. (Lane Tech)
7	Salahadin Allah	RB	6-0	225	Jr.	La Marque, Texas (La Marque/Oregon State)	60	Jacob Lyftogt	LS	5-11	235	Jr.	Waukegan, Wis. (Waukegan)
7	Sullivan Schlimgen	LB	6-1	220	So.	Sioux Falls, S.D. (O'Gorman/Washington State)	61	Benji Makelela	OL	6-7	300	Fr.	Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo (Capistrano Valley Christian [Calif.])
8	Evan Boyd	WR	6-3	212	Jr.#	East Lansing, Mich. (East Lansing/Michigan State)							
8	Tristan Exline	LB	6-1	220	Sr.	China Spring, Texas (China Spring/UT Permian Basin)	62	Braden Simonsen	OL	6-3	290	Sr.#	Ankeny, Iowa (Ankeny)
9	Omari Hayes	WR	5-9	175	Sr.	Sarasota, Fla. (Venice/Tulane)	63	Braden Smith	OL	6-4	310	So.#	Franklin, Texas (Franklin/Tarleton State)
9	Jaheim Singletary	CB	6-2	201	Sr.#	Jacksonville, Fla. (Riverside/Arkansas)	64	Brady Harr	OL	6-8	275	Fr.	Hampton, Iowa (Hampton-Dumont)
10	Cash Hayden	TE	6-6	245	So.#	Cincinnati, Ohio (Indian Hill)	65	Garret Rutledge	OL	6-7	310	So.#	Council Bluffs, Iowa (Lewis Central)
10	Carson Willich**	LB	6-1	220	Sr.#	Blue Springs, Mo. (Blue Springs)	66	Derek Worden	OL	6-5	295	Fr.	Queen Creek, Ariz. (Queen Creek)
11	Willie Bland III	LB	6-2	218	Jr.	Wiggins, Miss. (Stone/Mississippi Gulf Coast CC)	68	Makab Sat	OL	6-2	335	Jr.#	Santa Maria, Calif. (St. Joseph/Allen Hancock College)
11	Dominic Overby**	WR	6-5	200	So.#	West Jordan, Utah (West Jordan)	69	Dontrell Holt	OL	6-5	305	So.#	Joplin, Mo. (Joplin)
12	Braden Goellner	WR	6-5	200	Sr.#	Saint Charles, Mo. (West)	70	Gavin Proudfoot	OL	6-7	305	Sr.#	Dresbach, Minn. (Dnalska Luther [Wis.]/Northern Iowa)
12	Ethan Stecker	LB	6-4	227	Fr.#	Spirit Lake, Iowa (Spirit Lake)	71	Gabriel Greenlee**	OL	6-7	300	Sr.#	Ames, Iowa (Ames)
13	Kaleb Bilal-Jones	DT	6-1	294	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Mountain Pointe/Arizona)	72	Austin Barrett*	OL	6-6	315	Jr.#	St. Charles, Ill. (East/Indiana)
13	Jamal Polite Jr.	WR	5-11	185	Fr.	Beaufort, S.C. (Shoemaker [Texas])	74	Gavin Broschious	OL	6-5	303	Jr.#	Surprise, Ariz. (Desert Edge/Michigan State)
14	Drake DeBaun	TE	6-6	255	Fr.	Overland Park, Kan. (Shawnee Mission South)	77	Caden Maas	OL	6-5	315	Jr.#	Watertown, Wis. (Watertown/Sioux Falls)
14	Damarius Russell	S	5-11	186	Fr.#	Waseca, Minn. (Waseca/Washington State)	78	DeAndre Carter	OL	6-5	340	So.#	Temecula, Calif. (Mater Dei/Auburn)
16	Wyatt Bohm	QB	6-4	220	Jr.	Mahomet, Ill. (Mahomet-Seymour)	79	Jake Taylor	OL	6-6	315	Jr.#	Las Vegas, Nev. (Bishop Gorman/Oklahoma)
16	Malcolm Jones	LB	6-1	219	Sr.#	Camilla, Ga. (Lee County/Jacksonville State)	80	Malcolm Watkins	WR	6-0	193	Fr.	Bakersfield, Calif. (Frontier)
17	Jordyn Bailey	WR	5-10	180	Jr.#	Denton, Texas (Ryan/TCU)	81	Luke Galer	TE	6-6	240	Fr.	Loomis, Calif. (Del Oro)
17	Connor Welsch*	LB	6-2	197	So.#	Ankeny, Iowa (Centennial)	82	Trevor Fortenberry	WR	6-3	205	Jr.#	Brookhaven, Miss. (Brookhaven Academy/Copiah-Lincoln CC [Miss.])
18	David Coffey*	CB	6-1	190	So.#	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle)	83	Sam Zelenovich	WR	6-1	197	Fr.#	Altoona, Iowa (Southeast Polk)
18	Hudson Kurland	QB	6-4	193	Fr.	Portland, Ore. (Lake Oswego)	84	Drew Byrd	TE	6-4	228	Fr.	Meridian, Idaho (Rocky Mountain)
19	Tyler Fortenberry	TE	6-5	245	Sr.#	Brookhaven, Miss. (Brookhaven Academy/Arkansas State)	85	Keaton Roskop*	TE	6-3	240	So.#	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Linn-Mar)
19	Eddie Lemos*	S	5-10	187	Sr.#	Loveland, Colo. (Resurrection Christian)	86	Ray Coffey	WR	5-10	195	Sr.#	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle/Olivet Nazarene)
20	Caleb Francois	RB	6-2	210	Fr.	Minnetonka, Minn. (Minnetonka)	87	Jordan Vyborny	TE	6-5	235	Fr.	Rockford, Ill. (Corner Canyon [Utah]/Oklahoma State)
20	Trillion Sorrell	CB	6-1	175	Fr.#	Bloomington, Minn. (Edina/Washington State)	88	Christian Greenlaw	TE	6-5	245	Jr.#	Newport News, Va. (Woodside/Hampton)
21	Aiden Flora**	RB	6-0	195	So.#	Adel, Iowa (ADM)	88	Isaac Terrell	DE	6-2	255	Sr.	Lehi, Utah (Lehi/Washington State)
21	Duhron Goodman	S	6-0	193	Sr.#	Pacoima, Calif. (Valencia/Washington State)	89	Ty Claiborne	WR	6-2	215	Sr.#	Lenexa, Kan. (St. James Academy)
22	Xavier Martinez	S	6-1	202	Jr.	Chicago, Ill. (Hoffman Estates/Northern Michigan)	89	Donovan Fitzmaurice	DT	6-3	284	So.	St. Louis, Mo. (Marquette/Washington State)
22	Ryver Peppers	RB	5-11	190	Fr.#	Independence, Mo. (Fort Osage)	90	Jareb Ramos	DT	6-4	284	Sr.#	Centennial, Colo. (Arapahoe/Montana)
23	Carson Robbins*	WR	6-0	187	So.#	Altoona, Iowa (Southeast Polk)	91	Blake Hawkins	DE	6-4	235	So.#	Gretna, Neb. (Gretna/Iowa Western CC)
24	Brody Miller	S	6-1	186	Fr.#	Shakopee, Minn. (Shakopee/Washington State)	92	Caden Crawford	DE	6-4	251	Sr.#	Lansing, Kan. (Lansing/South Dakota)
25	Easton Miller**	RB	6-1	230	Jr.#	Ankeny, Iowa (Centennial)	93	Greg Hubbard	PK	6-2	215	Fr.	Louisville, Colo. (Centaurus)
26	Tyrone Cotton III	CB	6-1	178	Fr.#	Chicago, Ill. (Glenbrook South/Washington State)	93	Jack Janikowski	DE	6-2	255	Jr.#	Fallbrook, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic/Washington State)
27	Gabriel Wilson	RB	5-9	190	Fr.	Houston, Texas (Cypress Falls)	94	Jake Jones	DT	6-2	292	Fr.	Gilbert, Ariz. (Campo Verde)
29	Torrence "Toe" Sanders	CB	6-2	185	Fr.	New Orleans, La. (Edna Karr)	94	Chase Smith*	PK	5-10	210	So.	Eldridge, Iowa (North Scott)
31	Montreze Smith Jr.	LB	5-11	214	So.#	Carrollton, Ga. (Carrollton/Austin Peay)	95	Ethan Gurney	P	6-3	201	Fr.	Adelaide, Australia (Mercedes College)
32	Angelo Jackson	CB	6-1	196	So.#	Davenport, Iowa (Assumption)	95	Ka'Mori Moore	DT	6-1	304	Fr.#	Lee's Summit, Mo. (North)
33	Zach Eskildsen	WR	6-2	185	Fr.	Frisco, Texas (Centennial)	96	Chet Andrews**	DE	6-3	245	Sr.#	Huntley, Ill. (Huntley)
33	Brady Hummel	S	6-0	185	Fr.	Jamestown, N.D. (Spanish Springs [Nev.])	97	Max Baloun	DT	6-6	293	Sr.#	Redfield, S.D. (Redfield/Washington State)
34	Beau Goodwin**	LB	6-3	221	Jr.	Kingsley, Iowa (Kingsley-Pierson)	97	Kyle Konrady**	PK	6-1	204	Jr.#	Dubuque, Iowa (Dubuque Senior)
34	Jeffrey Roberts	WR	6-0	193	Fr.	Ames, Iowa (Dowling Catholic)	98	Adlai Lounsbury	PK/P	6-4	200	Fr.#	Van Meter, Iowa (Van Meter/Washington State)
35	Tayten Duncan	S	5-11	180	Fr.	Mustang, Okla. (Mustang)	98	Malaki Ta'ase	DE	6-2	265	Jr.	Mesa, Ariz. (Mountain View/Washington State)
36	Bradley Esser	LB	6-2	205	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D. (Harrisburg)	99	Jonah DuPont	P	5-11	200	So.#	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Center Point-Urbana/Iowa Western CC)
37	Vince Benetti**	TE	6-4	245	Jr.#	Adel, Iowa (ADM)	99	Bryson Lamb	DT	6-2	295	Sr.#	Bellingham, Wash. (Squalicum/Washington State)
38	Amiri Barnes	CB	5-11	185	Fr.	Katy, Texas (Cypress Lakes)							
39	AJ Petersen	TE	6-1	225	Jr.#	Long Grove, Iowa (North Scott)							
40	Carson Edney	TE	6-6	235	Fr.	Logan, Iowa (Logan-Magnolia)							
40	Landon Kalsbeck	LB	6-2	217	Fr.	Littleton, Colo. (Dakota Ridge)							
41	Rylan Barnes**	TE	6-3	230	Jr.#	Britt, Iowa (West Hancock)							
42	Matthew McClain	S	6-1	205	Fr.	Frisco, Texas (Liberty)							
43	Caden Matson**	S	6-0	200	Sr.#	Humboldt, Iowa (Humboldt)							
44	Wyatt Archer	RB	5-10	195	Jr.#	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt)							
44	Trey Verdon	DE	6-1	245	Fr.#	Hamilton, Ohio (Hamilton)							

*letters earned | #has redshirted

BREAKDOWN BY CLASS

Freshmen - 44
 Sophomores - 26
 Juniors - 28
 Seniors - 28



ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown (High School/Prev. School)
57	Ajibola Afuye	DE	6-5	250	Fr.	Stillwater, Minn. (Stillwater)
7	Salahadin Allah	RB	6-0	225	Jr.	La Marque, Texas (La Marque/Oregon State)
56	Colin Amick	OL	6-6	305	So.#	Sammamish, Wash. (Skyline/Montana)
96	Chet Andrews**	DE	6-3	245	Sr.#	Huntley, Ill. (Huntley)
44	Wyatt Archer	RB	5-10	195	Jr.#	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt)
2	Braden Aws	S	6-1	190	Sr.	Sylvania, Ohio (Toledo Central Catholic/Toledo)
17	Jordyn Bailey	WR	5-10	180	Jr.#	Denton, Texas (Ryan/TCU)
97	Max Baloun	DT	6-6	293	Sr.#	Redfield, S.D. (Redfield/Washington State)
38	Amiri Barnes	CB	5-11	185	Fr.	Katy, Texas (Cypress Lakes)
3	Arnold Barnes III	RB	5-10	220	Sr.	New Orleans, La. (Booker T. Washington/Tulane)
41	Rylan Barnes**	TE	6-3	230	Jr.#	Britt, Iowa (West Hancock)
72	Austin Barrett*	OL	6-6	315	Jr.#	St. Charles, Ill. (East/Indiana)
37	Vince Benetti**	TE	6-4	245	Jr.#	Adel, Iowa (ADM)
13	Kaleb Bilal-Jones	DT	6-1	294	Fr.#	Phoenix, Ariz. (Mountain Pointe/Arizona)
55	Trevor Bindel	OL	6-4	310	Jr.#	Liberty, Mo. (Liberty/Washington State)
48	Jack Bjorn**	TE	6-7	260	Sr.#	Parkville, Mo. (Park Hill South)
16	Wyatt Bohm	QB	6-4	220	Jr.#	Mahomet, Ill. (Mahomet-Seymour)
8	Evan Boyd	WR	6-3	212	Jr.#	East Lansing, Mich. (East Lansing/Michigan State)
11	Willie Breland III	LB	6-2	218	Jr.	Wiggins, Miss. (Stone/Mississippi Gulf Coast CC)
74	Gavin Broschious	OL	6-5	303	Jr.#	Surprise, Ariz. (Desert Edge/Michigan State)
47	Tyler Burnstein	DE	6-4	243	Fr.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Liberty)
84	Drew Byrd	TE	6-4	228	Fr.	Meridian, Idaho (Rocky Mountain)
78	DeAndre Carter	OL	6-5	345	So.#	Temecula, Calif. (Mater Dei/Auburn)
89	Ty Claiborne	WR	6-2	215	Sr.#	Lenexa, Kan. (St. James Academy)
18	David Coffey*	CB	6-1	190	So.#	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle)
86	Ray Coffey	WR	5-10	195	Sr.#	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle/Olivet Nazarene)
26	Tyrone Cotton III	CB	6-1	178	Fr.#	Chicago, Ill. (Glenbrook South/Washington State)
92	Caden Crawford	DE	6-4	251	Sr.#	Lansing, Kan. (Lansing/South Dakota)
14	Drake DeBaun	TE	6-6	255	Fr.	Overland Park, Kan. (Shawnee Mission South)
35	Tayten Duncan	S	5-11	180	Fr.	Mustang, Okla. (Mustang)
99	Jonah DuPont	P	5-11	200	So.#	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Center Point-Urbana/Iowa Western CC)
40	Carson Edney	TE	6-6	235	Fr.	Logan, Iowa (Logan-Magnolia)
33	Zach Eskildsen	WR	6-2	185	Fr.	Frisco, Texas (Centennial)
36	Bradley Esser	LB	6-2	205	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D. (Harrisburg)
8	Tristan Exline	LB	6-1	220	Sr.	China Spring, Texas (China Spring/UT Permian Basin)
89	Donovan Fitzmaurice	DT	6-3	284	So.	St. Louis, Mo. (Marquette/Washington State)
21	Aiden Flora**	RB	6-0	195	So.#	Adel, Iowa (ADM)
6	Zane Flores	QB	6-3	215	So.#	Gretna, Neb. (Gretna/Oklahoma State)
82	Trevor Fortenberry	WR	6-3	205	Jr.#	Brookhaven, Miss. (Brookhaven Academy/Copiah-Lincoln CC (Miss.))
19	Tyler Fortenberry	TE	6-5	245	Sr.#	Brookhaven, Miss. (Brookhaven Academy/Arkansas State)
52	Kingston Fotuallii	OL	6-3	295	Fr.	Seattle, Wash. (O'Dea)
20	Caleb Francois	RB	6-2	210	Fr.	Minnetonka, Minn. (Minnetonka)
81	Luke Galer	TE	6-6	240	Fr.	Loomis, Calif. (Del Oro)
55	Jace Gilbert*	DE	6-5	270	So.#	Waukesha, Wis. (Arrowhead)
12	Braden Goellner	WR	6-5	200	Sr.#	Saint Charles, Mo. (West)
21	Duhron Goodman	S	6-0	193	Sr.#	Pacoima, Calif. (Valencia/Washington State)
34	Beau Goodwin**	LB	6-3	221	Jr.	Kingsley, Iowa (Kingsley-Pierson)
88	Christian Greenlaw	TE	6-5	245	Jr.#	Newport News, Va. (Woodside/Hampton)
71	Gabriel Greenlee**	OL	6-7	300	Sr.#	Ames, Iowa (Ames)
95	Ethan Gurney	P	6-3	201	Fr.	Adelaide, Australia (Mercedes College)
4	Micah Harper	S	5-10	189	Sr.#	Chandler, Ariz. (Basha/Montana)
64	Brady Harr	OL	6-8	275	Fr.	Hampton, Iowa (Hampton-Dumont)
0	Zaimir Hawk***	DT	6-4	303	Jr.#	Hillside, N.J. (Hillside)
91	Blake Hawkins	DE	6-4	235	So.#	Gretna, Neb. (Gretna/Iowa Western CC)
10	Cash Hayden	TE	6-6	245	So.#	Cincinnati, Ohio (Indian Hill)
9	Omari Hayes	WR	5-9	175	Sr.#	Sarasota, Fla. (Venice/Tulane)
69	Dontrell Holt	OL	6-5	305	So.#	Joplin, Mo. (Joplin)
59	Daniel Howard	DT	6-3	270	Fr.	Chicago, Ill. (Lane Tech)
93	Greg Hubbard	PK	6-2	215	Fr.	Louisville, Colo. (Centaurus)
33	Brady Hummel	S	6-0	185	Fr.	Jamestown, N.D. (Spanish Springs (Nev.))
32	Angelo Jackson	CB	6-1	190	So.#	Davenport, Iowa (Assumption)
2	Cody Jackson	WR	6-0	190	Sr.#	Richmond, Texas (Foster/Tarleton State)
93	Jack Janikowski	DE	6-2	255	Jr.#	Fallbrook, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic/Washington State)
3	Seth Johnson	CB	5-10	180	So.#	Frisco, Texas (Reedy/Montana State)
94	Jake Jones	DT	6-2	292	Fr.	Gilbert, Ariz. (Campo Verde)
16	Malcolm Jones	LB	6-1	219	Sr.#	Camilla, Ga. (Lee County/Jacksonville State)
40	Landon Kalsbeck	LB	6-2	217	Fr.	Littleton, Colo. (Dakota Ridge)
51	Maasai King	OL	6-4	310	Sr.#	Camden, N.J. (Camden Big Picture Learning Academy/Akron)
97	Kyle Konrardy**	PK	6-1	204	Jr.#	Dubuque, Iowa (Dubuque Senior)
18	Hudson Kurland	QB	6-4	193	Fr.	Portland, Ore. (Lake Oswego)
99	Bryson Lamb	DT	6-2	295	Sr.#	Bellingham, Wash. (Squalicum/Washington State)
19	Eddie Lemos*	S	5-10	187	Sr.#	Loveland, Colo. (Resurrection Christian)
50	Jack Limbaugh	DE	6-3	235	Fr.#	Algona, Iowa (Algona)
98	Adlai Lounsberry	PK/P	6-4	200	Fr.#	Van Meter, Iowa (Van Meter/Washington State)
60	Jacob Lyftogt	LS	5-11	235	Jr.#	Waunakee, Wis. (Waunakee)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Year	Hometown (High School/Prev. School)
77	Caden Maas	OL	6-5	315	Jr.#	Watertown, Wis. (Watertown/Sioux Falls)
61	Benji Makelela	OL	6-7	300	Fr.	Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo (Capistrano Valley Christian (Calif.))
22	Xavier Martinez	S	6-1	202	Jr.	Chicago, Ill. (Hoffman Estates/Northern Michigan)
43	Caden Matson**	S	6-0	200	Sr.#	Humboldt, Iowa (Humboldt)
42	Matthew McClain	S	6-1	205	Fr.	Frisco, Texas (Liberty)
24	Brody Miller	S	6-1	186	Fr.#	Shakopee, Minn. (Shakopee/Washington State)
25	Easton Miller**	RB	6-1	230	Jr.#	Ankeny, Iowa (Centennial)
5	Connor Moberly	QB	6-4	214	So.#	Altoona, Iowa (Southeast Polk)
95	Ka'Mori Moore	DT	6-1	304	Fr.#	Lee's Summit, Mo. (North)
54	Cade Myer	OL	6-2	295	Sr.#	Frisco, Texas (Wakeland/Colorado School of Mines)
5	Beni Ngoyi***	CB	6-4	193	Jr.#	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln)
11	Dominic Overby**	WR	6-5	200	So.#	West Jordan, Utah (West Jordan)
4	Carter Pabst	WR	6-1	200	So.	Wichita, Kan. (Eisenhower/Washington State)
22	Ryder Peppers	RB	5-11	190	Fr.	Independence, Mo. (Fort Osage)
39	AJ Petersen	TE	6-1	225	Jr.#	Long Grove, Iowa (North Scott)
0	Cameron Pettaway	RB	5-10	190	So.#	Farmington Hills, Mich. (Farmington/Bowling Green)
13	Jamal Polite Jr.	WR	5-11	185	Fr.	Beaufort, S.C. (Shoemaker [Texas])
70	Gavin Proudfoot	OL	6-7	305	Jr.	Dresbach, Minn. (Wakeland/Colorado School of Mines)
90	Jareb Ramos	DT	6-4	284	Sr.#	Centennial, Colo. (Arapahoe/Montana)
1	Jaylen Raynor	QB	6-1	208	Sr.	Winston-Salem, N.C. (East Forsyth/Arkansas State)
23	Carson Robbins*	WR	6-0	187	So.#	Altoona, Iowa (Southeast Polk)
34	Jeffrey Roberts	WR	6-0	193	Fr.	Ames, Iowa (Dowling Catholic)
85	Keaton Roskop*	TE	6-3	240	So.#	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Linn-Mar)
14	Damarius Russell	S	5-11	186	Fr.#	Waseca, Minn. (Waseca/Washington State)
65	Garret Rutledge	OL	6-7	310	So.#	Council Bluffs, Iowa (Lewis Central)
29	Torrence "Toe" Sanders	CB	6-2	185	Fr.	New Orleans, La. (Edna Karr)
68	Makai Sat	OL	6-2	335	Jr.#	Santa Maria, Calif. (St. Joseph/Allan Hancock College)
57	Gavin Schieler	LS	6-4	223	Fr.#	Normal, Ill. (Normal)
7	Sullivan Schlimgen	LB	6-1	220	So.	Sioux Falls, S.D. (O'Gorman/Washington State)
56	Caleb Schmidt	LS	6-3	225	Jr.	Chaska, Minn. (Chaska/Minot State)
62	Braden Simonsen	OL	6-3	290	Sr.#	Ankeny, Iowa (Ankeny)
9	Jaheim Singletary	CB	6-2	201	Sr.#	Jacksonville, Fla. (Riverside/Arkansas)
63	Braden Smith	OL	6-4	310	So.#	Franklin, Texas (Franklin/Tarleton State)
94	Chase Smith*	PK	5-10	210	So.	Eldridge, Iowa (North Scott)
31	Montreze Smith Jr.	LB	5-11	214	So.#	Carrollton, Ga. (Carrollton/Austin Peay)
20	Trillion Sorrell	CB	6-1	175	Fr.#	Bloomington, Minn. (Edina/Washington State)
12	Ethan Stecker	LB	6-4	227	Fr.#	Spirit Lake, Iowa (Spirit Lake)
6	Drew Surges**	S	6-1	203	Jr.	Chicago, Ill. (St. Charles North)
98	Malaki Ta'ase	DE	6-2	265	Jr.	Mesa, Ariz. (Mountain View/Washington State)
79	Jake Taylor	OL	6-6	310	Jr.#	Las Vegas, Nev. (Bishop Gorman/Oklahoma)
88	Isaac Terrell	DE	6-2	255	Sr.	Lehi, Utah (Lehi/Washington State)
44	Trey Verdon	DE	6-1	245	Fr.	Hamilton, Ohio (Hamilton)
87	Jordan Vyborny	TE	6-5	235	Fr.#	Rockford, Ill. (Corner Canyon [Utah]/Oklahoma State)
1	Keyon Washington	CB	6-1	190	So.#	Waldorf, Md. (Saint Charles/Bowling Green)
80	Malcolm Watkins	WR	6-0	193	Fr.	Bakersfield, Calif. (Frontier)
53	Jaden Weaver	DT	6-3	300	Fr.	Chicago, Ill. (Carl Sandburg)
17	Connor Welsch*	LB	6-2	197	So.#	Ankeny, Iowa (Centennial)
10	Carson Willich**	LB	6-1	220	Sr.#	Blue Springs, Mo. (Blue Springs)
27	Gabriel Wilson	RB	5-9	190	Fr.	Houston, Texas (Cypress Falls)
66	Derek Worden	OL	6-5	295	Fr.	Queen Creek, Ariz. (Queen Creek)
83	Sam Zelenovich	WR	6-1	197	Fr.#	Altoona, Iowa (Southeast Polk)

