18.8
NUMBER TO KNOW
K-State ranks 21st nationally with 18.8 assists/game

K-STATE MEN'S BASKETBALL // 2025-26 GAME NOTES

32 NCAA TOURNAMENTS ■ 4 FINAL FOUR [1948, 1951, 1958, 1964] ■ 21 CONFERENCE TITLES

K-STATE WILDCATS

7-4	0-0	61	68
OVERALL	BIG 12	NET	KenPom

JEROME TANG
HEAD COACH
(Charter Oak State '07)

68-46
RECORD AT K-STATE / 4th SEASON

70-46
OVERALL / 4th SEASON

GAME 12

vs.

SUPER HERO DAY

SOUTH DAKOTA COYOTES

7-6	0-0	263	270
OVERALL	SUMMIT	NET	KenPom

ERIC PETERSON
HEAD COACH
(UW-La Crosse '06)

50-59
RECORD AT USD / 4th SEASON

102-74
OVERALL / 6th SEASON

■ 2025-26 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

7-4	0-0	5-2	1-1	1-1
W-L	XII	H	A	N

Fri	10/24	@Missouri (Exh.)		L, 91-100
Fri	10/31	NEWMAN (Exh.)	ESPN+	W, 112-90
Tue	11/4	UNC GREENSBORO	ESPN+	W, 93-64
Sat	11/8	BELLARMINE	ESPN+	W, 98-71
Thu	11/13	CALIFORNIA	B1G+	W, 99-96
Mon	11/17	TULSA	ESPN+	W, 84-83
Thu	11/20	vs. Mississippi State^	peacock	W, 98-77
Fri	11/21	vs. Nebraska^	peacock	L, 85-86
Tue	11/25	@Indiana	FS1	L, 69-86
Mon	12/1	BOWLING GREEN	ESPN+	L, 66-82
Sat	12/6	SETON HALL		L, 67-78
Mon	12/8	MISSISSIPPI VALLEY	ESPN+	W, 108-49
Sat	12/13	@Creighton	FOX	W, 83-76
Sat	12/20	SOUTH DAKOTA	ESPN+	11 a.m.
Sun	12/28	ULM	ESPN+	1 p.m.
Sat	1/3	BYU*	CBS SPORTS	12:30 p.m.
Wed	1/7	@Arizona*	FS1	8 p.m.
Sat	1/10	@Arizona State*	peacock	2 p.m.
Wed	1/14	UCF*	peacock	7 p.m.
Sat	1/17	@Oklahoma State*	B1G+	9 p.m.
Tues	1/20	UTAH*	B1G+	8 p.m.
Sat	1/24	KANSAS*	FOX	7 p.m.
Tue	1/27	@West Virginia*	FS1	7:30 p.m.
Sun	2/1	IOWA STATE*	FOX	1 p.m.
Sat	2/7	@TCU*	TNT	1 p.m.
Wed	2/11	CINCINNATI*	B1G+	8 p.m.
Sat	2/14	@Houston*	peacock	8 p.m.
Tue	2/17	BAYLOR*	ESPN / ESPN 2	8 p.m.
Sat	2/21	@Texas Tech*	FOX	1:30 p.m.
Wed	2/25	@Colorado*	FS1	8 p.m.
Sat	2/28	TCU*	ESPN 2	5:30 p.m.
Tue	3/3	WEST VIRGINIA*	ESPN+	7 p.m.
Sat	3/7	@Kansas*	CBS SPORTS	1 p.m.

BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP [Kansas City, Mo.]

Tu-Sa	3/10-14	XII TBD	tbd

^Hall of Fame Classic [Kansas City, Mo.]
Home Games in **BOLD CAPS** | *Big 12 Conference Game

NUMBERS TO KNOW

36.2 K-State is averaging 36.2 points in the paint through 11 games, which includes a school record-tying 56 vs. Cal.

48.4 K-State is connecting on 48.4 percent (337-of-696) from the field through 11 games, including 54.2 percent from 2.

950 K-State's 86.4 points are the most through the first 11 games of a season, eclipsing the 944 scored in 1997-98.

1763 K-State now has 1,763 all-time wins, as the school entered 2025-26 ranking 43rd all-time among Division I schools.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2025 / 11:01 am [CT]
Bramlage Coliseum (11,010)
Manhattan, Kan.

ESPN+
Ben Boyle, *pxp*
Stan Weber, *lead analyst*
Sophie Smith, *sideline reporter*

K-STATE SPORTS NETWORK
Wyatt Thompson, *pxp*
Matt Walters, *analyst*
SiriusXM Ch. 381

K-STATESPORTS.COM
LIVE STATS
kstatesports.com
kstate.statbroadcast.com

■ SERIES HISTORY

Overall	K-State leads 10-0
In Manhattan	K-State leads 10-0
At Bramlage Coliseum	K-State leads 4-0
Active Streak	K-State, 10
First Meeting	K-State won 69-52 (11/28/1977)
Last Meeting	K-State won 93-72 (11/20/2015)
Jerome Tang vs. Eric Peterson	0-0

■ STATISTICAL MATCHUP

TEAM COMPARISION
2025-26 stats

	NCAA Rk	Category	NCAA Rk	
86.4	51	Scoring Offense	73	**84.0**
77.1	268	Scoring Defense	327	**81.8**
+9.3	123	Scoring Margin	221	**+2.2**
48.4	68	FG Percentage	183	**45.5**
43.1	163	FG Percentage Defense	357	**50.3**
40.5	7	3-point FG Percentage	263	**31.7**
10.8	32	3-point FG/Game	325	**6.0**
71.0	195	FT Percentage	157	**72.4**
37.0	169	Rebounds/Game	162	**37.2**
+3.7	137	Rebounding Margin	128	**+3.9**
18.8	21	Assists/Game	344	**10.8**
13.1	251	Turnovers/Game	247	**13.1**
+0.2	201	TO Margin	159	**+0.9**
1.4	80	A/TO Ratio	334	**0.8**
6.5	233	Steals/Game	169	**7.3**
4.1	94	Blocks/Game	260	**2.8**

■ A K-STATE WIN WOULD...

- Extend its winning streak over South Dakota to 11 games.
- Make the Wildcats 57-3 all-time vs. Summit League teams.
- Move coach **Jerome Tang** to 45-11 at Bramlage Coliseum.
- Make them 136-16 in home non-conference play since 2006.
- Give the Wildcats a 196-66 non-conference mark since 2006.

OPENING TIP

▶ K-State (7-4) returns home to Bramlage Coliseum on Saturday morning, as the Wildcats welcome South Dakota (7-6). Tip is set for 11:01 a.m., CT and will air on ESPN+. This will be the Wildcats' last contest before concluding non-conference play vs. ULM (3-8) on Sunday, Dec. 28.

▶ This will be the 11th meeting between K-State and South Dakota. The Wildcats have won the 10 previous meetings, including all 4 at Bramlage Coliseum. The teams last met more than a decade ago when the Wildcats earned a 93-72 win on Nov. 20, 2015.

▶ Led by fourth-year head coach **Eric Peterson**, South Dakota (7-6) has earned consecutive wins over Prairie View A&M (97-85) and Dakota State (80-71) since a 3-game losing streak. The Coyotes are one of the best teams in the nation in making and getting to the free throw line, ranking third in free throws made/game (21.5) and fifth in free throw attempts/game (29.8). Junior **Isaac Bruns** leads four players in double figures at 20.7 points per game, while he ranks first in free throws (87) and field goal attempts (196) and second in total points (269) and free throw attempts (106).

▶ K-State will be looking to continue its strong play at home, as the Wildcats are 44-11 at Bramlage Coliseum under head coach **Jerome Tang**, including 22-4 in non-conference play.

LAST TIME OUT

▶ Behind the clutch play of reserve **David Castillo**, K-State snapped a 4-game losing streak in non-conference road games with an 83-76 win at Creighton on Dec. 13. With the Bluejays trimming a 20-point deficit to just 73-70 with 2:41 to play, Castillo saved his best for when it was needed, scoring 6 of the Wildcats' last 10 points while adding an assist. He finished with a game-high 19 points.

▶ K-State led by as many as 18 points in the first half, including 51-33 at the break, as the Wildcats connected on 59.4 percent (19-of-32) from the field, including 64.7 percent (11-of-17) from 3-point range. The 11 made 3-pointers tied for the second-most in any half in school history.

▶ Castillo was one of four Wildcats to score in double figures, collecting his 19 points on 7-of-11 field goals, including 2-of-4 from 3-point range. Omaha native junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.** put on a show for the hometown crowd with 18 points on 6 made 3-pointers, including 15 in the first half when he eclipsed 1,000 career points. Senior **Khamari McGriff** and junior **P.J. Haggerty** added 12 and 10 points, respectively, while senior **Nate Johnson** had game-highs in both assists (6) and steals (4).

OFFENSE OFF TO HOT START

▶ K-State's offense is off to a hot start, as the Wildcats are averaging 86.4 points on 48.4 percent (337-of-696) shooting, including 40.5 percent (119-of-294) from 3-point range. They rank among the top-45 in 5 offensive categories, while **P.J. Haggerty** is the No. 2 scorer at 22.7 points per game.

▶ The Wildcats have scored 90 or more points in 5 of the first 11 games for the first time in school history. The 950 points scored are the most through the first 11 games, surpassing the 944 (93/89/89/71/101/90/67/76/70/87/111) scored by the 1997-98 team.

■ K-STATE'S PROJECTED ROTATION *(starters vs. Creighton; stats from 2025-26 season)*

Starters			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.-Exp.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	AST	FG%	3FG%	FT%	MPG
G	4	**P.J. HAGGERTY**	6-4	195	Jr.-TR	Crosby, Texas	22.7	4.7	4.7	49.7	39.5	72.6	33.0
The preseason All-American and nation's leading scorer (24.0 ppg.) became the first Wildcat to score 20 or more points in each of the first 6 games of the season, eclipsing a tie with Michael Beasley.													
G	1	**ABDI BASHIR JR.**	6-7	175	Jr.-TR	Omaha, Neb.	12.8	2.0	2.2	42.3	46.6	60.0	23.5
Was one of the top scorers in the country as a sophomore at Monmouth in 2024-25; has scored in double figures in 8 of first 11 games while averaging 3.7 made 3-point field goals/game.													
G	34	**NATE JOHNSON**	6-3	215	Sr.-TR	Liberty Township, Ohio	12.0	5.5	3.9	49.5	41.2	81.3	31.4
The 2024-25 MAC Player and Defensive Player of the Year has scored in double figures in 7 of 11 games this season, including a near triple-double (22 points, 9 rebounds, 9 assists) in the opener.													
W	0	**ELIAS RAPIEQUE**	6-9	225	Jr.-TR	Berlin, Germany	3.7	3.0	1.6	43.2	36.4	38.5	17.4
The first-ever German-born player who was a member of the German U18 and U20 National Teams has averaged 7.0 points, 6.0 rebounds and 3.5 assists in starts vs. MVSU and Creighton.													
W	21	**KHAMARI McGRIFF**	6-9	230	Sr.-TR	Tallahassee, Fla.	10.3	4.4	1.0	75.9	50.0	70.6	20.0
The UNC Wilmington transfer has scored in double figures in 5 of last 10 games, averaging 10.8 points on 76.4 percent (42-of-55) shooting while scoring a season-high 21 points vs. Cal.													

Key Reserves			Ht.	Wt.	Yr.-Exp.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	AST	FG%	3FG%	FT%	MPG
G	3	C.J. Jones	6-5	195	Sr.-1L	East St. Louis, Ill.	3.5	2.5	1.2	35.1	31.3	80.0	16.3
W	6	Marcus Johnson	6-7	265	Sr.-TR	Akron, Ohio	1.0	1.3	0.0	33.3	33.3	—	4.8
G	10	David Castillo	6-1	180	So.-1L	Bartlesville, Okla.	13.5	2.1	2.3	49.0	42.4	80.8	23.5
W	14	Mobi Ikegwuruka	6-6	220	Jr.-1L	Galway, Ireland	1.6	2.4	0.5	55.6	—	50.0	13.2
W	15	Taj Manning	6-7	230	So.-1L	Grandview, Mo.	1.3	2.8	0.1	45.5	0.0	100.0	7.4
W	22	Dorin Buca	7-2	254	Jr.-TR	Perugia, Italy	2.4	3.1	1.7 (bpg.)	41.2	0.0	66.7	10.5
W	23	Stephen Osei	6-10	200	So.-TR	Toronto, Ontario	0.7	1.0	0.0	33.3	—	—	2.9
W	47	Andrej Kostic	6-6	210	Fr.-TR	Belgrade, Serbia	4.0	2.1	1.1	34.4	30.0	80.0	10.5

■ QUICK FACTS

Kansas State University
Manhattan, KS 66502

Founded	1863
Enrollment	21,213 *(Fall 2025)*
Nickname	Wildcats
School Colors	Purple (PMS 2695C) and White
Conference	Big 12
President	Dr. Richard H. Linton (Virginia Tech '88, '91, '94) *assumed the presidency on Feb. 14, 2022*
Director of Athletics	Gene Taylor (Arizona State '80)
Faculty Athletics Representative	Dr. Shawna Jordan (K-State '96)

ALL-TIME RECORD

122nd season of Kansas State men's basketball

First Year of Basketball	1903
Overall Record	1,763-1,259 (.583)
Postseason Tournament Appearances	40 (32 NCAA, 8 NIT)
Postseason Tournament Record	46-45 (.505)
NCAA Tournament Appearances	32 *22nd-most nationally in Division I*
NCAA Tournament Record	40-36 (.533)
Conference Tournament Record *(1977-present)*	39-46 (.459)
Big 12 Championship Record *(1996-present)*	19-28 (.404)

BRAMLAGE COLISEUM

Opened	Nov. 26, 1988 *defeated Purdue, 81-77*
Capacity	11,010
Overall Record	446-155 (.743)
Conference Record ***(Big Eight/12)***	180-123 (.594)
Tang's Record at Bramlage Coliseum ***(Big 12)***	44-11 (.800) / 21-7 (.750)

NCAA TOURNAMENT HISTORY

Appearances (32): 1948, 1951, 1956, 1958, 1959, 1961, 1964, 1968, 1970, 1972, 1973, 1975, 1977, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1993, 1996, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2023

First Four (1): 2017

Final Four (4): 1948, 1951, 1958, 1964

Elite Eight (13): 1951, 1958, 1959, 1961, 1964, 1972, 1973, 1975, 1981, 1988, 2010, 2018, 2023

Sweet 16 (18): 1951, 1956, 1958, 1959, 1961, 1964, 1968, 1970, 1972, 1973, 1975, 1977, 1981, 1982, 1988, 2010, 2018, 2023

NIT HISTORY

Appearances (8): 1976, 1992, 1994, 1998, 1999, 2007, 2009, 2024

NIT Final Four (1): 1994

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Regular-Season Titles (21): 1917, 1919, 1951, 1956, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1963, 1964, 1968, 1970, 1972, 1973, 1977, 2013, 2019

CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT TITLES

Titles (2): 1977, 1980

Finals Appearances (8): 1977, 1978, 1980, 1981, 1988, 1993, 2010, 2013

■ MEDIA RESOURCES

CREDENTIALS

Outlets interested in obtaining credentials to cover K-State men's basketball home games must apply for credentials via *Sports Systems*. Applications should be submitted at least one week in advance of the game(s) one plans to cover. Please scan the QR code to the right.

2025-26 MEDIA GUIDE

Learn more about the 2025-26 men's basketball team by viewing the media guide. The 306-page guide includes bios, stats, records and historical information and photos about the K-State program. Please scan the QR code to the right.

2025-26 KANSAS STATE WILDCATS

0 ELIAS RAPIEQUE
W / 6-9 / 225 / Jr.-TR
Berlin, Germany

1 ABDI BASHIR JR.
G / 6-7 / 175 / Jr.-TR
Omaha, Neb.

2 EXAVIER WILSON
G / 6-1 / 170 / Fr.-HS
Columbia, Mo.

3 C.J. JONES
G / 6-5 / 195 / Sr.-1L
East St. Louis, Ill.

4 P.J. HAGGERTY
G / 6-4 / 195 / Jr.-TR
Crosby, Texas

6 MARCUS JOHNSON
W / 6-7 / 265 / Sr.-TR
Akron, Ohio

10 DAVID CASTILLO
G / 6-1 / 185 / So.-1L
Bartlesville, Okla.

14 MOBI IKEGWURUKA
G / 6-6 / 220 / Jr.-1L
Galway, Ireland

15 TAJ MANNING
W / 6-7 / 230 / Jr.-2L
Grandview, Mo.

21 KHAMARI McGRIFF
W / 6-9 / 230 / Sr.-TR
Tallahassee, Fla.

22 DORIN BUCA
C / 7-2 / 254 / Jr.-TR
Perugia, Italy

23 STEPHEN OSEI
W / 6-10 / 200 / So.-TR
Toronto, Ontario

34 NATE JOHNSON
G / 6-3 / 215 / Sr.-TR
Liberty Township, Ohio

47 ANDREJ KOSTIC
W / 6-6 / 210 / Fr.-TR
Belgrade, Serbia

HC JEROME TANG
Head Coach
Fourth Season
Charter Oak State '07

Scan to View Online Roster [Voice Pronunications]

NUMERICAL

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr-Exp	Hometown (Schools)
0	Elias Rapieque	W	6-9	225	Jr.-TR	Berlin, Germany (ALBA Berlin)
1	Abdi Bashir Jr.	G	6-7	175	Jr.-TR	Omaha, Neb. (PHHoenix Prep/Monmouth)
2	Exavier Wilson	G	6-1	170	Fr.-HS	Columbia, Mo. (Father Tolton Catholic)
3	C.J. Jones	G	6-5	195	Sr.-1L	East St. Louis, Ill. (East St. Louis/UIC)
4	P.J. Haggerty	G	6-4	195	Jr.-TR	Crosby, Texas (Crosby/TCU/Tulsa/Memphis)
6	Marcus Johnson	W	6-7	265	Sr.-TR	Akron, Ohio (St. Vincent-St. Mary/Parkland CC/Wheeling/Bowling Green)
10	David Castillo	G	6-1	185	So.-1L	Bartlesville, Okla. (Sunrise Christian Academy [Kan.])
14	Mobi Ikegwuruka	W	6-6	220	Jr.-1L	Galway, Ireland (Ellsworth Community College [Iowa])
15	Taj Manning	W	6-7	230	Jr.-2L	Grandview, Mo. (La Lumiere [Ind.])
21	Khamari McGriff	W	6-9	230	Sr.-TR	Tallahassee, Fla. (James S. Rickards/UNC Wilmington)
22	Dorin Buca	C	7-2	254	Jr.-TR	Perugia, Italy (Akern Libertas Livorno)
23	Stephen Osei	W	6-10	200	So.-TR	Toronto, Ontario (Salt Lake Academy/Casper College [Wyo.])
34	Nate Johnson	G	6-3	215	Sr.-TR	Liberty Township, Ohio (Lakota East/Akron)
47	Andrej Kostic	W	6-6	210	Fr.-HS	Belgrade, Serbia (Crvena zevda Meridian bet Beograd)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Jerome Tang (Charter Oak State College '07), Fourth Season at K-State
Associate Head Coach: Matthew Driscoll (Slippery Rock '92), First Season
Assistant Coach: Jareem Dowling (Maryland-Eastern Shore '05), Third Season
Assistant Coach: Rodney Perry (Missouri State '94), Third Season
Assistant Coach: Anthony Winchester (Western Kentucky '06), Third Season
Assistant Coach: Bill Peterson (Eckerd '80), First Season

SUPPORT STAFF

Chief of Staff: Marco Borne (Dillard '03), Fourth Season
Director of Operations: Bailey Bachamp (Kansas State '11), 14th Season
Director of Player Development: Austin Carpenter (Oklahoma '20), Fourth Season
Director of Video and Analytics: Chase Driscoll (North Florida '18), First Season
Strength and Conditioning Coach: Phil Baier (Springfield [Mass.] College '13), Third Season
IFBC Sports Medicine Coordinator/Athletics Trainer: Luke Sauber (Kansas State '05), 11th Season
Character Coach: Jayson Gee (Charleston '88), First Season
Graduate Student Manager: Henry Dugat (Baylor '09), First Season
Graduate Student Manager: Alec Kagan (Cincinnati '18), Second Season
Graduate Student Manager: Rob Lowery (Dayton '10), First Season
Graduate Student Manager: Miguel Mateo Vojtova (Bethel College '24), Second Season
Graduate Student Manager: Mark Vital Jr. (Baylor '21), First Season

TEAM INFORMATION

2024-25 Record	16-17 (9-11/t-9th Big 12)
Lettermen Returning/Lost	4/10
Starts Returning/Lost	2/5
Newcomers	10
Roster Breakdown (Sr./Jr./So./Fr.)	4/6/2/2

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

ABDI BASHIR JR.	*OBB-dee BUH-sheer*	**ANDREJ KOSTIC**	*ANDRE (j is silent) COS-titch*
DORIN BUCA	*DOOR-reen BOO-cah*	**KHAMARI** McGriff	*Kuh-MAR-ee*
JAREEM Dowling	*JAH-reem*	**ELIAS RAPIEQUE**	*uh-LEE-us RUH-pee-ECK*
Henry **DUGAT**	*DOO-got*	Stephen **OSEI**	*OH-say*
MOBI IKEGWURUKA	*Mow-B EE-kay-gah-roo-KAH*	**EXAVIER** Wilson	*X-ZAY-ver*

>>> BY THE NUMBERS

1st

Preseason All-American **P.J. Haggerty** became the first Division I player since **Ja Morant** in 2018-19 to average 21.5 points, 5.5 rebounds, 3.5 assists and 1.5 steals to go with 6.5 free throw per game while at Memphis in 2024-25.

3.85

Junior transfer **Abdi Bashir Jr.** led the NCAA in 3-point field goals/game (3.85) while at Monmouth in 2024-25 while he was second in total 3-point field goals (127) and 3-point field goals attempted (332).

5,922

K-State's 5 Division I transfers - **Abdi Bashir Jr.**, **P.J. Haggerty**, **Marcus Johnson**, **Nate Johnson** and **Khamari McGriff** - have combined to score 5,922 points in 450 career games with 237 starts.

TEAM NOTES

■ UP NEXT: SOUTH DAKOTA

▶ Led by fourth-year head coach **Eric Peterson**, South Dakota (7-6) has won back-to-back games against Prairie View A&M (97-85) and Dakota State (80-71) since dropping 3 straight against Portland State, Northern Colorado and Wyoming. The Coyotes are 0-4 in true road games, including Creighton (76-92), Missouri (68-102), Northern Colorado (87-89) in overtime and Wyoming (79-106).

▶ The Coyotes return 6 lettermen, including 2 starters, from a squad that posted a 19-14 overall record, including a fifth-place finish in the Summit League with a 9-7 mark.

▶ South Dakota is averaging 84 points on 45.5 percent shooting, including 31.7 percent from 3-point range, while allowing 81.8 points on 50.3 percent shooting, including 32.6 percent from 3-point range. The Coyotes are out-rebounding by their opponents, 37.2 to 33.3, and turn the ball over just 13.1 times per game. They are shooting 72.4 percent from the free throw line.

▶ USD is among the best in getting and making its free throws, ranking third in makes (21.5) and fifth in attempts (29.8). The team is also 21st in offensive rebounds at 14.5 per game. Junior **Isaac Bruns** leads the nation in field goal attempts (196) and free throws (87), while he is second in total points (269) and free throw attempts (106).

▶ The Coyotes are a balanced scoring team with 4 players averaging in double figures led by a prolific scorer in junior **Isaac Bruns**, who ranks second in points (269) and 23rd in points/game (20.7 ppg.). He is connecting on 42.9 percent from the field and 82.1 percent from the line to go with 4.8 rebounds, 1.1 assists and 1.2 steals per game. Junior **Jordan Crawford** is averaging 12 points to go with a team-best 18 steals. Senior **Cameron Fens** is averaging 10.9 points on a team-high 53.8 percent shooting to go with team-bests in rebounding (6.7 rpg.) and total blocks (19), while freshman **Uzziah Buntyn** is averaging 10.3 points to go with a team-best 38 assists.

▶ South Dakota was picked fifth in the 9-team preseason The Summit League coaches poll. St. Thomas is the preseason favorite to win the league.

▶ Peterson is in his sixth season as a head coach, including his fourth at South Dakota. He won 52 games in 2 seasons at Williston State at the junior college level from 2012-14 before becoming an assistant at South Dakota (2014-18), Utah State (2018-21) and Utah (2021-22). After 12-win seasons in years one and two, he won 19 games last season.

SERIES HISTORY

▶ K-State is 10-0 all-time vs. South Dakota with all 10 victories coming in Manhattan. This is the fifth such meeting at Bramlage Coliseum with the Wildcats winning matchups in 2010, 2012, 2013 and 2015.

▶ K-State is 56-3 all-time vs. current members of the Summit League, including a 49-0 mark in games played at home.

LAST 5 MEETINGS [5-0]

Date	Rank	Result	Score	Location
11/29/1986	—/—	W	95-45	Manhattan
1/3/2010	—/—	W	91-69	Manhattan
12/31/2012	—/—	W	70-50	Manhattan
12/10/2013	—/—	W	64-62	Manhattan
11/20/2015	—/—	W	93-72	Manhattan

LAST MEETING: K-STATE 93, SO. DAKOTA 72 (Nov. 20, 2015)

▶ K-State used a big second-half performance to rebound from a halftime deficit, as the Wildcats earned a 93-72 win over South Dakota in their last meeting on Nov. 20, 2015. The Wildcats scored 54 points on 55.6 percent shooting in the second half after trailing 42-39 at the break. Four players scored in double figures led by 18 points from **Barry Brown Jr**.

LAST TIME OUT
K-STATE 83, CREIGHTON 76

▶ Sophomore **David Castillo** scored six of his game-high 19 points in the last two minutes to help K-State hold off a furious Creighton rally in an 83-76 win on Saturday afternoon before 16,657 fans at CHI Health Center Omaha.

▶ K-State (7-4) earned its first win in a non-conference road game since a 75-60 victory at LSU on Dec. 9, 2023, snapping a 4-game losing streak. The Wildcats posted just their third all-time win in 10 visits to Omaha (1969, 1987 and 2025) while running their winning streak over the Bluejays to 4 games.

▶ Buoyed by a near record-setting 51-point first-half, K-State led by as many as 20 points in the early moments of the second half before Creighton (5-5) slowly chipped away at the deficit, closing to within 73-70 with 2:41 to play. However, Castillo saved his best for clutch time, scoring six of the Wildcats' last 10 points while adding an assist. It marked the fourth straight game in double figures for the sophomore, including the second in a row off the bench with 19 points.

▶ After Bluejay senior **Josh Dix** missed a 3-pointer that would have tied the game with 2:10 left, Castillo grabbed the rebound and converted on a driving layup. Following another 3-point miss, Castillo drove the lane, feeding senior **Khamari McGriff** on a lob dunk to put the Wildcats ahead 77-70 with 1:21 left. Castillo then knocked down 2 free throws for a 79-73 lead with 50 seconds remaining before finishing things off with a breakaway dunk with 18 seconds.

▶ Castillo was one of four Wildcats to score in double figures, collecting his 19 points on 7-of-11 field goals, including 2-of-4 from 3-point range, while making all 3 free throws. Omaha native junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.** put on a show for the hometown crowd with 18 points on 6 made 3-pointers, including 15 points in the first half when he eclipsed 1,000 career points.

▶ McGriff and junior **P.J. Haggerty** added 12 and 10 points, respectively, while senior **Nate Johnson** had game-highs in both assists (6) and steals (4) go with 8 points. Junior **Elias Rapieque** posted 9 points and 6 rebounds.

▶ K-State led by as many as 18 points in the first half, including 51-33 at the break, as the Wildcats connected on 59.4 percent (19-of-32) from the field, including 64.7 percent (11-of-17) from 3-point range. The 11 made 3-pointers tied for the second-most in any half in school history.

POSTGAME NOTES

▶ K-State now leads the all-time series, 9-8, in this, the first regular-season meeting since 1987... It was just the third-ever win in Omaha.

▶ K-State's 11 3-point field goals in the first half tied for the second-most in any half, including the most in a first half since hitting 11 vs. West Virginia on Feb. 26, 2024... Only the 14 in the second half vs. Fresno State in 1994 were more.

▶ K-State controlled all the specialty stats, including an 8-2 advantage in points off turnovers, 34-24 in points in the paint and 26-17 in bench points.

▶ K-State out-rebounded Creighton, 42-35, with 15 offensive rebounds leading to a 16-11 edge in second-chance points.

CASTILLO'S IMPROVEMENT

▶ Junior **David Castillo's** game-high 19 points in the win over Creighton (12/13/25) further illustrated the improvement that he has made in his second season, as he ranks second on the team in scoring (13.5 ppg.) while connecting on 49 percent (51-of-104) from the field, including 42.4 percent (25-of-59) from 3-point range, and 80.8 percent (21-of-26) from the free throw line.

▶ Castillo has nearly doubled his point total (77 to 148) from his freshman year, while also posting 7 double-digit scoring games, including 4 in a row. He scored a career-high 22 points vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25) on 8-of-15 shooting.

QUOTING JEROME TANG

"I'm really pleased with how we started the game but also excited that we were able to make some stops when they made their run."

■ OFFENSE OFF TO FAST START

MOST POINTS THROUGH 11 GAMES

▶ After scoring 80 or more points in 7 of 11 games, including 5 games of 90 or more points, the Wildcats continued their fast offensive start. The squad is averaging 86.4 points on 48.4 percent (337-of-696) shooting, including 40.5 percent (119-of-294) from 3-point range, and 71.0 percent (157-of-221) from the free throw line.

▶ The 950 points are the most points through the first 11 games of a season, surpassing the 944 scored by the 1997-98 squad. The 108 points vs. Mississippi Valley marked the 42nd 100-point game in school history, including the fourth under head coach **Jerome Tang**.