*letters earned | #has redshirted

BY STATE/COUNTRY

Iowa - 25	Louisiana - 2
Illinois - 12	Michigan - 2
Texas - 11	New Jersey - 2
Missouri - 8	Utah - 2
Arizona - 7	Idaho - 1
Minnesota - 7	Maryland - 1
California - 6	Nevada - 1
Colorado - 4	North Dakota - 1
Kansas - 4	North Carolina - 1
Nebraska - 4	Oklahoma - 1
Mississippi - 3	Oregon - 1
Ohio - 3	South Carolina - 1
South Dakota - 3	Virginia - 1
Washington - 3	Australia - 1
Wisconsin - 3	Democratic Republic of
Florida - 2	Congo - 1
Georgia - 2	



ROSTER - BY POSITION

QB
(5)

1

Jaylen Raynor

6-1

208

Sr.

Winston-Salem, N.C.

5

Connor Moberly

6-4

214

So.#

Altoona, Iowa

6

Zane Flores

6-3

215

So.#

Gretna, Neb.

16

Wyatt Bohm

6-4

220

Jr.#

Mahomet, Ill.

18

Hudson Kurland

6-4

193

Fr.

Portland, Ore.

RB
(9)

0

Cameron Pettaway

5-10

190

So.#

Farmington Hills, Mich.

3

Arnold Barnes III

5-10

220

Sr.

New Orleans, La.

7

Salahadin Allah

6-0

225

Jr.

La Marque, Texas

20

Caleb Francois

6-2

210

Fr.

Minnnetonka, Minn.

21

Aiden Flora**

6-0

195

So.#

Adel, Iowa

22

Ryver Peppers

5-11

190

Fr.#

Independence, Mo.

25

Easton Miller**

6-1

230

Jr.#

Ankeny, Iowa

27

Gabriel Wilson

5-9

190

Fr.

Houston, Texas

44

Wyatt Archer

5-10

195

Jr.#

Omaha, Neb.

OL
(20)

51

Maasai King

6-4

310

Sr.#

Camden, N.J.

52

Kingston Fotualii

6-3

295

Fr.

Seattle, Wash.

54

Cade Myer

6-2

295

Sr.#

Frisco, Texas

55

Trevor Bindel

6-4

310

Fr.#

Liberty, Mo.

56

Colin Amick

6-6

305

So.#

Sammamish, Wash.

61

Benji Makelela

6-7

300

Fr.

Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo

62

Braden Simonsen

6-3

290

Sr.#

Ankeny, Iowa

63

Braden Smith

6-4

310

So.#

Franklin, Texas

64

Brady Harr

6-8

275

Fr.

Hampton, Iowa

65

Garret Rutledge

6-7

310

So.#

Council Bluffs, Iowa

66

Derek Worden

6-5

295

Fr.

Queen Creek, Ariz.

68

Makai Sat

6-2

335

Jr.#

Santa Maria, Calif.

69

Dontrell Holt

6-5

305

So.#

Joplin, Mo.

70

Gavin Proudfoot

6-7

305

Sr.#

Dresbach, Minn.

71

Gabriel Greenlee**

6-7

300

Sr.#

Ames, Iowa

72

Austin Barrett*

6-6

315

Jr.#

St. Charles, Ill.

74

Gavin Broschious

6-5

303

Jr.#

Surprise, Ariz.

77

Caden Maas

6-5

315

Jr.#

Watertown, Wis.

78

DeAndre Carter

6-5

345

So.#

Temecula, Calif.

79

Jake Taylor

6-6

310

Jr.#

Las Vegas, Nev.

TE
(13)

10

Cash Hayden

6-6

245

So.#

Cincinnati, Ohio

14

Drake DeBaun

6-6

255

Fr.

Overland Park, Kan.

19

Tyler Fortenberry

6-5

245

Sr.#

Brookhaven, Miss.

37

Vince Benetti**

6-4

245

Jr.#

Adel, Iowa

40

Carson Edney

6-6

235

Fr.

Logan, Iowa

48

Jack Bjorn**

6-7

260

Sr.#

Parkville, Mo.

39

AJ Petersen

6-1

225

Jr.#

Long Grove, Iowa

41

Rylan Barnes**

6-3

230

Jr.#

Britt, Iowa

81

Luke Galer

6-6

240

Fr.

Loomis, Calif.

84

Drew Byrd

6-4

228

Fr.

Meridian, Idaho

85

Keaton Roskop

6-3

240

So.#

Cedar Rapids, Iowa

87

Jordan Vyborny

6-5

235

Fr.#

Rockford, Ill.

88

Christian Greenlaw

6-5

245

Jr.#

Newport News, Va.

WR
(16)

2

Cody Jackson

6-0

190

Sr.#

Richmond, Texas

4

Carter Pabst

6-1

200

So.

Wichita, Kan.

8

Evan Boyd

6-3

212

Jr.#

East Lansing, Mich.

9

Omari Hayes

5-9

179

Sr.#

Sarasota, Fla.

11

Dominic Overby**

6-5

200

So.#

West Jordan, Utah

12

Brandon Goellner

6-5

200

Sr.#

Saint Charles, Mo.

13

Jamal Polite Jr.

5-11

185

Fr.

Killeen, Texas

17

Jordyn Bailey

5-10

180

Jr.#

Denton, Texas

23

Carson Robbins*

6-0

187

So.#

Altoona, Iowa

33

Zach Eskildsen

6-2

185

Fr.

Frisco, Texas

34

Jeffrey Roberts

6-0

193

Fr.

Ames, Iowa

80

Malcolm Watkins

6-0

193

Fr.

Bakersfield, Calif.

82

Trevor Fortenberry

6-3

205

Jr.#

Brookhaven, Miss.

83

Sam Zelenovich

6-1

197

Fr.#

Altoona, Iowa

86

Ray Coffey

5-10

195

Sr.#

Chicago, Ill.

89

Ty Claiborne

6-2

215

Sr.#

Lenexa, Kan.

DE
(11)

44

Trey Verdon

6-1

245

Fr.#

Hamilton, Ohio

47

Tyler Burnstein

6-4

243

Fr.

Phoenix, Ariz.

50

Jack Limbaugh

6-3

235

Fr.#

Algona, Iowa

55

Jace Gilbert*

6-5

270

So.#

Waukesha, Wis.

57

Ajibola Afuye

6-5

250

Fr.

Stillwater, Minn.

88

Isaac Terrell

6-2

255

Sr.

Lehi, Utah

91

Blake Hawkins

6-4

235

So.#

Gretna, Neb.

92

Caden Crawford

6-4

251

Sr.#

Lansing, Kan.

93

Jack Janikowski

6-2

255

Jr.#

Fallbrook, Calif.

96

Chet Andrews**

6-3

245

Sr.#

Huntley, Ill.

98

Malaki Ta'ase

6-2

265

Jr.

Mesa, Ariz.

DT
(10)

0

Zaimir Hawk***

6-4

303

Jr.#

Hillside, N.J.

13

Kaleb Bilal-Jones

6-1

294

Fr.#

Phoenix, Ariz.

53

Jaden Weaver

6-3

300

Fr.

Chicago, Ill.

59

Daniel Howard

6-3

270

Fr.

Chicago, Ill.

89

Donovan Fitzmaurice

6-3

284

So.

St. Louis, Mo.

90

Jareb Ramos

6-4

284

Sr.#

Centennial, Colo.

94

Jake Jones

6-2

292

Fr.

Gilbert, Ariz.

95

Ka'Mori Moore

6-1

304

Fr.#

Lee's Summit, Mo.

97

Max Baloun

6-6

293

Sr.#

Redfield, S.D.

99

Bryson Lamb

6-2

295

Sr.#

Bellingham, Wash.

LB
(11)

7

Sullivan Schlimgen

6-1

220

So.

Sioux Falls, S.D.

8

Tristan Exline

6-1

220

Sr.

China Spring, Texas

10

Carson Willich**

6-1

220

Sr.#

Blue Springs, Mo.

11

Willie Breeland III

6-2

218

Jr.

Wiggins, Miss.

12

Ethan Stecker

6-4

227

Fr.#

Spirit Lake, Iowa

16

Malcolm Jones

6-1

219

Sr.#

Camilla, Ga.

17

Connor Welsch*

6-2

197

So.#

Ankeny, Iowa

31

Montreze Smith Jr.

5-11

214

So.#

Carrollton, Ga.

34

Beau Goodwin**

6-3

221

Jr.

Kingsley, Iowa

36

Bradley Esser

6-2

205

Fr.

Sioux Falls, S.D.

40

Landon Kalsbeck

6-2

217

Fr.

Littleton, Colo.

S
(12)

2

Braden Awls

6-1

190

Sr.

Sylvania, Ohio

4

Micah Harper

5-10

189

Sr.#

Chandler, Ariz.

6

Drew Surges**

6-1

203

Jr.#

Chicago, Ill.

14

Damarius Russell

5-11

186

Fr.#

Waseca, Minn.

19

Eddie Lemos*

5-10

187

Sr.#

Loveland, Colo.

21

Duhron Goodman

6-0

193

Sr.#

Pacoima, Calif.

22

Xavier Martinez

6-1

202

Jr.

Chicago, Ill.

24

Brady Miller

6-1

186

Fr.#

Shakopee, Minn.

33

Brady Hummel

6-0

185

Fr.

Jamestown, N.D.

35

Tayten Duncan

5-11

180

Fr.

Mustang, Okla.

42

Matthew McClain

6-1

205

Fr.

Frisco, Texas

43

Caden Matson**

6-0

200

Sr.#

Humboldt, Iowa

CB
(10)

1

Keyon Washington

6-1

190

So.#

Waldorf, Md.

3

Seth Johnson

5-10

180

So.#

Frisco, Texas

5

Beni Ngoyi**

6-4

193

Jr.#

Lincoln, Neb.

9

Jaheim Singletary

6-2

201

Sr.#

Jacksonville, Fla.

18

David Coffey*

6-1

190

So.#

Chicago, Ill.

20

Trillion Sorrell

6-1

175

Fr.

Bloomington, Ind.

26

Tyrone Cotton III

6-1

178

Fr.#

Chicago, Ill.

29

Torrence "Toe" Sanders

6-2

185

Fr.

New Orleans, La.

32

Angelo Jackson

6-1

196

So.#

Davenport, Iowa

38

Amiri Barnes

5-11

185

Fr.

Katy, Texas

SPECIALISTS

PK
(4)

93

Greg Hubbard

6-2

215

Fr.

Louisville, Colo.

94

Chase Smith*

5-10

210

So.

Eldridge, Iowa

97

Kyle Konrardy**

6-1

204

Jr.#

Dubuque, Iowa

98

Adrian Loveberry

6-4

209

Fr.#

Van Meter, Iowa

SPECIALISTS

PK (4)	93	Greg Hubbard	6-2	215	Fr.	Louisville, Colo.
	94	Chase Smith*	5-10	210	So.	Eldridge, Iowa
	97	Kyle Konrady**	6-1	204	Jr.#	Dubuque, Iowa
	98	Adlai Lounsbury	6-4	200	Fr.#	Van Meter, Iowa

P (3)	95	Ethan Gurney	6-3	201	Fr.	Adelaide, Australia
	98	Adlai Lounsbury	6-4	204	Fr.#	Van Meter, Iowa
	99	Jonah DuPont	5-11	200	So.#	Cedar Rapids, Iowa

LS (3)	56	Caleb Schmidt	6-3	225	Jr.	Chaska, Minn.
	57	Gavin Schieler	6-4	223	Fr.#	Normal, Ill.
	60	Jacob Lyftogt	5-11	235	Jr.#	Waunakee, Wis.



HOW THE ROSTER WAS CONSTRUCTED

	HIGH SCHOOL (69)	JC TRANSFERS (5)	TRANSFERS (52)	
2022	DL Chet Andrews (Huntley, Ill.) TE Jack Bjorn (Parkville, Mo.) WR Ty Claiborne (Lenexa, Kan.) OL Gabriel Greenlee (Ames, Iowa) CB Eddie Lemos (Loveland, Colo.) S Caden Matson (Humboldt, Iowa) OL Braden Simonsen (Ankeny, Iowa) LB Carson Willich (Blue Springs, Mo.)			
2023	TE Rylan Barnes (Britt, Iowa) TE Vince Benetti (Adel, Iowa) QB Wyatt Bohm (Mahomet, Ill.) DT Zaimir Hawk (Hillside, N.J.) PK Kyle Konrardy (Dubuque, Iowa) LS Jacob Lyftogt (Waunakee, Wis.) RB Easton Miller (Ankeny, Iowa) CB Beni Ngoyi (Lincoln, Neb.) TE AJ Petersen (Long Grove, Iowa) S Drew Surges (Chicago, Ill.)			
2024	S Wyatt Archer (Omaha, Neb.) CB David Coffey (Chicago, Ill.) RB Aiden Flora (Adel, Iowa) DE Jace Gilbert (Waukesha, Wis.) LB Beau Goodwin (Kingsley, Iowa) TE Cash Hayden (Cincinnati, Ohio) OL Dontrell Holt (Joplin, Mo.) CB Angelo Jackson (Davenport, Iowa) QB Connor Moberly (Altoona, Iowa) WR Dominic Overby (West Jordan, Utah) WR Carson Robbins (Altoona, Iowa) TE Keaton Roskop (Cedar Rapids, Iowa) OL Garret Rutledge (Council Bluffs, Iowa) S Connor Welsch (Ankeny, Iowa)			
2025	DE Jack Limbaugh (Algona, Iowa) DT Ka'Mori Moore (Lee's Summit, Mo.) RB Ryver Peppers (Independence, Mo.) LS Gavin Schieler (Normal, Ill.) PK Chase Smith (Eldridge, Iowa) LB Ethan Stecker (Spirit Lake, Iowa) DE Trey Verdon (Hamilton, Ohio) WR Sam Zelenovich (Altoona, Iowa)	P Jonah DuPont (Iowa Western) OL Makai Sat (Allan Hancock College)	<u>Division I - FBS (1)</u> OL Austin Barrett (Indiana)	
2026	DE Ajibola Afuye (Stillwater, Minn.) CB Amiri Barnes (Katy, Texas) DE Tyler Burnstein (Phoenix, Ariz.) TE Drew Byrd (Meridian, Idaho) TE Drake DeBaun (Overland Park, Kan.) S Tayten Duncan (Mustang, Okla.) TE Carson Edney (Logan, Iowa) WR Zach Eskildsen (Frisco, Texas) LB Bradley Esser (Sioux Falls, S.D.) OL Kingston Fotualii (Seattle, Wash.) RB Caleb Francois (Minnetonka, Minn.) TE Luke Galer (Loomis, Calif.) P Ethan Gurney (Adelaide, Australia) OL Brady Harr (Hampton, Iowa) DT Daniel Howard (Chicago, Ill.) PK Greg Hubbard (Louisville, Colo.) S Brady Hummel (Jamestown, N.D.) DT Jake Jones (Gilbert, Ariz.) LB Landon Kalsbeck (Littleton, Colo.) QB Hudson Kurland (Portland, Ore.) OL Benji Makelela (Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo) LB Matthew McClain (Frisco, Texas) WR Jamal Polite Jr. (Killeen, Texas) WR Jeffrey Roberts (Ames, Iowa) CB Toe Sanders (New Orleans, La.) WR Malcolm Watkins (Bakersfield, Calif.) DT Jaden Weaver (Chicago, Ill.) RB Gabriel Wilson (Houston, Texas) OL Derek Worden (Queen Creek, Ariz.)	LB Willie Breland III (Miss. Gulf Coast) WR Trevor Fortenberry (Copiah-Lincoln) DE Blake Hawkins (Iowa Western)	<u>Division I - FBS (34)</u> RB Salahadin Allah (Oregon State) S Braden Awls (Toledo) WR Jordyn Bailey (TCU) DT Max Baloun (Wash. State) RB Arnold Barnes III (Tulane) DT Kaleb Bilal-Jones (Arizona) OL Trevor Bindel (Wash. State) WR Evan Boyd (Michigan State) OL Gavin Broschious (Michigan State) OL DeAndre Carter (Auburn) CB Tyrone Cotton III (Wash. State) DT Donovan Fitzmaurice (Wash. State) QB Zane Flores (Oklahoma State) TE Tyler Fortenberry (Arkansas State) S Duhron Goodman (Wash. State) WR Omari Hayes (Tulane) DE Jack Janikowski (Wash. State) S Malcolm Jones (Jacksonville State) OL Maasai King (Akron) DT Bryson Lamb (Wash. State) PK/P Adlai Lounsbury (Wash. State) S Brody Miller (Wash. State) WR Carter Pabst (Wash. State) RB Cameron Pettaway (Bowling Green) QB Jaylen Raynor (Arkansas State) S Damarius Russell (Wash. State) LB Sullivan Schlimgen (Wash. State) CB Jaheim Singletary (Arkansas) CB Trillion Sorrell (Wash. State)	DE Malaki Ta'ase (Wash. State) OL Jake Taylor (Oklahoma) DE Isaac Terrell (Wash. State) TE Jordan Vyborny (Oklahoma State) CB Keyon Washington (Bowling Green) <u>Division I - Track & Field (1)</u> WR Brandon Goellner (Iowa State) <u>Division I - FCS (10)</u> OL Colin Amick (Montana) DE Caden Crawford (South Dakota) TE Christian Greenlaw (Hampton) S Micah Harper (Montana) WR Cody Jackson (Tarleton State) CB Seth Johnson (Montana State) OL Gavin Proudfoot (UNI) DT Jareb Ramos (Montana) OL Braden Smith (Tarleton State) LB Montreze Smith Jr. (Austin Peay) <u>Division II (5)</u> LB Tristan Exline (UT Permian Basin) OL Caden Maas (Sioux Falls) S Xavier Martinez (Northern Mich.) OL Cade Myer (Colo. School of Mines) LS Caleb Schmidt (Minot State) <u>NAIA (1)</u> WR Ray Coffey (Olivet Nazarene)



DEPTH CHART				CAREER STARTS (at ISU)			
Offense				Pos.	Name	GS	
QB	1	Jaylen Raynor (6-1, 208, Sr.)	Defense	DB	Drew Surges	5	
	5	Connor Moberly (6-4, 214, So.#) OR		LB	Rylan Barnes	4	
	6	Zane Flores (6-3, 215, So.#)		LB	Carson Willich	3	
RB	21	**Aiden Flora (6-0, 195, So.#)		LB	Beau Goodwin	3	
	0	Cameron Pettaway (5-10, 190, So.#)		WR	Dominic Overby	3	
Y	19	Tyler Fortenberry (6-5, 245, Sr.#) OR		DL	Jace J. Gilbert	2	
	37	**Vince Benetti (6-4, 245, Jr.#)		TE	Keaton Roskop	1	
	88	Christian Greenlaw (6-5, 245, Jr.#)		DB	David Coffey	1	
F	39	AJ Petersen (6-1, 225, Jr.#)		DB	Caden Matson	1	
	41	**Rylan Barnes (6-3, 230, Jr.#)					
WRX	8	Evan Boyd (6-3, 212, Jr.#)	DE	92	Caden Crawford (6-4, 251, Sr.#) OR		
	4	Carter Pabst (6-1, 200, So.)		98	Malaki Ta'ase (6-2, 265, Jr.)		
WRF	9	Omari Hayes (5-9, 175, Sr.#)		44	Trey Verdon (6-1, 245, Fr.#)		
	89	Ty Claiborne (6-2, 215, Sr.#)	WLB	10	**Carson Willich (6-1, 220, Sr.#)		
WRZ	2	Cody Jackson (6-0, 190, Sr.#) OR		34	**Beau Goodwin (6-3, 221, Jr.) OR		
	11	**Dominic Overby (6-5, 200, So.#)		31	Montreze Smith Jr. (5-11, 214, So.#)		
	13	Jamal Polite Jr. (5-11, 185, Fr.)	MLB	7	Sullivan Schlimgen (6-1, 220, So.)		
LT	79	Jake Taylor (6-6, 310, Jr.#)		8	Tristan Exline (6-1, 220, Sr.) OR		
	71	**Gabriel Greenlee (6-7, 300, Sr.#)		40	Landon Kalsbeck (6-2, 217, Fr.)		
LG	77	Caden Maas (6-5, 315, Jr.#)	SLB	11	Willie Breland III (6-2, 218, Jr.)		
	65	Garret Rutledge (6-7, 310, So.#)		16	Malcolm Jones (6-1, 219, Sr.#)		
C	63	Braden Smith (6-4, 310, So.#)	FS	24	Brody Miller (6-1, 186, Jr.#) OR		
	52	Kingston Fotualii (6-3, 295, Fr.)		21	Duhron Goodman (6-0, 193, Sr.#)		
RG	55	Trevor Bindel (6-4, 310, Fr.#) OR		19	*Eddie Lemos (5-10, 187, Sr.#)		
	72	*Austin Barrett (6-6, 315, Jr.#)	SS	6	**Drew Surges (6-1, 203, Jr.#)		
	78	DeAndre Carter (6-5, 345, So.#)		4	Micah Harper (5-10, 189, Sr.#)		
RT	51	Maasai King (6-4, 310, Sr.#)	CB	18	*David Coffey (6-1, 190, So.#)		
	56	Colin Amick (6-6, 305, So.#)		5	***Beni Ngoyi (6-4, 193, Jr.#)		
			CB	3	Seth Johnson (5-10, 180, So.#)		
				9	Jaheim Singletary (6-2, 201, Sr.#) OR		
				1	Keyon Washington (6-1, 190, So.#)		
			*letters earned; #has redshirted;				
			returning starters in bold (min. 5 starts last season)				

Specialists

P	99	Jonah DuPont (5-11, 200, So.#)	PK	97	**Kyle Konrardy (6-1, 204, Jr.#)
	95	Ethan Gurney (6-3, 201, Fr.)		98	Adlai Lounsbury (6-4, 200, Fr.#)
LS	56	Caleb Schmidt (6-3, 225, Jr.)	PR	21	**Aiden Flora (6-0, 195, So.#)
	57	Gavin Schieler (6-4, 223, Fr.#)		9	Omari Hayes (5-9, 175, Sr.#)
H	99	Jonah DuPont (5-11, 200, So.#)	KR	0	Cameron Pettaway (5-10, 190, So.#)
	95	Ethan Gurney (6-3, 201, Fr.)		21	**Aiden Flora (6-0, 195, So.#)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE (AUDIO PRONUNCIATIONS - INCLUDING HOMETOWNS - ARE AVAILABLE ON CYCLONES.COM)

Ajibola Afuye	AH-jee-BO-lah uh-FOO-yay	Caleb Francois	fran-SWAH	Ryver Peppers	river
Salahadin Allah	SOLL-uh-DEEN ah-LAH	Luke Galer	GAY-lir	Cameron Pettaway	CAM-er-inn PET-uh-WAY
Colin Amick	AY-mick	Braden Goellner	Bray-den GOAL-ner	Jamal Polite Jr.	poe-LIGHT
Max Baloun	buh-loon	Duhron Goodman	duh-RON GOOD-min	Keaton Roskop	ross-COP
Amiri Barnes	uh-MAR-ee	Ethan Gurney	ee-thun GUR-nee	Damarius Russell	da-MAR-ee-US
Rylan Barnes	rye-lin	Zaimir Hawk	ZAY-meer	Makai Sat	muh-KYE sat
Kaleb Bilal-Jones	KAY-lib biiL-LAHL	Omari Hayes	Oh-MARR-ee Haize	Sullivan Schlimgen	SHLIM-gen (Hard G)
Trevor Bindel	BIN-dell	Jack Janikowski	jan-ick-COW-skee	Gavin Shieler	SHEEL-er
Jack Bjorn	buh-JORN	Landon Kalsbeck	LAND-din CALLS-beck	Jaheim Singletary	JAH-heem
Wyatt Bohm	WHY-it bomb	Maasai King	muh-SIGH	Montreze Smith Jr.	mon-TREZ
Willie Breland III	BREE-land	Kyle Konrardy	KONN-rahr-dee	Trillion Sorrell	so-RELL
Gavin Broscious	BRO-shuss	Hudson Kurland	KERR-lind	Drew Surges	SIR-jiss
Drake DeBaun	da-BAWN	Eddie Lemos	LEE-mohs	Malaki Ta'ase	muh-LOCK-key tuh-AH-say
Jonah DuPont	JOE-nuh due-PONT	Adlai Lounsbury	ADD-lay lounz-berry	Isaac Terrell	tah-RELL
Zach Eskildsen	ESS-skill-sin	Jacob Lyftogt	LIFE-togg	Trey Verdon	ver-DON
Tristan Exline	TRISS-tin EX-line	Caden Maas	Kay-den mahs	Jordan Vyborny	vee-BORN-ee
Donovan Fitzmaurice	fitz-MORE-iss	Benji Makelela	MY-kuh-LAY-uh	Keyon Washington	KEY-on
Zane Flores	Zayne FLOORS	Xavier Martinez	ex-ZAY-vee-irr marr-TEEN-ez	Carson Willich	WILL-ick
Aiden Flora	FLOOR-uh	Ka'Mori Moore	kuh-MORE-ee MORE	Sam Zelenovich	zuh-LINN-oh-vich
Kingston Fotualii	FOE-too-uh-LEE-ee	Beni Ngoyi	Benny nuh-GOY		

ACTIVE START STREAKS			
Pos.	Name	GS	
DB	Drew Surges	3	
DB	Caden Matson	1	



MIDAMERICAN ENERGY FIELD AT JACK TRICE STADIUM / STARK PERFORMANCE CENTER



MIDAMERICAN ENERGY FIELD AT JACK TRICE STADIUM

MidAmerican Energy Field at Jack Trice Stadium has proven to be one of the nation's most outstanding football structures and celebrated its 50th season as ISU's home field in 2024. With its remarkable sight lines and numerous renovations throughout the years to enhance the game day atmosphere, the stadium ranks as one of the nation's best football venues.

The 61,500-seat stadium is the Big 12 Conference's second-largest. Construction on the stadium started on Oct. 26, 1973, with the first game in the facility played on Sept. 20, 1975, a 17-12 Cyclone win over Air Force. In 1997, it was officially dedicated as Jack Trice Stadium in honor of Jack Trice, Iowa State's first African-American student-athlete who died tragically from injuries sustained in a football game in 1923. Iowa State is the nation's only FBS school to have a stadium name dedicated to an African-American.



WHO WAS JACK TRICE?

Jack Trice was born in Hiram, Ohio, in 1902. Trice attended East Tech High School in Cleveland, where he was a star athlete. When his football coach, Sam Willaman, was named head coach at Iowa State, Trice and six other athletes followed him west, as Trice became the first African-American student-athlete in Iowa State history. Trice majored in animal husbandry and his goal was to settle in the South after his graduation and help the black farmers of that area. He was a very studious young man and despite his participation in intercollegiate athletics, Trice managed to pass 45 college credits with a 90 percent average. Because there were no athletic scholarships granted in those days, he

worked odd jobs to finance his education and support his wife and mother.

On the gridiron, Trice was a stellar performer along the interior line in 1923. His promising career abruptly ended, however. Trice played in ISU's season-opener, a 14-6 win over Simpson in Ames. He traveled to Minneapolis the following weekend to face a strong Gopher squad. It was during intermission that Trice began to complain of a sore left shoulder, but nevertheless, returned to action in the second half. Midway through the third quarter, a frustrated Minnesota team ran a play off left tackle. Trice immediately saw that he wouldn't be able to reach the ball carrier, so he threw himself in front of the Minnesota interference in a roll block. He was toppled over on his back and trampled on.

Trice wanted to continue playing but never returned to the game. Doctors at a Minneapolis hospital allowed Trice to return to Ames with the team, which lost the game 20-17. They declared his condition not so serious. Trice rode back on a pullman coach. He rested his body on a straw mattress and was immediately taken to the university hospital upon his arrival in Ames. There, doctors discovered a broken collarbone Trice had sustained during the first half of the contest. His condition worsened as he developed respiratory problems Sunday afternoon, and a stomach specialist from Des Moines was summoned. Dr. Oliver Fay decided that surgery would be too risky, so no operation was performed.

At 3 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 8, 1923, Jack Trice died of hemorrhaged lungs and internal bleeding throughout the abdomen. The following Tuesday, classes were postponed and a funeral service was held before 4,000 students and faculty members on the central grounds of campus.

A letter written by Jack Trice to himself on the eve of the Minnesota game was found in his coat pocket the day of his funeral. The contents of that letter were divulged before the 4,000 mourners. It read:

"My thoughts just before the first real college game of my life: The honor of my race, family and self is at stake. Everyone is expecting me to do big things. I will. My whole body and soul are to be thrown recklessly about the field. Every time the ball is snapped, I will be trying to do more than my part. Fight low, with your eyes open and toward the play. Watch out for crossbucks and reverse end runs. Be on your toes every minute if you expect to make good. Jack."

A memorial scholarship was created, and a memorial to Trice is located on the east concourse of the football stadium as you enter the Jack Trice Club. A statue in his honor was unveiled in 1987 and currently resides on central campus, and a second statue was installed in front of the stadium in the fall of 2022.

Iowa State unveiled its new stadium in 1975 and it was originally named Cyclone Stadium. Gradually, the Trice story started to become more prevalent.

A strong push from students and alumni to dedicate the stadium in honor of Trice gained traction in the early 1980s. Iowa State President Dr. Robert Parks announced the facility name would change to Cyclone Stadium at Jack Trice Field prior to the 1984 season.

A groundswell of support for Trice continued, however. Supporters felt Trice's name should be the primary focus of the stadium. Finally, in 1997, President Dr. Martin Jischke officially dedicated Iowa State's football venue as Jack Trice Stadium, ahead of the season-opener against Oklahoma State.

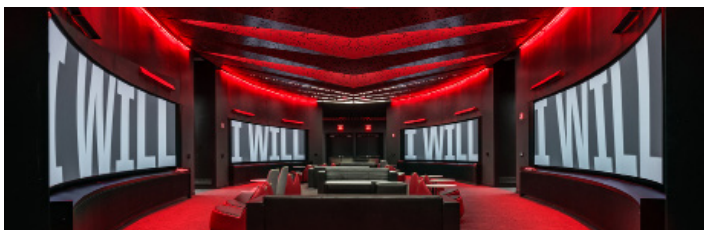
JACK TRICE STADIUM QUICK FACTS

- **First Game:** Sept. 20, 1975 (Iowa State 17, Air Force 12)
- **All-Time Record:** 163-151-3 (.519)
- **Capacity:** Holds 61,500, the second-largest facility in the Big 12 Conference.
- **Attendance Record:** 61,500, 22 times. **Season Average Attendance Record:** 60,862 in 2025.
- **Naming History:** 1975-83, Cyclone Stadium; 1984-96, Cyclone Stadium at Jack Trice Field; 1997-2017, Jack Trice Stadium; 2018-present, MidAmerican Energy Field at Jack Trice Stadium.
- **Playing Surface:** Natural grass installed in 1996. Renovated in 2008 with sod from Wisconsin. Renovated in 2022 with sod grown north of Ames, the culmination of a year-long collaborative project between the Department of Horticulture, Athletics Department, ISU Horticulture Research Station and Iowa Sports Turf. Believed to be the first school to grow its own grass for its football stadium. In October 2022, GrassMax synthetic fibers were stitched into the sand base of the field to help with grass reinforcement and root stabilization. Fibers also help increase surface quality and player safety, durability, water and air movement as well as lifespan of the field. The field is classified as a "Hybrid" field like Lambeau Field.
- **Vitals:** 100% Kentucky Bluegrass, mowed 3-4 times a week at 1.25". Total grass area is 93,000 square feet.
- **Place In History:** Jack Trice Stadium is the nation's only FBS stadium named after an African-American.

STARK PERFORMANCE CENTER/BERGSTROM FOOTBALL COMPLEX

The visual landscape surrounding Jack Trice Stadium was amplified with the addition of the Stark Performance Center, a \$90 million project connecting to the existing Bergstrom Football Complex and debuting in 2021. This massive upgrade created multiple spaces for use by all student-athletes, as well as the addition of the Albaugh Family Plaza north of Jack Trice Stadium for all Cyclones to enjoy.

New or upgraded amenities include: football locker room, football player's lounge, nutrition center, sports medicine center, football offices, student-athlete life skills center, student-athlete academic center and student-athlete dining hall.



CYCLONES BY THE NUMBERS

- 3
- Three-straight wins against Power-4 non-conference opponents dating back to the 2024 season.
- 7
- Straight seasons ranked among the Big 12's top five in scoring defense.
- 13
- NFL Draft picks the last five seasons, including defensive tackle Domonique Orange, who was selected in the third round of the 2026 NFL Draft by the Minnesota Vikings.
- 15
- All-Americans since 2017. ISU had just three All-Americans from 1997-2016.
- 48
- Big 12 victories since 2017, the league's most during that stretch.
- 63
- Kyle Konrardy booted a school-record 63-yard field goal in ISU's 2025 win against South Dakota, the second-longest in Big 12 history.
- 189
- Iowa State has a streak of 189 consecutive games without being shut out, a streak dating back to the 2010 season finale.

HOW IT ALL SHOOK OUT

- Former Iowa State head coach Matt Campbell accepted the Penn State head coach position on Dec. 5 ... later that evening, Iowa State announced Washington State's Jimmy Rogers as its 34th head football coach.
- Rogers and Endowed Iowa State Athletics Director Jamie Pollard first met several years prior to his hiring at a professional development opportunity for up-and-coming coaches ... they were paired together and built an immediate bond that continued until his hiring.

TEAM QUICK HITS

- ISU has averaged seven wins per season dating back to 2016 and reached bowl eligibility in eight of the last 10 seasons.
- ISU is 13-6 in its last 19 games away from home, including 10-4 against Big 12 opponents during that stretch.
- Iowa State has won 19 of its last 21 games when scoring 30 or more points.
- ISU is 24-10 in its last 34 games with an 11-4 record in true road games during the stretch.
- Iowa State has allowed just two 300-yard passers in its last 24 games.

School	Big 12	Overall
Arizona	0-0	0-0
Arizona State	0-0	0-0
Baylor	0-0	0-0
BYU	0-0	0-0
Colorado	0-0	0-0
Cincinnati	0-0	0-0
Houston	0-0	0-0
Iowa State	0-0	0-0
Kansas	0-0	0-0
Kansas State	0-0	0-0
Oklahoma State	0-0	0-0
Texas Tech	0-0	0-0
UCF	0-0	0-0
Utah	0-0	0-0
West Virginia	0-0	0-0
TCU	0-0	0-1

HONORS

Offensive Player of the Week

- -

Defensive Player of the Week

- -

Special Teams Player of the Week

- -

Freshman of the Week

- -

Defensive Line of the Week

- -

Offensive Line of the Week

- -

THE CAPTAINS

- Iowa State will have six captains in 2026:

DT Max Baloun
CB David Coffey
RB Aiden Flora
QB Jaylen Raynor
OL Jake Taylor
DE Isaac Terrell.

INDIVIDUAL QUICK HITS

- Since 1996, 74 FBS players have passed for 8,600 yards and rushed for more than 1,100 yards as Jaylen Raynor has done ... he is the only active player that has reached those marks.
- Nine players that played at or were signed to play at South Dakota State have joined Jimmy Rogers at Iowa State: Max Baloun (only player on roster that played at SDSU), Tyrone Cotton III, Donovan Fitzmaurice, Adlai Lounsbury, Brody Miller, Carter Pabst, Damarius Russell, Sullivan Schlimgen and Trillion Sorrell.
- Baloun (twice at SDSU) and Seth Johnson (2025 at Montana State) have both won national championships in their college careers.
- Isaac Terrell had seven sacks in 2025, just six fewer than Iowa State had as a team last season running its three-man front.
- Jaylen Raynor has thrown three TD passes in back-to-back games.

TALKING TURNOVERS

- Jimmy Rogers coached teams are 29-2 in three seasons when tying or winning the turnover battle.
- The two losses came in 2025 in setbacks against CFP qualifiers Ole Miss and James Madison, games that were lost on the road by a total of seven points.

RIDIN' WITH RAYNOR

- Jaylen Raynor entered the mix after three seasons leading Arkansas State.
- Coincidentally, Raynor isn't an unknown to Cyclone fans as ISU faced his Red Wolves team in each of the last two seasons.
- Raynor has made 36 career starts and ranks among the Big 12 and national leaders in wins by an active quarterback.

Active FBS QBs, Most Wins as Starter

1.	Rocco Becht, Iowa State-Penn State	25
2.	Alonza Barnett, JMU-UCF	21
3.	Jaylen Raynor, Ark. State-Iowa State	20
	Mikey Keene, Four teams	20
	Noah Fifita, Arizona	20
	Maddux Madsen, Boise State	20
7.	Conner Weigman, Texas A&M-Houston	19
	Jayden Maiava, UNLV-USC	19
	Josh Hoover, TCU-Indiana	19
	Kevin Jennings, SMU	19

Active Big 12 QBs, Most Wins as Starter

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2.	Jaylen Raynor, Ark. State-Iowa State	20
	Mikey Keene, Four teams	20
	Noah Fifita, Arizona	20
5.	Conner Weigman, Texas A&M-Houston	19
6.	Avery Johnson, Kansas State	17
7.	Devon Dampier, New Mexico-Utah	15
	JC French IV, Cincinnati	15
9.	Bear Bachmeier, BYU	12
	Drew Mestemaker, UNT	12

- A natural leader, Raynor is at his best down the stretch in games ... he leads the nation's active quarterbacks engineering eight game-winning drives (tied or trailing) in the fourth quarter of games:

Active FBS, Most Career 4Q Game-Winning Drives
8 - Jaylen Raynor, Arkansas State-Iowa State

7 - Rocco Becht, Iowa State-Penn State
6 - Mikey Keene, UCF-Fresno State-Michigan-Ariz. State

- Raynor reunites with his offensive coordinator and quarterback coach from Arkansas State as Keith Heckendorf joined Jimmy Rogers' staff in January.