▶ **950, 2025-26 (94, 98, 99, 84, 98, 85, 69, 66, 67, 108 and 83 points)**
▶ 944, 1997-98 (93, 89, 89, 71, 101, 90, 67, 76, 70, 87 and 111 points)
▶ 903, 2009-10 (92, 82, 80, 74, 83, 70, 83, 86, 71, 95 and 87 points)
▶ 879, 1991-92 (103, 90, 115, 59, 99, 75, 65, 79, 71, 34 and 89 points)
▶ 877, 2008-09 (96, 88, 82, 69, 83, 72, 63, 70, 74, 107 and 73 points)

HAGGERTY JOINS ELITE COMPANY

▶ After his 27-point performance vs. Nebraska, junior **P.J. Haggerty** became the first Wildcat to open a season with 6 consecutive games of 20 or more points, eclipsing a record shared with **Michael Beasley** in 2007-08. His 250 points are also the second-most by a player through the first 11 games and the most since Beasley's 289 points.

HAGGERTY SCORES 37 VS. MSU

▶ Junior **P.J. Haggerty** scored a season-high 37 points in the win over Mississippi State (11/20/25), which were the most scored by a player under head coach **Jerome Tang** and the most since **Barry Brown Jr.** had 38 points against Oklahoma State on Jan. 10, 2018.

HAGGERTY HAS RARE 30-10 GAME

▶ Junior **P.J. Haggerty** had 31 points and a career-tying 10 rebounds vs. Tulsa (11/17/25) to become the first Wildcat since **Michael Beasley** in 2008 to post a rare 30-point, 10-rebound double-double. He scored 27 of his 31 points in the second half, which are the fifth-most in any half.

MOST POINTS AT BRAMLAGE

▶ K-State's 99-96 win over Cal on Nov. 13 made history, as the 195 combined points were the most-ever in Bramlage Coliseum, surpassing the 194 scored between K-State (106) and Marshall (88) on Dec. 2, 1995.

▶ K-State posted the highest field goal percentage of the **Jerome Tang** era, as the Wildcats hit on 64.4 percent. It was the highest field goal percentage since 66.0 percent vs. Wake Forest on March 14, 2017.

TRIO OF 'CATS POST 20-POINT GAMES

▶ K-State had three players record 20-point games in the win over Cal, as junior **P.J. Haggerty** led the way with 23 points to go with 21 from senior **Khamari McGriff** and 20 from senior **Nate Johnson**.

▶ The trio is the first to each have 20-point games since **Dean Wade** (34 points), **Kamau Stokes** (23 points) and **Barry Brown Jr.** (21 points) did it against Iowa State on Dec. 29, 2017.

MCGRIFF, CASTILLO GO PERFECT

▶ Two Wildcats - senior **Khamari McGriff** and sophomore **David Castillo** - each went perfect from the field, becoming the 24th and 25th players in school history to go perfect from the field on 5 or more field goals in the 98-71 win over Bellarmine on Nov. 8.

▶ Castillo scored a career-high 19 points on 7-of-7 shooting, including 5-of-5 from 3-point range, while McGriff totaled 16 points on 8-of-8 field goals. Castillo is just the eighth Wildcat to go 5-of-5 from beyond the arc, including his high school coach **Clent Stewart** who was in the crowd.

■ HOW THE 'CATS WERE BUILT

'CATS WELCOME 10 NEWCOMERS, INCLUDING 5 DIVISION I TRANSFERS

▶ K-State brought in one of the top transfer classes with 10 newcomers, including 5 Division I transfers, 4 players from the international ranks and 1 true freshman. The class has been rated nationally as high as No. 4 by *247Sports* and No. 20 by *On3*.

▶ Among the 10 newcomers are 5 Division I transfers, including **Abdi Bashir Jr.** (Monmouth), **P.J. Haggerty** (Memphis), **Marcus Johnson** (Bowling Green), **Nate Johnson** (Akron) and **Khamari McGriff** (UNC Wilmington). Haggerty, N. Johnson and McGriff were on teams that advanced to the NCAA Tournament in 2024-25.

▶ The 4 international additions include the school's first-ever players from Italy (**Dorin Buca**), Serbia (**Andrej Kostic**) and Germany (**Elias Rapieque**). The fourth international player - **Stephen Osei** - from Toronto played at the junior college level at Casper College in Wyoming.

▶ Haggerty is coming off a career year at Memphis, in which, he became the first Tiger since 2008 to be named an AP All-American while earning consensus Second Team All-American honors. The AAC Player of the Year ranked third nationally in both scoring (21.7 ppg.) and total points (759).

▶ Johnson became the first Akron player to be named both the MAC Player and Defensive Player of the Year in the same season and the first since Ball State's **Bonzi Wells** in 1998.

▶ Bashir was one of the top scorers in the NCAA in 2024-25, leading the CAA in scoring at 20.1 points per game while leading the nation in 3-point field goals per game (3.85) and second in total 3-pointers (127).

▶ McGriff was one of the top sixth men in the CAA at UNC Wilmington, where he was part of 99 wins and 3 conference championships.

▶ A member of the German U18 and U20 National Teams, Rapieque played in 53 games with ALBA Berlin in 2024-25 between the EuroLeague (27 games) and the German Basketball Bundesliga (26 games).

▶ Kostic was a member of the Serbia U18 and U19 National Teams, winning the gold medal at the 2023 European U18 Championship and the silver medal at the 2024 European U18 Championship.

▶ The lone freshman - **Exavier Wilson** - was a 3-time all-state selection and scored more than 1,700 career points in his prep career.

■ NON-CONFERENCE SUCCESS

Year	Overall	Home	Bramlage
2006-07	11-4	7-0	7-0
2007-08	10-4	8-1	7-1
2008-09	12-3	11-0	10-0
2009-10	13-1	9-0	8-0
2010-11	12-3	9-1	8-1
2011-12	11-1	7-0	6-0
2012-13	11-2	9-0	8-0
2013-14	10-3	7-1	7-1
2014-15	7-6	6-2	5-2
2015-16	11-2	8-0	8-0
2016-17	11-2	8-0	8-0
2017-18	11-2	8-1	8-0
2018-19	10-3	7-0	6-0
2019-20	7-6	6-2	6-1
2020-21	4-5	4-5	4-5
2021-22	8-5	6-1	6-1
2022-23	12-1	8-0	7-0
2023-24	10-3	8-1	7-1
2024-25	7-6	4-2	4-1
2025-26	7-4	5-2	5-2
Total	**195-66 (.746)**	**151-20 (.883)**	**135-16 (.894)**

SUCCESS IN NON-CONFERENCE PLAY

▶ K-State has posted a 195-66 (.746) record in non-conference play since the 2006-07 season. During that span, the Wildcats have a 151-20 (.883) mark at home venues (includes games played at Bramlage Coliseum, INTRUST Bank Arena in Wichita and the T-Mobile Center in Kansas City) in non-conference play, including a 135-16 (.894) mark at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ K-State's 12-1 non-conference mark in 2022-23 was the best since the 2009-10 team went a program-best 13-1. Last season, the team went 7-6 in non-conference play, including 4-1 in Bramlage Coliseum.

1750 WINS AND COUNTING

▶ K-State is one of the winningest programs in Division I history, as the Wildcats have posted a 1,763-1,259 (.583) all-time record which includes 32 NCAA Tournament appearances and 21 conference championships. The 1,763 wins are the 43rd-most in Division I history (one shy of Virginia in 42nd), including the seventh-most among current Big 12 schools.

TANG ADJUSTS COACHING STAFF

▶ Head coach **Jerome Tang** adjusted his coaching staff during the offseason, adding veteran head coach **Matthew Driscoll** as associate head coach as well as acclaimed player development coach **Bill Peterson** as an assistant coach and **Chase Driscoll** as director of video and analytics.

▶ The winningest coach in both North Florida and Atlantic Sun Conference history during a 16-year stint (2009-25) with the Ospreys, Driscoll joined the staff on May 23. He won 248 games at North Florida, including 144 in ASUN play, while guiding the school to 3 regular-season championships and the league's tournament championship and a NCAA Tournament bid in 2015.

▶ Driscoll's relationship with Tang dates back more than 20 years, as the two coached alongside each other for 6 seasons (2003-09) at Baylor as original members of head coach **Scott Drew's** staff.

▶ Peterson has served in various capacities in the NBA, including the Golden Warriors, Dallas Mavericks and Milwaukee Bucks. He has mentored over 20 NBA players, including Hall of Famers **Dirk Nowitzki**, **Steve Nash** and **Karl Malone**. He also has a combined 10 years of head coaching experience at the NAIA, Division II and G-League levels in his 47-year coaching career.

▶ Peterson coached alongside Tang while at Baylor from 2017-22, where they helped guide the Bears to the 2021 NCAA Championship.

▶ **Chase Driscoll** joined the staff on May 13 after serving as an assistant coach and director of operations for his father, Matthew, at North Florida.

BAYLOR NORTH

▶ With the additions of associate head coach **Matthew Driscoll** and assistant coach **Bill Peterson**, **Jerome Tang** tapped into his coaching history, as all three were on staff at Baylor. Tang and Driscoll were part of **Scott Drew's** first staff from 2003-09, while Tang and Peterson helped the Bears to the 2021 NCAA title while together on staff from 2017-22.

▶ Driscoll and Peterson aren't the only K-State staffers with Baylor ties, as director of player development **Austin Carpenter** was a graduate assistant for Tang with the Bears from 2020-22, while current graduate assistants **Henry Dugat** and **Mark Vital Jr.** are among the best players in Baylor history.

▶ Dugat is one of five players known as "The Foundation" that was inducted into the Baylor Athletics Hall of Fame in 2021. He was part of Drew's first two recruiting classes that led to Bears' historic turnaround. He still ranks in the top 20 all-time in program history with 1,229 career points.

▶ Vital was a 3-time All-Big 12 selection and a member of Baylor's 2021 National Championship team, playing in 126 games with 105 starts.

NATIONAL POLLS

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS POLL

Updated: Dec. 15, 2025

Rank	School	Record	Points	Prv
1.	**Arizona (42)**	**9-0**	**1500**	**1**
2.	Michigan (15)	10-0	1470	2
3.	Duke (3)	10-0	1406	3
4.	**Iowa State (1)**	**11-0**	**1336**	**4**
5.	UConn	10-1	1286	5
6.	Purdue	10-1	1195	6
7.	Gonzaga	10-1	1109	8
8.	**Houston**	**10-1**	**1079**	**7**
9.	Michigan State	9-1	1037	9
10.	**BYU**	**9-1**	**1017**	**10**
11.	Louisville	9-1	921	11
12.	North Carolina	9-1	794	14
13.	Vanderbilt	10-0	766	15
14.	Arkansas	8-2	726	17
15.	**Nebraska**	**11-0**	**655**	**23**
16.	Alabama	7-3	644	12
17.	**Kansas**	**8-3**	**502**	**19**
18.	Illinois	8-3	483	13
19.	**Texas Tech**	**7-3**	**314**	**16**
20.	Tennessee	7-3	286	20
21.	Auburn	8-3	283	21
22.	St. John's	6-3	250	22
23.	Virginia	9-1	200	24
24.	Florida	6-4	200	18
25.	Georgia	9-1	82	—

Other receiving votes: USC 68, Iowa 47, **Seton Hall 46**, LSU 19, Kentucky 19, UCLA 16, Clemson 14, **California 13**, Saint Mary's 12, Villanova 5, **Arizona State 5**, Miami 4, Miami (OH) 4, Notre Dame 4, **Indiana 4**, Utah State 2, Wisconsin 1, Saint Louis 1.

USA TODAY COACHES POLL

Updated: Dec. 15, 2025

Rank	School	Record	Points	Prv
1.	Michigan (16)	10-0	759	1
2.	**Arizona (14)**	**9-0**	**755**	**2**
3.	Duke (1)	10-0	714	3
4.	**Iowa State**	**11-0**	**659**	**4**
5.	UConn	10-1	641	5
6.	Purdue	10-1	600	6
7.	Gonzaga	10-1	574	7
8.	**Houston**	**10-1**	**551**	**8**
9.	Michigan State	9-1	521	9
10.	**BYU**	**9-1**	**511**	**10**
11.	Louisville	9-1	473	11
12.	Vanderbilt	10-0	390	14
13.	North Carolina	9-1	362	15
14.	Arkansas	8-2	347	17
15.	**Nebraska**	**11-0**	**321**	**22**
16.	Alabama	7-3	306	12
17.	**Kansas**	**8-3**	**267**	**19**
18.	Illinois	8-3	232	13
19.	**Texas Tech**	**7-3**	**175**	**16**
20.	St. John's	6-3	155	21
21.	Florida	6-4	140	18
22.	Virginia	9-1	134	25
23.	Tennessee	7-3	129	20
24.	Auburn	8-3	112	24
25.	Iowa	9-2	71	23

Other receiving votes: Georgia 43, USC 32, UCLA 13, **Seton Hall 12**, SMU 9, Kentucky 9, Utah State 8, Saint Mary's 6, **Oklahoma State 6**, Saint Louis 6, LSU 6, **Colorado 6**, Yale 5, Wisconsin 4, Virginia Tech 4, Clemson 2, Ohio State 2, Missouri 2, NC State 1.

TRACKING K-STATE IN THE POLLS

	AP	Coaches
Pre	rv	rv
11/10	rv	rv
11/17	rv	—
11/24	—	—
12/1	—	—
12/8	—	—
12/15	—	—
12/22		
12/29		
1/5		
1/12		
1/19		
1/26		
2/2		
2/9		
2/16		
2/23		
3/2		
3/9		
Final		

WILDCATS VS. RANKED TEAMS

K-State has played over 400 games vs. ranked teams in their history, posting a 138-299 (.316) record, including 28-85 (.248) vs. the top-5, 56-150 (.272) vs. the top-10 and 80-211 (.275) vs. top-15.

K-State has 45 wins vs. ranked foes in the last 13 seasons, including 17 vs. the top 10 (one over No. 1), and 34 Top 25 wins at home.

PLAYER NOTES

HAGGERTY AMONG THE BEST

▶ Junior **P.J. Haggerty** is the among the best players to transfer to K-State, as he is coming off a career-best year in 2024-25, in which, he became the first Memphis Tiger since 2008 to be named an AP All-American while becoming the first Division I player to average at least 21.5 points, 5.5 rebounds, 3.5 assists and 1.5 steals per game to go with 6.5 free throws per game since **Ja Morant** in 2018-19. He is the only Division I player to average at 21 points, 5.5 rebounds, 3.5 assists and 1.5 steals per game in each of the last 2 seasons.

▶ Haggerty ranked third nationally in both scoring (21.7 ppg.) and total points (759) in 2024-25, while his 759 points were an AAC single-season record and the most since **Dajuan Wagner** (762) set the school season record in 2001-02.

▶ Haggerty was a consensus Second Team All-American in his lone season at Memphis, while was just the second Tiger to be named the AAC Player of the Year as well as Most Outstanding Player at the AAC Tournament. He was also a finalist for the Jerry West Shooting Guard of the Year award, the Wooden Award and the Riley Wallace Award as the most impactful transfer.

▶ Haggerty, who has also made stops at TCU (2022-23) and Tulsa (2023-24), has scored more than 1,600 points (1,683) in his college career, connecting on 48.6 percent from the field and 78.3 percent from the free throw line. He has scored in double figures in 75 of 83 career games with 30 games of 25 or more points, including five 30-point games and one 40-point game. He scored a career-high 42 points vs. Wichita State on March 14.

HAGGERTY'S PRESEASON ACCOLADES

▶ 2025-26 Wooden Award Watch List
▶ 2025-26 Oscar Robertson Trophy Watch List
▶ 2025-26 Jersey Mike's Naismith College Player of the Year Watch List
▶ 2025-26 NABC Preseason Division I Player of the Year Watch List
▶ 2025-26 Jerry West Award Preseason Watch List (one of 20)
▶ 2025-26 Jay Bilas Preseason First Team All-American
▶ 2025-26 @CBB Analytics Preseason First Team All-American
▶ 2025-26 *CBS Sports* Preseason Third Team All-American
▶ 2025-26 *The Field of 68* Preseason Third Team All-American

HAGGERTY ALSO GREAT AT LINE

▶ In addition to his scoring prowess, **P.J. Haggerty** is also great at getting to the free throw line, as he ranked in the top-3 nationally in both free throws made and attempted in the past 2 seasons, including second in attempts (309) and third in makes (237) in 2023-24 while playing at Tulsa and second in both makes (224) and attempts (274) in 2024-25 while at Memphis.

▶ Haggerty has made 529 free throws on 676 attempts in the past 4 seasons, averaging nearly 7 makes on nearly 9 attempts in his last 83 games played.

▶ Last season, Haggerty connected on 81.8 percent from the free throw line with an AAC-best 224 makes on 274 attempts. He went perfect from the line in 6 games, including 14-of-14 vs. Tulane on March 15 in the AAC Tournament. He made 27 straight free throws at one point during the season.

▶ Haggerty drew 7.9 fouls per 40 minutes as a sophomore at Tulsa in 2023-24, finishing behind only National Player of the Year **Zach Edey** with 309 free throw attempts, while his 237 free throws were the third-most in the country.

BASHIR GOOD FROM 3

▶ Junior guard **Abdi Bashir Jr.** is among the best returning 3-point shooting in the country, as he led the NCAA in 3-point field goals/game (3.85) while he was second in total 3-point field goals (127) and 3-point field goals attempted (332) in 2024-25). He broke both the Monmouth and CAA (Coastal Athletic Association) single-season record for 3-pointers (327).

▶ Bashir connected on a career-high 10 3-pointers in his 38-point performance against Rutgers on Nov. 18, 2024. The 10 treys tied for the second-most in Monmouth history. He made at least 5 3-pointers in 13 games, while he had 8 triples in back-to-back games vs. Northeastern (2/24/25) and Elon (2/27/25).

▶ Bashir has made 219 3-point field goals in his 77-game college career on 39.7 percent shooting, which is nearly 3 made 3-pointers per game. He leads the team with 41 makes so far this season on 46.6 percent shooting. His 7 made 3-pointers vs. Nebraska (11/21/25) tied for the sixth-most ever in a game while he has at least 2 3-pointers in 10 of 11 games with 4 or more in 6 games.

▶ As a sophomore, Bashir led Monmouth and the CAA in scoring at 20.1 points per game, while he was 16th in scoring and 25th in total points (663) in the NCAA. He posted five 30-point games, which tied for the most in program history, while he scored 20 or more points in 13 other contests.

▶ Bashir eclipsed 1,000 career points with his second of a game-high 6 made 3-pointers in his hometown of Omaha in the win at Creighton (12/13/25).

BASHIR ALSO A TWIN

▶ Junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.** and his brother **Abdul** are among 9 sets of twins playing Division I basketball in 2025-26, including one of 3 sets of identical twins (Illinois' **Tomislav** and **Zvonimir Ivisic** and Texas State's **Dimp** and **Ky Pernell**). They also one of 3 sets playing at different schools, joining **Ethan** (Air Force) and **Eli** (Le Moyne) **Greenberg** and **Tajuan** (Seton Hall) and **Takai** (Oregon) **Simpkins**.

TWINS PLAYING DIVISION I BASKETBALL

▶ **Abdi and Abdul Bashir** (K-State, Auburn)
▶ Micah and Marley Curtis (North Dakota)
▶ Cameron and Cayden Boozer (Duke)
▶ Dominykas and Dovydas Butka (Campbell)
▶ Ethan and Eli Greenberg (Air Force, Le Moyne)
▶ Tomislav and Zvonimir Ivisic (Illinois)
▶ Dimp and Ky Pernell (Texas State)
▶ Tajuan and Takai Simpkins (Seton Hall, Oregon)
▶ Donny and MJ Yeager (Oakland)

INTERNATIONAL FLAIR

▶ K-State's 5 international players are the most on any Wildcat team in school history, which includes juniors **Dorin Buca** (Perugia, Italy), **Mobi Ikegwuruka** (Galway, Ireland) and **Elias Rapieque** (Berlin, Germany), sophomore **Stephen Osei** (Toronto, Ontario) and freshman **Andrej Kostic** (Belgrade, Serbia).

▶ Buca, Kostic and Rapieque are the first-ever players from their respective countries, while the trio joins Ikegwuruka among 7 players from Europe.

■ SITUATIONAL STATS UNDER TANG

	'25-26	Overall
Overall	7-4	68-46
Big 12 play	0-0	28-28
At Home	5-2	46-12
At Bramlage Coliseum	5-2	44-11
On the Road	1-1	10-26
At Neutral Sites	1-1	12-8
In Overtime	0-0	12-1
vs. Top 25 teams	0-1	16-17
vs. Top 10 teams	0-0	7-6
In games decided by 3 points or less	2-1	11-10
In games decided by 4-5 points	0-0	10-4
In games decided by 6-10 points	1-0	18-8
In games decided by 11-19 points	0-3	15-20
In games decided by 20 or more points	4-0	14-4
Scoring first	5-2	48-23
Leading at the Half	6-0	48-9
Tied at the Half	0-0	2-2
Trailing at the Half	1-4	18-35
K-State shoots 50% or better	5-0	25-3
K-State shoots less than 50%	2-4	43-43
K-State shoots better than opponent	7-0	54-10
Opponent shoots 50% or better	1-1	4-11
Opponent shoots less than 50%	6-3	61-35
K-State out-rebounds opponent	6-1	42-17
Opponent out-rebounds K-State	1-2	19-27
K-State shoots 70% or better from FT Line	5-2	44-22
K-State has more FT attempts	2-3	42-14
Opponent has more FT attempts	2-1	22-31
K-State shoots 40% or better from 3-pt range	6-1	25-8
K-State makes at least 6 3-pt FGs	6-4	51-34
K-State has more turnovers than opponent	2-3	29-29
K-State has less turnovers than opponent	3-1	31-12
K-State equals opponent in turnovers	2-0	8-5
K-State scores 100-plus points	1-0	4-0
K-State scores 90-99 points	4-0	12-0
K-State scores 80-89 points	2-1	17-4
K-State scores 70-79 points	0-0	22-10
K-State scores 60-69 points	0-3	12-20
K-State scores 50-59 points	0-0	2-11
K-State scores less than 50 points	0-0	0-0
Opponent scores 100-plus points	0-0	1-0
Opponent scores 90 or more points	1-0	5-4
Opponent scores 80-89 points	1-3	3-14
Opponent scores 70-79 points	3-1	17-20
Opponent scores 60-69 points	1-0	22-9
Opponent scores 50-59 points	0-0	19-0
Opponent scores less than 50 points	1-0	2-0
K-State has 2 in double figures	0-1	46-30
K-State has 3 in double figures	2-2	50-28
K-State has 4 in double figures	5-0	36-13
K-State has 5 in double figures	0-1	12-1
K-State has 6 in double figures	0-0	4-0

■ SPECIAL NIGHT IN SEASON OPENER

▶ Junior **Nate Johnson** nearly made history in his first game in a Wildcat uniform, as he narrowly missed the school's first triple-double in the 93-64 win over UNC Greensboro on Nov. 4, as he finished with 22 points on 8-of-11 field goals, including 6-of-7 from 3-point range, to go with 9 rebounds and 9 assists.

▶ Johnson's 6 made 3-pointers are the most by a Wildcat in a season opener, while his 9 assists tie **Aaron Swartzendruber** vs. Kansas City in 1996 and **Larry Reid** vs. UTSA in 2000 for the most in an opener.

▶ Junior All-American candidate **P.J. Haggerty** (27 points) and Johnson (22 points) became the first duo to go over 20 points in a season opener in nearly 18 years since **Michael Beasley** and **Blake Young** went for 32 and 22 points, respectively, against Sacramento State on Nov. 9, 2007.

MOST POINTS IN A SEASON OPENER

45, Bob Boozer vs. Purdue, 1958
35, Wally Frank vs. South Dakota State, 1959
32, Dick Knostman vs. Drake, 1952
32, Michael Beasley vs. Sacramento State, 2007
31, Mike Evans vs. Northern Iowa, 1977
31, Norris Coleman vs. Chaminade, 1985
30, Mike Evans vs. Montana State, 1974
30, Larry Dassie vs. Vanderbilt, 1976
27, P.J. Haggerty vs. UNC Greensboro, 2025

▶ Haggerty's 27 points, which came on 10-of-20 field goals and 6-of-7 free throws, are ninth-most by a Wildcat in an opener and the most since the aforementioned Beasley, who had 32 points in his first career game.

▶ Haggerty and Johnson became the first Wildcat duo to post 20-point games in any game since **Arthur Kaluma** (23) and **Cam Carter** (21) did it against No. 6/6 Iowa State on March 9, 2024.

▶ Junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.** was the other Wildcat to score in double figure, scoring all 16 of his points in the second half, hitting on 6-of-7 field goals, including 4-of-5 from 3-point range.

▶ The 93 points equaled the most by a **Jerome Tang**-team in a season opener (93 vs. UTRGV (11/7/22) and were the most since scoring 98 vs. Southern Utah on Nov. 14, 2014.

▶ K-State shot just over 50 percent (34-of-67) from the field, including 59.5 percent (22-of-37) in the second half, while hitting on 51.9 percent (14-of-27) from 3-point range. The 14 made 3-pointers tie for the seventh-most in any game and are the most-ever in a season opener.

▶ The Wildcats scored 60 of their 93 points in the second half, connecting on 59.5 percent from the field and 64.7 percent (11-of-17) from 3-point range. The 60-point second-half marked the 11th time that a Wildcat team has 60 or more points in a half and tied for the ninth-most points in any half.

AROUND THE BIG 12

■ BIG 12 PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

	Player	Newcomer
Nov. 10	Koa Peat, UofA Christian Anderson, TxTech	Koa Peat, UofA
Starting Five - Anderson, Peat, AJ Dybantsa, Baba Miller, Darryn Peterson		
Nov. 17	Kingston Flemings, UH	Kingston Flemings, UH
Starting Five - Flemings, AJ Dybantsa, Tamin Lipsey, Flory Bidunga, JT Toppin		
Nov. 24	**P.J. Haggerty, K-State**	Koa Peat, UofA
Starting Five - Haggerty, Peat, Jaden Bradley, Jamichael Stillwell, Tamin Lipsey		
Dec. 1	Joshua Jefferson, ISU	Moe Odum, ASU
Starting Five - Jefferson, Odum, Cameron Carr, Flory Bidunga, Brock Harding		
Dec. 8	Milan Momcilovic, ISU	Tounde Yessoufou, BU
Starting Five - Momcilovic, Yessoufou, Kingston Flemings, Parsa Fallah, Christian Anderson		
Dec. 15	Melvin Council Jr., KU	Melvin Council Jr., KU
Starting Five - Council, Braden Burries, AJ Dybantsa, JT Toppin, Honor Huff		
Dec. 22		
Starting Five -		
Jan. 5		
Starting Five -		
Jan. 12		
Starting Five -		
Jan. 19		
Starting Five -		
Jan. 26		
Starting Five -		
Feb. 2		
Starting Five -		
Feb. 9		
Starting Five -		
Feb. 16		
Starting Five -		
Feb. 23		
Starting Five -		
Mar. 2		
Starting Five -		
Mar. 9		
Starting Five -		

■ BIG 12 PRESEASON POLL

Team (First-place Votes)		Points
1.	Houston (14)	224
2.	BYU (1)	204
3.	Texas Tech	200
4.	Arizona (1)	179
5.	Iowa State	170
6.	Kansas	163
7.	Baylor	137
8.	Cincinnati	120
9.	**K-STATE**	**117**
10.	TCU	90
11.	West Virginia	79
12.	Oklahoma State	77
13.	Utah	50
14.	UCF	39
15.	Colorado	37
16.	Arizona State	34

Preseason All-Big 12 First Team

*AJ Dybantsa, BYU
Ritchie Saunders, BYU
Emanuel Sharp, Houston
Joseph Tugler, Houston
*Milos Uzan, Houston
Tamin Lipsey, Iowa State
*Darryn Peterson, Kansas
PJ Haggerty, K-State
Christian Anderson, Texas Tech
*JT Toppin, Texas Tech

Preseason Speciality Awards

Preseason Player of the Year: JT Toppin, Texas Tech
Preseason co-Newcomer of the Year: LeJuan Watts, Texas Tech
Freshman of the Year: Darryn Peterson, Kansas

BIG 12 STANDINGS

	SCHOOL	NET	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.	H	A	N	Streak
—	Iowa State	5	0-0	.000	11-0	1.000	6-0	1-0	4-0	W11
—	Arizona	4	0-0	.000	10-0	1.000	6-0	1-0	3-0	W10
—	BYU	6	0-0	.000	10-1	.909	4-0	0-0	6-1	W7
—	Houston	14	0-0	.000	10-1	.909	6-0	0-0	4-1	W4
—	Colorado	48	0-0	.000	10-1	.909	8-0	0-1	2-0	W2
—	UCF	41	0-0	.000	9-1	.900	7-1	1-0	1-0	W8
—	Oklahoma State	69	0-0	.000	9-1	.900	7-0	0-0	2-1	L1
—	Baylor	55	0-0	.000	7-2	.778	5-0	0-1	2-1	W1
—	Arizona State	60	0-0	.000	9-3	.750	4-1	1-1	4-1	L1
—	Kansas	13	0-0	.000	9-3	.750	4-1	1-1	4-1	W3
—	Texas Tech	27	0-0	.000	8-3	.727	6-0	0-1	2-2	W1
—	TCU	72	0-0	.000	7-3	.700	4-3	1-0	2-0	W2
—	West Virginia	100	0-0	.000	8-4	.667	8-0	0-0	0-4	L1
—	Cincinnati	116	0-0	.000	7-4	.636	7-1	0-1	0-2	W1
—	**K-STATE**	**61**	**0-0**	**.000**	**7-4**	**.636**	**5-2**	**1-1**	**1-1**	**W2**
—	Utah	150	0-0	.000	7-4	.636	6-1	0-1	1-2	L1

BIG 12 STAT RANKINGS

Scoring

	Player	G	FG	3FG	FT	Pts	AVG
1.	Haggerty, PJ - KState	11	87	15	61	250	22.73
2.	Toppin, JT - TTU	10	95	4	25	219	21.90
3.	Brown, Terrence - Utah	11	76	15	71	238	21.64
4.	Carr, Cameron - Baylor	9	65	20	43	193	21.44
5.	Dybantsa, AJ - BYU	11	84	9	55	232	21.09
6.	Anderson, Christian - TTU	11	71	35	35	212	19.27
7.	McHenry, Don - Utah	11	66	26	45	203	18.45
8.	Saunders, Richie - BYU	11	66	28	39	199	18.09
9.	Huff, Honor - WVU	12	58	49	49	214	17.83
10.	Yessoufou, Tounde - Baylor	9	59	14	27	159	17.67

Rebounding

	Player	G	Off	Def	Total	AVG
1.	Miller, Baba - UC	9	22	77	99	11.00
2.	Toppin, JT - TTU	10	49	57	106	10.60
3.	Awaka, Tobe - UA	10	39	63	102	10.20
4.	Dawes, Keanu - Utah	11	25	77	102	9.27
5.	Bidunga, Flory - KU	12	34	77	111	9.25
6.	Stillwell, Jamichael - UCF	10	38	49	87	8.70
7.	Punch, David - TCU	10	17	64	81	8.10
8.	Krivas, Motiejus - UA	10	34	45	79	7.90
9.	Skillings Jr., Dan - Baylor	9	27	43	70	7.78
10.	Cenac Jr, Chris - UH	11	22	61	83	7.55

Scoring Offense

	Team	G	W-L	Pts	AVG
1.	Iowa St.	11	11-0	995	90.45
2.	Arizona	10	10-0	900	90.00
3.	Oklahoma St.	10	9-1	898	89.80
4.	Baylor	9	7-2	799	88.78
5.	Colorado	11	10-1	968	88.00
6.	UCF	10	9-1	873	87.30
7.	Kansas St.	11	7-4	950	86.36
8.	BYU	11	10-1	942	85.64
9.	Texas Tech	11	8-3	920	83.64
10.	Utah	11	7-4	888	80.73
11.	Arizona St.	12	9-3	965	80.42
12.	Houston	11	10-1	860	78.18
13.	TCU	10	7-3	777	77.70
14.	Cincinnati	11	7-4	831	75.55
15.	West Virginia	12	8-4	904	75.33
16.	Kansas	12	9-3	896	74.67

Scoring Defense

	Team	G	Pts	AVG
1.	Houston	11	635	57.73
2.	West Virginia	12	731	60.92
3.	Iowa St.	11	696	63.27
4.	Kansas	12	762	63.50
5.	BYU	11	718	65.27
6.	Cincinnati	11	721	65.55
7.	TCU	10	668	66.80
8.	Arizona	10	674	67.40
9.	UCF	10	739	73.90
10.	Texas Tech	11	813	73.91
11.	Arizona St.	12	900	75.00
12.	Colorado	11	843	76.64
13.	Kansas St.	11	848	77.09
14.	Oklahoma St.	10	773	77.30
15.	Utah	11	869	79.00
16.	Baylor	9	715	79.44

Team Summaries

Team	G	PF-PA	Avg score	Margin	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	RebF	RebA	Margin
Arizona	10	900-674	90.0-67.4	+22.60	325-617	.527	64-168	.381	186-255	.729	428	297	+13.10
Arizona St.	12	965-900	80.4-75.0	+5.42	319-685	.466	100-271	.369	227-307	.739	400	409	-0.75
BYU	11	942-718	85.6-65.3	+20.36	338-686	.493	98-268	.366	168-223	.753	439	373	+6.00
Baylor	9	799-715	88.8-79.4	+9.33	277-580	.478	76-215	.353	169-227	.744	351	296	+6.11
Cincinnati	11	831-721	75.5-65.5	+10.00	286-674	.424	100-328	.305	159-252	.631	441	399	+3.82
Colorado	11	968-843	88.0-76.6	+11.36	337-655	.515	79-199	.397	215-289	.744	410	339	+6.45
Houston	11	860-635	78.2-57.7	+20.45	316-700	.451	102-297	.343	126-168	.750	433	372	+5.55
Iowa St.	11	995-696	90.5-63.3	+27.18	365-686	.532	101-248	.407	164-233	.704	389	334	+5.00
Kansas	12	896-762	74.7-63.5	+11.17	315-688	.458	90-263	.342	176-237	.743	480	424	+4.67
Kansas St.	11	950-848	86.4-77.1	+9.27	337-696	.484	119-294	.405	157-221	.710	407	366	+3.73
Oklahoma St.	10	898-773	89.8-77.3	+12.50	313-644	.486	73-229	.319	199-264	.754	414	351	+6.30
TCU	10	777-668	77.7-66.8	+10.90	270-599	.451	74-228	.325	163-227	.718	349	325	+2.40
Texas Tech	11	920-813	83.6-73.9	+9.73	324-701	.462	121-322	.376	151-226	.668	420	390	+2.73
UCF	10	873-739	87.3-73.9	+13.40	314-636	.494	82-215	.381	163-216	.755	406	304	+10.20
Utah	11	888-869	80.7-79.0	+1.73	300-649	.462	96-270	.356	192-259	.741	402	400	+0.18
West Virginia	12	904-731	75.3-60.9	+14.42	303-676	.448	99-282	.351	199-291	.684	448	388	+5.00

■ BIG WINS AT BRAMLAGE COLISEUM

Most memorable wins since the arena's opening in 1988.

Nov. 26, 1988 - K-State 81, Purdue 77
First-ever game in Bramlage Coliseum

First Points Scored by a Wildcat
Steve Henson, 3-pointer vs. Purdue (18:53 of first half)

Jan. 14, 1989 - No. 16 Kansas 75, K-State 74
The first overtime game in Bramlage Coliseum

Mar. 1, 1989 - K-State 76, No. 7 Missouri 75
The first Top 25 win at Bramlage Coliseum

Jan. 16, 1990 - K-State 66, No. 3 Oklahoma 51
The first Top 5 win at Bramlage Coliseum

Feb. 8, 1990 - K-State 65, No. 1 Missouri 58
The first win over a No. 1 team at Bramlage Coliseum

Dec. 8, 1992 - K-State 73, Ohio 72
The first overtime win at Bramlage Coliseum

Jan. 5, 1993 - K-State 79, La Salle 59
The 50th win at Bramlage Coliseum

March 17, 1994 - K-State 78, Mississippi State 67
The first postseason win at Bramlage Coliseum

March 24, 1994 - K-State 115, Fresno State 77
Askia Jones scores a school-record 62 points

Nov. 22, 1997 - K-State 89, Long Beach State 50
The 100th win at Bramlage Coliseum

Dec. 23, 2000 - K-State 86, No. 19 Iowa 78
K-State ends 8-game losing streak vs. Top 25 teams

Feb. 12, 2002 - K-State 69, Texas A&M 38
The 150th win at Bramlage Coliseum

Feb. 8, 2006 - K-State 66, Iowa State 63
The 200th win at Bramlage Coliseum

Jan. 7, 2008 - K-State 85, Savannah State 25
The fewest points allowed at Bramlage Coliseum

Jan. 30, 2008 - No. 22 K-State 84, No. 2 Kansas 75
The first win over Kansas at Bramlage Coliseum

Dec. 8, 2009 - K-State 71, Xavier 56
The 250th win at Bramlage Coliseum

Jan. 18, 2010 - K-State 71, No. 1 Texas 62
The second win over a No. 1 team at Bramlage Coliseum

Feb. 14, 2011 - K-State 84, No. 1 Kansas 68
The third wn over a No. 1 team at Bramlage Coliseum

Feb. 25, 2013 - No. 13 K-State 75, Texas Tech 55
The 300th win at Bramlage Coliseum

Feb. 6, 2016 - K-State 80, No. 1 Oklahoma 69
The fourth win over a No. 1 team at Bramlage Coliseum

Jan. 21, 2017 - K-State 79, No. 7 West Virginia 75
The 350th win at Bramlage Coliseum

March 9, 2019 - No. 18 K-State 68, Oklahoma 53
K-State clinches a share of the Big 12 title

Jan. 15, 2022 - K-State 62, No. 19 Texas Tech 51
The 400th win at Bramlage Coliseum

Nov. 7, 2022 - K-State 93, UTRGV 59
Jerome Tang's first win at Bramlage Coliseum

Jan. 17, 2023 - No. 13 K-State 83, No. 2 Kansas 82 [OT]
The first OT win over Kansas at Bramlage Coliseum

Dec. 1, 2024 - K-State 120, UAPB 73
The most K-State points scored at Bramlage Coliseum

Nov. 13, 2025 - K-State 99, California 96
The most combined points in Bramlage Coliseum history

Dec. 6, 2025 - Seton Hall 78, K-State 67
The loss was the 600th game at Bramlage Coliseum

BRAMLAGE COLISEUM

38th season [1988-present]

Now in its 38th season of hosting Wildcat men's basketball, the **Fred Bramlage Coliseum** has carved its own niche in K-State's colorful history of basketball homes. In keeping with the tradition established by Nichols Gymnasium (1910-50) and Ahearn Field House (1950-88), the arena has given the team a deafening, winning environment since its opening in 1988.

Dubbed the "Octogon of Doom," K-State has posted a 446-155 (.743) all-time mark in its current home, including an emotional 81-77 win over Purdue (led by alumnus **Gene Keady**) in the facility's debut on Nov. 26, 1988. The 445 victories are the most at a home venue for the Wildcats, surpassing the previous mark of 378 wins at Ahearn Field House (1950-88).

K-State has earned double-digit victories in 29 of its 37 seasons at Bramlage Coliseum, including a streak of 18 consecutive seasons from 2001-19. Three times Wildcat teams have set the single-season mark with 16 wins in the arena, which came in the 2008-09, 2010-11 and 2012-13 seasons. The 2010-11 team set the high mark for highest winning percentage (16-1; .941) in a single season, which was then matched by the 2012-13 squad. The team recorded a 15-1 mark at home in 2022-23, which tied for the fewest losses in arena history.

K-State's home court advantage has been even better since the 2001-02 season, as the Wildcats have compiled a 307-98 (.759) record at Bramlage Coliseum, which includes a 177-21 (.901) mark in non-conference play. Among those 307 victories are 130 in Big 12 play, including 42 against ranked conference foes. In the last 24 seasons, the school has posted double-digit wins 21 times with an average of just over 12 home wins (12.7) per season.

Wins over Top 25 teams have also been a regular occurrence at Bramlage Coliseum since its opening with 54 ranked opponents falling to K-State, including 23 Top 10 opponents. Four No. 1 teams have been defeated during the arena's history, including No. 1 Missouri in 1990, No. 1 Texas in 2010, No. 1 Kansas in 2011 and No. 1 Oklahoma in 2016. The Wildcats have beaten at least one Top 25 opponent at Bramlage Coliseum every season since 2009-10.

The three Top 10 wins (No. 9 Baylor, No. 4 Kansas and No. 6 Iowa State) at Bramlage Coliseum in 2024 were a first in the arena's history. It surpassed the mark of two Top 10 wins set four times (1989-90, 2007-08, 2013-14, 2022-23).

In addition to wins, Bramlage Coliseum has also played host to some of the biggest crowds in the history of K-State basketball. The Wildcats have averaged better than 12,000 fans in 10 seasons since the doors to the arena opened in 1988-89, including a program-best 12,978 fans during that inaugural season.

Nine of the school's Top 10 attendance averages have come since 2006-07.

K-State has ranked among the NCAA's Top 40 nationally in attendance 13 times in the last 19 seasons, including a program-best 24th in 2012-13 (12,528) and 25th in both 2007-08 (12,529) and 2011-12 (12,783). In addition, the program has been rated 26th in 2006-07 (12,301), 2010-11 (12,652) and 2014-15 (12,549), 29th in 2013-14 (12,125) and 2016-17, 31st in 2009-10 (11,884), 32nd (11,903) in 2015-16 and 35th in 2018-19 (10,640).

K-State was one of 22 schools nationally and one of four Big 12 schools (Arizona, Iowa State and Texas Tech) to have both its men's and women's programs finish in the Top 40 nationally in average attendance in 2023-24, as the Wildcats finished 19th in women's basketball attendance with an average of 5,531 fans. The Wildcat women hosted NCAA First/Second Round action for the first time since 2017, selling out the arena for their Second Round matchup with Colorado.

Seating changes and construction has reduced capacity over the years to its current total of 11,010 for the 2025-26 season. The Wildcats sold out eight games and ranked 23rd nationally in percentage capacity at 87.57% as well as 39th in average (9,596) and total attendance (163,135) in 2022-23.

■ QUICK FACTS

Opened: Nov. 26, 1988
Groundbreaking: Oct. 18, 1986
Capacity: 11,010
Original cost: $17.2 million
Building: The coliseum is named for the late 1935 K-State graduate and Junction City (Kan.) businessman **Fred Bramlage**, who made the principle contribution.
All-Time Record: 446-155 (.743)
Conference Record: 180-123 (.594)
Big 12 Record: 149-98 (.603)
Record vs. Top 25: 54-75 (.419)
Record vs. Ranked Big 12: 50-72 (.410)
Record under Tang: 44-11 (.811)

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Four No. 1 teams have gone down at Bramlage, including No. 1 Missouri in 1990, No. 1 Texas in 2010, No. 1 Kansas in 2011 and No. 1 Oklahoma in 2016.

44-11

K-State is 44-11 at Bramlage Coliseum under **Jerome Tang**, including 21-7 in Big 12 play. Tang is 13-4 at home vs. AP Top 25 opponents, including 4-2 in 2024-25.

54

K-State has defeated 54 ranked teams in the history of Bramlage Coliseum, including 51 ranked Big 12 foes.

307-98

K-State has tallied a 307-98 record at home since 2001-02, including 130 wins in Big 12 play. The 307 wins rank fourth among all Big 12 schools.

446

K-State has posted a 446-155 all-time record at Bramlage Coliseum since its opening in 1988-89. The 446 wins are the most at a home venue for the Wildcats.

JEROME TANG

HEAD COACH

Charter Oak State '07

Fourth Season at K-State [68-46]

33rd Season Overall | 23rd Season in College

2023
COACH OF THE YEAR

Jerome Tang, who was selected as the 2023 Werner Ladder Naismith Men's College Coach of the Year after guiding the Wildcats to a 26-win season and its 13th trip to the Elite Eight in his inaugural season, is set to start his fourth season as the 25th head men's basketball coach at K-State in 2025-26.

With his relentless passion, energy and positivity, Tang has re-energized a K-State program which had endured three consecutive losing seasons before his arrival in 2022-23. In his first 3 seasons, he has led the Wildcats to a 61-42 (.592) record, including 28 wins in Big 12 play, with consecutive postseason appearances (2023 NCAA Tournament, 2024 NIT) highlighted by the run to the Elite Eight. He is one of just 4 head coaches (**Lon Kruger**, **Frank Martin** and **Bruce Weber**) to help the Wildcats to the postseason in their first 2 seasons.

Among his 68 wins at K-State are 16 against teams ranked in the Top 25, including 7 Top 10 opponents. The 16 career Top 25 wins tie **Tex Winter** (1954-68) for the fourth-most in school history, while the 7 against Top 10 competition are also fourth all-time. Thirteen of the 16 ranked wins have come in the friendly confines of Bramlage Coliseum, where Tang is 44-11 (.811) overall, including 21-7 (.750) in Big 12 play and 13-4 (.765) against ranked foes. The 13 career home Top 25 wins are the second-most by a head coach in school history.

In addition to the wins over ranked teams, Tang's teams have also proved to be clutch in his short tenure, posting a 13-1 mark in overtime games, including an NCAA single-season record 7 such wins in 2023-24. The 12-game winning streak in overtime games was the second-longest such streak in Division I history since 1950 and the second-longest streak behind Florida State (14; 2018-present) and right ahead of Winthrop (10; 2017-present). Including his time as interim head coach at Baylor, Tang is now 13-1 in overtime games.

Tang has helped reestablish the "Octagon of Doom" as one of the toughest places to play in college basketball, as the Wildcats have played before nine sellouts while posting a 43-11 record at home with 13 wins over Top 25 foes, including a pair of top-5 wins over archrival Kansas, two over top-10 Baylor and No. 6/6 Iowa State. The 15 home wins in 2022-23 were the most in nearly a decade (2014-15) and tied for the second-most in the arena's 35-year history.

During a roller coaster 2024-25 season that included a 6-game losing streak followed by a 6-game winning streak in Big 12 play, K-State could not overcome a disappointing non-conference season, as the Wildcats finished with a 16-17 overall record, including a tie for ninth place with TCU in the new-look 16-team Big 12 with a 9-11 mark. Among the 16 wins were 10 over teams that advanced to the postseason (3 NCAA Tournament, 1 NIT and 6 College Basketball Crown), including ranked wins over No. 3/3 Iowa State, No. 13/13 Arizona, No. 16/17 Cincinnati, No. 16/17 Kansas and No. 23/23 West Virginia.

Despite losing a pair of All-Americans in **Keyontae Johnson** and **Markquis Nowell** as well as a third starter in **Nae'Qwan Tomlin** right before the season, Tang kept the Wildcats in the NCAA Tournament conversation until the very end of the 2023-24 season before receiving a bid to the NIT, where they lost in the first round at Iowa. The team posted a 19-15 record, which included a tie for ninth with Oklahoma in the new 14-team Big 12 with an 8-10 mark. Among the 19 wins were 10 over teams that advanced to the postseason, including No. 9/9 Baylor, No. 4/4 Kansas, No. 25/21 BYU and No. 6/6 Iowa State.

The victories over the Bears and Jayhawks came in overtime, as the Wildcats set a new Division I single-season record with 7 overtime wins, breaking the mark of 6 set by Wake Forest (1983-84), Chattanooga (1988-89) and Lafayette (2007-08). The 7 overtime wins also broke the school record of 5, set in 1992-93 and 2022-23, while it is the most overtime games in school history (5 total set in 1992-93 and 2022-23). The 6 overtime home wins are also a Division I record.

Armed with just two returning players, the Wildcats posted a 26-10 overall record in Tang's inaugural season, which included a tie for third place in the nation's most difficult conference – the Big 12 – with an 11-7 mark and the school's 13th appearance in the Elite Eight and the first since 2017-18. The 26 wins are the third-most in school history, trailing the school-record 29 in 2009-10 and the 27 in 2012-13, and just the eighth 25-win campaign. His 26 wins are the second-most by a first-year head coach in school history.

During the team's historic season, Tang coached a pair of All-Americans in 2023 Bob Cousy Award winner **Markquis Nowell** and forward **Keyontae Johnson**, who became the first duo in school history to each earn the recognition from The Associated Press when they were selected to the Third Team. Both players were named to the All-Big 12 First Team, while Johnson was the league's Newcomer of the Year. Nowell was selected as the winner of Cousy Award as the nation's top point guard by the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame after he finished second nationally in assists/game (8.3 apg.), total assists (297) and total steals (92) while ranking in the top-15 in four others. He was chosen the East Regional Most Outstanding Player after guiding the Wildcats to the Elite Eight, averaging 23.5 points, 13.5 assists and 4.0 steals in his 4-game NCAA Tournament run, which included a tournament and school-record 19-assist performance in the win over Michigan State on March 23. Nowell was also named a Third Team All-American by *The Sporting News*, NABC and U.S. Basketball Writers Association.

Tang arrived at K-State on March 21, 2022 after a 19-year stint at Baylor (2003-22), where as an original member of **Scott Drew's** staff played an instrumental role in building the Bears' program from one rocked by scandal and NCAA probation into one of the nation's top programs highlighted by the 2021 NCAA Championship. He helped Baylor win 397 games, including 168 in Big 12 play, to go with 13 postseason appearances (10 NCAA Tournaments, 3 NITs).

JEROME TANG FILE

Experience	33rd year [Fourth at K-State]
Date Hired	March 21, 2022
Birthdate	October 7
Hometown	San Fernando, Trinidad [West Indies]
Wife	Careylyen [Rey]
Children	Son Seven, Daughter Aylyn Adopted sons Lamar & Richard Hurd

EDUCATION

- Charter Oak State College '07 [B.S., Emphasis in Leadership]

COACHING EXPERIENCE

- Heritage Christian Academy [Texas], Head Coach [1993-2003]
- Baylor, Assistant Coach [2003-17]
- Baylor, Associate Head Coach [2017-22]
- K-State, Head Coach [2022-present]

COACHING HONORS

- 1995 TAPPS Division A State Champion
- 1999 TAPPS Division A State Champion
- 2000 TAPPS Division A State Champion
- 2001 TAPPS Division A State Champion
- 2022 Texas Association of Basketball Coaches (TABC) Division I Men's Assistant Coach of the Year
- 2023 Big 12 Coach of the Year [league coaches/AP]
- 2023 NABC | USBWA District Coach of the Year
- 2023 Werner Ladder Naismith Men's Coach of the Year
- 2023 *College Hoops Today* National Coach of the Year
- 2023 Ben Jobe National Coach of the Year [finalist]
- 2023 Jim Phelan National Coach of the Year [finalist]
- 2023 Joe B. Hall National Coach of the Year [finalist]
- 2025 Jim Haney Master Coach Award [Nations of Coaches]

YEAR-BY-YEAR AS A HEAD COACH

Year	School	Record (Conf.)	Postseason
2022-23	K-State	26-10 (11-7/t-3rd)	NCAA Elite Eight
2023-24	K-State	19-15 (8-10)	NIT First Rd.
2024-25	K-State	16-17 (9-11)	—
2025-26	K-State	7-4 (0-0)	
Totals (4 years)		**68-46 (28-28)**	

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Record in Overtime Games

BY THE NUMBER

- 2021 NCAA Champions
- 2013 NIT Champions
- 2021, 2022 Big 12 Regular-Season Champions
- NCAA Tournaments [11 Appearances]
[2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023]
- NCAA Final Four [2021]
- NCAA Elite Eight [2010, 2012, 2021, 2023]
- NCAA Sweet 16 [2010, 2012, 2014, 2017, 2021, 2023]
- 13 All-Americans [2 Consensus]
- 64 All-Big 12 Selections [11 on First Team]

RECORD BREAKDOWN

Overall: 70-46 (30-28 Big 12) **only 2013 games count toward official record*
First 4 wins came as an interim head coach at Baylor

- 1/5/13 - Baylor 86, Texas 79 [OT] [Waco, Texas]*
- 1/8/13 - Baylor 82, at Texas Tech 48 [Lubbock, Texas]*
- 11/28/20 - Baylor 112, Louisiana 82 [Las Vegas, Nev.]
- 11/29/20 - Baylor 86, Washington 52 [Las Vegas, Nev.]

ASSISTANT COACHES

MATTHEW DRISCOLL
Associate Head Coach
1st Season

▶ Joined the K-State staff on May 23, 2025 after a 16-year stint as the head coach at North Florida (2009-25), where he became the school's all-time winningest coach (248).

▶ Driscoll's relationship with Tang dates more than 20 years, as the two coached alongside each other for 6 seasons (2003-09) at Baylor.

JAREEM DOWLING
Assistant Coach
4th Season

▶ Was the first announced member of head coach **Jerome Tang's** inaugural coaching staff on March 29, 2022.

▶ Helps run a defensive scheme that has ranked among *KenPom's* top-40 in adjusted defensive efficiency, including 27th (95.0) in 2022-23, 25th (96.8) in 2023-24 and 36th (97.2) in 2024-25.

RODNEY PERRY
Assistant Coach
4th Season

▶ Joined the K-State staff on July 27, 2022 as a original member of **Jerome Tang's** coaching staff, primarily focusing on offense.

▶ A finalist for the 2022 *Jersey Mike's* Naismith High School Boys Coach of the Year, Perry came to K-State from Link Academy in Branson, Mo., where he the Lions to a national runner-up finish.

ANTHONY WINCHESTER
Assistant Coach
4th Season

▶ Is in the midst of his fourth season at K-State, including his third as an assistant coach after beginning his career as the program's Director of Video Operations in 2022-23.

▶ Enjoyed a Hall of Fame career at WKU from 2002-06, scoring 1,732 points and becoming an AP All-American as a senior in 2005-06.

BILL PETERSON
Assistant Coach
1st Season

▶ Joined the K-State staff on April 29, 2025 with experience at virtually every level of college and professional coaching, including time in the NBA with Golden State, Dallas and Milwaukee.

▶ Peterson previously coached along **Jerome Tang** while at Baylor from 2017-22 where they helped guide the Bears to 2021 national title.

MARCO BORNE
Chief of Staff
4th Season

▶ Joined the K-State staff on March 29, 2022 as the program's Chief of Staff, where he assists **Jerome Tang** in all areas.

▶ A native of New Orleans, Borne has been a head coach at Paul Quinn College (2009-11) and as interim head coach at Southern-New Orleans in 2006-07 after Hurricane Katarina.

HIGHS/LOWS OF THE JEROME TANG ERA [2023-present]

Individual

Category	Kansas State	Opponent
Points	37 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)	38 - Jalen Wilson, Kansas (1/17/23)
Points in a Half	27 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)	22 - Payton Sandfort, Iowa (3/19/24)
Field Goals Made	13 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)	12 - Jalen Wilson, Kansas (1/17/23) 12 - Hunter Dickinson, Kansas (1/18/25)
Field Goals Attempted	22 - Cam Carter vs. Miami (11/19/23) 22 - Dug McDaniel vs. Arizona (2/11/25)	25 - Jalen Wilson, Kansas (1/17/23)
Highest FG Percentage (min. 5 made)	100.0 (9-of-9) - Keyontae Johnson at Butler (11/30/22) 100.0 (9-of-9) - David N'Guessan vs. Abilene Christian (12/6/22) 100.0 (5-of-5) - Will McNair Jr. at West Virginia (1/9/24) 100.0 (6-of-6) - David N'Guessan vs. Cleveland State (11/9/24) 100.0 (8-of-8) - Khamari McGriff vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) 100.0 (7-of-7) - David Castillo vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	100.0 (6-of-6) - Dillon Mitchell, Texas (3/13/24) 100.0 (5-of-5) - Daimion Collins, LSU (11/14/24) 100.0 (6-of-6) - Sam Hoiberg, Nebraska (11/21/25)
Highest FG Percentage (min. 10 made)	78.6 (11-of-14) - P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	73.3 (11-of-15) - Abou Ousmane, Oklahoma State (1/7/25)
3-Point Field Goals Made	7 - Abdi Bashir Jr. vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)	8 - Mitch Mascari, Drake (12/17/24)
3-Point Field Goals Attempted	15 - Abdi Bashir Jr. vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)	14 - Erik Stevenson, West Virginia (3/4/23) 14 - Pryce Sandfort, Nebraska (11/21/25)
3-Point Field Goal Percentage (min. 3 made)	100.0 (5-of-5) - Brendan Hausen vs. Oklahoma State (1/29/25) 100.0 (5-of-5) - David Castillo vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	80.0 (4-of-5) - Nicolas Timberlake, Kansas (3/5/24) 80.0 (8-of-10) - Mitch Mascari, Drake (12/17/24)
Free Throws	14 - Tylor Perry vs. Providence (11/17/23)	14 - Kedrian Johnson, West Virginia (3/4/23)
Free Throws Attempted	14 - Tylor Perry vs. Providence (11/17/23)	16 - Keyonte George, Baylor (1/7/23)
Free Throw Percentage (min. 5 made)	100.0 (14-of-14) - Tylor Perry vs. Providence (11/17/23)	100.0 - 14 times
Offensive Rebounds	10 - David N'Guessan vs. New Orleans (11/5/24)	11 - Juwan Gary, Nebraska (12/17/23)
Defensive Rebounds	13 - Arthur Kaluma vs. Chicago State (1/2/24)	14 - Hunter Dickinson, Kansas (3/5/24)
Total Rebounds	17 - David N'Guessan at TCU (1/4/25)	20 - Hunter Dickinson, Kansas (3/5/24)
Assists	$19 - Markquis Nowell vs. Michigan State (3/23/23)	11 - Mike Miles Jr., TCU (1/14/23) 11 - Dajuan Harri Jr., Kansas (1/17/23) 11 - Jacari Lane, North Alabama (12/2/23)
Blocks	5 - Nae'Qwan Tomlin vs. Rhode Island (11/21/22) 5 - Will McNair Jr. at Texas Tech (1/13/24) 5 - Coleman Hawkins vs. Kansas (2/8/25) 5 - Dorin Buca vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	8 - Moustapha Thiam, UCF (2/26/25)
Steals	7 - Markquis Nowell vs. West Virginia (12/31/22)	6 - Micah Peavy, TCU (2/7/23) 6 - Kedrian Johnson, West Virginia (3/4/23) 6 - Charlie Easley, South Dakota State (11/13/23) 6 - Keshon Gilbert, Iowa State (3/14/24)
Minutes Played	45 - Keyontae Johnson vs. Michigan State (3/23/23) 45 - Tylor Perry vs. Kansas (2/5/24)	45 - Jalen Wilson, Kansas (1/17/23) 45 - Isaac McBride, Oral Roberts (11/29/23) 45 - Kareem Thompson, Oral Roberts (11/29/23) 45 - Daniel Abreu, Drake (12/17/24) 45 - Bennett Stirtz, Drake (12/17/24)