- He ranks among the nation's active career leaders in multiple statistical categories:

Stat	National Rank
Passing Yards (8,687)	4th
Passing TDs (52)	9th
TDs Responsible For (67)	9th

- *Fun Fact:* Raynor was able to stand in front of the team and name every single player on the 126-man roster less than two weeks after arriving on campus.

KONRARDY MAKING HISTORY

- Kyle Konrardy, who missed three games in 2025 due to injury, has proven himself as one of the nation's best kickers, specifically in crunch time.
- He has beaten Iowa in back-to-back seasons with game-winning fourth quarter 54-yard field goals.

Since 1996, Konrardy is one of two FBS kickers with multiple game-winning field goals in the final two minutes of a game from 50-plus yards (Drew Stevens, Iowa).

- Konrardy added to his legend with a school-record 63-yard field goal against South Dakota, breaking the previous mark by five yards ... it also topped Air Force kicker Dave Lawson's Jack Trice Stadium record of 62 yards, which

Week	AP	Coaches	CFP
Preseason	NR	NR	
Sept. 8	-	-	
Sept. 13	-	-	
Sept. 14	-	-	
Sept. 20	-	-	
Sept. 27	-	-	
Oct. 4	-	-	
Oct. 11	-	-	
Oct. 18	-	-	
Oct. 25	-	-	
Nov. 1	-	-	-
Nov. 8	-	-	-
Nov. 15	-	-	-
Nov. 22	-	-	-
Nov. 29	-	-	-
Dec. 6	-	-	-
Final	-	-	

Consecutive Polls Ranked (AP): None

NATIONAL POLLS

AP (Preseason)	COACHES (Preseason)
1. Ohio State (40)	1. Ohio State (38)
2. Oregon (14)	2. Oregon (6)
3. Georgia	3. Georgia (7)
4. Notre Dame (6)	4. Texas (2)
5. Texas	5. Notre Dame (5)
6. Indiana (8)	6. Indiana (14)
7. Miami (1)	7. Miami
8. Texas A&M	8. Texas A&M
9. Ole Miss	9. Oklahoma
10. Oklahoma	10. Ole Miss
11. LSU	11. Alabama
12. Texas Tech	12. Texas Tech
13. Alabama	13. LSU
14. USC	14. USC
BYU	15. BYU
16. Michigan	16. Michigan
17. Washington	17. Penn State
18. Penn State	18. Tennessee
19. SMU	19. Washington
20. Tennessee	20. SMU
21. Utah	21. Utah
22. Iowa	22. Iowa
23. Houston	23. Clemson
24. Louisville	24. Houston
25. Missouri	25. Missouri



came in the first game ever played in the stadium in 1975 ... it was the second-longest ever made by a Big 12 player, behind only NFL legend Martin Gramatica's 65-yarder.

- He joined Ty Stewart (1993) as the only kickers in school history with a 50-plus yard field goal in back-to-back games.
- Konrardy, an All-Big 12 honorable mention selection, earned three 2025 Big 12 Special Teams Player of the Week honors and has four in his career.
- In his first season as the Cyclones' place-kicker, Konrardy broke the school's single-season record with 109 points, connecting on 21-of-28 field goals and 46-of-48 extra points.
- A former high school soccer player who began playing football as a junior at Dubuque Senior High School.
- Konrardy now has five career kicks of at least 50 yards, the first Cyclone to do so since Grant Mahoney (2008-11).
- Konrardy is 22-for-23 inside 40 yards and 26-for-29 from 45 yards or closer in his career.
- Is fourth nationally among active players with 1.50 field goals made per game in his career.
- Konrardy has six touchbacks on 10 career kickoffs.

DEFENSIVE NOTES

- ISU has ranked among the Big 12's top five in scoring defense since 2017, nine-straight seasons.
- The Cyclones have limited opponents to under 300 yards of total offense 36 times since 2017.

SECOND-HALF STOPPERS

- Since the start of the 2021 season, ISU allowed just 573 points in the second half of its 64 games, an average of 9.0 points.

FOURTH QUARTER SUCCESS

- The Cyclones have been outscored in the fourth quarter just four times in their last 25 games.

PROGRAM IMPROVEMENT SINCE 2017

- Iowa State has winning seasons and bowl game eligibility in eight of the last nine seasons for the first time in school history (modern era, 1928-present).
- Iowa State has finished above .500 in

conference play in eight of the last nine seasons ... ISU has just nine winning league seasons in the Big 12-era (2000, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2023, 2024, 2025) with eight of those coming in the last nine seasons.

- Iowa State has finished fourth or better in the Big 12 standings in seven of the last nine seasons.
- The Cyclones have tallied 14 wins over AP Top-25 opponents since 2017.
- ISU has recorded four victories over teams rated in the nation's Top 10 since 2017.
- Iowa State has tallied 18 victories since 2017 where ISU trailed or was tied in the fourth quarter.
- The Cyclones have 26 road victories since 2017, tied for the most in the Big 12 in that span ... since 2023, ISU's 11 road wins are tied for fourth-most nationally among Power-4 teams behind only Oregon (14), Ohio State (13) and Alabama (12).
- ISU was 12-48 on the road from 2006-16, but is 26-22 since 2017.
- Iowa State has ecorded six of its 12 all-time road wins over ranked opponents since 2017.
- ISU has produced 15 All-Americans (Joel Lanning, David Montgomery- twice, Hakeem Butler, Brian Peavy, Charlie Kolar- three times, Breece Hall- twice, Mike Rose, JaQuan Bailey, Kene Nwangwu, Will McDonald IV, Andrew Mevis, Xavier Hutchinson, T.J. Tampa, Jayden Higgins, Domonique Orange) since 2017. ISU had just three All-Americans from 1997-2016.
- ISU has 48 Big 12 wins since 2017, the most among current Big 12 members during that time.

Most Big 12 Conference Wins Since 2017 (Current League Members)

1. Iowa State	48
2. TCU	45
3. Kansas State	44
4. Oklahoma State	39

- ISU has 69 overall wins since 2017, tied for the most among current Big 12 members during that time.

Most Overall Wins Since 2017 (Current League Members)

1. TCU	70
2. Iowa State	69
3. Kansas State	67
4. Oklahoma State	66



ISU LEADS, 1-0

Home: 1-0-0
Road: 0-0-0
Neutral: 0-0-0
Current Streak: W1
Longest ISU win streak: 1 (2022)
Overtime: 0-0
Rogers vs. SEMO: 0-0
Largest Iowa State Winning Margin: 32 in 2022 (42-10)

Recent Series History			Top Performances
2022	H	W, 42-10	Receiving Yards 128- Xavier Hutchinson, 2022 Receptions 18- Xavier Hutchinson, 2022 Rushing Yards 104- Jihrel Brock, 2022 Passing Yards 293- Hunter Dekkers, 2022

ISU-SEMO NOTES

- Iowa State and Southeast Missouri are set to meet for just the second time ... the other meeting was a 42-10 Cyclone win in the 2022 season opener.
- In that victory, Xavier Hutchinson caught three touchdown passes from Hunter Dekkers ... Hutchinson, now with the Houston Texans, finished with eight catches for 128 yards ... it was the last three TD reception game in program history.
- Former Cyclone kicker Drake Nettles' (2019-22) younger brother TJ is a freshman long snapper for SEMO ... in 2020, Drake played a significant role in ISU's win against Oregon in the Fiesta Bowl as his pooch on-side kick was recovered by the Cyclones.
- SEMO's inside linebackers coach Bobby McMillen played linebacker for Iowa State from 2015-19 under Paul Rhoads and Matt Campbell ... the Naperville, Illinois native played in 33 games despite losing the better of two seasons due to injury.
- Iowa State offensive quality control coach Sean Chambers and SEMO quarterback Chance Wilson were both at Montana State from 2023-25 ... they were teammates in 2023 and Chambers served on the offensive staff the last two seasons, with MSU winning the national championship in 2025.



NO PLACE LIKE HOME

- Iowa State's improvement since 2017 has produced plenty of wins at Jack Trice Stadium.
- Since 2018, Iowa State is 37-15 (.712) at Jack Trice Stadium.
- The Cyclones tied a school record for home wins in a season with six in 2024.
- Iowa State registered back-to-back perfect seasons at home vs. league opponents (2020: 5-0; 2021: 4-0).
- Iowa State has won 26 of its last 36 Big 12 games at Jack Trice Stadium ... seven of the 10 losses during that stretch were by just one score.

ISU VS. RANKED OPPONENTS

- Iowa State is 14-21 vs. ranked opponents since 2017 ... the Cyclones have beaten at least one ranked team in eight of the last nine seasons.
- Since 2017, Iowa State has 14 wins vs. Top-25 teams, four vs. Top-10 teams and six vs. Top-25 teams on the road.
- ISU's 14 victories over Top-25 opponents since 2017 rank in the Top-20 nationally during that span.
- ISU has 12 wins in school history over ranked teams on the road with six occurring since 2017 (Oklahoma, Memphis, Oklahoma State, Texas, K-State, Iowa).
- ISU owns just four wins over Top-6 opponents in school history with three of them occurring since 2017 (Oklahoma, TCU, West Virginia).
- Four of Iowa State's 12 all-time wins over Top-10 teams have occurred since 2017.
- Defeated a ranked team at home in five of the last nine seasons.

Top-25 Victories Since 2017

No. 3 Oklahoma (38-31)*	2017
No. 4 TCU (14-7)	2017
No. 18 Memphis (21-20)*	2017
No. 25 Oklahoma State (48-42)*	2018
No. 6 West Virginia (30-14)	2018
No. 22 Texas (23-21)	2019
No. 18 Oklahoma (37-30)	2020
No. 20 Texas (23-20)*	2020
No. 25 Oregon (34-17)^	2020
No. 8 Oklahoma State (24-21)	2021
No. 19 Kansas State (42-35)*	2023
No. 21 Iowa (20-19)*	2024
No. 15 Miami (42-41)^	2024
No. 17 Kansas State (24-21)^	2025

*road game ^neutral site

KEEPING IT CLOSE

- Since 2017, ISU has been defeated by more than 14 points just five times (Notre Dame in 2019, Louisiana in 2020, at No. 4 TCU in 2022, at No. 14 Oklahoma in 2023, vs. No. 12 Arizona State in 2024).
- In 16 of 43 losses since 2017, ISU has led or was tied in the 4th quarter.
- ISU has played in 57 one-score games since 2017 with a 27-30 record.
- ISU has won 11 of its last 15 one-score games.
- 17 of ISU's last 22 Big 12 losses were one-score games and 23 of ISU's 34 losses vs. Big 12 teams since 2017 were by seven points or fewer.
- The Cyclones have accumulated 18 victories since 2017 where the game was tied or ISU trailed in the 4th quarter.

ROAD WARRIORS

- From 2006-16, ISU was 12-48 on the road ... since 2017, ISU has a 25-23 record in road games.
- ISU has 20 road wins vs. conference opponents since 2017 ... ISU had four Big 12 road victories from 2012-16.
- Six of ISU's 12 all-time wins vs. ranked opponents on the road have occurred since 2017.

LOOKING AT THE SCHEDULE

- ISU faces a 12-game regular season schedule that includes seven home games and five road games.
- The Cyclones open the season with four of its first five games at home for the first time since the 2019 when they started the season 3-2.
- ISU will not leave the state of Iowa until its Oct. 9 game at BYU ... it is the latest Iowa State has gone before leaving the state since the 1996 season, when the Cyclones didn't play outside Iowa until Oct. 19.
- The Cyclones are the only Power-4 team that will play their first five games inside their home state.

THE COACHING STAFF

- Rogers built his staff largely off of past connections, including multiple coaches that played under him at South Dakota State.

- Defensive coordinator Jesse Bobbit played for Rogers at South Dakota State and was an All-MVFC linebacker under his tutelage from 2013-16 ... he then was a graduate assistant working alongside Rogers at SDSU, eventually taking over as defensive coordinator for the Jacks when Rogers was named head coach in 2023.
- Safeties coach Pete Menage played at South Dakota State under Rogers for two seasons (2016-17) before moving into a student assistant role ... he returned to SDSU as safeties coach when Rogers was hired as head coach.
- Passing game coordinator/SAM and Nickels coach Ross Watson was a defensive backs coach at FAU when Rogers was a graduate assistant with the Owls in 2012 ... Watson was most recently co-defensive coordinator at Toledo.
- Defensive line coach Jalon Bibbs and cornerbacks coach Mike Banks have been on Rogers' staff in the same roles since he was hired as a head coach in 2023.

LONGEST SCORING DRIVES

2026	
Plays	-
Yards	-
Time	-

Rogers Era	
Plays	-
Yards	-
Time	-

FASTEST TD STRIKES

2026	
Time	-

Rogers Era	
<i>One Play</i>	
Time	-
<i>Multi-Play</i>	
Time	-



- On the offensive side of the ball, offensive coordinator Tyler Roehl played and coached against Rogers when he was at North Dakota State ... Roehl was on Matt Campbell's staff as running backs coach in 2024, before serving as tight ends coach for the Detroit Lions in 2025.
- QB coach Keith Heckendorf's brother Cole played with Roehl at NDSU ... Heckendorf coached Cyclone QB Jaylen Raynor at Arkansas State and helped tutor Mitch Trubisky into an NFL draft pick at North Carolina.
- Running backs coach John Johnson coached alongside Rogers at South Dakota State in 2017-18.
- Tight ends coach Seth Hestness worked at NDSU when Roehl was an offensive coordinator in 2022-23 ... he was most recently tight ends coach at Army last season where one of his players caught the first TD pass by a Black Knight TE since 2006.
- Derrick Sherman coached wide receivers at Houston the previous two seasons and prior to that was at Tulane.
- Offensive line coach Jake Thornton had previously applied for a position at North Dakota State and he and Roehl maintained a relationship after that ... Thornton was most recently OL coach at Auburn and was an offensive GA at Alabama in 2017 when it won the national championship, working under Nick Saban, former Giants coach Brian Daboll, Georgia Tech head coach Brent Key, Maryland head coach Mike Locksley.

PRESEASON QUICK HITS

- Iowa State's roster of 126 players is the third-largest non-service academy roster in FBS:

130	North Dakota State
128	USC
126	Iowa State
126	NC State
122	Georgia Southern

- The Cyclones are the only Power-4 team without a returning starter on either the offensive or defensive side of the ball ... North Texas joins ISU as the only other FBS team without a returning starter:

0	Iowa State
0	North Texas
1	Connecticut
1	Memphis
1	Toledo

MEET THE GRADUATES

- Twelve Cyclones on the 2026 team have earned their degrees:

Player	Major	School
Chet Andrews	English	Iowa State
Max Baloun	Advertising	South Dakota State
	(Masters) Strategic Comms.	Wash. State
Gavin Broschious	Communications	Michigan State
Tyler Claiborne	Finance	Iowa State
Caden Crawford	General Studies	South Dakota
Zane Flores	Sport Management	Oklahoma State
Micah Harper	Business Management	BYU
Cody Jackson	Sport Management	Tarleton State
Caden Matson	Ag. Business	Iowa State
Caden Myer	Colo. School of Mines	Mech. Engineering
Jake Taylor	Multidisciplinary Studies	Oklahoma
Carson Willich	Kinesiology & Health	Iowa State

ABOUT JACK TRICE STADIUM

- Jack Trice Stadium has been home to more than just football games ... in its 52nd season as home of the Cyclones, the stadium has played host to the Rolling Stones, U2, Billy Joel, Elton John, George Strait. Luke Combs performed in April and, most recently, Jelly Roll and Post Malone in July 2026.
- MidAmerican Energy Field at Jack Trice Stadium's capacity was increased to 61,500 in 2015, making it the Big 12's second-largest stadium.

Top Season Attendance Marks At Home

Year	Avg. (National)
2025	60,862 (#27)
2021	60,704 (#24)
2023	60,384 (#28)
2019	59,794 (#21)
2017	57,931 (#28)
2024	57,884 (#32)
2022	57,344 (#30)
2015	56,519 (#34)
2018	56,010 (#29)

CYCLONES IN THE NFL

- For the sixth-straight year, ISU had a player picked in the NFL Draft. Defensive tackle Domonique Orange was a third-round pick of the Minnesota Vikings.

Cyclones On 53-man Rosters

Breece Hall - New York Jets (5)
Jayden Higgins - Houston Texans (2) - IR
Jake Hummel - Houston Texans (5)
Xavier Hutchinson - Houston Texans (4)
Charlie Kolar - Los Angeles Chargers (5)
Will McDonald IV - New York Jets (4)
David Montgomery - Houston Texans (8)
Jaylin Noel - Houston Texans (2)
Kene Nwangwu - New York Jets (6)
Domonique Orange - Minnesota Vikings (R)
Darien Porter - Las Vegas Raiders (2)
Brock Purdy - San Francisco 49ers (5)
T.J. Tampa - Baltimore Ravens (3)
Jalen Travis - Indianapolis Colts (2)
Enyi Uwazurike - Denver Broncos (5)
(Pro Experience In Parenthesis)

BIG GAMES

300-Yard Passing Games

Name	2025	Career
-	-	-

100-Yard Rushing Games

Name	2025	Career
-	-	-

100-Yard Receiving Games

Name	2025	Career
-	-	-

**Includes only games at Iowa State*

PRESEASON HONORS

Aiden Flora

Phil Steele Third-Team All-Big 12 (PR)

Cody Jackson

Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award Watch List

Kyle Konrardy

Phil Steele Second-Team All-Big 12 (PK)

Cameron Pettaway

Jet Award Preseason Watch List

Paul Hornung Award Watch List

Jaylen Raynor

AFCA Allstate Good Works Team Nominee

Allstate Wuerffel Trophy Watch List

Campbell Trophy Nominee

Isaac Terrell

Chuck Bednarik Award Watch List

Phil Steele Second-Team All-Big 12 (DE)



GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

OPP.	QB	RB	TE	F	WRM	WRX	WRZ	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
SEMO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BGU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WVU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BYU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OSU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UCF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KSU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

OPP.	E	NG	DT	E	WLB	MLB	SLB	STAR	FS	SS	CB	CB
SEMO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UI	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BGU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WVU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BYU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UA	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OSU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UCF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KSU	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NCAA STAT RANKINGS (2025)

Team Rankings

Category	NCAA	Big 12
3rd Down Conv. Pct. (40.1%)	67th	7th
3rd Down Conv. Pct. Def. (38.8%)	62nd	10th
4th Down Conv. Pct. (67.9%)	16th	2nd
4th Down Conv. Pct. Def. (45.8%)	35th	2nd
Blocked Kicks (1)	58th	11th
Blocked Punts (1)	24th	3rd
Completion Pct. (60.5%)	84th	10th
Fewest Penalties (55)	10th	2nd
Fewest Penalty Yds (480)	14th	3rd
Fewest Penalty YPG (40.0)	20th	3rd
Fumbles Lost (5)	26th	2nd
Fumbles Recovered (7)	48th	7th
Interceptions (11)	52nd	8th
Punt Return Def. (2.1)	3rd	1st
Passing Offense (221.4)	72nd	8th
Passing Defense (218.5)	65th	9th
Punt Return Avg. (17.8)	5th	1st
Red Zone Def. (83.3%)	60th	9th
Red Zone Off. (82.4%)	83rd	9th
Rushing Defense (138.0)	50th	6th
Rushing Offense (174.7)	49th	7th
Sacks Allowed (21)	60th	9th
Scoring Defense (20.2)	26th	5th
Scoring Offense (27.4)	69th	11th
Team Passing Effic. (134.87)	64th	10th
Team Pass. Effic. Def. (124.41)	44th	6th
Team Sacks (13)	127th	14th

Category	NCAA	Big 12
Time of Poss. (31:17)	31st	4th
Total Defense (356.5)	54th	6th
Total Offense (396.1)	59th	9th
Turnover Margin (+4)	42nd	6th

Individual Rankings

Category	NCAA	Big 12
Kyle Konrardy		
Field Goal Percentage (77.8)	62nd	8th
Field Goals Per Game (1.56)	30th	6th





SITUATIONAL RECORD

Situation	2025	Rogers Era
Overall	8-4	0-0
Non-conference	3-0	0-0
Big 12	5-4	0-0
Home	4-2	0-0
Road	3-2	0-0
Neutral	1-0	0-0
In overtime(s)	0-0	0-0
Score first	8-2	0-0
Opponent scores first	0-2	0-0
Ahead at half	7-2	0-0
Behind at half	0-2	0-0
Tied at half	1-0	0-0
Score fewer than 20 points	1-2	0-0
Score 20-29 points	4-1	0-0
Score 30-39 points	2-1	0-0
Score 40-49 points	0-0	0-0
Score more than 50 points	1-0	0-0
Allow fewer than 20 points	7-0	0-0
Allow 20-29 points	1-2	0-0
Allow 30-39 points	0-1	0-0
Allow 40-49 points	0-1	0-0
Allow more than 50 points	0-0	0-0
Decided by 1-3 points	3-0	0-0
Decided by 4-7 points	1-2	0-0
Decided by 8-10 points	1-1	0-0
Decided by 11-20 points	0-1	0-0
Decided by more than 20 points	3-0	0-0
In August	2-0	0-0
In September	3-0	0-0
In October	0-3	0-0
In November	3-1	0-0
In December	0-0	0-0
In January	0-0	0-0
Day games	6-4	0-0
Night games	2-0	0-0
Natural grass	6-2	0-0
Artificial Turf	2-2	0-0
As Top 25 team	5-2	0-0
Versus Top 25 teams	1-1	0-0
Versus Top 10 teams	0-0	0-0
Rushing: ISU has more	7-2	0-0
Rushing: ISU has less	1-2	0-0
Rushing over 200 yards	3-1	0-0
Rushing less than 200 yards	5-3	0-0
Opp. Rushing over 200 yards	0-2	0-0
Opp. Rushing less than 200 yards	8-2	0-0
Passing: ISU has more	5-3	0-0
Passing: ISU has less	3-1	0-0
Passing over 300 yards	1-2	0-0
Passing less than 300 yards	6-2	0-0
Opp. Passing over 300 yards	1-1	0-0
Opp. Passing less than 300 yards	7-3	0-0
Total Offense: ISU has more	6-2	0-0
Total Offense: ISU has less	2-2	0-0
Total Offense over 400 yards	3-3	0-0
Total Offense less than 400 yards	5-1	0-0
Opp. Total Offense over 400 yards	1-3	0-0
Opp. Total Offense less than 400 yards	7-1	0-0
Turnovers: Win Margin	5-2	0-0
Turnovers: Lose Margin	0-2	0-0
Turnovers: Tied	3-0	0-0
ISU has 100-yard rusher	4-3	0-0
ISU has 300-yard passer	0-2	0-0
ISU has 100-yard receiver	1-1	0-0
Wins Coin Toss	2-2	0-0
Loses Coin Toss	6-2	0-0

THE LAST TIME...

RUSHING

100 yards	Carson Hansen (111) at Oklahoma State (11-29-25)
150 yards	Carson Hansen (152) vs. BYU (10-25-25)
200 yards	Abu Sama III (276) at Kansas State (11-25-23)
300 yards	Troy Davis (378) vs. Missouri (9-28-96)
2 TDs	Carson Hansen (2) vs. BYU (10-25-25)
3 TDs	Rocco Becht (3) vs. Arizona (9-27-25)
4 TDs	Joel Lanning (5) vs. Texas Tech (11-19-16)
5 TDs	Joel Lanning (5) vs. Texas Tech (11-19-16)
30 attempts	Breece Hall (30) at Kansas State (10-16-21)
40 attempts	Darren Davis (43) at Kansas State (11-21-98)
50 attempts	Troy Davis (53) vs. UNI (9-21-96)

PASSING

300 yards	Rocco Becht (311) vs. BYU (10-25-25)
400 yards	Rocco Becht (446) at Memphis (12-29-23)
30 completions	Rocco Becht (30) at Cincinnati (10-4-25)
50 attempts	Hunter Dekkers (57) vs. Oklahoma (10-29-22)
3 TDs	Rocco Becht (3) vs. Kansas (11-22-25)
4 TDs	Hunter Dekkers (4) vs. SEMO (9-3-22)
5 TDs	Brock Purdy (5) at Oklahoma (11-9-19)

RECEIVING

10 receptions	Jayden Higgins (10) vs. Texas Tech (11-2-24)
100 yards	Brett Eskildsen (105) at Cincinnati (10-4-25)
200 yards	Jayden Higgins (214) at Memphis (12-29-23)
2 TDs	Brett Eskildsen (2) vs. Kansas (11-22-25)
3 TDs	Xavier Hutchinson (3) vs. SEMO (9-3-22)
4 TDs	Todd Blythe (4) at Texas A&M (10-29-05)

TOTAL OFFENSE

350 yards	Rocco Becht (392) at Kansas (11-9-24)
400 yards	Rocco Becht (442) at Memphis (12-29-23)
450 yards	Brock Purdy (510) vs. ULM (9-21-19)

FIELD GOALS MADE

3	Kyle Konrardy (3) vs. Iowa (9-6-25)
4	Andrew Mevis (4) at Kansas State (10-16-21)
5	Bret Culbertson (5) vs. Iowa (9-15-07)
50-yarder	Kyle Konrardy (55) vs. Kansas (11-22-25)
55-yarder	Kyle Konrardy (55) vs. Kansas (11-22-25)
60-yarder	Kyle Konrardy (63) vs. South Dakota (8-30-25)

PUNTING

70-yarder	Tyler Perkins (70) vs. Northern Iowa (9-2-23)
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TACKLES

15	Beau Freyler (15) at Kansas State (11-25-23)
20	Joel Lanning (20) vs. Texas (9-28-17)

SACKS

2.0	Caleb Bacon (3.0) at Oklahoma State (11-29-25)
3.0	Caleb Bacon (3.0) at Oklahoma State (11-29-25)
3.5	JaQuan Bailey (3.5) at TCU (9-26-20)

INTERCEPTIONS

2	Darien Porter (2) at Iowa (9-7-24)
3	George Walker (3) at Vanderbilt (9-17-83)
4	Barry Hill (4) at Kansas (10-26-74)

FUMBLES

Forced 2 fumbles	Will McDonald (2) at Kansas State (1-16-21)
Recovered 2 fumbles	O'Rien Vance (2) vs. Oregon (1-2-21)
Recovered 3 fumbles	Mike Shane (3) at Missouri (10-15-88)

BLOCKS

Blocked punt	Myles Mendezsoon vs. Baylor (10-5-24)
Blocked PAT	David Irving vs. Oklahoma State (10-26-23)
Blocked FG	Darien Porter vs. Kansas State (11-30-24)

NON-OFFENSIVE SCORING PLAYS

Kickoff return TD	Kene Nwangwu (97) vs. West Virginia (11-26-16)
Punt return TD	Aiden Flora (79) at TCU (11-8-25)
INT return TD	Jeremiah Cooper (58) vs. Northern Iowa (9-2-23)
Fumble return TD	Eyioma Uwazurike (1) vs. TCU (10-5-19)
Recorded a safety	[TEAM] vs. Kansas State (11-30-24)
Blocked Punt Return TD	Caden Matson (25) vs. Baylor (10-5-24)





CAREER RECORDS

FIELD GOALS MADE

1. 58 Jeff Shudak, 1987-90
2. 54 Cole Netten, 2013-16
3. 48 Connor Assalley, 2018-21
4. 44 Ty Stewart, 1991-94
5. 43 Alex Giffords, 1979-82
6. 39 Grant Mahoney, 2008-11
- 39 Tom Goedjen, 1972-74
8. 38 Bret Culbertson, 2004-07
9. 37 Jamie Kohl, 1995-98
10. 35 **Kyle Konrardy, 2024-pres.**

FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED

1. 79 Jeff Shudak, 1987-90
2. 78 Tom Goedjen, 1972-74
3. 68 Cole Netten, 2013-16
- 68 Ty Stewart, 1991-94
- 68 Alex Giffords, 1979-82
6. 66 Grant Mahoney, 2008-11
7. 65 Connor Assalley, 2018-21
8. 59 Jamie Kohl, 1995-98
9. 55 Bret Culbertson, 2004-07
10. 46 **Kyle Konrardy, 2024-pres.**

50-YARD FIELD GOALS MADE

1. 6* Jeff Shudak, 1987-90
2. 5 **Kyle Konrardy, 2024-25**
- 5 Grant Mahoney, 2008-11
4. 3 Alex Giffords, 1979-82

**blocks/tees were allowed prior to 1989*

50-YARD FIELD GOALS MADE, ACTIVE FBS PLAYERS

1. 11 Lucas Carneiro, Ole Miss
2. 10 Tate Sandell, Oklahoma
3. 9 Charlie Rogers, FAU
4. 7 Blake Craig, Missouri
5. 6 Colton Boomer, Boise State
- 6 Brock Taylor, Vanderbilt
- 6 Peyton Woodring, Georgia
8. 5 **Kyle Konrardy, Iowa State**
- 5 Mateen Bhaghani, UCLA
- 5 Max Gilbert, Arkansas
- 5 Nico Gramatica, South Florida
- 5 John Love, Virginia Tech
- 5 Garrison Rippa, Jacksonville State
- 5 Gianni Spetic, Texas
- 5 Clune Van Andel, Arkansas State

KICKING POINTS

1. 300 Cole Netten, 2013-16
2. 292 Connor Assalley, 2018-21
3. 266 Jeff Shudak, 1987-90
4. 217 Jamie Kohl, 1995-98
5. 214 Bret Culbertson, 2004-07
- 214 Alex Giffords, 1979-82
7. 210 Grant Mahoney, 2008-11
8. 209 Ty Stewart, 1991-94
9. 193 Tom Goedjen, 1972-74
10. 170 **Kyle Konrardy, 2024-pres.**





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JAYLEN RAYNOR

QB, 6-1, 208, SR.
WINSTON-SALEM, N.C.

RAYNOR NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season following three seasons at Arkansas State.
- Played for quarterback coach Keith Heckendorf at A-State before rejoining Heckendorf in Ames.
- Owns 36 career starts, second-most among active FBS quarterbacks.
- 2023 Sun Belt Freshman of the Year

Team captain ... 2026 Wuerffel Trophy watch list and Allstate American Football Coaches Association Good Works Team nominee ... 8,694 career passing yards are fourth-most among active FBS QBs ... has accounted for 67 career TDs (52 passing, 15 rushing).

Started all 13 games for Arkansas State in 2025 ... completed 66 percent of his passes (333-for-501) for career-bests of 3,361 yards and 19 touchdowns ... also had seven rushing touchdowns ... had four games with 70 percent or better completion percentage ... was 19-for-33 for 222 yards against Iowa State ... started all 13 games in his sophomore season ... played in 11 games and earned 10 starts as a true freshman ... 2023 Sun Belt Conference Freshman of the Year, the first true-freshman QB to win the award since 2007 ... 2023 On3 True Freshman All-American ... passed for 2,543 yards and 17 touchdowns while completing 166-of-285 attempts ... also had five rushing touchdowns ... three-star recruit from On3 ... ranked by On3 as the No. 18 player in North Carolina and the 26th-best dual-threat quarterback.

CAREER STATISTICS

Passing

Year	G	Att.	Com.	Int.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Eff.
*2023	11	285	166	7	58.2	2550	17	148.2
*2024	13	420	259	10	61.7	2783	16	125.1
*2025	13	501	333	11	66.5	3361	19	130.9
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	37	1206	758	28	62.9	8694	52	133.0

Rushing

Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
*2023	11	123	373	3.0	5	62
*2024	13	137	387	2.8	3	40
*2025	13	154	423	2.7	7	42
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	37	414	1183	2.9	15	62

*at Arkansas State

CAREER BESTS

Attempts: 48 vs. Southern Miss, 11/8/25
Completions: 37 vs. Southern Miss, 11/8/25
Passing Yards: 383 at Massachusetts, 9/30/23
Touchdown Passes: 6 at Massachusetts, 9/30/23
Long Pass: 79 vs. Bowling Green, 12/26/24
Long TD Pass: 79 vs. Bowling Green, 12/26/24
Rushing Yards: 114 at Georgia State, 11/16/24
Rushing TDs: 3 vs. Georgia Southern, 10/25/25
Long Rush: 62 vs. Southern Miss, 9/23/23

2026

Opp.	C-A-I	Yds.	TD	Car.	Yds.	TD
-	-	-	-	-	-	-

6

ZANE FLORES

QB, 6-3, 215, R-SO.
GRETNA, NEB.

FLORES NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season following three seasons at Oklahoma State.
- Owns eight careers starts.

Saw action in nine games, making eight starts, for Oklahoma State last season ... completed 159-of-266 passes (60 percent) for 1,490 yards and three touchdowns ... started season finale against Iowa State, completing 23-of-34 passes for 202 yards ... did not see action in 2024 (received medical hardship waiver) ... redshirted 2023 season ... 2022 MaxPreps Nebraska Player of the Year .. No. 18 quarterback prospect in 2023 class according to Rivals ... father, Mel, played college football at Omaha.

Graduated with a degree in Sport Management from Oklahoma State.

CAREER STATISTICS

Passing

Year	G	Att.	Com.	Int.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Eff.
*2025	9	266	159	7	59.8	1490	3	105.3
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	9	266	159	7	59.8	1490	3	105.3

Rushing

Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
*2025	9	52	117	2.3	2	27
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	9	52	117	2.3	2	27

*at Oklahoma State

CAREER BESTS

Attempts: 41 vs. Baylor, 9/27/25
Completions: 25 vs. Tulsa, 9/19/25
Passing Yards: 235 at Kansas, 11/1/25
Touchdown Passes: 2 at Kansas, 11/1/25
Long Pass: 47 vs. Baylor, 9/27/25

Rushing Yards: 56 vs. Tulsa, 9/19/25
Rushing TDs: 1, twice

2026

Opp.	C-A-I	Yds.	TD	Car.	Yds.	TD
-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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CONNOR MOBERLY

QB, 6-4, 214, R-SO.
ALTOONA, IOWA

MOBERLY NOTABLES

Appeared in two games in 2025 while battling injury for much of the season (Arizona, TCU) ... rushed four times for 29 yards against Arizona ... appeared in four games in 2024, maintaining his redshirt ... completed 5-of-10 passes and rushed for 51 yards as a freshman, averaging 6.4 yards per carry ... made fourth appearance of the season in the Big 12 Championship game against No. 12 Arizona State in relief of Rocco Becht.

Three-star quarterback by ESPN, 247Sports, On3 and Rivals ... listed as the nation's No. 29 pocket passing quarterback by ESPN ... won three consecutive state titles at Southeast Polk, starting at quarterback in two of those seasons ... completed 68.7 percent of his passes for 4,357 yards and 40 touchdowns in those two seasons ... named 2023 Mr. IAfootball ... 2023 IFCA/IPSWA All-State Class 5A team captain and first team selection ... 2023 Des Moines Register All-Iowa Elite Team.

CAREER STATISTICS

Passing

Year	G	Att.	Com.	Int.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Eff.
2024	4	10	5	1	50.0	49	0	71.2
2025	2	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0.0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	6	11	5	1	45.5	49	0	64.7

Rushing

Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
2024	4	8	51	6.4	0	18
2025	2	4	29	7.3	0	13
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	6	12	80	6.7	0	18

CAREER BESTS

Attempts: 7 vs. Arkansas State, 9/21/24
Completions: 5 vs. Arkansas State, 9/21/24
Passing Yards: 49 vs. Arkansas State, 9/21/24
Touchdown Passes: -
Long Pass: 17 vs. Arkansas State, 9/21/24
Long TD Pass: -

Rushing Yards: 36 vs. Arkansas State, 9/21/24
Rushing Touchdowns: -

2024

Opp.	C-A-I	Yds.	TD	Car.	Yds.	TD
Arkansas St.	5-7-1	49	0	4	36	0
Cincinnati	0-0-0	0	0	1	5	0
Arizona St.	0-3-0	0	0	3	10	0

2025

Opp.	C-A-I	Yds.	TD	Car.	Yds.	TD
Arizona	0-1-0	0	0	4	29	0

2026

Opp.	C-A-I	Yds.	TD	Car.	Yds.	TD
-	-	-	-	-	-	-



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AIDEN FLORA
RB, 6-0, 195, R-SO.
ADEL, IOWA

FLORA NOTABLES

- Joined the program as a walk-on in 2024 and was placed on scholarship prior to the 2026 season by head coach Jimmy Rogers.
- Appeared on kickoff, kick return, punt and punt return units in 2025.
- 2025 All-Big 12 Second Team selection as a specialist.
- Led the Big 12 in punt return average (26.1 yds/return) last season and had one of just three punt returns for a TD in the conference.

Team captain ... 2026 Phil Steele Preseason All-Big 12 Third Team selection as a punt returner ... appeared in 10 games in 2025, missing two due to injury (Iowa, Arkansas State) ... averaged 21.4 yards on eight kick returns ... logged four rushes for 58 yards and a TD on the season (14.5 avg.) ... rushed twice for 51 yards and a touchdown against Kansas ... 38-yard TD rush against KU was ISU's longest TD run of the season ... returned a punt 79 yards for a touchdown for the game-winning score at TCU ... it was ISU's first punt return TD since 2017 and the longest for a TD since 2015 ... returned two punts for 117 yards (58.5 avg.) against South Dakota ... his returns of 66 and 51 yards marked the first time since 1974 that ISU had multiple 50-plus yard punt returns in a game ... recovered a fumble in the Aer Lingus College Football Classic following a K-State muffed punt.

Played in six games in 2024 as a walk-on, maintaining his redshirt ... registered 11 carries for 53 yards and one touchdown ... had a season-high six carries for 27 yards and an eight-yard touchdown run against Arkansas State ... recorded a 12-yard run and a six-yard reception against No. 15 Miami in the Pop-Tarts Bowl ... 2023 IPSWA and Des Moines Register All-State selection ... passed for 1,124 yards and 13 TDs and rushed for 1,932 yards and 27 TDs ... brother, Andrew, wrestled at Iowa State from 2019-22.

CAREER STATISTICS

Rushing								
Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
2024	6	11	53	4.8	1	1	6	0
2025	10	4	58	14.5	1	2	25	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	16	15	111	7.4	2	3	31	0

CAREER BESTS

Carries: 6 vs. Arkansas State, 9/21/24
Rushing Yards: 51 vs. Kansas, 11/22/25
Rush TDs: 1, twice
Longest Rush: 38 vs. Kansas, 11/22/25

Punt Return TDs: 1 at TCU, 11/8/25
Longest Punt Return: 79 at TCU, 11/8/25

2024

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
Arkansas St.	6	27	1	0	0	0
Cincinnati	3	16	0	0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	-2	0	0	0	0
Miami	1	12	0	1	6	0

2025

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
Colorado	0	0	0	2	25	0
Kansas	2	51	1	0	0	0
Oklahoma St.	2	7	0	0	0	0

2026

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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CAMERON PETTAWAY
RB, 5-10, 190, R-SO.
FARMINGTON HILLS, MICH.

PETTAWAY NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season following two years at Bowling Green.
- Led the nation in kick return average last season (33.0).
- 2025 MAC Freshman of the Year, First Team All-MAC (kick returner) and FWAA Freshman All-American.

2026 Paul Hornung Award watch list ... appeared in nine games, making four starts, as a redshirt-freshman in 2025 ... FWAA Freshman All-American, MAC Freshman of the Year and First Team All-MAC as a kick returner ... led nation and broke school record in kick return average (33.0) ... had 396 kickoff return yards on 12 returns ... returned opening kickoff of the season 98 yards for a touchdown against Lafayette ... rushed for 365 yards on 72 attempts and had eight receptions for 139 yards ... redshirted 2024 season ... three-star prospect out of high school.

CAREER STATISTICS

Rushing								
Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
*2025	9	72	365	5.1	0	8	139	2
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	9	72	365	5.1	0	8	139	2

*at Bowling Green

CAREER BESTS

Carries: 13 at Cincinnati, 9/6/25
Rushing Yards: 87 at Massachusetts, 11/25/25
Rushing TDs: -
Total TDs: 2 vs. Toledo, 10/11/25
Longest Rush: 34 at Massachusetts, 11/25/25
Longest Rush TD: -
Longest Kick Return: 98 vs. Lafayette, 8/28/25

2026

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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CALEB FRANCOIS
RB, 6-2, 210, FR.
MINNETONKA, MINN.

FRANCOIS NOTABLES

Three-star prospect and a top-10 player in the state of Minnesota by all major recruiting services ... rated as the nation's No. 32 running back and the No. 5 player in Minnesota by 247Sports ... 2025 Star Tribune All-Minnesota Player of the Year ... completed prep career with 575 carries for 3,758 yards and 55 touchdowns ... was also an all-conference basketball selection on the hardwood.