Team

K-State High	K-State Low	Category	Opponent High	Opponent Low
$120 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	46 vs. Nebraska (12/17/23)	**Points Scored**	103 by Texas (1/3/23)	49 twice
40 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	16 twice	**Field Goals**	35 twice	16 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
75 vs. Central Arkansas (11/22/23)	45 vs. Cleveland State (11/9/24)	**Field Goals Attempted**	77 by West Virginia (2/26/24)	47 by California (11/11/22)
64.4 vs. California (11/13/25)	26.7 vs. Nebraska (12/17/23)	**FG Percentage**	57.1 by Iowa State (1/24/23)	25.8 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
21 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	1 twice	**3-Point Field Goals Made**	15 by California (11/13/25)	1 by Iowa State (3/14/24)
$40 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	12 vs. Abilene Christian (12/6/22)	**3-Point Field Goals Attempted**	37 by Arizona State (2/4/25)	10 by Wichita State (12/21/24)
60.9 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	5.3 vs. Arizona (2/11/25)	**3-Point Field Goal Percentage**	56.3 by Drake (12/17/24)	7.1 by Iowa State (3/14/24)
34 vs. North Alabama (12/2/23)	2 twice	**Free Throws**	29 by Baylor (1/7/23)	1 by Nebraska (12/17/23)
48 vs. North Alabama (12/2/23)	3 at Butler (11/30/22)	**Free Throws Attempted**	39 twice	4 by Nebraska (12/17/23)
100.0 vs. Villanova (12/5/23)	40.0 twice	**Free Throw Percentage**	100.0 by Mississippi Valley State (11/19/24)	25.0 by Nebraska (12/17/23)
29 at TCU (1/4/25)	2 twice	**Offensive Rebounds**	23 twice	3 by Iowa State (3/8/25)
38 vs. Florida (1/28/23)	14 at Iowa State (1/24/23)	**Defensive Rebounds**	36 by St. John's (12/7/24)	11 by Bellarmine (11/8/25)
63 vs. Central Arkansas (11/22/23)	20 twice	**Total Rebounds**	57 by Nebraska (12/17/23)	22 4 times
27 twice	8 vs. Cincinnati (12/30/24)	**Fouls**	28 by North Alabama (12/2/23)	8 by TCU (1/14/23)
2 twice	0 95 times	**Fouled Out**	3 4 times	0 85 times
30 twice	6 at BYU (2/15/25)	**Assists**	22 twice	5 by Wichita State (12/3/22)
23 at Texas Tech (2/11/23)	5 twice	**Turnovers**	26 by UTRGV (11/7/22)	4 by Baylor (1/22/25)
9 twice	0 8 times	**Blocks**	9 by Kansas (1/31/23)	0 5 times
16 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	1 vs. Texas (3/13/24)	**Steals**	15 by TCU (1/14/23)	1 by Kansas (1/18/25)
56 twice	18 6 times	**Points in Paint**	54 by TCU (1/14/23)	10 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
32 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	4 3 times	**Points off Turnovers**	31 by Oklahoma State (1/7/25)	2 twice
$34 vs. Central Arkansas (11/22/23)	0 twice	**2nd Chance Points**	25 by TCU (3/9/23)	0 by UIW (12/11/22)
27 twice	0 vs. TCU (3/9/23)	**Fast Break Points**	32 by TCU (1/14/23)	0 twice
$68 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	2 twice	**Bench Points**	42 by BYU (2/24/24)	2 by Kansas (2/5/24)
63 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)	19 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)	**Points/1st Half**	56 by Houston (1/11/25)	16 by Florida (1/28/23)
67.6 vs. California (11/13/25)	23.1 twice	**FG Percentage/1st Half**	62.5 by Oral Roberts (11/28/23)	17.9 by Central Arkansas (11/22/23)
60 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)	12 vs. Nebraska (12/17/23)	**Points/2nd Half**	63 by Texas (1/3/23)	18 twice
70.4 vs. Oklahoma (3/1/23)	16.0 vs. Nebraska (12/17/23)	**FG Percentage/2nd Half**	68.2 by Kansas (1/18/25)	21.9 by Iowa State (2/18/23)
16 5 times	9 vs. Villanova (12/5/23)	**Points/Overtime**	13 by Providence (11/17/23)	6 twice
83.3 vs. Nevada (11/22/22)	33.3 vs. Kansas (1/17/23)	**FG Percentage/Overtime**	50.0 3 times	20.0 by West Virginia (2/26/24)

$School record

2025-26 RESULTS

Overall Record: 7-4 (Home: 5-2 // Away: 1-1 // Neutral: 1-1)

Big 12 Record: 0-0 (Home: 0-0 // Away: 0-0)

Date	Rk	Opponent	W/L	Score	Record [Big 12]	High Scorer	High Rebounds	High Assists	High Steals	High Blocks	Attend.
Oct. 24	rv/rv	1@rv/rv Missouri	L	91-100	—	Haggerty (23)	Two players (6)	Haggerty (6)	Haggerty (2)	Two players (1)	—
Oct. 29	**rv/rv**	**2NEWMAN**	**W**	**112-90**	**—**	**Haggerty (27)**	**Ikegwuruka (6)**	**Haggerty (10)**	**Rapieque (5)**	**Three players (2)**	**6,901**
Nov. 5	**rv/rv**	**UNC GREENSBORO**	**W**	**93-64**	**1-0**	**Haggerty (27)**	**N. Johnson (9)**	**N. Johnson (9)**	**Rapieque (3)**	**Two players (2)**	**7,765**
Nov. 8	**rv/rv**	**BELLARMINE**	**W**	**98-71**	**2-0**	**Haggerty (23)**	**N. Johnson (7)**	**Haggerty (11)**	**Two players (2)**	**Two players (1)**	**8,040**
Nov. 13	**rv/rv**	**CALIFORNIA**	**W**	**99-96**	**3-0**	**Haggerty (23)**	**Castillo (4)**	**Haggerty (6)**	**Two players (2)**	**Buca (4)**	**7,521**
Nov. 17	**rv/—**	**TULSA**	**W**	**84-83**	**4-0**	**Haggerty (31)**	**Haggerty (10)**	**N. Johnson (4)**	**Haggerty (2)**	**Two players (1)**	**7,123**
Nov. 20	rv/—	3vs. Mississippi State	W	98-77	5-0	Haggerty (37)	Haggerty (7)	Haggerty (8)	Two players (2)	Four players (1)	5,278
Nov. 21	rv/—	3vs. Nebraska	L	85-86	5-1	Haggerty (27)	Haggerty (6)	Haggerty (7)	Five players (1)	McGriff (2)	6,743
Nov. 25	—/—	@25/24 Indiana	L	69-86	5-2	Haggerty (16)	Two players (5)	Three players (2)	Three players (2)	Two players (1)	12,342
Dec. 1	**—/—**	**BOWLING GREEN**	**L**	**66-82**	**5-3**	**Castillo (22)**	**Ikegwuruka (7)**	**Three players (2)**	**N. Johnson (2)**	**McGriff (3)**	**6,917**
Dec. 6	**—/—**	**rv/— SETON HALL**	**L**	**67-78**	**5-4**	**McGriff (12)**	**McGriff (8)**	**Haggerty (6)**	**Haggerty (3)**	**Two players (3)**	**9,195**
Dec. 8	**—/—**	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	**W**	**108-49**	**6-4**	**Haggerty (28)**	**Two players (6)**	**N. Johnson (6)**	**N. Johnson (5)**	**Buca (5)**	**6,682**
Dec. 13	—/—	@Creighton	W	83-76	7-4	Castillo (19)	Two players (6)	N. Johnson (6)	N. Johnson (4)	McGriff (2)	16,657
Dec. 20	**—/—**	**SOUTH DAKOTA**									
Dec. 28	**—/—**	**ULM**									
Jan. 3	**—/—**	**BYU***									
Jan. 7	—/—	@Arizona*									
Jan. 10	—/—	@Arizona State*									
Jan. 14	**—/—**	**UCF***									
Jan. 17	—/—	@Oklahoma State*									
Jan. 20	**—/—**	**UTAH***									
Jan. 24	**—/—**	**KANSAS***									
Jan. 27	—/—	@West Virginia*									
Feb. 1	**—/—**	**IOWA STATE***									
Feb. 7	—/—	@TCU*									
Feb. 11	**—/—**	**CINCINNATI***									
Feb. 14	—/—	@Houston*									
Feb. 17	**—/—**	**BAYLOR***									
Feb. 21	—/—	@Texas Tech*									
Feb. 25	—/—	@Colorado*									
Feb. 28	**—/—**	**TCU***									
Mar. 3	**—/—**	**WEST VIRGINIA***									
Mar. 7	—/—	@Kansas*									
Mar. 10-14	—/—	4vs. TBD									

1 – Exhibition *(Mizzou Arena, Columbia, Mo.)*
2 – Exhibition *(Bramlage Coliseum, Manhattan, Kan.)*
3 – Hall of Fame Classic *(T-Mobile Center; Kansas City, Mo.)*
4 – Phillips 66 Big 12 Conference Tournament *(T-Mobile Center; Kansas City, Mo.)*
* – Big 12 Conference game

Attendance / Record Summary

▸ Overall

Site	G	W-L	Total	Avg.	High
Home	7	5-2	53,243	7,606	9,195 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Away	2	1-1	28,999	14,500	16,657 at Creighton (12/13/25)
Neutral	2	1-1	12,021	6,011	6,743 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Total	11	7-4	94,263	8,569	16,657 at Creighton (12/13/25)

▸ Big 12

Site	G	W-L	Total	Avg.	High
Home	—	—	—	—	—
Away	—	—	—	—	—
Neutral	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	—	—	—	—

Win/Loss Margin

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20-24	25+
Wins (7)	1		1				1													1	3
Losses (4)	1										1					1	1				

Largest Leads / Deficits

▸ When Leading

Largest Margin of Victory	59 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
Largest Overall Lead	61 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
Largest Halftime Lead	34 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
Largest Lead in a Loss	5 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Largest Halftime Lead in a Loss	—
Largest K-State Run	15-0 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)

▸ When Trailing

Largest Margin of Defeat	17 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Largest Overall Deficit	23 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Largest Halftime Deficit	14 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Largest Deficit Overcome in a Win	10 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Largest Halftime Deficit in a Win	1 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Largest Opponent Run	15-0 by Nebraska (11/21/25)

2025-26 SEASON BOX SCORE

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	7-4	5-2	1-1	1-1
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	7-4	5-2	1-1	1-1

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Kansas St.	449	501	0	950
Opponents	390	458	0	848

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
4	HAGGERTY, PJ	11-11	362:28	33.0	87-175	.497	15-38	.395	61-84	.726	12	40	52	4.7	28	0	52	42	1	11	250	22.7
10	CASTILLO, David	11-2	258:18	23.5	51-104	.490	25-59	.424	21-26	.808	6	17	23	2.1	16	0	25	14	1	4	148	13.5
1	BASHIR JR., Abdi	11-11	258:32	23.5	47-111	.423	41-88	.466	6-10	.600	1	21	22	2.0	12	0	24	11	0	6	141	12.8
34	JOHNSON, Nate	11-11	345:37	31.4	49-99	.495	21-51	.412	13-16	.813	11	49	60	5.5	26	0	43	21	2	22	132	12.0
21	MCGRIFF, Khamari	11-11	219:51	20.0	44-58	.759	1-2	.500	24-34	.706	21	27	48	4.4	33	1	11	9	13	6	113	10.3
47	KOSTIC, Andrej	8-0	84:10	10.5	11-32	.344	6-20	.300	4-5	.800	9	8	17	2.1	7	0	9	7	1	2	32	4.0
0	RAPIEQUE, Elias	11-8	190:55	17.4	16-37	.432	4-11	.364	5-13	.385	15	18	33	3.0	35	1	18	10	4	11	41	3.7
3	JONES, CJ	11-0	179:45	16.3	13-37	.351	5-16	.313	8-10	.800	4	23	27	2.5	11	0	13	8	0	4	39	3.5
22	BUCA, Dorin	10-0	105:07	10.5	7-17	.412	0-2	.000	10-15	.667	12	19	31	3.1	13	0	7	10	17	0	24	2.4
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi	8-1	105:42	13.2	5-9	.556	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	7	12	19	2.4	19	0	4	5	4	4	13	1.6
15	MANNING, Taj	9-0	66:23	7.4	5-11	.455	0-4	.000	2-2	1.000	9	16	25	2.8	2	0	1	1	2	2	12	1.3
6	JOHNSON, Marcus	3-0	14:23	4.8	1-3	.333	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0	4	4	1.3	3	0	0	1	0	0	3	1.0
23	OSEI, Stephen	3-0	08:49	2.9	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	1	3	1.0	1	0	0	3	0	0	2	0.7
Team											19	24	43					2				
Total		**11**	**2200**		**337-696**	**.484**	**119-294**	**.405**	**157-221**	**.710**	**128**	**279**	**407**	**37.0**	**206**	**2**	**207**	**144**	**45**	**72**	**950**	**86.4**
Opponents		**11**	**2200**		**296-687**	**.431**	**91-287**	**.317**	**165-224**	**.737**	**125**	**241**	**366**	**33.3**	**186**	**3**	**162**	**146**	**37**	**82**	**848**	**77.1**

Team Statistics

	KSTATE	OPP
Scoring	**950**	**848**
Points per game	86.4	77.1
Scoring margin	+9.3	-
Field goals-att	**337-696**	**296-687**
Field goal pct	.484	.431
3 point fg-att	**119-294**	**91-287**
3-point FG pct	.405	.317
3-pt FG made per game	10.8	8.3
Free throws-att	**157-221**	**165-224**
Free throw pct	.710	.737
F-Throws made per game	14.3	15.0
Rebounds	**407**	**366**
Rebounds per game	37.0	33.3
Rebounding margin	+3.7	-
Assists	**207**	**162**
Assists per game	18.8	14.7
Turnovers	**144**	**146**
Turnovers per game	13.1	13.3
Turnover margin	+0.2	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	1.1
Steals	**72**	**82**
Steals per game	6.5	7.5
Blocks	**45**	**37**
Blocks per game	4.1	3.4
Winning streak	**2**	**-**
Home win streak	1	-
Attendance	**53243**	**28999**
Home games-Avg/Game	7-7606	2-14500
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-6011

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/04/2025	UNC Greensboro	W	93-64	7765
11/08/2025	Bellarmine	W	98-71	8040
11/13/2025	California	W	99-96	7521
11/17/2025	Tulsa	W	84-83	7123
11/20/2025	vs Mississippi St.	W	98-77	5278
11/21/2025	vs Nebraska	L	85-86	6743
11/25/2025	at Indiana	L	69-86	12342
12/01/2025	Bowling Green	L	66-82	6917
12/06/2025	Seton Hall	L	67-78	9195
12/08/2025	Mississippi Val.	W	108-49	6682
12/13/2025	at Creighton	W	83-76	16657

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Opponent	W/L	1H	2H	OT	TOT	+/-	FGM-A	Pct.	3FM-A	Pct.	FTM-A	Pct.	OR	DR	TOT	+/-	A	TO	TO Mar	BLK	STL	PF
KANSAS STATE	W	33	60	—	93	+29	34-67	50.7	14-27	51.9	11-20	55.0	11	31	42	+11	22	16	+2	7	9	20
UNC Greensboro		34	30	—	64		23-61	37.7	6-20	30.0	12-20	60.0	10	21	31		15	18		3	11	17
KANSAS STATE	W	46	52	—	98	+27	33-53	62.3	14-23	60.9	18-23	78.3	11	25	36	+14	24	18	-5	3	5	19
Bellarmine		30	41	—	71		28-61	45.9	4-20	20.0	11-17	64.7	11	11	22		11	13		1	12	20
KANSAS STATE	W	55	44	—	99	+3	38-59	64.4	9-18	50.0	14-21	66.7	6	19	25	-1	21	17	0	5	9	17
California		34	62	—	96		35-62	56.5	15-28	53.6	11-14	78.6	9	17	26		21	17		5	11	20
KANSAS STATE	W	39	45	—	84	+1	30-68	44.1	5-24	20.8	19-21	90.5	12	28	40	+2	18	10	-1	2	5	19
Tulsa		34	49	—	83		27-66	40.9	8-30	26.7	21-29	72.4	14	24	38		16	9		1	7	16
KANSAS STATE	W	44	54	—	98	+21	37-73	50.7	14-30	46.7	10-11	90.9	12	26	38	+4	22	8	+6	4	5	19
vs. Mississippi State		36	41	—	77		26-60	43.3	7-25	28.0	18-23	78.3	9	25	34		11	14		5	3	14
KANSAS STATE	L	35	50	—	85	-1	27-62	43.5	12-35	34.3	19-22	86.4	9	23	32	0	19	13	-1	2	5	17
vs. Nebraska		45	41	—	86		33-61	54.1	8-32	25.0	12-20	60.0	8	24	32		16	12		0	6	17
KANSAS STATE	L	27	42	—	69	-17	24-57	42.1	8-20	40.0	13-15	86.7	8	20	28	-7	10	19	-2	2	6	25
@Indiana		39	47	—	86		27-57	47.4	10-33	30.3	22-29	75.9	11	24	35		15	17		4	7	20
KANSAS STATE	L	35	31	—	66	-16	24-61	39.3	6-23	26.1	12-22	54.5	13	19	32	-7	11	6	+2	3	3	18
Bowling Green		49	33	—	82		28-62	45.2	12-26	46.2	14-19	73.7	15	24	39		16	8		2	3	15
KANSAS STATE	L	29	38	—	67	-11	23-62	37.1	6-30	20.0	15-35	42.9	19	28	47	+3	16	16	-4	7	7	22
Seton Hall		35	43	—	78		28-72	38.9	5-23	21.7	17-22	77.3	15	29	44		15	12		5	10	22
KANSAS STATE	W	55	53	—	108	+59	38-66	57.6	19-36	52.8	13-16	81.3	12	33	45	+15	30	14	+5	6	13	15
Mississippi Valley State		21	28	—	49		16-62	25.8	4-18	22.2	13-16	81.3	12	18	30		11	19		4	8	12
KANSAS STATE	W	51	32	—	83	+7	29-68	42.6	12-28	42.9	13-15	86.7	15	27	42	+7	14	7	0	4	5	16
@Creighton		33	43	—	76		25-63	39.7	12-32	37.5	14-15	93.3	11	24	35		15	7		7	4	13
KANSAS STATE South Dakota																						
KANSAS STATE ULM																						
KANSAS STATE BYU																						
KANSAS STATE @Arizona																						
KANSAS STATE @Arizona State																						
KANSAS STATE UCF																						
KANSAS STATE @Oklahoma State																						
KANSAS STATE Utah																						
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KANSAS STATE @West Virginia																						
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KANSAS STATE @TCU																						
KANSAS STATE Cincinnati																						
KANSAS STATE @Houston																						
KANSAS STATE Baylor																						
KANSAS STATE @Texas Tech																						
KANSAS STATE @Colorado																						
KANSAS STATE TCU																						
KANSAS STATE West Virginia																						
KANSAS STATE @Kansas																						
KANSAS STATE vs. TBD																						

2025-26 SUPERLATIVES

Individual

Category	Kansas State	Opponent
Points Scored	37 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (11/21/25)	27 - Chris Bell, California (11/13/25) 27 - Sam Towns, Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Field Goals	13 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (11/21/25)	9 - Michael Wilson Jr., Bellarmine (11/8/25) 9 - Dai Dai Ames, California (11/13/25) 9 - Chris Bell, California (11/13/25) 9 - Sam Towns, Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Field Goals Attempted	21 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (11/21/25) 21 - P.J. Hagerty vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)	23 - Michael James, Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
Highest FG Percentage (min. 5 made)	100.0 (8-of-8) - Khamari McGriff vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) 100.0 (7-of-7) - David Castillo vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	100.0 (6-of-6) - Sam Hoiberg, Nebraska (11/21/25)
Highest FG Percentage (min. 10 made)	78.6 (11-of-14) - P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	43.5 (10-of-23) - Michael James, Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
3-Point Field Goals Made	7 - Abdi Bashir Jr. vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)	7 - Chris Bell, California (11/13/25)
3-Point Field Goals Attempted	15 - Abdi Bashir Jr. vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)	14 - Pryce Sandfort, Nebraska (11/21/25)
3-Point Field Goal Percentage (min. 3 made)	85.7 (6-of-7) - Nate Johnson vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)	77.8 (7-of-9) - Chris Bell, California (11/13/25)
Free Throws	11 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) 11 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)	13 - Reed Bailey, Indiana (11/25/25)
Free Throws Attempted	12 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) 12 - P.J. Haggerty vs. California (11/13/25) 12 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)	15 - Reed Bailey, Indiana (11/25/25)
Free Throw Percentage (min. 5 made)	100.0 (5-of-5) - Abdi Bashir Jr. vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)	100.0 (8-of-8) - Myles Rigsby, Tulsa (11/17/25) 100.0 (6-of-6) - Sam Towns, Bowling Green (12/1/25) 100.0 (9-of-9) - A.J. Staton-McCray, Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Free Throw Percentage (min. 10 made)	91.7 (11-of-12) - P.J. Haggerty vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) 91.7 (11-of-12) - P.J. Haggerty vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)	86.7 (13-of-15) - Reed Bailey, Indiana (11/25/25)
Offensive Rebounds	7 - Khamari McGriff vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	5 - Justin Neely, UNC Greensboro (11/4/25) 5 - Miles Barnstable, Tulsa (11/17/25) 5 - Troy Glover II, Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Defensive Rebounds	8 - Nate Johnson vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)	6 - Achor Achor, Mississippi State (11/20/25) 6 - Shawn Jones Jr., Mississippi State (11/20/25) 6 - Sam Towns, Bowling Green (12/1/25) 6 - X'Zaevion Barnett, Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) 6 - Jasen Green, Creighton (12/13/25)
Total Rebounds	10 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)	9 - Justin Neely, UNC Greensboro (11/4/25) 9 - Miles Barnstable, Tulsa (11/17/25) 9 - Achor Achor, Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Assists	11 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	7 - Dai Dai Ames, California (11/13/25)
Blocked Shots	5 - Dorin Buca vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	3 - Dhiaukuei Manyiel Dut, California (11/13/25) 3 - Owen Freeman, Creighton (12/13/25)
Steals	5 - Nate Johnson vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	5 - Dai Dai Ames, California (11/13/25)
Minutes Played	37 - P.J. Haggerty vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)	38 - Michael James, Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)

Team

K-State High	K-State Low	Category	Opponent High	Opponent Low
108 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	66 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)	**Points Scored**	96 by California (11/13/25)	#49 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
38, twice	23 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	**Field Goals**	35 by California (11/13/25)	#16 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
73 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)	53 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	**Field Goals Attempted**	72 by Seton Hall (12/6/25)	60 by Mississippi State (11/20/25)
^64.4 vs. California (11/13/25)	37.1 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	**FG Percentage**	56.5 by California (11/13/25)	#25.8 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
19 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	5 vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)	**3-Point Field Goals Made**	^15 by California (11/13/25)	4, twice
36 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	18 vs. California (11/13/25)	**3-Point Field Goals Attempted**	33 by Indiana (11/25/25)	18 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
60.9 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	20.0 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	**3-Point Field Goal Percentage**	53.6 by California (11/13/25)	20.0 by Bellarmine (11/8/25)
19, twice	10 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)	**Free Throws**	22 by Indiana (11/25/25)	11, twice
35 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	11 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)	**Free Throws Attempted**	29, twice	14 by California (11/13/25)
90.9 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)	42.9 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	**Free Throw Percentage**	93.3 by Creighton (12/13/25)	60.0, twice
19 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	6 vs. California (11/13/25)	**Offensive Rebounds**	15, twice	8 by Nebraska (11/21/25)
33 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	19, twice	**Defensive Rebounds**	29 by Seton Hall (12/6/25)	11 by Bellarmine (11/8/25)
47 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	25 vs. California (11/13/25)	**Total Rebounds**	44 by Seton Hall (12/6/25)	22 by Bellarmine (11/8/25)
25 at Indiana (11/25/25)	15 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	**Fouls**	22 by Seton Hall (12/6/25)	12 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
1, twice	0, 9 times	**Fouled Out**	1, 3 times	0, 8 times
^30 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	10 at Indiana (11/25/25)	**Assists**	21 by California (11/13/25)	11, 3 times
19 at Indiana (11/25/25)	6 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)	**Turnovers**	19 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	7 by Creighton (12/13/25)
7, twice	2, 3 times	**Blocked Shots**	7 by Creighton (12/13/25)	0 by Nebraska (11/21/25)
13 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	3 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)	**Steals**	12 by Bellarmine (11/8/25)	3, twice
$56 vs. California (11/13/25)	24, twice	**Points in Paint**	48 by Nebraska (11/21/25)	10 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
22 vs. California (11/13/25)	6 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)	**Points off Turnovers**	27, twice	2 by Creighton (12/13/25)
17, 3 times	4 at Indiana (11/25/25)	**2nd Chance Points**	18 by Seton Hall (12/6/25)	7 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
^27, twice	6 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	**Fast Break Points**	15 by California (11/13/25)	0 by Bowling Green (12/1/25)
38 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)	6 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)	**Bench Points**	34 by Mississippi State (11/20/25)	10 by UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
55, twice	27 at Indiana (11/25/25)	**Points/1st Half**	49 by Bowling Green (12/1/25)	21 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
^67.6 vs. California (11/13/25)	32.3 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)	**FG Percentage/1st Half**	54.3 by Nebraska (11/21/25)	19.4 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
60 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)	31 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)	**Points/2nd Half**	62 by California (11/13/25)	28 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
65.4 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)	27.8 at Creighton (12/13/25)	**FG Percentage/2nd Half**	67.6 by California (11/13/25)	32.3 by Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
—	—	**Points/Overtime**	—	—
—	—	**FG Percentage/Overtime**	—	—

^High in Jerome Tang era
#Low in Jerome Tang era
$School record

2025-26 LINEUP COMBINATIONS / NCAA RANKINGS

WILDCATS IN NCAA RANKINGS

Team Stats in the Top 50

Category	Stat	Ranking
3-point Field Goal Percentage	40.5	7
Assists/Game	18.8	21
3-point Field Goals/Game	10.8	32
Fastbreak Points	16.6	32
Effective Field Goal Percentage	57.0	42

Player Stats in the Top 100

Category	Player	Stat	Ranking
Assists	P.J. Haggerty	52	98
Assists/Game	P.J. Haggerty	4.7	95
Field Goals	P.J. Haggerty	87	10
Field Goal Att	P.J. Haggerty	84	26
Free Throw Att	P.J. Haggerty	61	38
Free Throws	P.J. Haggerty	84	26
Points	P.J. Haggerty	250	7
Points/Game	P.J. Haggerty	22.7	2
Steals	Nate Johnson	22	72
3-pt Field Goal %	Abdi Bashir Jr.	46.6	22
3-pointers/Game	Abdi Bashir Jr.	3.73	6
3-pt Att	Abdi Bashir Jr.	88	39
Total 3-point FGM	Abdi Bashir Jr.	41	9

KILL SHOTS

A "kill shot" is a term coined by college basketball analytics reporter **Evan Miyakawa**. Miyakawa defines a "kill shot" as any time that a team scores 10 or more unanswered points against their opponent. The ability to maximize "kill shots" while minimizing your opponent's "kill shots" plays a major factor in erasing deficits and holding leads.

Run	Score Before	Score After	Opponent
15-0	55-45, 12:35	70-45, 9:39	UNC Greensboro
10-0	15-12, 11:23	25-12, 7:35	Bellarmine
13-0	5-9, 15:54	18-9, 13:22	California
11-0	71-64, 8:46	82-64, 6:16	Mississippi State
11-0	35-45, 19:26	46-45, 17:06	Nebraska
10-0	4-20, 11:33	14-20, 9:00	Indiana
14-0	36-18, 6:38	50-18, 2:04	Mississippi Valley

WILDCATS BY THE MONTH

Month	Record	PPG	Opp. PPG	Margin	FG%	Opp. FG%	3P%	Opp. 3P%	RPG	APG
November	5-2	89.4	80.4	+9.0	50.8	46.5	42.9	30.9	34.4	19.4
December	2-2	81.0	71.3	+9.8	44.4	37.5	36.8	33.3	41.5	17.8
January										
February										
March										

STARTING LINEUPS

Date	Opponent	G	G	G	G/W	W
11.4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	**P.J. Haggerty**	**Nate Johnson**	**Abdi Bashir Jr.**	**Mobi Ikegwuruka**	**Khamari McGriff**
11.8	**BELLARMINE**	**P.J. Haggerty**	**Nate Johnson**	**Abdi Bashir Jr.**	**Elias Rapieque**	**Khamari McGriff**
11.13	**CALIFORNIA**	**P.J. Haggerty**	**Nate Johnson**	**Abdi Bashir Jr.**	**Elias Rapieque**	**Khamari McGriff**
11.17	**TULSA**	**P.J. Haggerty**	**Nate Johnson**	**Abdi Bashir Jr.**	**Elias Rapieque**	**Khamari McGriff**
11.20	vs. Mississippi State	P.J. Haggerty	Nate Johnson	Abdi Bashir Jr.	Elias Rapieque	Khamari McGriff
11.21	vs. Nebraska	P.J. Haggerty	Nate Johnson	Abdi Bashir Jr.	Elias Rapieque	Khamari McGriff
11.25	@Indiana	P.J. Haggerty	Nate Johnson	Abdi Bashir Jr.	Elias Rapieque	Khamari McGriff
12.1	**BOWLING GREEN**	**P.J. Haggerty**	**David Castillo**	**Abdi Bashir Jr.**	**Nate Johnson**	**Khamari McGriff**
12.6	**SETON HALL**	**P.J. Haggerty**	**David Castillo**	**Abdi Bashir Jr.**	**Nate Johnson**	**Khamari McGriff**
12.8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	**P.J. Haggerty**	**Nate Johnson**	**Abdi Bashir Jr.**	**Elias Rapieque**	**Khamari McGriff**
12.13	@Creighton	P.J. Haggerty	Nate Johnson	Abdi Bashir Jr.	Elias Rapieque	Khamari McGriff
12.20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**					
12.28	**ULM**					
1.3	**BYU***					
1.7	@Arizona*					
1.10	@Arizona State*					
1.14	**UCF***					
1.17	@Oklahoma State*					
1.20	**UTAH***					
1.24	**KANSAS***					
1.27	@West Virginia*					
2.1	**IOWA STATE***					
2.7	@TCU*					
2.11	**CINCINNATI***					
2.14	@Houston*					
2.17	**BAYLOR***					
2.21	@Texas Tech*					
2.25	@Colorado*					
2.28	**TCU***					
3.3	**WEST VIRGINIA***					
3.7	@Kansas*					

COMBINATIONS

Rank	Combination	Times Used	K-State Record	Last Time Used
1	Haggerty / N. Johnson / Bashir / Ikegwuruka / McGriff	1	1-0	11/4/25 vs. UNC Greensboro
2	Haggerty / N. Johnson / Bashir / Rapieque / McGriff	9	7-2	12/13/25 at Creighton
3	Haggerty / Castillo / Bashir / N. Johnson / McGriff	2	0-2	12/6/25 vs. Seton Hall

STARTING STREAKS & TOTALS

#	Player	Streak	2025-26	Career	K-State Career	Big 12 Play
0	Elias Rapieque	9	9	9	9	—
1	Abdi Bashir Jr.	11	11	43	11	—
2	Exavier Wilson	—	—	—	—	—
3	C.J. Jones	—	—	59	9	1
4	P.J. Haggerty	11	11	77	11	—
6	Marcus Johnson	—	—	—	—	—
10	David Castillo	2	2	4	4	—
14	Mobi Ikegwuruka	1	1	1	1	—
15	Taj Manning	—	—	1	1	—
21	Khamari McGriff	11	11	53	11	—
22	Dorin Buca	—	—	—	—	—
23	Stephen Osei	—	—	—	—	—
34	Nate Johnson	11	11	71	11	—
47	Andrej Kostic	—	—	—	—	—

2025-26 SPECIALITY STATS / BIGGEST LEAD / TIME IN LEAD

SPECIALITY STATS

		PAINT		OFF TOs		2ND CHANCE		FAST BREAK		BENCH		HALFTIME SCORE		
Date	Opponent	KS	Opp.	KS	Opp.	KS	Opp.	KS	Opp.	KS	Opp.	KS	Opp.	Marg
11.4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	**34**	**28**	**21**	**17**	**14**	**10**	**26**	**8**	**21**	**10**	**33**	**34**	**-1**
11.8	**BELLARMINE**	**38**	**46**	**20**	**19**	**17**	**15**	**6**	**9**	**31**	**21**	**46**	**30**	**+16**
11.13	**CALIFORNIA**	**56**	**34**	**22**	**27**	**12**	**13**	**27**	**15**	**28**	**15**	**55**	**34**	**+21**
11.17	**TULSA**	**46**	**34**	**12**	**14**	**17**	**15**	**26**	**10**	**23**	**33**	**39**	**34**	**+5**
11.20	vs. Mississippi State	42	30	17	4	9	8	17	4	24	34	44	36	+8
11.21	vs. Nebraska	24	48	18	24	13	11	12	4	8	20	35	45	-10
11.25	@Indiana	24	32	16	27	4	11	11	14	26	16	27	39	-12
12.1	**BOWLING GREEN**	**32**	**30**	**6**	**9**	**14**	**17**	**9**	**0**	**6**	**13**	**35**	**49**	**-14**
12.6	**SETON HALL**	**34**	**40**	**7**	**22**	**10**	**18**	**12**	**11**	**12**	**22**	**29**	**35**	**-6**
12.8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	**34**	**10**	**17**	**4**	**17**	**7**	**27**	**11**	**38**	**11**	**55**	**21**	**+34**
12.13	@Creighton	34	24	8	2	16	11	9	10	25	17	51	33	+18
12.20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**													
12.28	**ULM**													
1.3	**BYU***													
1.7	@Arizona*													
1.10	@Arizona State*													
1.14	**UCF***													
1.17	@Oklahoma State*													
1.20	**UTAH***													
1.24	**KANSAS***													
1.27	@West Virginia*													
2.1	**IOWA STATE***													
2.7	@TCU*													
2.11	**CINCINNATI***													
2.14	@Houston*													
2.17	**BAYLOR***													
2.21	@Texas Tech*													
2.25	@Colorado*													
2.28	**TCU***													
3.3	**WEST VIRGINIA***													
3.7	@Kansas*													

BIGGEST LEAD/TIME IN LEAD

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	KS Big Lead	Opp Big Lead	Times Tied	LC	KS in Lead	Opp in Lead	Tied
11.4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	**W**	**93-64**	**32**	**10**	**3**	**10**	**22:06**	**15:56**	**1:58**
11.8	**BELLARMINE**	**W**	**98-71**	**27**	**1**	**3**	**2**	**37:13**	**0:13**	**2:34**
11.13	**CALIFORNIA**	**W**	**99-96**	**25**	**4**	**2**	**3**	**36:20**	**1:43**	**1:57**
11.17	**TULSA**	**W**	**84-83**	**10**	**5**	**8**	**10**	**29:53**	**6:07**	**4:00**
11.20	vs. Mississippi State	W	98-77	23	4	2	6	33:59	4:57	1:04
11.21	vs. Nebraska	L	85-86	15	5	11	13	8:00	23:41	8:19
11.25	@Indiana	L	69-86	—	23	—	—	—	39:47	0:13
12.1	**BOWLING GREEN**	**L**	**66-82**	**—**	**18**	**—**	**—**	**—**	**39:04**	**0:56**
12.6	**SETON HALL**	**L**	**67-78**	**2**	**17**	**3**	**3**	**0:54**	**36:42**	**2:24**
12.8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	**W**	**108-49**	**61**	**—**	**1**	**—**	**38:35**	**—**	**1:25**
12.13	@Creighton*	W	83-76	20	3	2	5	36:51	0:56	2:13
12.20	**SOUTH DAKOTA***									
12.28	**ULM***									
1.3	**BYU***									
1.7	@Arizona*									
1.10	@Arizona State*									
1.14	**UCF***									
1.17	@Oklahoma State*									
1.20	**UTAH***									
1.24	**KANSAS***									
1.27	@West Virginia*									
2.1	**IOWA STATE***									
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2.11	**CINCINNATI***									
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2.25	@Colorado*									
2.28	**TCU***									
3.3	**WEST VIRGINIA***									
3.7	@Kansas*									

■ RECORD BY GAME TIME

Time	When K-State Leads	When Opponent Leads	When Tied
10:00, 1st half	6-0	1-4	0-0
Halftime	6-0	1-4	0-0
10:00	6-1	1-3	0-0
5:00	7-0	0-4	0-0
2:00	6-0	1-4	0-0
1:00	6-0	1-3	0-1

■ HALF SPLITS

K-State	Most Points	Fewest Points
1st Half	55, twice	27, 11/25/25 at IU
2nd Half	60, 11/4/25 vs. UNCG	31, 12/1/25 vs. BGSU
Overtime	—	—

Opponents	Most Points	Fewest Points
1st Half	49, 12/1/25 by BGSU	21, 12/8/25 by MVSU
2nd Half	62, 11/13/25 by Cal	28, 12/8/25 by MVSU
Overtime	—	—

	Halftime Margin
Biggest Lead	61 points, 12/8/25 by K-State
Biggest Deficit	23 points, 11/25/25 at Indiana

■ OPENING TIP

Result	Record
K-State controls	7-3
Opponent controls	0-1

■ FIRST OFF BENCH

Player	Times
Dorin Buca	6
David Castillo	4
Mobi Ikegwuruka	3
C.J. Jones	3
Elias Rapieque	3
Taj Manning	1

■ DOUBLE-DOUBLES

Player	S/C	Date/Opp.	Stat Line
P.J. Haggerty	1/3	11/8/25 vs. Bellarmine	23p/11a
P.J. Haggerty	2/4	11/17/25 vs. Tulsa	31p/10r

2025-26 BOXSCORES/RECAPS

01 UNC GREENSBORO

Nov. 4, 2025 | Manhattan, Kan. / Bramlage Coliseum

UNC Greensboro	34	30	—	64
K-STATE	33	60	—	93

▶ K-State erupted for 60 points in the second half to shake off a one-point halftime deficit, as the Wildcats opened the 2025-26 season with a 93-64 win over UNC Greensboro on Nov. 4 before 7,765 fans at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ Three Wildcats scored in double figures, including a pair of 20-point efforts from junior **P.J. Haggerty** (27 points) and senior **Nate Johnson**, who narrowly missed the school's first recorded triple-double, with 22 points and game-highs of 9 rebounds and 9 assists. Junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.** scored all 16 of his points in the second half, hitting on 6-of-7 field goals, including 4-of-5 from 3.

▶ It marked the first time in nearly 18 years that a pair of Wildcats each went over 20 points in an opener and the first since **Michael Beasley** and **Blake Young** went for 32 and 22 points against Sacramento State on Nov. 9, 2007.

▶ Down 34-33 at the half, the Wildcats (1-0) came out of the locker room a different team, scoring 22 of the first 31 points to take a 12-point lead and force a timeout by UNCG head coach **Mike Jones** at the 13:25 mark. Unfortunately for the Spartans, the timeout only slowed the Wildcats' momentum as they rattled off 15 straight points – all on 3-pointers from Bashir and Johnson – to go ahead 70-45 with under 10 minutes to play. The lead grew to as many 32 points (89-57) after Haggerty's last points of the night with 3:12 left.

▶ K-State shot just over 50 percent (34-of-67) from the field, including 59.5 percent (22-of-37) in the second half, while hitting on 51.9 percent (14-of-27) from 3-point range. Eleven of the Wildcats' 14 makes from beyond the arc came after halftime. The 14 3-pointers tie for the seventh-most in any game, while the 11 in the second half tie for the second-most in any half.

▶ The 60-point second half marked just the 11th time that the Wildcats have scored 60 or more points in any half, as it ties for the ninth-most points in any half and are the most since a 63-point second half against UAPB on Dec. 1, 2024.

▶ K-State is now 95-27 all-time in season openers, including an 83-10 mark at home and a 31-3 mark at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ UNCG (0-1) led by as many as 10 points in the first half before K-State closed to within one at the break. The Spartans were led by graduate **Justin Neely**, who had 15 points to go with a team-high 9 rebounds, 5 assists and 3 steals in 32 minutes. Freshman **Lilian Marville** added 14 points in his college debut, while junior **Domas Kauzonas** chipped in 10 points.

UNC GREENSBORO (0-1)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
12	NEELY, Justin	F	15	5-9	1-1	4-6	5	4	9	3	5	2	3	0	32
16	KAUZONAS, Domas	F	21	5-9	0-0	0-2	1	5	6	5	1	1	0	2	21
13	WHITEHEAD Jr., Donald	G	6	2-8	0-3	2-4	0	1	1	3	4	3	2	0	27
21	YOUNGER, K.J.	G	9	4-14	1-6	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	4	0	30
45	MARVILLE, Lilian	G	14	3-9	2-3	6-8	0	2	2	2	1	5	1	0	32
02	EFINDA, Clinton		0	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	17
06	NORGAARD, Noah		3	1-4	1-3	0-0	0	3	3	1	1	3	0	0	22
00	JONES, Antwann		5	2-3	1-1	0-0	0	4	4	1	0	2	0	0	13
04	MANDIAN, Assane		2	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	8
TEAM							3	0	3						
TOTALS			**64**	**23-61**	**6-20**	**12-20**	**10**	**21**	**31**	**17**	**15**	**18**	**11**	**3**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	14-35	40.0	3-9	33.3	3-4	75.0
2nd Half	9-26	34.6	3-11	27.3	9-16	56.3
GAME	23-61	37.7	6-20	30.0	12-20	60.0

Deadball Rebounds: 4, 3
Biggest Run: 7 (10:45 1H)
Largest Lead: 10 (9:52 1H)
Technical Fouls: none

K-STATE (1-0)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi	W	3	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	2	3	2	2	0	1	2	17
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	4	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	4	4	5	1	1	0	0	14
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	16	6-11	4-8	0-0	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	21
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	27	10-20	1-4	6-7	0	2	2	2	3	3	1	1	32
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	22	8-11	6-7	0-0	1	8	9	3	9	1	2	0	31
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias		5	2-5	0-2	1-2	1	3	4	3	1	1	3	2	21
22	BUCA, Dorin		0	0-1	0-0	0-2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	3
10	CASTILLO, David		7	3-5	1-2	0-2	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	13
03	JONES, C.J.		0	0-3	0-0	0-1	1	6	7	0	2	2	2	0	24
23	OSEI, Stephen		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	3	0	0	5
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		9	2-7	2-4	3-4	2	3	5	0	0	4	0	0	17
15	MANNING, Taj		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	3
TEAM							3	0	3			0			
TOTALS			**93**	**34-67**	**14-27**	**11-20**	**11**	**31**	**42**	**20**	**22**	**16**	**9**	**7**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	12-30	40.0	3-10	30.0	6-13	46.2
2nd Half	22-37	59.5	11-17	64.7	5-7	71.4
GAME	34-67	50.7	14-27	51.9	11-20	55.0

Deadball Rebounds: 7, 1
Biggest Run: 15 (9:39 2H)
Largest Lead: 32 (3:12 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Doug Sirmons, Chris Pacsi, Tommy Johnson
Attendance: 7,765 | **Start Time:** 7:01 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:09
K-State led for 22:06 // UNCG led 15:56 // Game was tied for 1:58
Lead Changes: 10 // **Times Tied:** 3

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
UNCG	17	28	10	8	10
K-State	21	34	14	26	21

02 BELLARMINE

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Bellarmine	30	41	—	71
K-STATE	46	52	—	98

▶ Four Wildcats scored in double figures, including the first career points/assists double-double for junior **P.J. Haggerty**, as K-State moved to 2-0 with a 98-71 win over Bellarmine on Nov. 8 before 8,040 fans at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ The offense continued its fast pace, as K-State (2-0) posted 90 or more points in the first 2 games for the first time in nearly 34 years while totaling the most points in that span since scoring 193 to open the 1991-92 season.

▶ The Wildcats posted the highest field goal percentage of the **Jerome Tang** era at 62.3 percent (33-of-53), including 60.9 percent (14-of-23) from 3-point range. It was the highest field goal percentage since hitting on 62.5 percent against Alabama State on Dec. 11, 2019.

▶ Haggerty led the way with his third career double-double and first points/assists double-double, as he finished with a game-high 23 points on 5-of-9 field goals and 11-of-12 free throws to go with a career-best 11 assists. It marked his first double-double since posting a pair of tradition points/rebounds double-doubles while playing at Tulsa in 2023-24.

▶ Two Wildcats – senior **Khamari McGriff** and sophomore **David Castillo** – each went perfect from the field, becoming the 24th and 25th players in school history to go perfect from the field on 5 or more field goals. Castillo scored a career-high 19 points on 7-of-7 shooting, including 5-of-5 from 3-point range, while McGriff totaled 16 points on 8-of-8 field goals.

▶ K-State broke open a back-and-forth affair with an 18-4 run near the midway point of the first half en route to taking a 46-30 lead into the halftime break. The lead grew to 19 points in early moments of the second half before a timeout by Bellarmine head coach **Doug Davenport** keyed a surge by the Knights, who closed to within 62-52 with 13:04 to play.

▶ Bellarmine kept the pressure on K-State over the next 6 minutes, staying within 11 points, including 73-62 on back-to-back layups, before a 10-5 run by the Wildcats pushed the lead to 83-67 at the final media timeout. The squad then ended the game on a 15-4 run to put it away.

▶ Bellarmine (0-2) saw four players score in double figures, including 19 points from sophomore **Michael Wilson, Jr.**, and 18 from senior **Jack Karasinski**. The Knights shot 45.9 percent (28-of-61) from the field, but just 20 percent (4-of-20) from beyond the arc.

BELLARMINE (0-2)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
11	WADDELL, Brian	F	11	4-9	2-2	1-2	2	2	4	2	1	2	1	0	34
24	WILSON Jr., Michael	F	19	9-14	0-2	1-3	2	1	3	2	2	2	3	0	33
32	KARASINSKI, Jack	F	18	6-9	1-4	5-8	2	3	5	1	0	0	2	0	30
02	DOYLE, Tyler	G	2	1-2	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	5	1	1	0	0	15
22	BOLDEN, Darrius	G	0	0-3	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	4	1	0	1	0	27
05	WATKINS, Myles		4	2-6	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	5	1	2	0	23
10	WHITAKER, Grant		0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	12
44	WASSLER, Jacob		10	3-7	0-3	4-4	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	10
00	CLARK, Tommy		3	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
07	HUNTER, Donovan		4	2-8	0-4	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	12
14	MURPHY Jr., Dominique		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1+
TEAM							1	2	3						
TOTALS			**71**	**28-61**	**4-20**	**11-17**	**11**	**11**	**22**	**20**	**11**	**13**	**12**	**1**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	11-27	40.7	2-8	25.0	6-8	75.0
2nd Half	17-34	50.0	2-12	16.7	5-9	55.6
GAME	28-61	45.9	4-20	20.0	11-17	64.7

Deadball Rebounds: 3, 1
Biggest Run: 6 (16:23 2H)
Largest Lead: 1 (17:16 1H)
Technical Fouls: none

K-STATE (2-0)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	4	1-2	0-0	2-4	1	2	3	4	2	1	2	0	17
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	16	8-8	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	14
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	15	5-10	5-9	0-0	0	4	4	2	3	2	0	0	30
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	23	5-9	2-3	11-12	1	3	4	0	11	3	0	0	35
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	9	3-7	1-3	2-2	1	6	7	2	4	2	2	1	35
03	JONES, C.J.		5	2-5	0-2	1-1	0	2	2	2	1	2	0	0	20
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi		3	1-1	0-0	1-2	3	1	4	3	1	2	0	0	17
22	BUCA, Dorin		1	0-2	0-0	1-2	2	0	2	1	0	1	0	1	8
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		3	1-2	1-1	0-0	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	9
10	CASTILLO, David		19	7-7	5-5	0-0	0	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	12
15	MANNING, Taj		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	2
TEAM							0	4	4			1			
TOTALS			**98**	**33-53**	**14-23**	**18-23**	**11**	**25**	**36**	**19**	**24**	**18**	**5**	**3**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	16-27	59.3	8-13	61.5	6-7	85.7
2nd Half	17-26	65.4	6-10	60.0	12-16	75.0
GAME	33-53	62.3	14-23	60.9	18-23	78.3

Deadball Rebounds: 2, 0
Biggest Run: 10 (7:35 1H)
Largest Lead: 27 (0:57 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Kipp Kissinger, Marques Pettigrew, James Duke
Attendance: 8,040 | **Start Time:** 7:01 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:09
K-State led for 37:13 // BU led 0:13 // Game was tied for 2:34
Lead Changes: 2 // **Times Tied:** 3

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
Bellarmine	19	46	15	9	21
K-State	20	38	17	6	31

03 CALIFORNIA

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California	34	62	—	96
K-STATE	55	44	—	99

▶ K-State scorched the nets in building as much as a 25-point lead before holding off a late charge from a hot-shooting California squad in a 99-96 win on Nov. 13 before 7,521 fans at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ The 195 points are the most combined points in Bramlage Coliseum history, surpassing the 194 scored between K-State and Marshall on Dec. 2, 1995. The Wildcats have now scored 90 or more points in each of the first 3 games for the first time since 1991-92. The 290 points scored through the first 3 games are the most since that **Dana Altman**-led team scored 308 nearly 34 years ago.

▶ Four Wildcats scored in double figures, including three 20-point scorers in junior **P.J. Haggerty** (23 points), senior **Khamari McGriff** (21 points) and senior **Nate Johnson** (20 points). It marked the first time three Wildcats each had 20 points since the trio of **Dean Wade** (34 points), **Kamau Stokes** (23 points) and **Barry Brown Jr.** (21 points) did it at Iowa State on Dec. 29, 2017.

▶ K-State posted the highest field goal percentage of the **Jerome Tang** era for the second straight game, as the Wildcats connected on 64.4 percent (38-of-59) from the field, including 50 percent (9-of-18) from 3-point range. It was the highest field goal percentage since hitting on 66.0 percent against Wake Forest in the First Four on March 14, 2017.

▶ A 13-0 run by K-State early in the first half broke open a back-and-forth contest, as the Wildcats built a 20-point lead with 7:43 to play on a 3-pointer by Haggerty then increased it to 25 points on two occasions, including 53-28 with 3:01 before halftime. The lead stood at 55-34 at break, as the squad shot 67.6 percent (23-of-34) from the field, including 34 points in the paint.

▶ Despite several runs by Cal, including an 8-2 spurt to open the second half, K-State maintained as much as 21-point lead (77-56) after a 3-pointer by Castillo near the midway point of the second half. However, the Golden Bears caught fire from the field, slowly chipping away at the lead before back-to-back baskets closed the deficit to 86-73 with 5:37 to play.

▶ The lead stood at 98-85 after a 3-point play by McGriff with 2:03 remaining but Cal kept up the fight, as former Wildcat **Dai Dai Ames** started a 7-0 run with a layup to pull the Bears to within 98-92 with 38 seconds. After a free throw by Haggerty, freshman **T.T. Carr** scored on a dunk with 8 seconds left before a layup at the buzzer finished off the scoring a 99-96.

CALIFORNIA (3-1)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
02	CAMDEN, John	F	5	2-5	1-3	0-0	1	3	4	2	3	1	1	0	32
22	BELL, Chris	F	27	9-13	7-9	2-2	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	1	29
34	DORT, Lee	F	10	5-8	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	5	0	2	0	0	19
07	AMES, Dai Dai	G	25	9-13	5-6	2-2	0	1	1	3	7	3	5	0	32
10	PIPPEN, Justin	G	14	4-10	1-4	5-6	0	2	2	1	4	4	2	1	27
03	CARR, Semetri (TT)		6	2-5	0-2	2-3	1	5	6	2	5	0	0	0	16
21	DORSEY, Nolan		5	2-5	1-4	0-0	2	1	3	1	1	1	0	0	16
08	ILIC, Milos		2	1-2	0-0	0-1	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	7
31	PETRAITIS, Rytis		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	8
17	KOCANAS, Mantas		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
12	DUT, Dhiaukuei Manyiel		2	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	3	0	1	1	3	13
TEAM							2	0	2			1			
TOTALS			**96**	**35-62**	**15-28**	**11-14**	**9**	**17**	**26**	**20**	**21**	**17**	**11**	**5**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	12-28	42.9	3-9	33.3	7-9	77.8
2nd Half	23-34	67.6	12-19	63.2	4-5	80.0
GAME	35-62	56.5	15-28	53.6	11-14	78.6

Deadball Rebounds: 2, 1
Biggest Run: 8 (9:07 2H)
Largest Lead: 4 (15:54 1H)
Technical Fouls: none

K-STATE (3-0)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	0	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	2	3	1	1	0	23
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	21	8-11	0-1	5-5	1	1	2	3	0	0	2	0	20
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	7	2-4	2-4	1-2	0	2	2	2	5	1	1	0	23
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	23	7-12	1-1	8-12	0	3	3	4	6	7	1	0	34
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	20	9-11	2-3	0-2	0	3	3	3	2	4	2	0	29
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi		4	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	17
10	CASTILLO, David		16	6-9	4-6	0-0	0	4	4	1	2	1	0	0	23
22	BUCA, Dorin		2	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	2	0	4	12
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		4	2-4	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	9
03	JONES, C.J.		2	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	10
TEAM							3	2	5						
TOTALS			**99**	**38-59**	**9-18**	**14-21**	**6**	**19**	**25**	**17**	**21**	**17**	**9**	**5**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	23-34	67.6	6-8	75.0	3-4	75.0
2nd Half	15-25	60.0	3-10	30.0	11-17	64.7
GAME	38-59	64.4	9-18	50.9	14-21	66.7

Deadball Rebounds: 4, 0
Biggest Run: 13 (13:22 1H)
Largest Lead: 25 (6:02 1H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Doug Sirmons, Tony Padilla, Brooks Wells
Attendance: 7,521 | **Start Time:** 8:05 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:03
K-State led for 36:20 // Cal led 1:43 // Game was tied for 1:57
Lead Changes: 3 // **Times Tied:** 2

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
Cal	27	34	13	15	15
K-State	22	56	12	27	28

2025-26 BOXSCORES/RECAPS

04 TULSA

Nov. 17, 2025 | Manhattan, Kan. / Bramlage Coliseum

Tulsa	34	49	—	83
K-STATE	39	45	—	84

▶ K-State rallied from a 5-point deficit with 49 seconds to play with a 6-0 run to end the game, as the Wildcats moved to 4-0 with a nail-biting 84-83 win over a defiant Tulsa squad on Nov. 17 before 7,123 fans at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ Down 83-78 after a pair of free throws from junior **Myles Rigsby** with 49 seconds remaining, K-State was able to pull out the improbable victory behind the heroics of junior **P.J. Haggerty** and sophomore **David Castillo**, who combined for the final 6 points.

▶ Haggerty connected on 2 free throws before a successful coach's challenge reversed an out of bounds play leading to a jumper by Haggerty that closed it to 83-82 with 31 seconds. Senior **Khamari McGriff** stole the ball on the next possession, leading to the game-winning layup by Castillo with 18 seconds.

▶ Tulsa (3-1) had two chances in the final seconds to escape with victory, but senior **Miles Barnstable** missed a 3-pointer with 7 seconds, then after a second coach's challenge reversed another out of bounds call this time in favor of the Golden Hurricane, graduate **David Green** missed a jumper and senior **C.J. Jones** was able to corral the rebound as the clock expired.

▶ Haggerty finished the night with 31 points on 10-of-17 field goals and 11-of-12 free throws to go with a game-high 10 rebounds, 3 assists and 2 steals in 32 minutes. He is the first Wildcat with a 30-point, 10-rebound performance since **Michael Beasley** registered 33 points and 14 rebounds against Colorado on March 4, 2008. He scored 27 of his game-high 31 points in the second half, which the fifth-most by any Wildcat in a half and the most since 2009.

▶ Haggerty was joined in double figures by McGriff, who narrowly missed his own double-double with 13 points and 9 rebounds, while Castillo and junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.** added 12 and 10 points, respectively.

▶ K-State entered averaging 96.7 points on 58.7 percent shooting, including 54.4 percent from 3-point range, but scored its 84 points in a different way with lows in field goal percentage (44.1) and 3-point field goal percentage (20.8).

▶ The Wildcats shot 56.8 percent (25-of-44) inside the 3-point arc with 46 points in the paint to go with 26 fast-break points and a 17-15 edge in second-chance points while out-rebounding the nationally-ranked Hurricane, 40-38. They also converted on their opportunities from the free throw line, hitting on a season-best 90.5 percent (19-of-21).

TULSA (3-1)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
09	BEHREND, Tyler	F	4	2-4	0-1	0-0	2	2	4	1	1	0	0	1	12
23	GREEN, David	F	11	3-16	2-9	3-6	2	2	4	1	0	1	1	0	26
00	POPOOLA, Ade	G	5	1-3	1-3	2-2	1	3	4	0	1	0	1	0	20
10	RILEY, Tylen	G	12	5-7	0-0	2-5	0	4	4	4	4	3	1	0	26
14	BARNSTABLE, Miles	G	18	6-16	4-11	2-2	5	4	9	1	4	1	1	0	36
04	RIGSBY, Myles		12	2-4	0-0	8-8	1	4	5	3	2	1	1	0	24
35	SMIKLE, Ian		7	3-3	0-0	1-2	2	2	4	4	2	1	1	0	17
02	LAWAL, Jaylen		6	1-7	1-4	3-4	0	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	14
06	DEAN, Romad		2	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	15
15	MARTIN Jr., KJ		6	3-4	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	11
TEAM							2	0	2			1			
TOTALS			**83**	**27-66**	**8-30**	**21-29**	**14**	**24**	**38**	**16**	**16**	**9**	**7**	**1**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	13-39	33.3	3-19	15.8	5-8	62.5
2nd Half	14-27	51.9	5-11	45.5	16-21	76.2
GAME	27-66	40.9	8-30	26.7	21-29	72.4

Deadball Rebounds: 5, 3
Biggest Run: 8 (18:28 2H)
Largest Lead: 5 (0:49 2H)
Technical Fouls: none

K-STATE (4-0)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	2	1-4	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	10
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	13	4-6	0-0	5-6	3	6	9	3	2	0	1	1	25
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	10	4-12	2-6	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	28
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	31	10-17	0-2	11-12	3	7	10	4	3	5	2	0	32
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	5	2-7	1-4	0-0	3	6	9	4	4	1	1	0	35
10	CASTILLO, David		12	4-10	1-5	3-3	0	1	1	1	2	2	1	0	24
22	BUCA, Dorin		2	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	3	1	0	0	1	15
15	MANNING, Taj		2	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	7
03	JONES, C.J.		2	1-4	0-3	0-0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	14
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		5	2-5	1-3	0-0	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	10
TEAM							0	2	2						
TOTALS			**84**	**30-68**	**5-24**	**19-21**	**12**	**28**	**40**	**19**	**18**	**10**	**5**	**2**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	15-33	45.5	3-13	23.1	6-7	85.7
2nd Half	15-35	42.9	2-11	18.2	13-14	92.9
GAME	30-68	44.1	5-24	20.8	19-21	90.5

Deadball Rebounds: 1, 0
Biggest Run: 6 (0:18 2H)
Largest Lead: 10 (2:41 1H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Jeffrey Anderson, Rick Crawford, Robert Felder
Attendance: 7,123 | **Start Time:** 7:01 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:12
K-State led for 29:53 // Tulsa led 6:07 // Game was tied for 4:00
Lead Changes: 10 // **Times Tied:** 8

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
Tulsa	14	34	15	10	33
K-State	12	46	17	26	23

05 vs. MISSISSIPPI STATE

Nov. 20, 2025 | Kansas City, Mo. / T-Mobile Center

Mississippi State	36	41	—	77
K-STATE	44	54	—	98

▶ Junior **P.J. Haggerty** scored a season-high 37 points to go with a game-high 8 assists and 7 rebounds to lift K-State to the Hall of Fame Classic Championship game with 98-77 win over Mississippi State on Nov. 20 at the T-Mobile Center.

▶ Haggerty paced three Wildcats with his season-high 37 points, which came on 13-of-21 field goals, including 4-of-7 from 3-point range, and 7-of-8 free throws. The 37 points are the most scored by a K-State player in 49 games played at the T-Mobile Center, eclipsing the 29 scored by **Makol Mawien** against Kansas in the Big 12 Championship on March 9, 2018.

▶ The 37 points are the most by a Wildcat since **Barry Brown Jr.** scored 38 against Oklahoma State on Jan. 10, 2018, while he is the first player with back-to-back 30-point games since **Markquis Nowell** posted 36 points vs. Texas and 32 points vs. Baylor on Jan. 3 and 7, 2023.

▶ In addition, Haggerty is the first Wildcat to record a stat line of 30 or more points, 5 or more rebounds and 5 or more assists since Brown tallied 34 points, 5 rebounds and 5 assists in a win at Baylor on Jan. 22, 2018.

▶ Haggerty was joined in double figures by senior **Nate Johnson** and junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.**, who posted 14 and 12 points, respectively. The Wildcats also got 9 points from sophomore **David Castillo**, 8 points from senior **Khamari McGriff** and 7 points from freshman **Andrej Kostic**.