CAREER STATISTICS

Rushing								
Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Carries:
Rushing Yards:
Rushing TDs:
Longest Rush:
Longest Rush TD:

2026

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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ARNOLD BARNES III
RB, 5-10, 220, SR.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

BARNES NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season following three seasons at Tulane.
- Appearances in 34 career games.

Appeared in 13 games with one start last season at Tulane, rushing 51 times for 217 yards ... played in 14 games during the 2024 season and was second on the team with 402 yards ... rushed for six TDs and caught one TD that season ... appeared in seven games during the 2023 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Rushing									
Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD	
*2023	7	23	138	6.0	0	0	0	0	
*2024	14	87	402	4.6	6	8	19	1	
*2025	13	51	217	4.3	0	2	16	0	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	34	161	757	4.7	6	10	35	1	

**at Tulane*

CAREER BESTS

Carries: 12 at Navy, 11/16/24
Rushing Yards: 82 at UAB, 10/5/24
Rushing TDs: 2, twice
Longest Rush: 65 vs. Nicholls, 9/23/23
Longest Rush TD: 14 at UAB, 10/5/24

2026

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
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GABRIEL WILSON
RB, 5-9, 190, FR.
HOUSTON, TEXAS

WILSON NOTABLES

- Originally signed with New Mexico before joining the Cyclones after John Johnson left UNM to become ISU's running backs coach.

Three-star prospect by all major outlets ... rushed for 1,113 yards on 147 carries and scored 13 touchdowns on the ground in his senior prep season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Rushing							
Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Rec.	Yds.
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Carries:
Rushing Yards:
Rushing TDs:
Longest Rush:
Longest Rush TD:

2026

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
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EASTON MILLER
RB, 6-1, 230, R-JR.
ANKENY, IOWA

MILLER NOTABLES

Appeared in 25 career games, mainly on special teams ... registered four carries for 23 yards last season, all coming against South Dakota ... played in 13 games as a redshirt freshman, rushing for seven yards on two attempts ... redshirted 2023 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Rushing									
Year	G	Car.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD	
2024	13	2	7	3.5	0	0	0	0	
2025	12	4	23	5.8	0	0	0	0	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	25	6	30	5.0	0	0	0	0	

CAREER BESTS

Carries: 4 vs. South Dakota, 8/30/25
Rushing Yards: 23 vs. South Dakota, 8/30/25
Rushing TDs: -
Longest Rush: 9 vs. South Dakota, 8/30/25
Longest Rush TD: -

2024

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
Baylor	2	7	0	0	0	0

2025

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
USD	4	23	0	0	0	0

2026

Opp.	Car.	Yds.	TD	Rec.	Yds.	TD
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WIDE RECEIVERS

2

CODY JACKSON

WR, 6-0, 190, R-SR.
RICHMOND, TEXAS

JACKSON NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season following stints at Tarleton State, Houston and Oklahoma.
- 2025 Second Team All-United Athletic Conference selection.
- Battled Lemierre syndrome while at Oklahoma, a rare, life-threatening condition involving septic thrombophlebitis (an infected blood clot) of the internal jugular vein.
- 2026 Nick Bassett Perseverance Award recipient ... Nick Bassett was a supporter, fan and friend not only to the Cyclone football program, but also to the entire Iowa State community. He had various health struggles from age two until he passed away in January of 2022 at 29 years old ... Nick's life and legacy continue to impact Iowa State's players, staff, fans and the entire program in tremendous ways.

2026 Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award watch list ... played in 27 games with 20 starts, making 82 receptions for 1,289 yards and 14 touchdowns, in two seasons at Tarleton State ... started 13 games as Tarleton State went 12-2 and reached the FCS Quarterfinals last season ... 2025 Second Team All-United Athletic Conference selection after recording 53 receptions for 799 yards and six touchdowns ... averaged 15.1 yards per reception and made six receptions of at least 30 yards.

Did not play in 2023 season ... appeared in four games during 2022 season at Houston ... redshirted 2021 season at Oklahoma while playing in two games ... consensus four-star recruit out of high school ... rated as the nation's No. 59 overall player by 247Sports (No. 6 receiver).

Graduated from Tarleton State with a degree in sport management.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving

Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
*2021	2	5	45	9.0	0
^2022	4	0	0	0.0	0
%2024	14	29	490	16.9	8
%2025	13	53	799	15.1	6
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	33	87	1334	15.3	14

*at Oklahoma // ^at Houston // %at Tarleton State

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 10 vs. Austin Peay, 11/22/25

Yards: 134 at Abilene Christian, 11/1/25

Touchdowns: 2 vs. Austin Peay, 11/22/25

Long: 60 at Portland State, 8/23/25

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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EVAN BOYD

WR, 6-3, 212, R-JR.
EAST LANSING, MICH.

BOYD NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State after a season at Michigan State and two seasons at Central Michigan.

Played in 12 games in 2025 at Michigan State, finishing with three receptions for 54 yards for an 18.0 yard per catch average ... started first eight games of the 2024 season at Central Michigan before missing the final four games due to injury ... ended that season with 21 receptions for 302 yards, which led the team through the first eight games ... redshirted 2023 season, appearing in four games with one start ... older brother, Ethan, lettered at Michigan State in 2022-23 as an offensive lineman.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving

Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
*2023	4	0	0	0.0	0
*2024	8	21	302	14.4	2
^2025	12	3	54	18.0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	24	24	356	14.8	2

*at Central Michigan // ^at Michigan State

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 6 vs. San Diego State, 9/28/24

Yards: 78, twice

Receiving TDs: 1, twice

Long Reception: 47 vs. Central Conn. St., 8/29/24

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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DOMINIC OVERBY

WR, 6-5, 200, R-SO.
WEST JORDAN, UTAH

OVERBY NOTABLES

- Appeared in all 12 games and started the first three games of the 2025 season.
- Redshirted 2024 season.

Finished 2025 season with seven receptions for 87 yards and two touchdowns, just the 12th Cyclone freshman to have multiple TD catches ... career-high three receptions for 22 yards at Cincinnati ... caught a 27-yard touchdown pass to put ISU in the lead just before halftime at Arkansas State ... Week 0 Big 12 Freshman of the Week ... hauled in first career touchdown reception in season opener against No. 17 K-State ... finished with two receptions for 29 yards against the Wildcats.

Played in six games in 2024, maintaining his redshirt ... registered only reception of the season for nine yards at Kansas ... three-star prep prospect and a top 65 wide receiver nationally by 247Sports ... had a breakout senior season with 67 receptions for 1,140 yards and 11 touchdowns in 2023 ... earned 2023 Desert News 5A First-Team All-State honors ... R4P First-Team All-Utah ... also competed in track and field ... 2024 state champion in the long jump and 100m dash ... owns Class 5A state record in both the 100m (10.54) and 200m (20.91) and the overall state record in the long jump (23' 11").

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving

Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2024	6	1	9	9.0	0
2025	12	7	87	12.4	2
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	18	8	96	12.0	2

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 3 at Cincinnati, 10/4/25

Yards: 29 vs. Kansas State, 8/23/25

Touchdowns: 1, twice

Long: 27 at Arkansas State, 9/13/25

2024

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
Kansas	1	9	0	9

2025

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
Kansas St.	2	29	1	23
Iowa	1	9	0	9
Arkansas St.	1	27	1	27
Cincinnati	3	22	0	11

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-



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OMARI HAYES
WR, 5-9, 175, R-SR.
SARASOTA, FLA.

HAYES NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season after a season at Tulane and three seasons at Florida Atlantic.
- Played in all 14 games and made five starts in helping Tulane to an 11-3 record and a berth in the College Football Playoff last season.

Registered 39 receptions for 515 yards and one touchdown in 2025, third-most on Tulane's squad ... posted 39 catches for 590 yards and three touchdowns in 11 games during the 2024 season at FAU ... appeared in one game during the 2023 season ... redshirted 2022 season ... mother, Christy, played tennis at Mississippi Valley State ... older brother, Michael, played football at Lafayette.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
*2023	1	0	0	0.0	0
*2024	11	39	590	15.1	3
*2025	14	39	515	13.2	1
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	26	78	1105	14.2	4

*at Florida Atlantic // *at Tulane

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 9 vs. Northwestern, 8/30/25

Yards: 137 vs. Wagner, 9/28/24

Touchdowns: 1, four times

Long: 71 vs. Wagner, 9/28/24

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

4

CARTER PABST
WR, 6-1, 200, SO.
WICHITA, KAN.

PABST NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season after spending his freshman season at Washington State.
- Appearances in nine career games.

Nine catches for 168 yards and touchdown in his freshman season ... missed bowl game due to injury ... three-star prospect and ranked as the No. 18 overall prospect in Kansas by ESPN out of high school.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
*2025	9	9	168	18.7	1
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	9	9	168	18.7	1

*at Washington State

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 3 at North Texas, 9/13/25

Yards: 65 at North Texas, 9/13/25

Touchdowns: 1 vs. Toledo, 10/25/25

Long: 43 at North Texas, 9/13/25

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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JAMAL POLITE JR.
WR, 5-11, 185, FR.
BEAUFORT, S.C.

POLITE NOTABLES

Three-star prospect by all major outlets ... as a senior, he caught 37 passes for 976 yards and 11 touchdowns ... also competed in track and field, winning a state title in the 4x200 relay ... originally signed with Washington State ... played high school football at Shoemaker High School in Killeen, Texas.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: -

Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

Long: -

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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TY CLAIBORNE
WR, 6-2, 215, R-SR.
LENEXA, KAN.

CLAIBORNE NOTABLES

- Appeared in three games during the 2025 season.

Saw action in three games last season ... appeared in one game during the 2024 season ... did not see action in 2023 ... redshirted 2022 season ... two-time all-state selection as a prep ... was coached by former Cyclone football letterwinner Tom Radke at St. James Academy.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2024	1	0	0	0	0
2025	3	0	0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	4	0	0	0	0

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: -

Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

Long: -

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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CHRISTIAN GREENLAW
TE, 6-5, 245, R-JR.
NEWPORT NEWS, VA.

GREENLAW NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season following three seasons at Hampton.
- Appearances in 23 career games with 12 starts.

Finished three-year career at Hampton with 14 receptions for 122 yards and one touchdown ... played in nine games in 2025, making nine starts ... finished with seven receptions for 36 yards ... saw action in 10 games and made three starts in 2024 ... redshirted 2023 season while appearing in three games.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
*2023	3	0	0	0.0	0
*2024	10	7	86	12.3	1
*2025	10	7	36	5.1	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	23	14	122	8.7	1

*at Hampton

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 3 vs. Morgan State, 8/31/24

Yards: 52 at Norfolk State, 9/14/24

Touchdowns: 1 at Norfolk State, 9/14/24

Long: 35 at Norfolk State, 9/14/24

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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JORDAN VYBORNÝ
TE, 6-5, 235, R-FR.
ROCKFORD, ILL.

VYBORNÝ NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season after redshirting 2025 season at Oklahoma State.

Redshirted 2025 season ... rated as the No. 14 overall tight end nationally and No. 6 overall prospect in Utah according to ESPN ... missed senior prep season due to injury.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: -

Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

Long: -

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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TYLER FORTENBERRY
TE, 6-5, 245, R-SR.
BROOKHAVEN, MISS.

FORTENBERRY NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season from Arkansas State ... also had prior stops at Vanderbilt and Copiah-Lincoln CC.
- Played quarterback as a freshman at Copiah-Lincoln CC prior to switching to tight end.

Played in 13 games, making 11 starts in his lone season at Arkansas State ... finished season with 32 receptions for 294 yards and two touchdowns playing alongside current Cyclone quarterback Jaylen Raynor ... redshirted 2024 season at Vanderbilt ... played in 12 games in 2023 at Copiah-Lincoln CC, finishing the season with six receptions for 72 yards and a touchdown in his first season playing tight end ... rated as a three-star prospect and a top-10 tight end in the class by On3, 247Sports and ESPN ... brother, Trevor, is a wide receiver for the Cyclones.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
*2025	13	32	294	9.2	2
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	13	32	294	9.2	2

*at Arkansas State

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 6 vs. Southern Miss, 11/8/25

Yards: 69 at App State, 11/29/25

Touchdowns: 1, twice

Long: 28 vs. Louisiana, 11/20/25

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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VINCE BENETTI
TE, 6-4, 245, R-JR.
ADEL, IOWA

BENETTI NOTABLES

- Appeared in 22 career games, primarily on special teams.

Played in nine games last season as a special teams contributor and reserve tight end ... recorded one tackle ... played in 13 games during the 2024 season ... redshirted 2023 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving					
Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2024	13	0	0	0	0
2025	9	0	0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	22	0	0	0	0

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: -

Yards: -

Touchdowns: -

Long: -

2026

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
-	-	-	-	-

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RYLAN BARNES
TE, 6-3, 230, R-JR.
BRITT, IOWA

BARNES NOTABLES

- Walk-on who joined the program in 2023.
- Changed from linebacker to tight end prior to the 2026 season.

Appeared in 10 games in 2025, finishing with 10 tackles, including one for a loss ... logged two tackles against Kansas ... season-high three tackles, including 0.5 TFL, at TCU ... recorded one tackle against Iowa ... two tackles, including 0.5 TFL, against South Dakota.

Played in nine games and made four starts as a walk-on in 2024 ... finished 2024 season with 30 tackles, including 3.5 for a loss ... had a QBH in three of his first four games and registered 3.5 TFL in his first two starts against West Virginia and UCF ... eight tackles, including a career-high three TFL, and a QBH against UCF ... career-high nine tackles, including 0.5 for loss, and a QBH in first career start at West Virginia ... two-time Academic All-Big 12 selection (2024, '25).

Redshirted 2023 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense								
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT	
2023	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	
2024	9	14-30	3.5	0	0-0	0	0	
2025	10	5-10	1.0	0	0-0	0	0	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	19	19-40	4.5	0	0-0	0	0	

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 9 at West Virginia, 10/12/24

Solo Tackles: 4, twice

Passes Broken Up: -

Interceptions: -

2024

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
Arkansas St.	1-0-1	0	0	-
Baylor	1-2-3	0	0	QBH
West Virginia	4-5-9	0.5	0	QBH
UCF	4-4-8	3.0	0	QBH
Texas Tech	0-1-1	0	0	-
Kansas	4-2-6	0	0	-
Cincinnati	0-1-1	0	0	-
Miami	0-1-1	0	0	-

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
USD	0-2-2	0.5	0	-
Iowa	1-0-1	0	0	-
Colorado	0-1-1	0	0	-
TCU	1-2-3	0.5	0	-
Kansas	2-0-2	0	0	-
Oklahoma St.	1-0-1	0	0	-

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
-	-	-	-	-



OFFENSIVE LINE

79**JAKE TAYLOR**

OL, 6-6, 310, R-JR.
LAS VEGAS, NEV.

TAYLOR NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season following four seasons at Oklahoma.
- Appearances in 16 career games ... four career starts at right tackle.

Team captain ... did not see action in 2025 ... started four games at right tackle in 2024 ... saw action in four games as a reserve offensive lineman during the 2023 season ... played in eight games as a backup right guard in 2022 ... consensus four-star prospect out of high school ... rated as the No. 1 prospect in Nevada by On3, No. 3 by 247Sports and No. 4 by Rivals and ESPN ... ranked as the nation's No. 4 offensive tackle by On3.

Graduated with a degree in multidisciplinary studies from Oklahoma.

55**TREVOR BINDEL**

OL, 6-4, 310, R-FR.
LIBERTY, MO.

BINDEL NOTABLES

- Transferred to ISU from Washington State prior to 2026 season.
- Owns three career appearances at right guard.

Redshirted 2025 season at WSU ... three-star prep prospect by 247Sports ... rated No. 41 interior offensive lineman and fifth-best in Missouri by 247Sports ... earned Second Team All-Kansas City Suburban Conference, All-District and Second Team All-State honors.

63**BRADEN SMITH**

OL, 6-4, 310, R-SO.
FRANKLIN, TEXAS

SMITH NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2026 season after two seasons at Tarleton State.
- Owns 14 career starts at right guard.
- 2025 First Team Stats Perform FCS All-American.
- 2025 Stats Perform Freshman All-American.

Played and started all 14 games at right guard in 2025, helping Tarleton State reach the FCS Quarterfinals ... helped Texan offense rank first nationally in scoring offense, eighth in total offense, 16th in passing offense and 18th in rushing offense ... redshirted 2024 season while playing in five games on the defensive line ... had five tackles and one quarterback hurry ... four-sport athlete in high school having also participated in track & field, basketball and baseball.

52**KINGSTON FOTUALII**

OL, 6-3, 295, FR.
SEATTLE, WASH.

FOTUALII NOTABLES

Rated a three-star prospect by ESPN, 247Sports and Rivals ... No. 16 overall prospect in Washington by ESPN and 247Sports ... helped lead O'Dea to a 12-1 record and a berth in the Washington State Class 3A State Football Championship Game as a senior ... team won state and finished 13-0 as a junior ... three-time All-Metro League Mountain Division First Team and two-time all-state selection ... originally signed with Washington State.

56**COLIN AMICK**

OL, 6-6, 305, R-SO.
SAMMAMISH, WASH.

AMICK NOTABLES

- Transferred to ISU from Montana prior to 2026 season.
- Appearances in 11 career games.
- 2025 FCS Freshman All-American by FCS Football Central.

Played in 11 games in 2025 for the Grizzlies as they reached the FCS semifinals and ranked among the nation's leaders in scoring offense ... earned FCS Freshman All-America honors ... started seven of the season's final eight games at right tackle ... redshirted 2024 season.

71**GABRIEL GREENLEE**

OL, 6-7, 300, R-SR.
AMES, IOWA

GREENLEE NOTABLES

- Appearances in four career games.

Played in one game in 2025 against South Dakota ... saw action in three games in 2024 and none in 2023 ... redshirted 2022 season ... prepped at Ames High School where he was a standout wrestler ... finished runner-up in the state wrestling tournament twice ... spent his first year at Iowa State as a member of the Cyclone wrestling team but did not compete ... father, Justin, wrestled at UNI where he was a three-time Division I All-American ... he was inducted into the Iowa Wrestling Hall of Fame in 2017.

77**CADEN MAAS**

OL, 6-5, 315, R-JR.
WATERTOWN, WIS.

MAAS NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State from Sioux Falls prior to 2026 season.
- Appearances in 22 career games with 21 starts.

Played in 11 games last season, making 10 starts ... 2025 Second Team All-NSIC selection ... did not appear in any games in 2024 and started 11 games in 2023 ... redshirted 2022 season ... four-sport standout in high school, participating in football, basketball, lacrosse and track and field.

78**DEANDRE CARTER**

OL, 6-5, 345, R-SO.
TEMECULA, CALIF.

CARTER NOTABLES

- Transferred to ISU from Auburn prior to 2026 season.
- Played for current Cyclone offensive line coach Jake Thornton while at Auburn.

Saw action in all 12 games, primarily on field goal and PAT units, in 2025 ... redshirted 2024 season while seeing action in three games ... four-star prospect from On3, Rivals, 247Sports and ESPN ... ESPN ranked him as the nation's top offensive line prospect, while Rivals, On3 and 247Sports had him as a top-10 prospect ... three-year starter at left tackle for national power Mater Dei High School ... Max Preps All-American ... All-American Bowl and Polynesian Bowl participant ... cousin, Nick Leckey, played offensive line at Kansas State and in the NFL for the Arizona Cardinals, St. Louis Rams and New Orleans Saints.

72**AUSTIN BARRETT**

OL, 6-6, 315, R-JR.
ST. CHARLES, ILL.

BARRETT NOTABLES

- Transferred to ISU from Indiana prior to 2025 season.
- Older brother, Dylan, was an offensive lineman for Iowa State from 2024-25.

Appeared in 10 games in 2025, mainly on special teams ... transferred to Iowa State after two seasons at Indiana ... appeared in five games in 2024 ... consensus three-star recruit per ESPN, 247Sports, Rivals and On3 ... ranked among the top-25 recruits in Illinois ... also wrestled in high school and ranked among the top heavyweights nationally by FloWrestling entering the 2022-23 season.





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GARRET RUTLEDGE

OL, 6-7, 310, R-SO.
COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA

RUTLEDGE NOTABLES

Appeared in all 12 games in 2025, primarily on special teams ... redshirted 2024 season ... two-star offensive lineman and the No. 20 prospect in Iowa by 247Sports ... 2023 IPSWA 4A All-State First-Team selection ... 2023 Des Moines Register All-Iowa Elite Team ... three-sport athlete who also played basketball and participated in track & field.

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MAASAI KING

OL, 6-4, 310, R-SR.
CAMDEN, N.J.

KING NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following stops at Akron (2025) and Lackawanna College (2023-24).
- Appearances in 11 career games with five starts at the NCAA level.

Allowed only two sacks in 11 games last season at Akron ... started nine games during the 2024 season at Lackawanna College ... redshirted 2023 season.