▶ K-State took the lead for good on a rare 4-point play by Kostic with 9:11 left in the first half then slowly pulled away behind the play of Haggerty, who had 15 points, 5 rebounds and 5 assists in the first half. Haggerty's old-fashioned 3-point play extended the lead to 40-32 with 2:07 remaining before consecutive baskets by Castillo and Johnson made it 44-36 at the break.

▶ The lead grew to double digits early in the second half after a 3-pointer by Johnson, but the Bulldogs closed within 69-62 after 4 consecutive free throws with 9:24 to play. However, four more points from Haggerty and a layup by McGriff extended it back to double figures at the third media timeout. From there, the advantage grew to more than 20 points, including its largest at 91-68 after a 3-pointer by Bashir with 3:13 to play.

▶ The 98 points broke the school record for points scored at T-Mobile Center, topping the 87 scored in the school's first-ever game in the building against Florida A&M on Dec. 17, 2007.

MISSISSIPPI STATE (2-2)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
99	ACHOR, Achor	F	5	1-5	1-3	2-2	3	6	9	0	0	2	0	0	24
15	BALLARD, Quincy	C	10	5-7	0-0	0-0	1	5	6	1	0	1	1	1	19
02	McGHEE, Ja'Borri	G	1	0-5	0-1	1-4	0	0	0	2	4	3	0	0	30
05	JONES Jr., Shawn	G	4	1-4	0-3	2-2	0	6	6	3	2	1	1	2	21
12	HUBBARD, Josh	G	23	7-15	1-6	8-9	0	2	2	2	2	3	0	1	32
00	DAVIS-FLEMING, Jamarion		2	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	3	1	0	1	1	17
11	MACURA, Sergej		3	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	10
10	EPPS, Jayden		18	6-11	4-7	2-2	0	2	2	2	1	2	0	0	20
23	GRACE, King		4	2-4	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	15
01	WARREN, Dellquan		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
04	WALKER, Brandon		4	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
14	ALI, Amier		3	0-1	0-1	3-4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
TEAM							1	1	2			1			
TOTALS			**77**	**26-60**	**7-25**	**18-23**	**9**	**25**	**34**	**14**	**11**	**14**	**3**	**5**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	13-31	41.9	3-13	23.1	7-8	87.5
2nd Half	13-29	44.8	4-12	33.3	11-15	73.3
GAME	26-60	43.3	7-25	28.0	18-23	78.3

Deadball Rebounds: 3, 0
Biggest Run: 6 (15:27 1H)
Largest Lead: 4 (12:31 1H)
Technical Fouls: none

K-STATE (5-0)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	3	1-6	1-4	0-0	1	1	2	3	2	0	0	1	19
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	8	4-4	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	3	1	0	0	1	17
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	12	4-10	4-6	0-0	0	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	23
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	37	13-21	4-7	7-8	3	4	7	3	8	1	2	0	34
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	14	6-11	2-5	0-0	1	3	4	3	4	2	2	0	29
22	BUCA, Dorin		2	1-3	0-1	0-0	1	2	3	1	0	1	0	1	11
10	CASTILLO, David		9	3-7	1-2	2-2	1	2	3	2	2	0	0	0	24
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi		2	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	2	1	1	13
03	JONES, C.J.		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	2	1	0	0	9
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		7	2-6	2-5	1-1	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	16
15	MANNING, Taj		2	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
23	OSEI, Stephen		2	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
TEAM							3	2	5						
TOTALS			**98**	**37-73**	**14-30**	**10-11**	**12**	**26**	**38**	**19**	**22**	**8**	**5**	**4**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	17-38	44.7	6-15	40.0	4-5	80.0
2nd Half	20-35	57.1	8-15	53.3	6-6	100.0
GAME	37-73	50.7	14-30	46.7	10-11	90.9

Deadball Rebounds: 0, 1
Biggest Run: 11 (6:16 2H)
Largest Lead: 23 (3:13 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Tony Henderson, Vlas Voyard-Todal, Tommy Johnson
Attendance: 5,278 | **Start Time:** 8:30 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:00
K-State led for 33:59 // MSU led 4:57 // Game was tied for 1:04
Lead Changes: 6 // **Times Tied:** 2

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
MSU	4	30	8	4	34
K-State	17	42	9	17	24

06 vs. NEBRASKA

Nov. 21, 2025 | Kansas City, Mo. / T-Mobile Center

Nebraska	45	41	—	86
K-STATE	35	50	—	85

▶ Senior **Sam Hoiberg** knocked down the winning free throw with 0.6 seconds left to lift Nebraska to an 86-85 win over K-State in the championship game of the Hall of Fame Classic on Nov. 21 at the T-Mobile Center.

▶ After Hoiberg intentionally missed the second free throw and senior **Nate Johnson** grabbed the rebound, the officials made a timing adjustment to give K-State one last chance with 0.9 seconds, however, senior **Khamari McGriff's** pass was off the mark, as Nebraska (6-0) ran its winning streak to 10 games.

▶ The backcourt tandem of juniors **P.J. Haggerty** (27 points) and **Abdi Bashir Jr.** (26 points) combined for 53 of the team's 85 points, including 33 in the second half when the Wildcats rallied from a 10-point halftime deficit.

▶ K-State, which trailed by as many as 15 points in the first half, got a spark from Bashir out of halftime as he connected on three 3-pointers to ignite an 11-0 run that gave the Wildcats a 46-45 lead. From there, the teams went back and forth with neither holding more than a 5-point lead in a second half that included 12 lead changes and nine ties.

▶ Haggerty gave K-State its largest lead at 72-67 on a layup with 7:21 to play before Nebraska answered back with 9 straight points to go ahead 76-72 with just 5 minutes remaining. However, four free throws by the Wildcats tied it at 76-all, including 3 in a row from Bashir.

▶ Neither team led by more than 2 points in the last 4 minutes, as they matched each other shot for shot. Tied at 83-all with less than a minute to play, senior **Rienk Mast** gave the Huskers an 85-83 lead by converting on a layup with 35 seconds before Haggerty matched it 8 seconds later to knot it at 85-all.

▶ Nebraska called a full timeout with 22 seconds to play to set up the final sequence, as junior **Pryce Sandfort** missed a 3-pointer, but Hoiberg grabbed the offensive rebound and was fouled.

▶ The Huskers did most of their damage in the paint, where they outscored the Wildcats, 48-24. They converted on 54.1 percent (33-of-61) of their field goals, including a stellar 86.2 percent (25-of-29) of their 2-point attempts.

▶ K-State shot a season-low 43.5 percent (27-of-62), including 34.3 percent (12-of-35) from beyond the arc, while hitting on 86.4 percent (19-of-22) from the line. The 24 paint points and 12 fast-break points were also season-lows.

NEBRASKA (6-0)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
09	BUYUKTUNCEL, Berke	F	5	2-9	0-5	1-2	3	5	8	0	0	3	0	0	21
21	SANDFORT, Pryce	F	21	8-17	5-14	0-0	0	3	3	1	1	1	2	0	33
51	MAST, Rienk	F	20	6-11	0-3	8-10	1	3	4	2	3	2	0	0	32
01	HOIBERG, Sam	G	13	6-6	0-0	1-4	1	2	3	3	4	1	3	0	31
10	LAWRENCE, Jamarques	G	7	3-5	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	3	5	2	0	0	33
05	FRAGER, Braden		16	7-10	2-5	0-0	1	5	6	4	0	1	1	0	20
31	JACOBSEN, Cale		4	1-1	0-0	2-4	2	3	5	3	3	0	0	0	22
00	ESSEGIAN, Connor		0	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	8
TEAM							0	1	1						
TOTALS			**86**	**33-61**	**8-32**	**12-20**	**8**	**24**	**32**	**17**	**16**	**12**	**6**	**0**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	19-35	54.3	5-18	27.8	2-5	40.0
2nd Half	14-26	53.8	3-14	21.4	10-15	66.7
GAME	33-61	54.1	8-32	25.0	12-20	60.0

Deadball Rebounds: 4, 2
Biggest Run: 15 (13:38 1H)
Largest Lead: 15 (9:44 1H)
Technical Fouls: none

K-STATE (5-1)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	4	1-2	1-1	1-2	2	3	5	4	2	3	1	0	18
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	8	3-3	0-0	2-2	2	2	4	3	1	1	1	2	27
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	26	7-15	7-15	5-5	0	3	3	0	2	3	1	0	30
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	27	11-21	1-5	4-5	1	5	6	3	7	4	0	0	37
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	12	4-10	2-6	2-2	0	5	5	2	4	1	0	0	37
10	CASTILLO, David		8	1-6	1-5	5-6	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	0	21
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi		0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7
22	BUCA, Dorin		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		0	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
03	JONES, C.J.		0	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	3	1	0	1	0	18
TEAM							3	2	5						
TOTALS			**85**	**27-62**	**12-35**	**19-22**	**9**	**23**	**32**	**17**	**19**	**13**	**5**	**2**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	13-33	39.4	4-19	21.1	5-6	83.3
2nd Half	14-29	48.3	8-16	50.0	14-16	87.5
GAME	27-62	43.5	12-35	34.3	19-22	86.4

Deadball Rebounds: 3, 1
Biggest Run: 11 (17:06 2H)
Largest Lead: 5 (7:21 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Matt Potter, Edwin Young, Tommy Johnson
Attendance: 6,743 | **Start Time:** 8:30 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:08
K-State led for 8:00 // Nebraska led 23:41 // Game was tied for 8:19
Lead Changes: 13 // **Times Tied:** 11

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
Nebraska	24	48	11	4	20
K-State	18	24	13	12	8

2025-26 BOXSCORES/RECAPS

07 AT INDIANA

Nov. 25, 2025 | Bloomington, Ind. / Assembly Hall

Indiana	39	47	—	86
K-STATE	27	42	—	69

▶ K-State was forced into a season-high 19 turnovers leading to 27 Indiana points, as the No. 25/24 Hoosiers remained unbeaten with an 86-69 win over the Wildcats on Nov. 25 before 12,342 fans at Simon Skjodt Assembly Hall.

▶ The Wildcats (5-2), whose offense entered the game averaging more than 90 points per game, were held to a season-low in both points and field goal percentage (42.1), while the nation's leading scorer – junior **P.J. Haggerty** – finished with a season-low 16 points on 7-of-17 shooting and 6 turnovers. The reigning National Player of the Week saw his school-record streak of games scoring 20 or more points to open the season come to an end at 6 games.

▶ Haggerty was joined in double figures by seniors **C.J. Jones** and **Nate Johnson** who finished the night with 15 and 13 points, respectively. Junior **Elias Rapieque** posted a season-high 9 points to go with 5 rebounds.

▶ K-State struggled from the opening tip, as Indiana jumped out to a 20-4 lead while holding the Wildcats to a 1-of-11 start from the field and 7 turnovers. A 10-0 run sparked by the play of Johnson, Jones and Rapieque enabled the Wildcats to climb back to within a possession on three different occasions. However, a pair of free throws by the Hoosiers before the final media timeout ignited a 13-3 run to end the half that pushed the lead back out to 12 points.

▶ Indiana's momentum continued out of the halftime break, as the Hoosiers scored 10 of the first 12 points to go ahead 49-29 and forced a timeout by **Jerome Tang** less than 4 minutes into the second half. Haggerty helped start a 13-4 run that pulled the Wildcats to within 67-57 with 8:51 remaining.

▶ However, a 3-point play by Conerway on the next possession ended any hopes of a further comeback, as the Hoosiers rattled off 10 of the next 12 points to push back ahead 77-59 with 5:39 to play. The home team extended the lead to as many as 23 points before the Wildcats closed the game with 3-pointers from sophomore **David Castillo** and Jones for the final margin.

▶ In addition to the 27 points scored off turnovers, Indiana also took advantage of a season-high 25 personal fouls by K-State, converting on 22 of 29 attempts from the free throw line. The Hoosiers shot 47.4 percent (27-of-57) from the field, including 57.7 percent (15-of-26) in the second half.

▶ The win continued the Hoosiers' mastery of the Wildcats as they have now won 10 straight in the series, including all 5 matchups at famed Assembly Hall.

INDIANA (6-0)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
01	BAILEY, Reed	F	21	4-7	0-1	13-15	2	2	4	2	2	3	0	0	29
12	DeVRIES, Tucker	F	9	4-11	1-6	0-0	2	4	6	2	5	1	1	2	31
03	WILKERSON, Lamar	G	14	4-7	4-7	2-2	0	4	4	4	1	3	0	0	37
05	ENRIGHT, Conor	G	7	2-5	2-5	1-2	2	4	6	4	3	1	2	0	31
06	CONERWAY, Tayton	G	19	7-14	2-7	3-4	0	4	4	3	2	7	3	0	26
04	ALEXIS, Sam		3	1-1	0-0	1-2	0	2	2	4	1	0	1	1	10
11	SISLEY, Trent		12	5-8	1-3	1-2	3	2	5	0	1	1	0	0	21
07	DORN, Nick		1	0-3	0-3	1-2	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	11
00	MILES, Jasai		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
18	GRENSING, Tryce		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
21	SNIVELY, Drew		0	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
30	STEPHENS, Ian		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
TEAM							2	1	3			1			
TOTALS			**86**	**27-57**	**10-33**	**22-29**	**11**	**24**	**35**	**20**	**15**	**17**	**7**	**4**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	12-31	38.7	7-22	31.8	8-10	80.0
2nd Half	15-26	57.7	3-11	27.3	14-19	73.7
GAME	27-57	47.4	10-33	30.3	22-29	75.9

Deadball Rebounds: 6, 1
Biggest Run: 11 (13:29 1H)
Largest Lead: 23 (2:02 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

K-STATE (5-2)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	9	4-6	1-1	0-0	2	3	5	4	0	1	2	0	22
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	2	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	10
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	3	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	14
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	16	7-18	0-2	2-3	0	3	3	4	2	6	0	0	36
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	13	3-9	2-6	5-6	0	5	5	2	2	4	2	0	33
22	BUCA, Dorin		2	0-0	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	1	0	2	0	1	6
10	CASTILLO, David		7	2-9	1-5	2-2	1	0	1	2	2	2	0	0	29
03	JONES, C.J.		15	5-10	3-4	2-2	1	1	2	2	1	1	0	0	23
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	4	0	0	2	1	15
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		2	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	10
15	MANNING, Taj		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0+
23	OSEI, Stephen		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
TEAM							0	3	3						
TOTALS			**69**	**24-57**	**8-20**	**13-15**	**8**	**20**	**28**	**25**	**10**	**19**	**6**	**2**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	8-24	33.3	2-7	28.6	9-10	90.0
2nd Half	16-33	48.5	6-13	46.2	4-5	80.0
GAME	24-57	42.1	8-20	40.0	13-15	86.7

Deadball Rebounds: 2, 0
Biggest Run: 10 (9:05 1H)
Largest Lead: None
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Brian Dorsey, Earl Walton, James Ford
Attendance: 12,342 | **Start Time:** 7:15 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:11
K-State never led // IU led 39:47 // Game was tied for 0:13
Lead Changes: 0 // **Times Tied:** 0

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
IU	27	32	11	14	16
K-State	16	24	4	11	26

08 BOWLING GREEN

Dec. 1, 2025 | Manhattan, Kan. / Bramlage Coliseum

Bowling Green	49	33	—	82
K-STATE	35	31	—	66

▶ Senior **Sam Towns** led all scorers with 27 points, including 17 in a big first-half performance by Bowling Green, as the Falcons earned an 82-66 wire-to-wire win over K-State Dec. 1 before 6,917 fans at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ Led by Towns, Bowling Green (6-2) set the tone for the game in the first half, scoring 49 points on 50 percent (19-of-38) shooting, including 56.3 percent (9-of-16) from 3-point range, in building a 14-point lead at the half. Towns was nearly perfect from the field in the opening half, connecting on 7-of-8 field goal attempts, including all 3 from beyond the arc.

▶ Despite cooling off from the field in the second half, the Falcons answered every attempt by the Wildcats to cut into the deficit, keeping the lead in double figures for much of the time, including by 18 points with 36 seconds to play. Towns was joined in double figures by seniors **Javontae Campbell** and **Javon Ruffin**, who each scored 17 points.

▶ K-State (5-3) dropped its third straight game after opening the season 5-0, as the Wildcats were held to season-lows in points (66), field goal percentage (39.3) and free throw percentage (54.5) while hitting on just 26.1 percent (6-of-23) from 3-point range.

▶ Sophomore **David Castillo**, in his first start of the season, produced a career-high 22 points on 8-of-15 field goals, including 3-of-9 from 3-point range, while junior **P.J. Haggerty** added 17 points on 6-of-19 shooting, including 1-of-4 from beyond the arc, and 4-of-9 from the line.

▶ The Wildcats turned the ball over a season-low 6 times and surrendered just 3 steals against the Falcons, who lead the NCAA in turnovers forced per game (20.4) and steals per game (13.4).

▶ The loss snapped a 6-game non-conference winning streak at Bramlage Coliseum, as the Wildcats lost for just the third time in a non-conference home game under head coach **Jerome Tang**.

BOWLING GREEN (6-2)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
14	TOWNS, Sam	F	27	9-14	3-5	6-6	2	6	8	3	2	0	2	0	34
16	GLOVER II, Troy	F	2	1-5	0-0	0-0	5	3	8	1	0	2	0	2	23
02	CAMPBELL, Javontae	G	17	6-11	1-2	4-7	2	4	6	4	5	2	0	0	33
11	RUFFIN, Javon	G	17	5-11	5-8	2-2	1	4	5	0	3	2	0	0	38
25	THOMAS, Justin	G	6	2-6	1-2	1-2	1	2	3	2	3	0	0	0	35
09	WOL, Mayar		4	2-5	0-3	0-0	0	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	13
04	SHACKELFORD, Josiah		9	3-10	2-6	1-2	3	2	5	4	2	1	1	0	25
TEAM							1	0	1			1			
TOTALS			**82**	**28-62**	**12-26**	**14-19**	**15**	**24**	**39**	**15**	**16**	**8**	**3**	**2**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	19-38	50.0	9-16	56.3	2-4	50.0
2nd Half	9-24	37.5	3-10	30.0	12-15	80.0
GAME	28-62	45.2	12-26	46.2	14-19	73.7

Deadball Rebounds: 4, 3
Biggest Run: 8 (3:31 1H)
Largest Lead: 18 (0:36 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

K-STATE (5-3)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	9	4-5	0-0	1-5	2	3	5	4	2	1	0	3	23
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	8	3-10	2-7	0-0	1	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	22
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	17	6-19	1-4	4-9	2	2	4	1	2	3	1	0	32
10	CASTILLO, David	G	22	8-15	3-9	3-4	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	33
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	4	2-6	0-1	0-0	0	4	4	2	2	1	2	0	32
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	7
03	JONES, C.J.		4	1-3	0-1	2-2	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	20
06	JOHNSON, Marcus		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi		0	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	5	7	4	1	0	0	0	15
15	MANNING, Taj		2	0-1	0-1	2-2	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	13
TEAM							1	1	2						
TOTALS			**66**	**24-61**	**6-23**	**12-22**	**13**	**19**	**32**	**18**	**11**	**6**	**3**	**3**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	15-33	45.5	5-13	38.5	0-4	0.0
2nd Half	9-28	32.1	1-10	10.0	12-18	66.7
GAME	24-61	39.3	6-23	26.1	12-22	54.5

Deadball Rebounds: 7, 1
Biggest Run: 5 (6:25 1H)
Largest Lead: None
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Doug Sirmons, Keith Patterson, Lee Cassell
Attendance: 6,917 | **Start Time:** 7:01 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 1:58
K-State never led // Bowling Green led 39:04 // Game was tied for 0:56
Lead Changes: 0 // **Times Tied:** 0

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
BGSU	9	30	17	0	13
K-State	6	32	14	9	6

09 SETON HALL

Dec. 6, 2025 | Manhattan, Kan. / Bramlage Coliseum

Seton Hall	35	43	—	78
K-STATE	29	38	—	67

▶ Seton Hall showed why it is one of the top defensive teams in the country by forcing Kansas State into season-lows into multiple offensive categories en route to a 78-67 win on Dec. 6 before 9,195 fans at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ The Pirates (9-1), who rank in the top-15 in scoring defense, blocks, turnover margin and steals, continued their impressive start to the season by converting 16 Wildcat turnover into 22 points while also holding the potent K-State offense to 67 points on season-lows for field goal percentage (37.1), 3-point field goal percentage (20.0) and free throw percentage (42.9).

▶ In game where the Pirates held a slight edge in field goal percentage (38.9 to 37.1) it was the 22-7 advantage in points off turnovers and 20 missed free throws by the Wildcats (5-4) that proved to be too much to overcome despite a season-best crowd of 9,196 fans who were on hand to see the introduction of new head football coach **Collin Klein** at halftime.

▶ Seton Hall led by as many as 8 points in the early going before 7-foot-2 junior center **Dorin Buca** helped ignite a 10-2 run by K-State that tied it at 22-all, forcing a timeout by coach **Shaheen Holloway** with under 8 minutes to play in the half. The teams went back and forth before a driving layup by senior **Elijah Fisher** sparked an 8-0 run that carried the Pirates to a 35-29 halftime lead.

▶ The momentum carried into the early moments of the second half, as a dunk by freshman **Najai Hines** started a 9-2 run that extended the lead to 44-31, forcing a timeout by K-State head coach **Jerome Tang** with 17:21 to play. The Wildcats used another 10-2 run to close the deficit to 62-54 with less than 6 minutes to play, but the Pirates responded with 9 straight points to put the game away at 71-54 with just over 4 minutes remaining.

▶ Graduate transfer **A.J. Staton-McCray** and Fisher paced four Seton Hall players in double figures with a game-high 16 points each, while Hines and junior **Adam Clark** added 11 and 10 points, respectively.

▶ All five K-State starters scored in double figures for the first time this season led by a team-high 12 points from senior **Khamari McGriff**. Juniors **Abdi Bashir Jr.** and **P.J. Haggerty** and senior **Nate Johnson** all added 11 points while sophomore **David Castillo** had 10 points in his second straight start.

▶ Buca finished with his best all-around game of the season with 5 points, 7 rebounds, 2 assists and 3 blocked shots in just 17 minutes of action.

SETON HALL (9-1)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
06	PAYNE III, Stephon	F	5	2-3	0-0	1-2	3	3	6	4	2	0	1	2	19
00	CLARK, Adam	G	10	4-13	1-3	1-4	0	3	3	2	3	1	1	0	31
14	STATON-McCRAY, A.J.	G	16	3-15	1-7	9-9	0	5	5	1	4	1	2	1	32
22	FISHER, Elijah	G	16	5-9	1-4	5-6	3	2	5	4	1	2	2	0	31
29	WILLIAMS II, Mike	G	9	4-11	1-4	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	3	2	0	24
02	SIMPKINS, Tajuan		6	3-6	0-2	0-0	0	3	3	3	1	1	1	0	20
25	HINES, Najai		11	5-6	0-0	1-1	1	2	3	4	0	0	0	2	13
13	PARKER, Trey		5	2-3	1-2	0-0	0	4	4	2	2	2	1	0	16
01	DAR, Jacob		0	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4
07	RIVERA, Josh		0	0-4	0-1	0-0	2	4	6	1	0	1	0	0	10
TEAM							4	2	6			1			
TOTALS			**78**	**28-72**	**5-23**	**17-22**	**15**	**29**	**44**	**22**	**15**	**12**	**10**	**5**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	13-36	36.1	3-15	20.0	6-10	60.0
2nd Half	15-36	41.7	2-8	25.0	11-12	91.7
GAME	28-72	38.9	5-23	21.7	17-22	77.3

Deadball Rebounds: 5, 0
Biggest Run: 9 (4:12 2H)
Largest Lead: 17 (4:12 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

K-STATE (5-4)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	12	5-8	0-0	2-6	7	1	8	2	1	1	1	3	21
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	11	4-10	3-9	0-3	0	1	1	3	2	0	2	0	23
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	11	3-12	0-2	5-12	1	3	4	4	6	6	3	0	32
10	CASTILLO, David	G	10	4-14	1-8	1-2	1	4	5	3	3	1	0	0	31
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	11	4-10	1-6	2-2	3	4	7	3	0	3	0	0	32
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias		0	0-1	0-0	0-2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	10
03	JONES, C.J.		6	1-3	1-3	3-4	1	4	5	0	2	1	0	0	16
14	IKEGWURUKA, Mobi		1	0-0	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	5
22	BUCA, Dorin		5	2-2	0-0	1-2	2	5	7	1	2	2	0	3	17
15	MANNING, Taj		0	0-2	0-2	0-0	1	3	4	0	0	0	1	0	8
06	JOHNSON, Marcus		0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
TEAM							3	2	5	1		1			
TOTALS			**67**	**23-62**	**6-30**	**15-35**	**19**	**28**	**47**	**22**	**16**	**16**	**7**	**7**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	10-31	32.3	2-14	14.3	7-15	46.7
2nd Half	13-31	41.9	4-16	25.0	8-20	40.0
GAME	23-62	37.1	6-30	20.0	15-35	42.9

Deadball Rebounds: 11, 1
Biggest Run: 7 (11:06 2H)
Largest Lead: 2 (19:45 1H)
Technical Fouls: Coach (13:28 2H)

Officials: Marques Pettigrew, James Ford, Robert Felder
Attendance: 9,195 | **Start Time:** 3:01 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:20
K-State led 0:54 // Seton Hall led 36:42 // Game was tied for 2:24
Lead Changes: 3 // **Times Tied:** 3

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
SHU	22	40	18	11	22
K-State	7	34	10	12	12

2025-26 BOXSCORES/RECAPS

10 MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE

Dec. 8, 2025 | Manhattan, Kan. / Bramlage Coliseum

Mississippi Valley	21	28	—	49
K-STATE	55	53	—	108

▶ K-State ended its 4-game skid with a thorough domination of Mississippi Valley State on Dec. 8, breaking 100 points for the fourth time under head coach **Jerome Tang** while connecting on 57.6 percent shooting in a 108-49 victory before 6,682 fans at Bramlage Coliseum.

▶ K-State (6-4) eclipsed 100 points in a game for the 42nd time, while the 108 points tied for the eighth-most in school history and were the most since the Wildcats scored a school-record 120 points in a win over UAPB more than a year ago. The 59-point margin of victory tied for the fourth-largest and was the largest since a 61-point win over Alabama-Huntsville on Nov. 13, 2012.

▶ In shooting 57.6 percent (38-of-66) from the field, the Wildcats made 63.3 percent (19-of-30) of their 2-point field goals, including a 34-10 advantage in the paint, while collecting the third-most 3-point field goals (19) in school history on 52.8 percent shooting. They also outscored the Delta Devils in points off turnovers (17-4), second-chance points (17-7) and fast-break points (27-11).

▶ The 19 made 3-pointers are only surpassed by the school-record 23 against Fresno State in 1994 and the 21 vs. UAPB in 2024. Six different players had at least one 3-pointers, including 5 each from juniors **P.J. Haggerty** and **Abdi Bashir Jr.** and sophomore **David Castillo**.

▶ All 11 players who saw action had at least one made field goal while four Wildcats scored in double figures led by a game-high 28 points from the nation's leading scorer – Haggerty – who has now scored in double figures in all 10 games this season. Castillo had 19 points off the bench on 6-of-11 field goals, while Bashir and senior **Nate Johnson** added 15 and 14 points, respectively.

▶ The Wildcats also shared the ball well with the third-most assists (30) in a game on their 38 made field goals, as four players tallied 5 or more assists, including a game-high 6 by Johnson.

▶ K-State took control less than 2 minutes into the game with 6 straight points before stretching its lead to 20 points (32-12) near the midway point of the first half. The lead was 18 points before a 14-0 run made it 50-18 with less than 2 minutes before halftime. The second half was much of the same as the deficit never fell below 32 points and grew to as many as 61 (108-47) with 1:25 to play.

▶ MVSU (1-9) shot just 25.8 percent (16-of-62), including 22.2 percent (4-of-18) from 3-point range. Junior **Michael James** led the way with 23 points.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE (1-9)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
03	SAMS, Lamont	F	3	1-3	1-2	0-0	0	2	2	3	1	1	0	0	15
22	MAYFIELD, Daniel	F	6	1-11	0-2	4-4	1	5	6	0	0	3	0	2	32
02	HOLMES, Delkedric	G	2	1-3	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	3	1	0	0	17
10	JAMES, Michael	G	23	10-23	3-8	0-0	2	1	3	2	1	6	3	0	38
24	BARNETT, X'Zaevion	G	4	1-5	0-1	2-4	1	6	7	1	1	2	2	0	25
00	PUNCH, Patrick		5	0-7	0-3	5-6	2	1	3	0	4	3	3	1	26
05	SUTTON, Chance		0	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	9
20	MZEIN, Mussa		6	2-8	0-1	2-2	2	0	2	3	1	0	0	1	30
33	SISK, Antonio		0	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	8
TEAM							3	2	5			1			
TOTALS			**49**	**16-62**	**4-18**	**13-16**	**12**	**18**	**30**	**12**	**11**	**19**	**8**	**4**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	6-31	19.4	0-6	0.0	9-12	75.0
2nd Half	10-31	32.3	4-12	33.3	4-4	100.0
GAME	16-62	25.8	4-18	22.2	13-16	81.3

Deadball Rebounds: 4, 0
Biggest Run: 3 (19:52 1H)
Largest Lead: None
Technical Fouls: None

K-STATE (6-4)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	5	2-4	0-0	1-3	4	2	6	3	5	2	2	0	19
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	8	2-2	0-0	4-4	1	3	4	3	2	2	0	1	20
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	15	5-10	5-10	0-0	0	2	2	0	5	2	2	0	16
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	28	11-14	5-6	1-1	0	4	4	1	3	2	1	0	25
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	14	5-7	2-3	2-2	1	2	3	1	6	0	5	0	21
03	JONES, C.J.		5	2-4	1-1	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	18
10	CASTILLO, David		19	6-11	5-8	2-2	0	3	3	0	5	3	1	0	25
15	MANNING, Taj		4	2-4	0-1	0-0	3	3	6	0	0	0	1	0	18
22	BUCA, Dorin		5	1-3	0-1	3-4	0	5	5	3	1	1	0	5	20
47	KOSTIC, Andrej		2	1-4	0-3	0-0	2	2	4	2	3	1	1	0	12
06	JOHNSON, Marcus		3	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	7
TEAM							1	3	4						
TOTALS			**108**	**38-66**	**19-36**	**13-16**	**12**	**33**	**45**	**15**	**30**	**14**	**13**	**6**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	19-32	59.4	6-13	46.2	11-14	78.6
2nd Half	19-34	55.9	13-23	56.5	2-2	100.0
GAME	38-66	57.6	19-36	52.8	13-16	81.3

Deadball Rebounds: 1, 0
Biggest Run: 14 (2:04 1H)
Largest Lead: 61 (4:33 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: Kipp Kissinger, Doug Sirmons, Ron Groover
Attendance: 6,682 | **Start Time:** 7:01 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 1:56
K-State led 38:35 // Mississippi Valley never led // Game was tied for 1:25
Lead Changes: 0 // **Times Tied:** 1

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
MVSU	4	10	7	11	11
K-State	17	34	17	27	38

11 AT CREIGHTON

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Creighton	33	43	—	76
K-STATE	51	32	—	83

▶ Sophomore **David Castillo** scored six of his game-high 19 points in the last two minutes to help K-State hold off a furious Creighton rally in an 83-76 win on Dec. 13 before 16,657 fans at CHI Health Center Omaha.

▶ K-State (7-4) earned its first win in a non-conference road game since a 75-60 victory at LSU on Dec. 9, 2023, snapping a 4-game skid. The Wildcats posted just their third all-time win in 10 visits to Omaha (1969, 1987 and 2025) while running their winning streak over the Bluejays to 4 games.

▶ Buoyed by a near record-setting 51-point first-half, K-State led by as many as 20 points in the early moments of the second half before Creighton (5-5) slowly chipped away at the deficit, closing to within 73-70 with 2:41 to play. However, Castillo saved his best for clutch time, scoring six of the Wildcats' last 10 points while adding an assist. It marked the fourth straight game in double figures for the sophomore, including the second in a row off the bench with 19 points.

▶ After Bluejay senior **Josh Dix** missed a 3-pointer that would have tied the game with 2:10 remaining, Castillo grabbed the rebound and converted on a driving layup. Following another 3-point miss, Castillo once again drove the lane, feeding senior **Khamari McGriff** on a lob dunk to put the Wildcats ahead 77-70 with 1:21 left. Castillo then knocked down a pair of free throws for a 79-73 lead before finishing things off with a breakaway dunk with 18 seconds.

▶ Castillo was one of four Wildcats to score in double figures, collecting his 19 points on 7-of-11 field goals, including 2-of-4 from 3-point range, while making all 3 free throws. Omaha native junior **Abdi Bashir Jr.** put on a show for the hometown crowd with 18 points on 6 made 3-pointers, including 15 points in the first half when he eclipsed 1,000 career points. Senior **Khamari McGriff** and junior **P.J. Haggert**y added 12 and 10 points, respectively, while senior **Nate Johnson** had game-highs in both assists (6) and steals (4) go with 8 points.

▶ K-State led by as many as 18 points in the first half, including 51-33 at the break, as the Wildcats connected on 59.4 percent (19-of-32) from the field, including 64.7 percent (11-of-17) from 3-point range.

▶ The Wildcats, which shot a season-low 27.8 percent (10-of-36) in the second half, finished at 42.6 percent (29-of-68) for the game, including 42.9 percent (12-of-28) from 3-point range. The team also made 13 of 15 attempts (86.7 percent) from the free throw line and turned the ball over just 7 times.

CREIGHTON (5-5)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	GREEN, Jasen	F	6	3-7	0-1	0-0	2	6	8	2	3	2	0	1	32
41	TRAUDT, Isaac	F	18	5-10	4-8	4-5	2	5	7	1	0	0	0	0	26
01	SWARTZ, Austin	G	12	4-11	4-9	0-0	2	1	3	2	2	2	0	0	26
04	DIX, Josh	G	18	7-17	2-7	2-2	2	5	7	0	2	0	0	2	35
09	DAVIS, Ty	G	5	2-3	1-2	0-0	0	2	2	3	5	1	1	0	30
05	GRAVES, Nik		2	0-2	0-1	2-2	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	9
32	FREEMAN, Owen		4	2-6	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	1	2	0	1	3	11
07	ZUGIC, Fedor		7	2-5	1-3	2-2	0	2	2	2	0	0	1	1	21
17	KONAN, Kerem		0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
02	HARPER, Blake		4	0-1	0-1	4-4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7
TEAM							0	0	0			1			
TOTALS			**76**	**25-63**	**12-32**	**14-15**	**11**	**24**	**35**	**13**	**15**	**7**	**4**	**7**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	10-31	32.3	5-15	33.3	8-8	100.0
2nd Half	15-32	46.9	7-17	41.2	6-7	85.7
GAME	25-63	39.7	12-32	37.5	14-15	93.3

Deadball Rebounds: 1, 1
Biggest Run: 11 (16:38 2H)
Largest Lead: 3 (19:20 1H)
Technical Fouls: None

K-STATE (7-4)

No.	Name		PTS	FG	3FG	FT	O	D	R	PF	A	TO	S	B	MIN
00	RAPIEQUE, Elias	W	9	4-5	1-1	0-0	3	3	6	5	2	0	0	0	25
21	McGRIFF, Khamari	W	12	3-7	1-1	5-6	3	3	6	2	0	1	0	2	28
01	BASHIR Jr., Abdi	G	18	6-17	6-12	0-0	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	28
04	HAGGERTY, P.J.	G	10	4-12	0-2	2-3	1	4	5	2	1	2	0	0	34
34	JOHNSON, Nate	G	8	3-10	2-7	0-0	1	3	4	1	6	2	4	1	32
10	CASTILLO, David		19	7-11	2-4	3-3	1	1	2	3	3	0	1	1	23
15	MANNING, Taj		2	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	13
22	BUCA, Dorin		5	1-3	0-0	3-3	2	3	5	2	1	1	0	0	11
03	JONES, C.J.		0	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	7
TEAM							2	3	5						
TOTALS			**83**	**29-68**	**12-28**	**13-15**	**15**	**27**	**42**	**16**	**14**	**7**	**5**	**4**	**200**

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	19-32	59.4	11-17	64.7	2-2	100.0
2nd Half	10-36	27.8	1-11	9.1	11-13	84.6
GAME	29-68	42.6	12-28	42.9	13-15	86.7

Deadball Rebounds: 1, 0
Biggest Run: 7 (3:34 1H)
Largest Lead: 20 (18:41 2H)
Technical Fouls: None

Officials: James Breeding, Tim Clougherty, Antinio Petty
Attendance: 16,657 | **Start Time:** 2:15 p.m. | **Game Duration:** 2:13
K-State led 36:51 // Creighton led 0:56 // Game was tied for 2:13
Lead Changes: 5 // **Times Tied:** 2

Points From	Off Turnovers	Paint	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
CU	2	24	11	10	17
K-State	8	34	16	9	26

12 SOUTH DAKOTA

THE LAST TIME K-STATE...

Team

K-State was ranked No. 1 in AP Top 25: March 14, 1959
K-State was ranked in AP Top 25: No. 15 (March 13, 2023)
K-State was ranked in USA Today Coaches Poll: No. 9 (April 4, 2023)
Played AP No. 1-ranked opponent: Lost to Baylor, 77-68 (Jan. 14, 2017)
Defeated AP No. 1-ranked opponent: Oklahoma, 80-69 (Feb. 6, 2016)
Defeated AP No. 1-ranked opponent on road: Kansas, 68-64 (Jan. 17, 1994)
Played AP No. 2-ranked opponent: Defeated No. 2 Kansas, 83-82 [OT] (Jan. 17, 2023)
Defeated opponent ranked 3-10 by AP: No. 3 Iowa State, 80-61 (Feb. 1, 2025)
Defeated opponent ranked 3-10 by AP on the road: No. 3 Iowa State, 80-61 (Feb. 1, 2025)
Defeated opponent ranked 11-15 by AP: No. 13 Arizona, 73-70 (Feb. 11, 2025)
Defeated AP Top 25 opponent at home: No. 13 Arizona, 73-70 (Feb. 11, 2025)
Defeated AP Top 25 opponent on the road: No. 3 Iowa State, 80-61 (Feb. 1, 2025)
Defeated consecutive AP Top 25 opponents on the road:
No. 6 Texas, 116-103 (Jan. 3, 2023) and No. 19 Baylor, 97-95 [OT] (Jan. 7, 2023)
Defeated AP Top 25 opponent at neutral site: No. 18 Kentucky, 61-58 (March 22, 2018)

Scoring

Scored 20 or more points: 28 by P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
Reserve scored 20 or more points: 20 by Macaleab Rich at Wichita State (Dec. 21, 2024)
Freshman scored 20 or more points: 23 by Nijel Pack vs. TCU (March 10, 2021)
Scored 30 or more points: 37 by P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025)
Freshman scored 30 or more points: 34 by Marcus Foster vs. Texas (Feb. 8, 2014)
Scored 35 or more points: 37 by P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025)
Scored 40 or more points: 44 by Denis Clemente at Texas (Jan. 31, 2009)
Scored 50 or more points: 62 by Askia Jones vs. Fresno State (March 24, 1994) *school record*
Two or more Wildcats scored 30 or more points in same game:
Michael Beasley (44) and Bill Walker (31) at Baylor (Feb. 23, 2008)
Two or more Wildcats scored 25 or more points in same game:
P.J. Haggerty (27) and Abdi Bashir Jr. (26) vs. Nebraska (Nov. 21, 2025)
Two or more Wildcats scored 20 or more points in same game:
P.J. Haggerty (27) and Abdi Bashir Jr. (26) vs. Nebraska (Nov. 21, 2025)
Three or more Wildcats scored 20 or more points in same game:
P.J. Haggerty (23 points), Khamari McGriff (21 points) and Nate Johnson (20 points) vs. California (Nov. 13, 2025)
Scored 20 points in one half: 22 (2nd) by P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025)
Scored 20 points/two straight games:
P.J. Haggerty (6), 27 vs. UNC Greensboro (Nov. 4, 2025), 23 vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025), 23 vs. California (Nov. 13, 2025), 31 vs. Tulsa (Nov. 17, 2025), 37 vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025), 27 vs. Nebraska (Nov. 21, 2025)
Scored 20 points/three straight games:
P.J. Haggerty (6), 27 vs. UNC Greensboro (Nov. 4, 2025), 23 vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025), 23 vs. California (Nov. 13, 2025), 31 vs. Tulsa (Nov. 17, 2025), 37 vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025), 27 vs. Nebraska (Nov. 21, 2025)
Scored 20 points/four straight games:
P.J. Haggerty (6), 27 vs. UNC Greensboro (Nov. 4, 2025), 23 vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025), 23 vs. California (Nov. 13, 2025), 31 vs. Tulsa (Nov. 17, 2025), 37 vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025), 27 vs. Nebraska (Nov. 21, 2025)
Scored 30 points/two straight games:
P.J. Haggerty, 31 vs. Tulsa (Nov. 17, 2025), 37 vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025)
No Wildcat scored in double figures: at Nebraska (Jan. 26, 1983)
One Wildcat scored in double figures: Tylor Perry (23) vs. No. 23/24 Oklahoma (Jan. 30, 2024)
Four Wildcats scored in double figures:
David Castillo (19), Abdi Bashir Jr. (18), Khamari McGriff (12), P.J. Haggerty (10) at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
Five Wildcats scored in double figures:
Khamari McGriff (12), Abdi Bashir Jr. (11), P.J. Haggerty (11), Nate Johnson (11), David Castillo (10) vs. Seton Hall (Dec. 6, 2025)
Six Wildcats scored in double figures: Achor Achor (21), Dug McDaniel (18), David Castillo (17), David N'Guessan (17), Brendan Hausen (14), Max Jones (12) vs. UAPB (Dec. 1, 2024)
Seven Wildcats scored in double figures: Keyontae Johnson (18), Nae'Qwan Tomlin (15), Desi Sills (14), David N'Guessan (12), Cam Carter (10), Dorian Finister (10) and Markquis Nowell (10) vs. UIW (Dec. 11, 2022)
All five Wildcat starters scored in double figures: Khamari McGriff (12), Abdi Bashir Jr. (11), P.J. Haggerty (11), Nate Johnson (11), David Castillo (10) vs. Seton Hall (Dec. 6, 2025)
K-State scored 70 or more points: 83 at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
K-State scored 80 or more points: 83 at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
K-State scored 90 or more points: 108 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State scored 100 or more points: 108 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)

Field Goal Shooting

Made 10 or more field goals: 11 by P.J. Haggerty vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
Made 15 or more field goals: 15 by Michael Beasley vs. Nebraska (Feb. 6, 2008)
100 percent from the field (min. 10 att): 100.0% (11-11) by Eddie Elder vs. Colorado (Feb. 23, 1985)
100 percent from the field (min. 5 att): 100% (8-8) by Khamari McGriff and (7-7) by David Castilo vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025)
K-State connected on 50 percent or better: 57.6 (38-66) vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State connected on 50 percent or better in both halves:
59.4% (19-32)/1st half and 55.9% (19-34)/2nd half vs. vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State connected on 60 percent or better: 64.4 (38-59) vs. California (Nov. 13, 2025)
K-State connected on 60 percent or better in both halves:
67.6% (23-34)/1st half and 60.0% (15-25)/2nd half vs. California (Nov. 13, 2025)
K-State connected on 70 percent or better: 70.0 (42-60) vs. Southern Colorado (Nov. 30, 1985)
K-State made 30 or more field goals: 38 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State made 40 or more field goals: 40 vs. UAPB (Dec. 1, 2024)
K-State made 45 or more field goals: 49 vs. Morgan State (Jan. 5, 1985) *school record*
K-State made 50 or more field goals: *Never been done in recorded school history*
K-State attempted 60 or more field goals: 68 at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
K-State attempted 70 or more field goals: 73 vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 20, 2025)
K-State attempted 80 or more field goals: 88 vs. South Dakota (Jan. 3, 2010)
K-State attempted 90 or more field goals: 94 vs. Houston (March 14, 1970)
K-State attempted 100 or more field goals: 103 vs. Cal State Fullerton (Dec. 2, 1967)

3-Point Field Goal Shooting

Made 5 or more 3-point field goals: 6 by Abdi Bashir Jr. at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
Made 10 or more 3-point field goals: 14 by Askia Jones vs. Fresno State (March 24, 1994) *school record*
100 percent from the field (min. 5 att): 100.0% (5-5) by David Castillo vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025)
K-State connected on 50 percent or better (min. 10 att): 52.8% (19-36) vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State connected on 60 percent or better (min. 10 att): 60.9% (14-23) vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025)
K-State connected on 70 percent or better (min. 10 att): 71.4% (10-14) vs. Western Illinois (Nov. 11, 2016)
K-State connected on 80 percent or better (min. 10 att): 80.0% (8-10) vs. Coastal Carolina (Dec. 6, 1997)
K-State made 10 or more 3-point field goals: 12 at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
K-State made 15 or more 3-point field goals: 21 vs. UAPB (Dec. 1, 2024)
K-State made 20 or more 3-point field goals: 21 vs. UAPB (Dec. 1, 2024)
K-State attempted 30 or more 3-point field goals: 36 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State attempted 35 or more 3-point field goals: 36 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State attempted 35 or more 3-point field goals: 40 vs. UAPB (Dec. 1, 2024) *school record*

Double-Double / Triple-Double

Had a Triple-Double: *Never happened in recorded school history*
Had a 20/20 Double-Double (Pts/Rebs): Michael Beasley (28 pts, 22 rebs) vs. Western Illinois (Nov. 17, 2007)
Had a 30/10 Double-Double (Pts/Rebs): P.J. Haggerty (31 pts, 10 rebs) vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)
Had a 20/10 Double-Double (Pts/Rebs): P.J. Haggerty (31 pts, 10 rebs) vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)
Had a Double-Double (Pts/Rebs): P.J. Haggerty (31 pts, 10 rebs) vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)
Had a Double-Double (Pts/Asts): P.J. Haggerty (23 pts, 11 asts) vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025)
Had a Double-Double (Rebs/Asts): *Never happened in recorded school history*
Had a Double-Double (Pts/Rebs) in a Half: David N'Guessan (16 pts, 10 rebs) 2H vs. Arizona State (Feb. 23, 2025)
Had a Double-Double (Pts/Rebs) in Consecutive Games:
David N'Guessan (12 pts, 17 rebs) at TCU (Jan. 4, 2025) and (12 pts, 12 rebs) at Oklahoma State (Jan. 7, 2025)
Had a Double-Double (Pts/Asts) in Consecutive Games:
Markquis Nowell (20 pts, 19 asts vs. Michigan State; March 23, 2023) and (30 pts, 12 asts vs. No. 25/25 FAU (March 25, 2023)
Two Players with Double-Doubles in Same Game:
Selton Miguel (12 pts, 10 rebs) and Mark Smith (14 pts, 10 rebs) vs. UAlbany (Dec. 1, 2021)

^Second 30-point, 10-assist game in school history and first in an NCAA Tournament game

Free Throw Shooting

Made 10 or more free throws: 11 by P.J. Haggerty vs. Tulsa (Nov. 17, 2025)
Made 15 or more free throws: 15 by Jacob Pullen vs. Kansas (Feb. 14, 2011)
Perfect at the FT line (min. 10 att): 10-10 by Tylor Perry vs. Texas (March 13, 2024)
Perfect at the FT line: 17-17 by Steve Henson at Iowa State (Feb. 24, 1988) *school record*
K-State connected on 80 percent or better (min. 15 att.): 86.7% (13-15) at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
K-State connected on 90 percent or better (min. 15 att.): 90.5% (19-21) vs. Tulsa (Nov. 17, 2025)
K-State connected on 100 percent or better (min. 15 att.): 100% (16-16) vs. Nebraska (Jan. 26, 1980)
K-State made 20 or more free throws: 25 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Nov. 19, 2024)
K-State made 30 or more free throws: 34 vs. North Alabama (Dec. 2, 2023)
K-State made 40 or more free throws: 41 vs. Oklahoma (Dec. 29, 1958)
K-State attempted 30 or more free throws: 35 vs. Seton Hall (Dec. 6,. 2025)
K-State attempted 40 or more free throws: 48 vs. North Alabama (Dec. 2, 2023)
K-State attempted 50 or more free throws: 54 at Colorado (Jan. 16, 2010)
K-State attempted 55 or more free throws: 56 vs. Purdue (Dec. 1, 1958) *school record*

Rebounds

Had 10 or more rebounds: 10 by P.J. Haggerty vs. Tulsa (Nov. 17, 2025)
Had 15 or more rebounds: 17 by David N'Guessan at TCU (Jan. 4, 2025)
Had 20 or more rebounds: 22 by Michael Beasley vs. Western Illinois (Nov. 17, 2007)
Had 10 or more rebounds in consecutive games:
David N'Guessan (17 at TCU (Jan. 4, 2025) and 12 at Oklahoma State (Jan. 7, 2025)
Multiple players had 10 or more rebounds: Selton Miguel (10 rebs) and Mark Smith (10 rebs) vs. UAlbany (Dec. 1, 2021)
K-State had 20 or more offensive rebounds: 21 vs. Mississippi State (Nov. 19, 2024)
K-State had 30 or more defensive rebounds: 33 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State had 40 or more rebounds: 42 at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
K-State had 50 or more rebounds: 63 vs. Central Arkansas (Nov. 22, 2023)
K-State had 60 or more rebounds: 63 vs. Central Arkansas (Nov. 22, 2023)

Assists

Had 10 or more assists: 11 by P.J. Haggerty vs. Bellarmine (Nov. 8, 2025)
Had 15 or more assists: 19 by Markquis Nowell vs. Michigan State (March 23, 2023) *school record*
K-State had 20 or more assists: 30 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State had 30 or more assists: 30 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)

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Blocked Shots

Had 5 or more blocked shots: 5 by Dorin Buca vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
Had 10 or more blocked shots: *Never happened in recorded school history*
K-State had 5 or more blocked shots: 6 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State had 10 or more blocked shots: 11 vs. North Florida (Dec. 11, 2011)

Steals

Had 5 or more steals: 5 by Nate Johnson vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
Had 10 or more steals: *Never happened in recorded school history*
K-State had 10 or more steals: 13 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
K-State had 15 or more steals: 15 vs. Oklahoma State (Jan. 29, 2025)

Turnovers

K-State had 3 or fewer turnovers: 3 vs. SIU-Edwardsville (Dec. 14, 1978) *school record*
K-State had 5 or fewer turnovers: 5 at No. 9/10 Kansas (Jan. 18, 2025)
Opponent committed 15 or more turnovers: 19 vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025)
Opponent committed 20 or more turnovers: 21 by Oklahoma State (Jan. 29, 2025)

Overtime

Played an Overtime Game: Lost to Drake, 73-70 (Dec. 17, 2024)
Played an Overtime Game at home: Won vs. West Virginia, 94-90 (Feb. 26, 2024)
Played a 2-Overtime Game: Lost at No. 13/13 Baylor, 79-72 (Jan. 20, 2016)
Played a 3-Overtime Game: Lost at Oregon State, 87-72 (Dec. 6, 2003)
Played a 4-Overtime Game: Lost at Missouri State, 82-80 (Dec. 8, 1987)
Played in Consecutive OT Games (3 in a row):
Won vs. Oral Roberts, 88-78 (Nov. 28, 2023), Won vs. North Alabama, 75-74 (Dec. 2, 2023), Won vs. Villanova (Dec. 5, 2023)

Winning Streaks

K-State won consecutive games: vs. Mississippi Valley State (Dec. 8, 2025) and at Creighton (Dec. 13, 2025)
K-State had a 5 or more game winning streak: 5, Nov. 4-20, 2025
(longest since winning 6, Jan. 25 to Feb. 11, 2025)
K-State had a 10 or more game winning streak: 10, Nov. 24, 2013 to Jan. 7, 2014
K-State had a 15 or more game winning streak: 21, Dec. 19, 1958 to March 13, 1959
K-State had a 20 or more game winning streak: 21, Dec. 19, 1958 to March 13, 1959

Miscellaneous

Hit a Buzzer Beater: vs. Villanova 72-71 (Dec. 5, 2023) [Tylor Perry 3-pointer at :03.9]
Won after trailing by at least 10 points in second half: 10 vs. Texas (March 13, 2024)
(down 39-29, 20:00 remaining - won 78-74)
Won after trailing by at least 15 points in second half: 15 at Iowa State (Feb. 12, 2022)
(down 45-30, 18:59 remaining - won 75-69 in overtime)

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SUPERLATIVES

	—	—	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	—	15	—	—	15
15+ Points	—	8	—	—	8
20+ Points	—	4	—	—	4
2+ 3FGM	—	—	—	—	—
5+ Rebounds	—	13	4	—	17
3+ Assists	—	17	2	—	19
Multiple Steals	—	14	3	—	17
2+ Blocks	—	1	1	—	2
Double-Doubles	—	1	—	—	1

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	9, twice
Career	27 vs. ETB Miners (2/15/25)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Made

Season	6 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	8 vs. Paderborn (5/3/25)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Attempted

Season	6, twice
Career	18 vs. Paderborn (5/3/25)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	1, 4 times
Career	4 vs. Hamburg (12/12/21)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	4 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career	7, 4 times
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	2 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)
Career	10 vs. Rostock II (1/13/24)
Big 12	—

Free Throws Attempted

Season	4 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)
Career	12 vs. ETB Miners (2/15/25)
Big 12	—

Rebounds

Season	6, twice
Career	12 vs. Berlin Braves (3/1/25)
Big 12	—

Assists

Season	5 vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)
Career	11 vs. Berlin Braves (3/1/25)
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	2 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	2, 4 times
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	3 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	7, twice
Big 12	—

Minutes

Season	25 at Creighton (12/13/25)
Career	36 vs. Paderborn (5/3/25)
Big 12	—

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
3.7	3.0	1.6	43.2	36.4	38.5

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25))

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
25	9	6	2	0	0

RAPIEQUE AT A GLANCE

▶ Has played in all 11 games to start the year, averaging 17.4 minutes per game... Returned to the starting lineup vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) with his 7th start (started 6 straight games from Nov. 8-25)... Started again in the win at Creighton (12/13/25) with a season-high 25 minutes played.

▶ Has scored in 8 of 11 games, including a season-high 9 points at Indiana (11/25/25) and Creighton (12/13/25)... Also scored 5 points vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25) and Mississippi Valley (12/8/25).

▶ Matched his season-high with 6 rebounds at Creighton (12/13/25).

▶ Played his best all-around game vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) with 5 points, season-highs in rebounds (6) and assists (5) and 2 steals in 19 minutes.

▶ Was solid all-around vs. Nebraska (11/21/25) with 4 points, 5 rebounds, 2 assists and a steal in 18 minutes.

▶ Contributed in multiple areas vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25) with 5 points, 4 rebounds, 3 steals and 2 blocks in 21 minutes.

▶ Member of German U18 and U20 National Teams, playing at 2022 European U18 Championship as well as 2023 and 2024 European U20 Championships.

▶ First-ever German basketball player at K-State... One of just 24 foreign-born players in school history and one of just 7 from the European continent.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a career-high 27 points vs. ETB Miners (2/15/25) while playing for SSV Lokomotive Bernau on 9-of-16 field goals.

▶ Collected a triple-double while playing for SSV Lokomotive Bernau vs. the Berlin Braves with 16 points, 12 rebounds and 11 assists in 35 minutes.

BACKGROUND

▶ Grew up with the ALBA Berlin club, which was founded in 1991 and is the largest national basketball club by membership... Also one of the most successful with 11 German Championships, 11 German Cups and 3 German Supercups.

▶ Made his debut with ALBA Berlin at the age of 17 during the 2021-22 season.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**21**	**2-5**	**0-2**	**1-2**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**3**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**5**	**31**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**	*	**17**	**1-2**	**0-0**	**2-4**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**4**	**12**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**	*	**23**	**0-2**	**0-1**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**-11**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**	*	**10**	**1-4**	**0-1**	**0-0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**3**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State	*	19	1-6	1-4	0-0	1	1	2	3	2	0	1	0	3	0
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska	*	18	1-2	1-1	1-2	2	3	5	4	2	3	0	1	4	-8
Nov. 25	@Indiana	*	22	4-6	1-1	0-0	2	3	5	4	0	1	0	2	9	-8
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**7**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**-4**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**10**	**0-1**	**0-0**	**0-2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**-5**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	*	**19**	**2-4**	**0-0**	**1-3**	**4**	**2**	**6**	**3**	**5**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**5**	**39**
Dec. 13	@Creighton	*	25	4-5	1-1	0-0	3	3	6	5	2	0	0	0	9	-3
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

RAPIEQUE'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
2021-22 (Age 17)	5	4	114	22.7	15	44	.341	1	11	.091	10	17	.588	2	17	19	3.8	13	12	16	0	8	41	8.2
2022-23 (Age 18)	29	7	406	14.0	53	133	.398	21	67	.313	34	47	.723	21	50	71	2.4	51	62	37	0	35	161	5.6
2023-24 (Age 19)	38	16	692	18.2	105	242	.434	24	82	.293	85	122	.697	39	91	130	3.4	68	84	53	2	29	319	8.4
2024-25 (Age 20)	62	11	1017	16.4	130	300	.433	31	116	.267	64	104	.615	68	107	175	2.8	143	102	75	8	59	355	5.7
2025-26 (Jr.)	11	8	191	17.4	16	37	.432	4	11	.364	5	13	.385	15	18	33	3.0	35	18	10	4	11	41	3.7
Totals	**11**	**8**	**191**	**17.4**	**16**	**37**	**.432**	**4**	**11**	**.364**	**5**	**13**	**.385**	**15**	**18**	**33**	**3.0**	**35**	**18**	**10**	**4**	**11**	**41**	**3.7**

Played for ALBA Berlin and other clubs from 2021-25

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2024-25 All-CAA First Team | CAA Player of the Week (twice)
USBWA/Oscar Robertson National Player of the Week (11/19/24)

SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	6	30	8	—	44
15+ Points	1	24	5	—	30
20+ Points	1	18	1	—	20
30+ Points	—	1	—	—	1
2+ 3FGM	17	28	10	—	56
5+ Rebounds	—	3	—	—	3
3+ Assists	—	12	3	—	15
Multiple Steals	1	4	2	—	7
Double-Doubles	—	—	—	—	—

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points
Season — 26 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career — 38 at Rutgers (11/15/24)
Big 12 —

Field Goals Made
Season — 7 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career — 12, twice
Big 12 —

Field Goals Attempted
Season — 17 at Creighton (12/13/25)
Career — 33 vs. Drexel (1/30/25)
Big 12 —

3-Point Field Goals Made
Season — 7 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career — 10 at Rutgers (11/15/24)
Big 12 —

3-Point Field Goals Attempted
Season — 15 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career — 20 vs. Drexel (1/30/25)
Big 12 —

Free Throws Made
Season — 5 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career — 7 at Lehigh (12/4/24)
Big 12 —

Free Throws Attempted
Season — 5 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career — 8 at Lehigh (12/4/24)
Big 12 —

Rebounds
Season — 4, twice
Career — 6 vs. Northeastern (2/24/25)
Big 12 —

Assists
Season — 5, twice
Career — 7 at Stony Brook (2/13/25)
Big 12 —

Blocked Shots
Season —
Career — 1, twice
Big 12 —

Steals
Season — 2, twice
Career — 3 vs. Youngstown State (11/21/24)
Big 12 —

Minutes
Season — 30 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)
Career — 48 vs. Drexel (1/30/25)
Big 12 —

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
12.8	2.0	2.2	42.3	46.6	60.0

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25))

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
28	18	2	1	0	0

BASHIR AT A GLANCE

▶ Has started the first 11 games, averaging 23.5 minutes per game... Has now played 77 career games in college, including 43 starts.

▶ Now has 44 career double-digit scoring games, including in 8 of the first 11 games with 15 20-point games and five 30-point games.

▶ Eclipsed 1,000 career points with 18 points at Creighton (12/13/25).