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GAVIN PROUDFOOT

OL, 6-7, 305, R-SR.
DRESBACH, MINN.

PROUDFOOT NOTABLES

- Transferred to ISU from UNI prior to 2026 season.
- Owns 11 career starts and 18 appearances.

Started 11 games at right tackle in 2025 ... appeared in six games in 2024 and one in 2023 ... redshirted 2022 season ... first team all-conference offensive and defensive lineman as a prep senior ... multi-sport athlete ... earned conference player of the year honors in basketball and finished third at state championships in discus.



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ISAAC TERRELL
DE, 6-2, 255, SR.
LEHI, UTAH

TERRELL NOTABLES

- Nickname is "Bobby" in reference to Bobby Boucher, the character played by Adam Sandler in the 1998 film "The Waterboy."
- Transferred to Iowa State following three seasons at Washington State.
- Appearances in 33 career games.
- Pac-12 Conference Top Defensive Line Performer (2025)

Team captain ... 2026 Chuck Bednarik Award watch list and Phil Steele Preseason All-Big 12 Second Team selection ... appeared in 33 games and made six starts at Washington State ... finished stint at WSU with 40 tackles, including 13 for a loss and seven sacks ... breakout season for the Cougars in 2025, totaling 12 TFL and seven sacks ... played in 12 games in 2024 and nine as a freshman in 2023 ... three-star prospect by ESPN and 247Sports out of high school ... state champion heavyweight wrestler.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense								
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH	
*2023	9	0-0	0.0	0	0-0	0	0	
*2024	12	5-12	1.0	0	0-0	0	2	
*2025	12	15-28	12.0	7	1-0	1	6	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	33	20-40	13.0	7	1-0	1	8	

*at Washington State

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 6 vs. Oregon State, 11/29/25
Solo Tackles: 4, twice
Sacks: 2 at Ole Miss, 10/11/25
Tackles For Loss: 4 at Ole Miss, 10/11/25

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
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BLAKE HAWKINS
DE, 6-4, 235, R-SO.
GRETN, NEB.

HAWKINS NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following two seasons at Iowa Western CC.

Started all 13 games as Iowa Western won the 2025 NJCAA national championship last season ... finished season with with 55 tackles, including a nation-leading 23.5 tackles for loss ... ranked third nationally with 13.0 sacks and also had three forced fumbles and one fumble recovery ... redshirted 2024 season ... played alongside Cyclone quarterback Zane Flores at Gretna High School.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense								
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: -
Solo Tackles: -
Sacks: -
Tackles For Loss: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
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JACE J. GILBERT
DE, 6-5, 270, R-SO.
WAUKESHA, WIS.

GILBERT NOTABLES

- Appeared in all 12 games with two starts in 2025.

Finished 2025 season with 18 tackles, including 3.0 for a loss, and one sack ... also had a forced fumble and a fumble recovery ... made two tackles, including 0.5 TFL, against Arizona State ... tallied two tackles and recovered first career fumble at Cincinnati ... made first career start against Arizona, finishing with two tackles ... registered three tackles and recorded a strip sack at Arkansas State ... played in one game in 2024, maintaining his redshirt ... made collegiate debut against No. 15 Miami in the Pop-Tarts Bowl ... was ISU's first commitment in the 2024 class ... three-star defensive lineman by ESPN, Rivals, On3 and 247Sports ... ranked as ESPN's No. 96 defensive tackle nationally ... was also an all-conference basketball player.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense								
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH	
2024	1	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	
2025	12	7-18	3.0	1.0	1-1	0	1	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	13	7-18	3.0	1.0	1-1	0	1	

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 3 at Arkansas State, 9/13/25
Solo Tackles: 1, five times
Sacks: 1 at Arkansas State, 9/13/25
Tackles For Loss: 1, twice

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
Kansas St.	0-1-1	0.5	0	-
USD	1-1-2	0	0	QBH
Iowa	0-2-2	0	0	-
Arkansas St.	1-2-3	1.0	1.0	FF
Arizona	1-1-2	0	0	-
Cincinnati	1-1-2	0	0	FR
Colorado	1-1-2	0	0	-
Arizona St.	0-2-2	0.5	0	-
TCU	1-0-1	1.0	0	-
Oklahoma St.	1-0-1	0	0	-

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
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CADEN CRAWFORD
DE, 6-4, 251, R-SR.
LANSING, KAN.

CRAWFORD NOTABLES

- Joined the Cyclones following one season at South Dakota and three seasons at Iowa.
- 2025 Second Team All-Missouri Valley Football Conference and MVFC All-Newcomer Team.

Started all 15 games in his lone season with the Coyotes, finishing with 78 tackles, including a team-high 10.5 for loss and five sacks ... registered five-plus tackles in eight games ... made first career collegiate start in season opener against Iowa State at Jack Trice Stadium ... had six tackles and a TFL against the Cyclones ... saw limited action in 2023 and 2024 seasons at Iowa ... redshirted 2022 season while with the Hawkeyes.

Played linebacker and quarterback in high school ... also lettered in basketball, powerlifting and track ... state runner-up in powerlifting in 242-pound weight class as a junior ... state qualifier in powerlifting as a sophomore and in track and field (discus) as a junior.

Graduated with a degree in general studies from South Dakota.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense								
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH	
*2023	1	0-0	0.0	0	0-0	0	0	
*2024	3	1-2	0.0	0	0-1	0	0	
*2025	15	27-78	10.5	5	0-0	3	3	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	19	28-80	10.5	5	0-1	3	3	

*at Iowa // ^at South Dakota

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 9, twice
Solo Tackles: 4 vs. Drake, 11/29/25
Sacks: 2 at UNI, 10/18/25
Tackles For Loss: 2, three times

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
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JACK JANIKOWSKI
DE, 6-2, 255, R-JR.
FALLBROOK, CALIF.

JANIKOWSKI NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State after three seasons at Washington State.
- Along with brother Dean, a former kicker for Washington State, he helped raise more than \$300,000 to support families fighting cancer in Washington ... donated \$20,000 to two families in 2025 ... donates through the Heather Janikowski Foundation in honor of his late mother, who passed away from Stage 4 breast cancer in 2022.
- Wearing No. 58 sticker on his helmet in honor and remembrance of former ISU assistant coach Curtis Bray, who passed away in 2014 from a pulmonary embolism ... previously, the jersey No. 58 was awarded and worn by the player being recognized with the Coach Bray 58 Award ... for Janikowski, however, his No. 93 jersey plays an important role in the Heather Janikowski Foundation.

Appeared in all 13 games during the 2025 season at WSU ... recorded 10 tackles, including 3.0 tackles for loss, and a sack ... strip sack against Toledo was his first sack ... appeared in nine games in 2024, mainly on special teams ... redshirted 2023 season as a preferred walk-on.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH
*2024	9	0-0	0.0	0	0-0	0	0
*2025	12	7-10	3.0	1	1-0	0	1
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	21	7-10	3.0	1	1-0	0	1

**at Washington State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 5 at Oregon State, 11/1/25
Solo Tackles: 4 at Oregon State, 11/1/25
Sacks: 1 vs. Toledo, 10/25/25
Tackles For Loss: 1, twice

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc
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MALAKI TA'ASE
DE, 6-2, 265, JR.
MESA, ARIZ.

TA'ASE NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State after stops at Washington State (2025) and New Mexico State (2024).
- 2024 All-CUSA Freshman Team
- 2024 CFB Network Conference USA Newcomer of the Year, Impact Freshman of the Year and Defensive Newcomer of the Year.
- Served a mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Ghana, Africa after high school (2022-23).
- Married to McKinley and they have a daughter, Charleston.

Finished 2025 season with 17 tackles, including four for loss ... also made 2.5 sacks, forced a fumble, broke up two passes and registered three quarterback hurries ...played in all 12 games for NMSU in 2024, finishing with 33 tackles, 1.5 for loss, and one sack ... three-star edge rusher and No. 40 overall recruit in Arizona out of high school.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH
*2024	12	18-33	1.5	1	0-0	2	5
*2025	13	9-17	4.0	2.5	1-0	2	3
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	25	27-50	5.5	3.5	1-0	4	8

**at New Mexico State // * at Washington State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 6 at Jacksonville State, 10/9/24
Solo Tackles: 3, twice
Sacks: 1.5 vs. Louisiana Tech, 11/15/25
Tackles For Loss: 1.5 vs. Louisiana Tech, 11/15/25

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc
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BRYSON LAMB
DT, 6-2, 295, R-SR.
BELLINGHAM, WASH.

LAMB NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State after four seasons at Washington State.
- Appearances in 27 career games with 13 starts.
- No Divison I offers out of high school ... began career as a walk-on.

Started 12 games during the 2025 season, finishing with 25 tackles and 3.5 tackles for loss, including 1.5 sacks ... also made one fumble recovery, batted down two passes, blocked a kick and recorded three quarterback hurries ... appeared in all 13 games of the 2024 season and made his first career start in the Holiday Bowl against Syracuse ... saw limited action in 2023 season ... redshirted 2022 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH
*2023	2	0-0	0.0	0	0-0	0	0
*2024	13	10-18	0.0	0	0-1	0	0
*2025	12	13-25	3.5	1.5	0-1	2	3
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	27	23-43	3.5	1.5	0-2	2	3

**at Washington State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 5, three times
Solo Tackles: 3, three times
Sacks: 1 at Oregon State, 11/1/25
Tackles For Loss: 2 at Oregon State, 11/1/25

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc
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ZAIMIR HAWK
DT, 6-4, 303, R-JR.
HILLSIDE, N.J.

HAWK NOTABLES

- Appearances in 30 career games.

Appeared in 11 games in 2025, finishing with eight tackles, including one for a loss ... career-high three tackles, including 0.5 TFL, at TCU ... recorded two tackles, including 0.5 TFL, and recovered first career fumble against Arizona State ... played in all 14 games in 2024 ... finished season with nine tackles, including 0.5 for a loss ... first career TFL in Pop-Tarts Bowl against No. 15 Miami ... recorded season-high two tackles in games against Texas Tech and Utah ... redshirted while playing in five games in 2023 ... two-star recruit according to Rivals.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH
2023	5	2-2	0	0	0-0	0	2
2024	14	4-9	0.5	0	0-0	0	1
2025	11	5-8	1.0	0	0-1	0	1
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	30	11-19	1.5	0	0-1	0	4

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 3 at TCU, 11/8/25
Solo Tackles: 2 at TCU, 11/8/25
Sacks: -
Tackles For Loss: 0.5, twice

2023

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
Ohio	0-0-0	0	0	QBH
Oklahoma	1-0-1	0	0	-
TCU	0-0-0	0	0	QBH
Memphis	1-0-1	0	0	-

2024

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
UND	0-1-1	0	0	-
Baylor	1-0-1	0	0	-
Texas Tech	1-1-2	0	0	QBH
Cincinnati	1-0-1	0	0	-
Utah	1-1-2	0	0	-
Kansas St.	0-1-1	0	0	-
Miami	0-1-1	0.5	0	-

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
Iowa	1-0-1	0	0	-
BYU	1-0-1	0	0	QBH
Arizona St.	1-1-2	0.5	0	FR
TCU	2-1-3	0.5	0	-
Kansas	0-1-1	0	0	-

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
-	-	-	-	-

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MAX BALOUN
DT, 6-6, 293, R-SR.
REDFIELD, S.D.

BALOUN NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following one season at Washington State and five seasons at South Dakota State.
- Suffered season-ending injury after four games of the 2025 season.
- Appearances in 51 career games with 20 starts.
- Member of South Dakota State's back-to-back national championship teams in 2022 and 2023.

Team captain ... recorded five tackles, including three for a loss and a sack, in four games last season prior to his injury ... started all 15 games of the 2024 season where he made 18 tackles with 4.5 for loss, including two sacks ... also forced a fumble and blocked one kick ... appeared in 14 games during the 2022 season and 15 games during the 2023 campaign ... saw limited action in three games during the 2021 season ... redshirted the 2020-21 season ... was also an all-conference performer in basketball as a prep.

Owns a bachelor's degree in advertising from South Dakota State and a master's degree in strategic communication from Washington State.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH
*2021	3	0-0	0.0	0	0-0	0	0
*2022	14	5-7	2.0	2	0-0	1	0
*2023	15	6-12	3.0	0	0-0	0	1
*2024	15	8-18	4.5	2	1-0	0	0
^2025	4	3-5	3.0	1	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	51	22-42	12.5	5	1-0	1	1

**at South Dakota State // ^at Washington State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 3 vs. Montana State, 9/9/23
Solo Tackles: 2, three times
Sacks: 1, five times
Tackles For Loss: 1, 11 times

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
-	-	-	-	-

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DONOVAN FITZMAURICE
DT, 6-3, 284, SO.
ST. LOUIS, MO.

FITZMAURICE NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following one season at Washington State.

Appeared in nine games during the 2025 season, finishing season with 10 tackles and one sack ... recorded a pair of tackles at No. 4 Ole Miss ... two-time Missouri all-state selection.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH
*2025	9	1-10	1.0	1	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	9	1-10	1.0	1	0-0	0	0

**at Washington State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 4 vs. Toledo, 10/25/25
Solo Tackles: 1 vs. Oregon State, 11/29/25
Sacks: 1 vs. Oregon State, 11/29/25
Tackles For Loss: 1 vs. Oregon State, 11/29/25

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
-	-	-	-	-

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TREY VERDON
DE, 6-1, 245, R-FR.
HAMILTON, OHIO

VERDON NOTABLES

- Redshirted 2025 season, appearing in four games.

Recorded one tackle last season, a sack against Arizona ... three-star prospect by all major recruiting outlets ... rated as the No. 23 player in Ohio and the No. 60 edge nationally by ESPN ... compiled 53 TFL and 30 sacks in his prep career ... also wrestled in high school ... brother of former Cyclone defensive back Malik Verdon.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	QBH
2025	4	1-0	1.0	1	0-0	0	1
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	4	1-0	1.0	1	0-0	0	1

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 1 vs. Arizona, 9/27/25
Solo Tackles: 1 vs. Arizona, 9/27/25
Sacks: 1 vs. Arizona, 9/27/25
Tackles For Loss: 1 vs. Arizona, 9/27/25

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
Arizona	1-0-1	1.0	1.0	QBH

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Sack	Misc.
-	-	-	-	-

LINEBACKERS

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WILLIE BRELAND III
LB, 6-2, 218, JR.
WIGGINS, MISS.

BRELAND NOTABLES

- Joined the Cyclones following two seasons at Mississippi Gulf Coast CC.

Played in all 11 games in 2025, finishing with 35 tackles, including two for loss, and a sack ... also had an interception, forced fumble and made a fumble recovery ... named First Team All-MACCC and to the All-NJCAA Region 23 Team ... rated a three-star prospect by ESPN and 247Sports ... ranked as the No. 14 junior college cornerback prospect in the nation by 247Sports ... originally committed to Washington State ... played in 10 games of the 2024 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: -
Solo Tackles: -
Passes Broken Up: -
Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
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CARSON WILlich
LB, 6-1, 220, R-SR.
BLUE SPRINGS, MO.

WILlich NOTABLES

- Appearances in 23 career games with three starts.
- Missed 2024 season due to injury.

Appeared in six games with three starts in 2025 ... made 18 tackles, including one for a loss, and had one QBH ... recorded two tackles and a QBH at Colorado ... four tackles, including a TFL, at Cincinnati ... earned the start against Arizona after missing three previous games due to injury ... career-high five tackles in season opener against No. 17 K-State and matched that number against Arizona.

Appeared in all 13 games in 2023 ... registered 25 tackles, including two for a loss ... matched career high in tackles four times in 2023 ... two-time Academic All-Big 12 (2023, '25) ... played in four games in 2022, maintaining his redshirt ... three-star recruit by 247Sports and On3 ... ranked as a top 100 linebacker nationally and the 20th-best player in Missouri by 247Sports.

Owens a degree in Kinesiology and Health from ISU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2022	4	3-8	0	0	0-0	0	0
2023	13	13-25	2.0	0	1-0	0	0
2024	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0
2025	6	11-18	1.0	0	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	23	27-51	3.0	0	1-0	0	0

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 5, twice
Solo Tackles: 4 at Cincinnati, 10/4/25
Passes Broken Up: -
Interceptions: -

2022

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
Texas	1-1-2	0	0	-
Oklahoma	1-2-3	0	0	-
Oklahoma St.	0-1-1	0	0	-
Texas Tech	1-1-2	0	0	-

2023

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
UNI	0-2-2	0	0	-
Iowa	1-0-1	1.0	0	-
Ohio	0-3-3	0	0	-
Oklahoma St.	2-1-3	0	0	QBH
Oklahoma	1-2-3	0	0	QBH
TCU	1-1-2	0	0	QBH
Cincinnati	1-1-2	0	0	-
Baylor	3-0-3	1.0	0	FF
Kansas	1-1-2	0	0	-
BYU	1-1-2	0	0	-
Kansas St.	2-0-2	0	0	-

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
Kansas St.	2-3-5	0	0	-
Arizona	2-3-5	0	0	-
Cincinnati	4-0-4	1.0	0	-

Colorado	2-0-2	0	0	QBH
BYU	0-1-1	0	0	-
TCU	1-0-1	0	0	-

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
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TRISTAN EXLINE
LB, 6-1, 220, SR.
CHINA SPRING, TEXAS

EXLINE NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following three seasons at UT Permian Basin.
- 2025 First Team AP All-American, First-Team D2CCA All-American, Second Team AFCA All-American and Cliff Harris Award Finalist.
- 2024 Honorable Mention All-American.
- Appearances in 37 career games with 26 starts.

Started all 14 games for UT Permian Basin last season ... 2025 Lone Star Conference Defensive Player of the Year ... recorded 143 tackles, the second-most in a season in UTPB history and a league-high for the 2025 season, and broke the program's single-season record with 19.5 tackles for loss.

Started all 12 games during the 2024 season ... LSC Co-Linebacker of the Year and First Team All-LSC ... honorable mention All-American ... led the Falcons with 104 tackles, finishing second on the team with 16.5 tackles for loss and 6.5 sacks ... played in 11 games, finishing with 25 tackles, as a freshman in 2023.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2023	11	16-25	3.0	-	1-0	1	1
*2024	12	60-104	16.5	6.5	1-0	3	1
*2025	14	80-143	19.5	5.5	2-0	1	1
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	37	156-272	39.0	12	4-0	5	3

*at UT Permian Basin

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 20, twice
Solo Tackles: 13 vs. Central Washington, 10/11/25
Passes Broken Up: 1, five times
Interceptions: 1, three times

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
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LINEBACKERS

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SULLIVAN SCHLIMGEN
LB, 6-1, 220, SO.
SIOUX FALLS, S.D.

SCHLIMGEN NOTABLES

- Joined the Cyclones following one season at Washington State.
- Appearances in 13 career games with five starts.

Played in all 13 games for WSU last season, starting the final five games of the year ... made 49 tackles with 1.5 for loss ... had a career-high nine tackles at No. 4 Ole Miss ... three-star prospect by 247Sports and ESPN out of high school ... four-sport athlete as a prep ... two-time all-state baseball player, starter on basketball team and holds the third-fastest 100-meter dash time in school history.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2025	13	20-49	1.5	0	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	13	20-49	1.5	0	0-0	0	0

**at Washington State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 9 at Ole Miss, 10/11/25
Solo Tackles: 4 vs. Louisiana Tech, 11/15/25
Passes Broken Up: -
Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
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MALCOLM JONES
LB, 6-1, 219, R-SR.
CAMILLA, GA.

JONES NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following two seasons at Jacksonville State and two seasons at Michigan State.
- Appearances in 37 career games with nine starts.

Played in 14 games and made nine starts last season, helping Jacksonville State to a Conference USA championship game appearance and a Salute to Veterans Bowl win ... had the best season of his career with the Gamecocks, recording 55 tackles, including 5.0 tackles for loss, three sacks, two forced fumbles and a fumble recovery ... played in 12 games during the 2024 season as a backup in the secondary and special teams ... saw action in eight games with Michigan State in 2023 and three games in 2022 ... four-star prospect out of high school by On3 ... No. 23 safety nationally by On3 and No. 48 by 247Sports.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT	
*2022	3	2-2	0.0	0-0	0	0	
*2023	8	3-4	0.0	0-0	0	0	
^2024	12	5-13	0.0	0-0	0	0	
^2025	14	34-55	5.0	2-1	0	0	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	37	44-74	5.0	2-1	0	0	

**at Michigan State // ^at Jacksonville State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 10 vs. Kennesaw State, 11/15/25
Solo Tackles: 5 vs. Kennesaw State, 11/15/25
Passes Broken Up: -
Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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MONTREZE SMITH JR.
LB, 5-11, 214, R-SO.
CARROLLTON, GA.

SMITH NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following one season at Austin Peay (2025) and a redshirt season at Duke (2024).
- Appearances in 16 career games with 10 starts.
- 2025 Stats Perform FCS Freshman All-American and FCS Football Central All-American.
- 2025 UAC Freshman of the Year
- 2025 Stats Perform Jerry Rice Award Finalist

Played in 12 games and made 10 starts in 2025 for Austin Peay ... finished season with 74 tackles, including 8.5 for loss ... also had four sacks, three interceptions and one forced fumble ... notched double-digit tackles in three games.

Appeared in four games while redshirting the 2024 season at Duke ... three-star prospect by all major recruiting services ... ranked as No. 23 inside linebacker nationally by ESPN.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2024	4	0-1	0	0	0-0	0	0
^2025	12	40-74	8.5	4	1-0	1	3
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	16	40-75	8.5	4	1-0	1	3

**at Duke // ^at Austin Peay*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 12 vs. North Alabama, 10/25/25
Solo Tackles: 10 vs. North Alabama, 10/25/25
Passes Broken Up: 1 at Middle Tennessee State, 8/30/25
Interceptions: 2 vs. North Alabama, 10/25/25

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
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BEAU GOODWIN
LB, 6-3, 221, JR.
KINGSLEY, IOWA

GOODWIN NOTABLES

- Appearances in 22 career games with three starts.

Appeared in seven games in 2025 before missing the final five due to injury ... recorded seven tackles, including 0.5 for a loss ... started against South Dakota and tallied two tackles, including 0.5 TFL.

Played in 12 games and made two starts as a true freshman in 2024 ... finished 2024 season with 24 tackles, including 3.0 for a loss ... set new career high in tackles back-to-back weeks against UCF (3) and Texas Tech (8) ... two TFL and two PBU at West Virginia ... 2023 IPSWA All-State First-Team member ... played heavily on both sides of the ball ... four-sport athlete who also played basketball, baseball and participated in track & field ... 2023 state runner-up in the high jump with a 6'5" personal best.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2024	12	14-24	3.0	0	0-0	2	0
2025	7	4-7	0.5	0	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	19	18-31	3.5	0	0-0	2	0

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 8 vs. Texas Tech, 11/2/24
Solo Tackles: 3, twice
Passes Broken Up: 2 at West Virginia, 10/12/24
Interceptions: -

2024

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
Baylor	1-0-1	0	0	-
West Virginia	2-0-2	2.0	0	2 PBU
UCF	3-0-3	0	0	QBH
Texas Tech	2-6-8	0	0	-
Kansas	1-3-4	0.5	0	-
Cincinnati	1-0-1	0	0	-
Miami	2-0-2	0	0	-

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
USD	0-2-2	0.5	0	-
Iowa	0-1-1	0	0	-
Arkansas St.	3-0-3	0	0	-
Colorado	1-0-1	0	0	-

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
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LONDON KALSBECK
LB, 6-2, 217, FR.
LITTLETON, COLO.

KALSBECK NOTABLES

Three-star prospect by ESPN, 247Sports and Rivals ... No. 27 prospect in Colorado by ESPN and Rivals ... two-time 2024 CHSAA 4A Player of the Year ... helped lead Dakota Ridge to a 13-0 season and class 4A state title ... recorded 111 tackles, 18 tackles for loss and seven sacks as a senior ... also played lacrosse and was a two-time all-state selection ... wrestled as a sophomore and qualified for state.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense							
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	QBS	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: -
Solo Tackles: -
Passes Broken Up: -
Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc
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DUHRON GOODMAN
S, 6-0, 193, R-SR.
PACOIMA, CALIF.

GOODMAN NOTABLES

- Joined the Cyclones following stints at Washington State (2025), College of the Canyons (2024) and Portland State (2022, '23).
- Appearances in 22 career games at the NCAA level.
- Missed the final four games of the 2025 season due to injury.

Played in nine games in 2025 at Washington State, finishing with eight tackles ... saw action in 10 games for College of the Canyons in 2024 ... tallied 36 tackles, including three for loss, forced two fumbles and had one recovery, while adding an interception and four pass breakups ... named 2024 All-California Community College Football All-State Region III ... played in nine games in 2023 for Portland State and redshirted the 2022 season while appearing in four games.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense

Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2022	4	5-8	0.0	0-0	0	0
*2023	9	7-14	3.0	0-0	2	1
*2025	9	3-8	0-0	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	22	15-30	3.0	0-0	2	1

*at Portland State // *at Washington State

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 6 at Northern Arizona, 10/14/23
Solo Tackles: 4 at Northern Arizona, 10/14/23
Passes Broken Up: 1, twice
Interceptions: 1 at Northern Arizona, 10/14/23

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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MICAH HARPER
S, 5-10, 189, R-SR.
CHANDLER, ARIZ.

HARPER NOTABLES

- Joined the Cyclones following stints at Montana (2025) and BYU (2020-24).
- Appearances in 46 career games with 30 starts.
- 2022 Honorable Mention Freshman All-American - College Football News

Started all 15 games in 2025 as he helped Montana reach the FCS Playoff semifinals ... totaled 45 tackles, two interceptions and seven passes defended, as well as a forced fumble and a fumble recovery ... appeared in seven games in 2024 for BYU ... missed the 2023 season due to injury ... played in all 13 games for the Cougars in 2022, making nine starts ... redshirted the 2021 season ... appeared in 11 games and made nine starts as a true freshman.

Graduated from BYU with a degree in business management.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense

Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2020	11	15-25	1.5	0-1	1	0
*2022	13	35-62	2.5	2-0	3	0
*2024	7	7-11	0.0	0-0	1	0
*2025	15	23-45	1.0	1-1	7	2
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	46	80-143	5.0	3-2	12	2

*at BYU // *at Montana

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 10 vs. Utah State, 9/29/22
Solo Tackles: 5 vs. Utah State, 9/29/22
Passes Broken Up: 2, twice
Interceptions: 1, twice

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
-				

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DREW SURGES
S, 6-1, 203, R-JR.
CHICAGO, ILL.

SURGES NOTABLES

- Appearances in 27 career games.
- Appearances in all 12 games in 2025 with three-consecutive starts to close the season ... forced a fumble, had an interception and added two tackles, including one for a loss, in win against Oklahoma State to close the season ... recorded a season-high eight tackles, 0.5 TFL, two PBU and a fumble recovery at TCU ... one tackle against Arizona State ... five tackles at Arkansas State ... recorded a TFL against South Dakota ... forced second career fumble in season opener against No. 17 K-State.

Redshirted 2024 season, playing in three games late in the season after dealing with injury ... made the interception to seal Iowa State's victory over No. 15 Miami in the Pop-Tarts Bowl ... saw action in 12 games in 2023 ... played in 11 regular season games as a walk-on before being placed on scholarship prior to Liberty Bowl ... career-high 11 tackles, all solo stops, in first career start at No. 19 Kansas State ... forced and recovered first career fumble at BYU ... 2023-24 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense

Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2023	12	13-16	1.0	1-1	1	0
2024	3	1-1	0	0-0	0	1
2025	12	15-26	2.5	2-1	2	1
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	27	29-43	3.5	3-2	3	2

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 11 at Kansas State, 11/25/23
Solo Tackles: 11 at Kansas State, 11/25/23
Passes Broken Up: 2 at TCU, 11/8/25
Interceptions: 1, twice

2023

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
TCU	1-1-2	0	0	-
Baylor	0-1-1	0	0	-
BYU	1-0-1	0	0	FF, FR, PBU
Texas	0-1-1	0	0	-
Kansas St.	11-0-11	1.0	0	-

2024

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
Miami	1-0-1	0	1	-

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
Kansas St.	1-0-1	0	0	FF
USD	1-0-1	1.0	0	-
Arkansas St.	3-2-5	0	0	-
Cincinnati	1-1-2	0	0	-
Colorado	0-1-1	0	0	-
Arizona St.	1-0-1	0	0	-
TCU	3-5-8	0.5	0	FR, 2 PBU
Kansas	4-1-5	0	0	-

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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BRODY MILLER
S, 6-1, 186, R-FR.
SHAKOPEE, MINN.

MILLER NOTABLES

- Joined the Cyclones following one season at Washington State.
- Redshirted 2025 season while playing in five games.

Mainly appeared in special teams in 2025, finishing with two tackles ... ranked as the No. 24 overall prospect in Minnesota out of high school ... all-state performer in football and track.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense

Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2025	5	1-2	0.0	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	5	1-2	0.0	0-0	0	0

**at Washington State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 1, twice

Solo Tackles: 1 vs. Toledo, 10/25/25

Passes Broken Up: -

Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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EDDIE LEMOS
S, 5-10, 187, R-SR.
LOVELAND, COLO.

LEMONS NOTABLES

- Proposed to girlfriend Ahana at the end of summer and is now engaged.
- Missed 2025 season due to injury after appearing in only one game.

Appeared in nine games during the 2024 season on special teams ... did not see action in 2023 ... redshirted 2022 season

Played multiple positions in high school: cornerback, safety, running back, wide receiver, quarterback and returner ... also wrestled in high school and was a three-time state medalist, including a state title as a senior.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense

Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2024	9	0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0
2026	1	0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	10	0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: -

Solo Tackles: -

Passes Broken Up: -

Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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SETH JOHNSON
CB, 5-10, 180, R-SO.
FRISCO, TEXAS

JOHNSON NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State following two seasons at Montana State.
 - Appearances in 14 career games with six starts.
- Helped Montana State go 14-2 and win the 2025 FCS National Championship ... recorded 28 tackles, including 3.5 for loss, and a forced fumble last season ... redshirted the 2024 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense						
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2025	14	21-28	3.5	1-0	4	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	14	21-28	3.5	1-0	4	0

**at Montana State*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 6 at Montana, 11/22/25
Solo Tackles: 5 at Montana, 11/22/25
Passes Broken Up: 2, twice
Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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DAVID COFFEY
CB, 6-1, 190, R-SO.
CHICAGO, ILL.

COFFEY NOTABLES

- Appeared in nine games with one start in 2025.
- Team captain ... finished 2025 season with 11 tackles and two PBU ... two tackles and a PBU against Kansas ... made first career start against Arizona State, finishing with two tackles ... two tackles against No. 11 BYU.
- Played in two games in 2024 and finished with two tackles against Arkansas State ... redshirted 2024 season ... three-star prospect by 247Sports ... rated as a top-130 cornerback nationally and the No. 34 player in Illinois by 247Sports Composite ... also ran track ... 2024 Class 2A indoor state champion in the 60m dash with a 6.93.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense						
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2024	2	1-2	0	0-0	0	0
2025	9	9-11	0	0-0	2	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	11	10-13	0	0-0	2	0

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 3 at Oklahoma State, 11/29/25
Solo Tackles: 2, four times
Passes Broken Up: , twice
Interceptions: -

2024

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
Arkansas St.	1-1-2	0	0	-

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
BYU	2-0-2	0	0	-
Arizona St.	2-0-2	0	0	-
TCU	2-0-2	0	0	-
Kansas	1-1-2	0	0	PBU
Oklahoma St.	2-1-3	0	0	PBU

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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KEYON WASHINGTON
CB, 6-1, 190, R-SO.
WALDORF, MD.

WASHINGTON NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State after one season at Bowling Green and a redshirt year at West Virginia.
 - Appearances in 11 career games with seven starts.
- Made seven starts while appearing in 10 games in 2025 ... recorded 37 tackles, including two for loss, a sack and three pass breakups ... redshirted 2024 season at West Virginia ... rated as a three-star prospect out of high school by ESPN, 247Sports and Rivals ... tabbed by 247Sports as the nation's No. 74 cornerback.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense						
Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2024	1	0-0	0.0	0-0	0	0
^2025	10	24-37	2.0	0-1	3	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	11	24-37	2.0	0-1	3	0

**at West Virginia // ^at Bowling Green*

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 8 vs. Liberty, 9/13/25
Solo Tackles: 6 vs. Liberty, 9/13/25
Passes Broken Up: 2 at Cincinnati, 9/6/25
Interceptions: -

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
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BENI NGOYI
CB, 6-4, 193, R-JR.
LINCOLN, NEB.

NGOYI NOTABLES

- Switched from wide receiver to defensive back prior to the 2025 season.

Appearances in 11 games in 2025 ... recorded first career PBU against Kansas.

Played in all 14 games as a backup receiver and special teams contributor in 2024 ... had two receptions for 27 yards ... one reception for 17 yards against Arkansas State ... one catch for 10 yards in the season opener against North Dakota ... appeared in two games in his first season as a Cyclone in 2023, maintaining his redshirt ... caught first career pass, a highlight reel 46-yard grab along the sideline, in the fourth quarter of the Liberty Bowl ... made career debut and was targeted twice in win at BYU ... 2023-24 Big 12 Academic All-Rookie Team ... three-star wide receiver by all major recruiting outlets ... listed by 247Sports Composite as a top 125 wide receiver and the No. 7 player in Nebraska.

CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving

Year	G	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
2023	2	1	46	46.0	0
2024	14	2	27	13.5	0
2025	10	0	0	0	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-
Career	27	3	73	24.3	0

Defense

Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
2023	2	0-0	0	0-0	0	0
2024	14	0-0	0	0-0	0	0
2025	11	1-1	0	0-0	1	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	27	1-1	0	0-0	1	0

CAREER BESTS

Receptions: 1, three times
Yards: 46 at Memphis, 12/29/23
Touchdowns: -
Long: 46 at Memphis, 12/29/23

Tackles: 1 at Oklahoma State, 11/29/25
Solo Tackles: 1 at Oklahoma State, 11/29/25
Passes Broken Up: 1 vs. Kansas, 11/22/25
Interceptions: -

2023

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
Memphis	1	46	0	46

2024

Opp.	Rec.	Yds.	TD	Lg
UND	1	10	0	10
Arkansas St.	1	17	0	17

2025

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
Kansas	0-0-0	0	0	PBU
Oklahoma St.	1-0-1	0	0	-

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
-	-	-	-	-

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JAHEIM SINGLETARY
CB, 6-2, 201, R-SR.
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

SINGLETARY NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State after three seasons at Arkansas and a season at Georgia.
- Appearances in 32 career games with 12 starts.

Saw action in nine games, making two starts, last season at Arkansas ... finished with 12 tackles and a PBU ... played in 10 games in both the 2023 and 2024 seasons ... career-best 2 PBU against BYU in 2023 ... redshirted 2022 season at Georgia.

Was a four-star prep prospect, No. 8 cornerback nationally, No. 8 prospect in Florida and No. 66 prospect nationally according to 247Sports.

CAREER STATISTICS

Defense

Year	G	S-TT	TFL	FF-FR	PBU	INT
*2022	3	0-0	0	0-0	0	0
^2023	10	10-17	0.5	0-0	4	0
^2024	10	14-25	0	0-0	2	1
^2025	9	9-12	0	0-0	1	0
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	32	33-54	0.5	0-0	7	1

*at Georgia // ^at Arkansas

CAREER BESTS

Tackles: 7 vs. LSU, 10/19/24
Solo Tackles: 4 at Western Carolina, 9/2/23
Passes Broken Up: 2 vs. BYU, 9/16/23
Interceptions: 1 at Oklahoma State, 9/7/24

2026

Opp.	S-A-T	TFL	Int.	Misc.
-	-	-	-	-



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KYLE KONRARDY
PK, 6-1, 204, R-JR.
DUBUQUE, IOWA

KONRARDY NOTABLES

- Owns the school record and Jack Trice Stadium record with a 63-yard field goal (Week 1, 2025; vs. USD) ... it was the longest make in FBS last season.
- Five career makes from 50-plus yards, tied for the second-most in school history.
- Honorable Mention All-Big 12 Specialist/ Special Teams Player of the Year - Coaches (2025)
- Appeared in nine games last season and missed three due to injury (Arizona, Cincinnati, Colorado).
- Ranks 10th in ISU career record books with 170 kicking points.
- Wears two different soccer cleats to kick.

2026 Phil Steele Preseason All-Big 12 Second Team selection ... three-time Big 12 Special Teams Player of the Week in 2025 ... went 14-for-18 on field goals and 19-for-21 on extra points while missing three games due to injury ... Week 2 Burlsworth Trophy Walk-On of the Week ... 63-yarder vs. USD was the longest in FBS in 2025 and the longest in school history by five yards ... it was the second-longest field goal in Big 12 history and tied for the ninth-longest in NCAA history ... also was the third 63-plus yard field goal in FBS football since 2000 ... made a 55-yard field goal against Kansas, his only attempt of the game ... went 1-of-2 on field goal attempts at Arkansas State before leaving the game with an injury ... kicked a game-winning 54-yard field goal with 1:52 remaining to defeat Iowa for the second year in a row ... both game-winning field goals against the Hawkeyes were from the same distance.

Broke the school record for kicking points scored (109) and field goals made by a freshman (21) in 2024 ... finished 2024 season 21-for-28 on field goals and 46-for-48 on extra points ... was perfect on six extra points in the Pop-Tarts Bowl against No. 15 Miami, including the deciding extra point with 0:56 remaining ... named Week 2 Big 12 Special Teams Player of the Week after delivering a game-winning 54-yard field goal with 0:06 remaining at No. 21 Iowa ... 2024 Academic All-Big 12 selection ... redshirted 2023 season.

CAREER STATISTICS

Placekicking							
Year	G	PATs	Pct.	FGs	Pct.	Pts.	
2023	0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	
2024	14	46-48	.958	21-28	.750	109	
2025	9	19-21	.904	14-18	.777	61	
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Career	23	65-69	.942	35-46	.760	170	

CAREER BESTS

Points: 13 vs. Baylor, 10/5/24
PATs: 7 vs. Arkansas State, 9/21/24
FGs: 3, three times
Long: 63 vs. South Dakota, 8/30/25

2024					
Opp.	FG-A	PAT-A	Lg	Pts	
UND	0-0	3-3	-	3	
Iowa	2-3	2-2	54	8	
Arkansas St.	1-1	7-7	31	10	
Houston	2-3	2-2	34	8	
Baylor	3-3	4-5	45	13	
West Virginia	0-1	4-4	-	4	
UCF	1-1	3-4	30	6	
Texas Tech	3-4	1-1	49	10	
Kansas	2-2	2-2	38	8	
Cincinnati	2-2	4-4	52	10	
Utah	1-2	4-4	35	7	
Kansas St.	2-3	3-3	41	9	
Arizona St.	2-3	1-1	36	7	
Miami	0-0	6-6	-	6	

2025					
Opp.	FG-A	PAT-A	Lg	Pts	
Kansas St.	1-2	3-3	34	6	
USD	2-2	4-4	63	10	
Iowa	3-3	1-1	54	10	
Arkansas St.	1-2	0-1	41	3	
BYU	2-2	2-2	43	8	
Arizona St.	2-4	1-2	35	7	
Kansas	1-1	5-5	55	8	
Oklahoma St.	2-2	2-2	47	8	

2026					
Opp.	FG-A	PAT-A	Lg	Pts	
-	-	-	-	-	-

KONRARDY KICKING STATS					
BY DISTANCE					
Year	<30	<40	<50	>50	
2024	6-6	15-16	19-25	2-3	
2025	2-2	7-7	11-14	3-4	
2026	-	-	-	-	
TOTAL	8-8	22-23	30-39	5-7	
BY LOCATION					
Site	Long	FGs	XP		
Home	63	21-26	38-41		
Road	54	10-15	16-17		
Neutral	36	3-5	10-10		

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ETHAN GURNEY
P, 6-3, 201, FR.
ADELAIDE, AUSTRALIA

GURNEY NOTABLES

Played Australian Rules Football for South Australian National Football League team West Adelaide Bloods ... trained at Prokick Australia.

CAREER STATISTICS

Punting							
Year	G	No.	Yds.	Avg.	50+	i20	Long
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Punts: -
Long Punt: -
Average (min 4 punts): -
Inside 20: -
50-Yarders: -

2026					
Opp.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	50+ i20
-	-	-	-	-	-

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JONAH DUPONT
P, 5-11, 200, R-SO.
CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

DUPONT NOTABLES

- Transferred to Iowa State prior to the 2025 season from Iowa Western CC.
- 2024 NJCAA Division I Second Team All-American

Redshirted 2025 season ... handled punting duties for the 2024 NJCAA Division I runner-up Iowa Western Reivers ... appeared in all 13 games, totaling 55 punts for 2,177 yards (39.6 average) ... placed 16 punts inside the 20-yard line and only had one kick go into the end zone for a touchback all season ... registered two season-long 64-yard punts against Georgia Military College and Garden City Community College.

CAREER STATISTICS

Punting							
Year	G	No.	Yds.	Avg.	50+	i20	Long
2026	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

CAREER BESTS

Punts: -
Long Punt: -
Average (min 4 punts): -
Inside 20: -
50-Yarders: -

2026					
Opp.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	50+ i20
-	-	-	-	-	-