▶ Posted his first 20-point game as a Wildcat with 26 points vs. Nebraska (11/21/25), as he connected on 7-of-15 attempts from 3-point range... His 7 made 3-pointers tie for the sixth-most 3-pointers in school history.

▶ Has a team-high 41 3-pointers, including a season-high 7 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25) and 6 at Creighton (12/13/25)... Has made at least 5 3-pointers in 16 games in his career, while he had a career-high 10 triples at Rutgers (11/15/24).

▶ Eclipsed 200 career 3-pointers (219) with his 7-triple performance vs. Nebraska (11/21/25), hitting on 39.7 percent (219-of-551) from beyond the arc.

▶ Led the NCAA in 3-point field goals/game (3.85), while he was second in total 3-point field goals (127) and 3-point field goals attempted (332) in 2024-25... Broke both the school and conference single-season record for 3-pointers.

▶ Led Monmouth and CAA in scoring at 20.1 points per game as a sophomore in 2024-25, while he was 16th in scoring and 25th in total points (663)... Jumped nearly 14 points per game from true freshman (6.3 ppg.) to sophomore season.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Poured in a season-high 26 points vs. Nebraska (11/21/25), connecting on 7-of-15 attempts from 3-point range, to go with 3 rebounds, 2 assists and a steal... His 7 made 3-pointers tied for the sixth-most in school history.

▶ Scored a career-high 38 points at Rutgers (11/15/24) while at Monmouth, which were the most points scored against the Scarlet Knights since 1977... His 10 3-pointers tied for the second-most in school history.

▶ Had notable performances on the road against Michigan State (20 points), Wichita State (15 points), Stephen F. Austin (30 points), Seton Hall (28 points), Lehigh (22 points), Princeton (26 points) and Auburn (15 points) in 2024-25.

▶ Opened the season with 16 points vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25) with 6-of-11 field goals, including 4-of-8 from 3-point range.

▶ Dished out 5 assist in wins over Cal (11/13/15) and Mississippi Valley (12/8/25).

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in May 2025 after 2 seasons (2023-25) at Monmouth.

▶ Has a twin brother, **Abdul**, who was the top scorer (27.2 ppg.) in the junior college ranks at Casper College before transferring to Auburn in 2025-26... They are one of nine sets of twins playing Division I basketball this season.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	*	**21**	**6-11**	**4-8**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**16**	**11**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**	*	**30**	**5-10**	**5-9**	**0-0**	**0**	**4**	**4**	**2**	**3**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**15**	**19**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**	*	**23**	**2-4**	**2-4**	**1-2**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**2**	**5**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**7**	**7**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**	*	**28**	**4-12**	**2-6**	**0-0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**3**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State	*	23	4-10	4-6	0-0	0	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	12	13
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska	*	30	7-15	7-15	5-5	0	3	3	0	2	3	0	1	26	1
Nov. 25	@Indiana	*	14	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	3	-16
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**	*	**22**	**3-10**	**2-7**	**0-0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**8**	**-8**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**	*	**23**	**4-10**	**3-9**	**0-3**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**3**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**11**	**-7**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	*	**16**	**5-10**	**5-10**	**0-0**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**5**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**15**	**24**
Dec. 13	@Creighton	*	28	6-17	6-12	0-0	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	18	2
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

BASHIR'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2023-24 (Fr.)	33	0	443	13.4	76	200	.380	51	131	.389	6	8	.750	4	27	31	0.9	28	11	28	0	7	209	6.3
*2024-25 (So.)	33	32	1097	33.2	222	589	.377	127	332	.383	92	106	.868	8	79	87	2.6	44	73	91	2	18	663	20.1
2025-26 (Jr.)	11	11	259	23.5	47	111	.423	41	88	.466	6	10	.600	1	21	22	2.0	12	24	11	0	6	141	12.8
Totals	**77**	**43**	**1798**	**23.4**	**345**	**900**	**.383**	**219**	**551**	**.397**	**104**	**124**	**.839**	**13**	**127**	**140**	**1.8**	**84**	**108**	**130**	**2**	**31**	**1013**	**13.2**

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SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
15+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
20+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
2+ 3FGM	—	—	—	—	—
5+ Rebounds	—	—	—	—	—
3+ Assists	—	—	—	—	—
Multiple Steals	—	—	—	—	—
2+ Blocks	—	—	—	—	—
Double-Doubles	—	—	—	—	—

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Field Goals Made

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Field Goals Attempted

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Free Throws Attempted

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Rebounds

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Assists

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Minutes

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
—	—	—	—	—	—

LAST GAME

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
—	—	—	—	—	—

WILSON AT A GLANCE

▶ Has not played yet.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Has not played yet.

BACKGROUND

▶ Scored more than 1,700 career points in his prep career at Father Tolton Catholic behind only Brooklyn Net **Michael Porter Jr.**

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**DNP**													
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**DNP**													
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**DNP**													
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**DNP**													
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		DNP													
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		DNP													
Nov. 25	@Indiana		DNP													
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**DNP**													
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**DNP**													
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**DNP**													
Dec. 13	@Creighton		DNP													
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

WILSON'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
2025-26 (Fr.)																								
Totals																								

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SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	8	18	5	1	32
15+ Points	2	9	—	1	12
20+ Points	—	3	—	—	3
2+ 3FGM	6	9	2	1	18
5+ Rebounds	2	9	1	1	13
3+ Assists	12	24	6	—	42
Multiple Steals	3	8	2	1	14
2+ Blocks	3	3	1	—	7
Double-Doubles	—	2	—	—	2

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	15 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	25 vs. Bradley (1/13/24)
Big 12	12 at UCF (2/26/25)

Field Goals Made

Season	5 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	10, twice
Big 12	4, 5 times

Field Goals Attempted

Season	10 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	18 vs. Indiana State (2/15/23)
Big 12	11 vs. Arizona State (2/23/25)

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	3 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	3, twice
Big 12	2 at UCF (2/26/25)

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	4 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	7 vs. Bradley (1/13/24)
Big 12	3, 3 times

Free Throws Made

Season	2, twice
Career	8 vs. Mississippi Valley State (11/19/24)
Big 12	4 vs. Cincinnati (12/30/24)

Free Throws Attempted

Season	2, twice
Career	9 vs. Mississippi Valley State (11/19/24)
Big 12	5 vs. Arizona (2/11/25)

Rebounds

Season	7 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	7 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Big 12	6 vs. West Virginia (1/25/25)

Assists

Season	2, twice
Career	14 vs. Drake (2/28/24)
Big 12	4 vs. Oklahoma State (1/29/25)

Blocked Shots

Season	—
Career	2, 7 times
Big 12	1 vs Arizona State (2/23/25)

Steals

Season	2 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	5 vs. Loyola Chicago (11/11/22)
Big 12	2 vs. Oklahoma State (1/29/25)

Minutes

Season	24 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	47 vs. Southern Illinois (3/7/24)
Big 12	28 vs. West Virginia (1/25/25)

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
3.5	2.5	1.2	35.1	31.3	80.0

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25)

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
7	0	2	0	0	0

JONES AT A GLANCE

▶ Averaging 16.3 minutes off the bench in the first 11 games... Has played in 106 games in his college career (44 at K-State), including 59 starts.

▶ Has scored in 7 of 11 games, including in 4 of the last 5 games.

▶ Solid all-around vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25) with 6 points, 5 rebounds and 2 assists in 16 minutes off the bench.

▶ Posted a season-high 15 points at Indiana (11/25/25), going 5-of-10 from the field, including 3-of-4 from 3-point range, and 2-of-2 free throws in 23 minutes.

▶ Grabbed a career-high 7 rebounds vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25) to go with 2 assists and 2 steals in 24 minutes.

▶ Has 32 career double-digit scoring games, including 3 20-point efforts... Had 14 double-digit scoring games (two 20-point games) in his last 17 games at UIC.

▶ Had 2 career points/assists double-doubles at UIC, posting 17 points and 10 assists vs. Evansville (2/21/24) and 16 points and a career-high 14 assists vs. Drake (2/28/24)... His 14 assists were the most by a MVC player in 2023-24.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a career-high 25 points vs. Bradley (1/13/24) while at UIC, connecting on 10-of-16 field goals in 34 minutes.

▶ Posted a K-State career-high 15 points at Indiana (11/25/25), hitting on 5-of-10 field goals, including 3-of-4 from 3-point range, and 2-of-2 free throws.

▶ Registered first double-digit scoring game at K-State vs. Mississippi Valley State (11/19/24) with 12 points on 2-of-5 field goals and 8-of-9 free throws.

▶ Matched his season-high with 12 points at UCF (2/26/25) on 4-of-6 field goals, including 2-of-3 from 3-point range, and 2-of-3 free throws in 21 minutes.

▶ Tied his career-high with 6 rebounds vs. No. 23/23 West Virginia (1/25/25) to go with his first double-digit scoring game in Big 12 play (10 points).

▶ Was pivotal in the win over No. 16/17 Cincinnati (12/30/24), scoring 9 points on 2-of-3 field goals and 4-of-4 free throws in 18 minutes.

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in April 2024 after 2 seasons at UIC (2022-24).

▶ Briefly entered the transfer portal this past spring before returning for his senior season in July.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**24**	**0-3**	**0-0**	**0-1**	**1**	**6**	**7**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**18**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**20**	**2-5**	**0-2**	**1-1**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**2**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**17**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**10**	**1-2**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**-12**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**14**	**1-4**	**0-3**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**-2**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		9	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	8
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		18	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	3	1	0	0	1	0	4
Nov. 25	@Indiana		23	5-10	3-4	2-2	1	1	2	2	1	1	0	0	15	8
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**20**	**1-3**	**0-1**	**2-2**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**-11**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**16**	**1-3**	**1-3**	**3-4**	**1**	**4**	**5**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**6**	**3**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**18**	**2-4**	**1-1**	**0-0**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**17**
Dec. 13	@Creighton		7	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	-1
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

JONES' CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2022-23 (Fr.)	29	19	770	26.6	66	195	.338	23	68	.338	25	37	.676	8	47	55	1.9	70	62	46	16	23	180	6.2
*2023-24 (So.)	33	31	1099	33.3	150	353	.425	31	82	.378	45	73	.616	18	97	115	3.5	82	159	93	14	31	376	11.4
2024-25 (Jr.)	33	9	622	18.9	70	172	.407	17	55	.309	31	46	.674	8	48	56	1.7	66	48	32	5	18	188	5.7
2025-26 (Sr.)	11	0	180	16.3	13	37	.351	5	16	.313	8	10	.800	4	23	27	2.5	11	13	8	0	4	39	3.5
K-State career	**44**	**9**	**802**	**18.2**	**83**	**209**	**.397**	**22**	**71**	**.310**	**39**	**56**	**.696**	**12**	**71**	**83**	**1.9**	**77**	**61**	**40**	**5**	**22**	**227**	**5.2**
Totals	**106**	**59**	**2672**	**25.2**	**299**	**757**	**.395**	**76**	**221**	**.344**	**109**	**166**	**.657**	**38**	**215**	**253**	**2.4**	**229**	**282**	**179**	**35**	**76**	**783**	**7.4**

*at UIC

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G | JR.-TR

P.J. HAGGERTY

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USBWA Oscar Robertson National Player of the Week (11/25/25)
AP National Player of the Week (11/25/25) | Big 12 Player of the Week

SUPERLATIVES

	RFR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	30	34	11	—	75
15+ Points	26	32	9	—	67
20+ Points	20	23	7	—	50
30+ Points	2	1	2	—	6
40+ Points	—	1	—	—	1
5+ Rebounds	21	25	4	—	50
3+ Assists	25	26	8	—	59
Multiple Steals	17	16	3	—	36
Double-Doubles	2	—	2	—	4

PERSONAL HIGHS

■ Points
Season 37 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career 42 vs Wichita State (3/14/25)
Big 12 —

■ Field Goals Made
Season 13 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career 16 vs. Wichita State (3/14/25)
Big 12 —

■ Field Goals Attempted
Season 21, twice
Career 25 vs. Wichita State (3/14/25)
Big 12 —

■ 3-Point Field Goals Made
Season 5 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career 4, 3 times
Big 12 —

■ 3-Point Field Goals Attempted
Season 7 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career 8 vs. Colorado State (3/21/25)
Big 12 —

■ Free Throws Made
Season 11, twice
Career 19 vs. South Carolina State (11/20/23)
Big 12 —

■ Free Throws Attempted
Season 12, 3 times
Career 22 vs. South Carolina State (11/20/23)
Big 12 —

■ Rebounds
Season 10 vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)
Career 10, 3 times
Big 12 —

■ Assists
Season 11 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)
Career 11 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)
Big 12 —

■ Blocked Shots
Season 1 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career 1, 5 times
Big 12 —

■ Steals
Season 3 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Career 7 vs. Louisiana Tech (12/4/24)
Big 12 —

■ Minutes
Season 37 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career 44 at Clemson (12/14/24)
Big 12 —

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
22.7	4.7	4.7	49.7	39.5	72.6

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25)

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
34	10	5	1	0	0

HAGGERTY AT A GLANCE

▶ Averaging a team-best 33.0 minutes per game in starting the first 11 games... Has now played in 83 career games, including 77 starts.

▶ The nation's No. 2 scorer at 22.7 points per game, including the third-most points (250)... Also fourth in field goals (87) and ninth in attempts (175).

▶ First Wildcat to open a season with 6 consecutive games of 20 or more points, while his 250 points are the second-most by any player in the first 11 games.

▶ Led the Wildcats in scoring in each of the first 7 games, including the school's first 30-point game since 2023 with 31 vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)... Followed with 37 points vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25), which are the most by any player under **Jerome Tang** and the most since **Barry Brown Jr.** in 2018... First Wildcat with back-to-back 30-point games since **Markquis Nowell** in 2023.

▶ Named the USBWA Oscar Robertson and AP National Player of the Week on Nov. 25 as well as Big 12 Player of the Week honors after averaging 31.7 points, 7.7 rebounds and 6.0 assists in helping K-State to a 2-1 record last week.

▶ Eclipsed 1,600 career points vs. Nebraska (11/21/25) with his 27 points... One of 10 active players with at least 1,600 points (1,683) at the Division I level... Needs 17 points to become the seventh active player with 1,700 career points.

▶ Has scored in double figures in 75 of 83 career games with 50 games of 20 or more points, including four 30-point games and one 40-point game in his career.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a season-high 37 points in the win over Mississippi State (11/20/25) on 13-of-21 field goals and 7-of-8 free throws to go with 8 assists and 7 rebounds... It was his highest point total since a career-high 42 vs. Wichita State (3/14/25).

▶ Posted the first 30-point, 10-rebound double-double since 2008 with his 31-point, 10-rebound performance vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)... It was his fourth career double-double, including his third points/rebounds variety.

▶ Collected his first career points/assists double-double vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) with a game-high 23 points and a career-best 11 assists... It marked just the ninth such game in school history and the first since **Markquis Nowell** in 2023.

▶ Last season posted 25-point efforts vs. Missouri (25 points), at UNLV (29 points), vs. Auburn (27 points), vs. Arkansas State (29 points), at Virginia (27 points), vs. North Texas (27 points), vs. East Carolina (25 points), at Rice (26 points) and at UAB (25 points).

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in June 2025 after 1 season at Memphis (2024-25)... Has also spent time at TCU (2022-23) and Tulsa (2023-24).

▶ His uncle, **Eli Roberson**, is a famed Wildcat signal-caller who is a member of the Class of 2022 Ring of Honor after his standout career from 2000-03.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	*	**32**	**10-20**	**1-4**	**6-7**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**2**	**3**	**3**	**1**	**1**	**27**	**35**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**	*	**35**	**5-9**	**2-3**	**11-12**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**0**	**11**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**23**	**20**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**	*	**34**	**7-12**	**1-1**	**8-12**	**0**	**3**	**3**	**4**	**6**	**7**	**0**	**1**	**23**	**4**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**	*	**32**	**10-17**	**0-2**	**11-12**	**3**	**7**	**10**	**4**	**3**	**5**	**0**	**2**	**31**	**6**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State	*	34	13-21	4-7	7-8	3	4	7	3	8	1	0	2	37	22
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska	*	37	11-21	1-5	4-5	1	5	6	3	7	4	0	0	27	7
Nov. 25	@Indiana	*	36	7-18	0-2	2-3	0	3	3	4	2	6	0	0	16	-26
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**	*	**32**	**6-19**	**1-4**	**4-9**	**2**	**2**	**4**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**0**	**1**	**17**	**-21**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**	*	**32**	**3-12**	**0-2**	**5-12**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**4**	**6**	**6**	**0**	**3**	**11**	**-18**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	*	**25**	**11-14**	**5-6**	**1-1**	**0**	**4**	**4**	**1**	**3**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**28**	**43**
Dec. 13	@Creighton	*	34	4-12	0-2	2-3	1	4	5	2	1	2	0	0	10	5
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

HAGGERTY'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2022-23 (Fr.)	6	0	54	9.0	5	9	.556	0	1	.000	7	9	.778	1	8	9	1.5	3	5	4	0	2	17	2.8
**2023-24 (RFr.)	31	31	1045	33.7	199	404	.493	22	76	.289	237	309	.767	32	137	169	5.5	53	119	80	1	60	657	21.2
***2024-25 (So.)	35	35	1282	36.6	248	521	.476	39	107	.364	224	274	.818	40	162	202	5.8	80	131	116	3	64	759	21.7
2025-26 (Jr.)	11	11	362	33.0	87	175	.497	15	38	.395	61	84	.726	12	40	52	4.7	28	52	42	1	11	250	22.7
Totals	**83**	**77**	**2743**	**33.1**	**539**	**1109**	**.486**	**76**	**222**	**.342**	**529**	**676**	**.783**	**85**	**347**	**432**	**5.2**	**164**	**307**	**242**	**5**	**137**	**1683**	**20.3**

*at TCU | **at Tulsa | ***at Memphis

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W | SR.-TR

MARCUS JOHNSON

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2023-24 NABC All-District Second Team (Wheeling)
2023-24 D2CCA All-Region Second Team | All-MEC First Team

SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	—	—	26	—	86
15+ Points	—	—	19	—	71
20+ Points	—	—	13	—	42
30+ Points	—	—	—	—	4
5+ Rebounds	—	—	17	—	73
10+ Rebounds	—	—	1	—	15
3+ Assists	—	—	11	—	39
Multiple Steals	—	—	6	—	6
Double-Doubles	—	—	1	—	15

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	3 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	34 vs. West Virginia State (2/3/24)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Made

Season	1 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	13 at Alderson Broaddus (2/22/23)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Attempted

Season	3 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	27 vs. Concord (1/20/24)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	1 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	6 vs. West Virginia State (2/3/24)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	3 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	13 vs. Kent State (2/18/25)
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	—
Career	11 vs. Salem (11/21/23)
Big 12	—

Free Throws Attempted

Season	—
Career	12 vs. Salem (11/21/23)
Big 12	—

Rebounds

Season	2 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	15 vs. Fairmont State (1/10/24)
Big 12	—

Assists

Season	—
Career	9 at West Virginia Wesleyan (12/2/23)
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	—
Career	3 vs. Salem (11/21/23)
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	—
Career	4, 6 times
Big 12	—

Minutes

Season	7 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	44 vs. Notre Dame (Ohio) (3/6/24)
Big 12	—

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
1.0	1.3	0.0	33.3	33.3	—

LAST GAME (vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
7	3	2	0	0	0

JOHNSON AT A GLANCE

▶ Has played in each of the last 3 games, averaging 4.8 minutes per game... Saw his first action of the season vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)... Played a season-high 7 minutes vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25).

▶ Scored his first points as a Wildcat with a 3-pointer vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) to go with 2 rebounds in 7 minutes.

▶ Has scored nearly 1,900 points (1,868) in his college career, which includes more than 1,600 points (1,630) at the Division I or II ranks... Has 3 consecutive seasons of 500 or more points, including 582 in 2023-24 at Wheeling.

▶ Has scored in double figures in 86 of 110 career games, including 42 20-point games and four 30-point games.

▶ Has 15 career double-doubles, including 9 at Wheeling in 2023-24.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a career-high 34 points vs. West Virginia State (2/3/24) while playing at Division II Wheeling.

▶ Had a Division I high of 28 points vs. Toledo (1/24/25).

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in May 2025 after 1 season at Bowling Green (2024-25)... Started at the junior college level at Parkland College in Champaign, Ill., in 2021-22 then moving to Division II Wheeling College for 2 seasons (2022-24).

▶ Part of back-to-back state titles at famed St. Vincent-St. Mary's in Akron.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**DNP**													
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**DNP**													
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**DNP**													
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**DNP**													
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		DNP													
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		DNP													
Nov. 25	@Indiana		DNP													
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**2**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**-3**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**5**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**-2**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**7**	**1-3**	**1-3**	**0-0**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**2**
Dec. 13	@Creighton		DNP													
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

JOHNSON'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2021-22 (Fr.)	29	4	400	13.8	94	186	.505	14	37	.378	36	47	.766	36	91	127	4.4	53	34	46	8	19	238	8.2
**2022-23 (So.)	29	29	869	30.0	200	412	.485	42	107	.393	84	104	.808	60	129	189	6.5	72	49	75	16	46	526	18.1
**2023-24 (Jr.)	27	25	896	30.0	203	430	.472	67	150	.447	109	120	.908	63	149	212	7.9	74	83	86	15	36	582	21.6
***2024-25 (Sr.)	32	32	1006	31.4	181	421	.430	78	198	.394	79	88	.898	42	118	160	5.0	69	58	79	5	28	519	16.2
2025-26 (Sr.)	3	0	14	4.8	1	3	.333	1	3	.333	0	0	.000	0	4	4	1.3	3	0	1	0	0	3	1.0
Totals	**91**	**86**	**2785**	**30.6**	**585**	**1266**	**.462**	**188**	**458**	**.410**	**272**	**312**	**.872**	**165**	**400**	**565**	**6.2**	**218**	**190**	**241**	**36**	**110**	**1630**	**17.9**

*at Parkland Junior College | **at Wheeling College | ***at Bowling Green

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DAVID CASTILLO

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Gold medal at the 2021 FIBA Americas U16 Championship
Gold medal at the 2022 FIBA U17 World Cup

SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	1	6	—	—	7
20+ Points	—	1	—	—	1
30+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
3+ 3FGM	1	3	—	—	4
5+ Rebounds	—	1	—	—	1
5+ Assists	—	1	—	—	1
Multiple Steals	2	—	—	—	2
2+ Blocks	—	—	—	—	—
Double-Doubles	—	—	—	—	—

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	22 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	22 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Big 12	6, twice

Field Goals Made

Season	8 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	8 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Big 12	2, twice

Field Goals Attempted

Season	15 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	15 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Big 12	7 vs. Texas Tech (1/16/25)

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	5 vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25)
Career	5 twice
Big 12	2, twice

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	9 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	9, twice
Big 12	5 vs. Arizona State (2/23/25)

Free Throws Made

Season	5 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career	5 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Big 12	3, twice

Free Throws Attempted

Season	6 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career	6 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Big 12	4, twice

Rebounds

Season	5 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Career	5 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Big 12	2, twice

Assists

Season	5 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	3, twice
Big 12	2 vs. Cincinnati (12/30/24)

Blocked Shots

Season	1 at Creighton (12/13/25)
Career	1, twice
Big 12	1 vs. Arizona (2/11/25)

Steals

Season	1, 3 times
Career	2, 3 times
Big 12	2, twice

Minutes

Season	33 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	33 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Big 12	23 at Kansas (1/18/25)

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
13.5	2.1	2.3	49.0	42.4	80.8

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25)

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
23	19	2	3	1	1

CASTILLO AT A GLANCE

▶ Averaging 23.5 minutes in first 11 games, including starts vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25) and Seton Hall (12/6/25)... Played a career-high 33 minutes vs. Bowling Green (12/6/25)... Has played in 43 career games with 4 starts.

▶ Has scored in double figures in 4 straight games (7 overall), including 19 points off the bench vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) and at Creighton (2/13/25)... Went 7-of-11 from the field vs. the Bluejays while he matched his career-high with 5 3-pointers and a career-high 5 assists vs. the Delta Devils.

▶ Had a career-high 5 rebounds and 3 assists vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25).

▶ Posted his first career 20-point game vs. Bowling Green with a career-best 22 points on 8-of-15 field goals, including three 3-pointers, and 3-of-4 free throws.

▶ Eclipsed his point total from last season with 7 points at Indiana (11/25/25).

▶ Scored in double figures in 3 consecutive games for the first time in his career after 12 points vs. Tulsa (11/17/25), including the game-winner... This came on the heels of a 16-point effort in the win vs. Cal (11/13/25), which came on 6-of-9 attempts, including 4-of-6 from 3-point range in 23 minutes.

▶ Scored 19 points vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) on 7-of-7 field goals, including 5-of-5 from 3-point range, in just 12 minutes... He is the 25th player in school history to go 5-of-5 or better from the field, including the eighth such player to go 5-of-5 from beyond the arc.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Set a career-high and posted his first career 20-point game with 22 points vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25), shooting 8-of-15 from the field, including 3-of-9 from 3-point range, and 3-of-4 from the free throw line in a career-best 33 minutes.

▶ Scored 19 points vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) in just 12 minutes of action, hitting on all 7 field goals, including 5-of-5 from 3-point range... He is just the eighth Wildcat to go 5-of-5 or better from beyond the arc.

▶ Scored 19 points vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) on 6-of-11 field goals, matching a career-high 5 made 3-pointers.

▶ Tallied a game-high 19 points off the bench in the win at Creighton (12/13/25), including scoring 6 of the team's last 10 points.

▶ Played 23 minutes at No. 9/10 Kansas (1/18/25), posting 6 points on 2-of-4 field goals, including 2-of-3 from 3-point range, to go with 2 steals.

BACKGROUND

▶ Played his senior season at prep powerhouse Sunrise Christian Academy in Bel Aire, Kan., leading the team in scoring (13.2 ppg.) and free throw percentage.

▶ Played for former Wildcat **Clent Stewart** at Bartlesville High School, where he became the school's all-time leading scorer with 1,594 points.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**13**	**3-5**	**1-2**	**0-2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**7**	**-13**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**12**	**7-7**	**5-5**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**19**	**8**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**23**	**6-9**	**4-6**	**0-0**	**0**	**4**	**4**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**16**	**2**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**24**	**4-10**	**1-5**	**3-3**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**12**	**-2**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		24	3-7	1-2	2-2	1	2	3	2	2	0	0	0	9	20
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		21	1-6	1-5	5-6	1	1	2	1	2	1	0	1	8	2
Nov. 25	@Indiana		29	2-9	1-5	2-2	1	0	1	2	2	2	0	0	7	-16
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**	*	**33**	**8-15**	**3-9**	**3-4**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**22**	**-10**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**	*	**31**	**4-14**	**1-8**	**1-2**	**1**	**4**	**5**	**3**	**3**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**-10**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**25**	**6-11**	**5-8**	**2-2**	**0**	**3**	**3**	**0**	**5**	**3**	**0**	**1**	**19**	**44**
Dec. 13	@Creighton		23	7-11	2-4	3-3	1	1	2	3	3	0	1	1	19	14
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

CASTILLO'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
2024-25 (Fr.)	32	2	319	10.0	19	86	.221	17	67	.254	22	25	.880	0	18	18	0.6	22	24	19	1	13	77	2.4
2025-26 (So.)	11	2	258	23.5	51	104	.490	25	59	.424	21	26	.808	6	17	23	2.1	16	25	14	1	4	148	13.5
Totals	**43**	**4**	**577**	**13.4**	**70**	**190**	**.368**	**42**	**126**	**.333**	**43**	**51**	**.843**	**6**	**35**	**41**	**1.0**	**38**	**49**	**33**	**2**	**17**	**225**	**5.2**

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MOBI IKEGWURUKA

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2024 NJCAA Division II Second Team All-American
2024 First Team All-Region XI

SUPERLATIVES

	RFR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	21	—	—	—	21
15+ Points	18	—	—	—	18
20+ Points	13	—	—	—	13
5+ Rebounds	21	3	1	—	24
10+ Rebounds	10	—	—	—	10
3+ Assists	3	—	—	—	3
Multiple Steals	13	4	1	—	18
2+ Blocks	14	1	1	—	16
Double-Doubles	10	—	—	—	10

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	4 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career	27 at Western Iowa Tech (12/9/23)
Big 12	8 vs. Oklahoma State (1/29/25)

Field Goals Made

Season	2 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career	10 at Western Iowa Tech (12/9/23)
Big 12	3, twice

Field Goals Attempted

Season	3 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career	16, 5 times
Big 12	4, 5 times

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	—
Career	1, 3 times
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	—
Career	2, twice
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	1, 3 times
Career	11 at North Iowa Area (1/3/24)
Big 12	2, 4 times

Free Throws Attempted

Season	2, 3 times
Career	14 at North Iowa Area (1/3/24)
Big 12	5 at BYU (2/15/25)

Rebounds

Season	7 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	17 vs. Marshaltown (2/10/24)
Big 12	7, twice

Assists

Season	2 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	3, multiple times
Big 12	1 vs. Arizona State (2/23/25)

Blocked Shots

Season	2 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	6 at South Suburban (3/22/24)
Big 12	2 at Utah (2/17/25)

Steals

Season	2 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	5, twice
Big 12	3, twice

Minutes

Season	17 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	34, twice
Big 12	18 vs. Arizona State (2/23/25)

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
1.6	2.4	0.5	55.6	—	50.0

LAST GAME (vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
5	1	0	0	0	0

IKEGWURUKA AT A GLANCE

▶ Earned his first career start at K-State vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)... Has come off the bench in 7 of last 9 games... Has now played in 32 career games.

▶ Grabbed a season-high 7 rebounds in 15 minutes vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25).

▶ Chipped in all around in the win over UNC Greensboro (11/4/25), posting 3 points, 3 rebounds, 2 assists, 2 blocks and a steal in 17 minutes... Also had 3 points vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) with 4 rebounds and an assist.

▶ Played his best all-around game vs. Oklahoma State (1/29/25) with a season-high 8 points on 3-of-4 field goals to go with 3 rebounds and 3 steals... Followed with 4 points and 3 rebounds in the win at No. 3/3 Iowa State (2/1/25)... Had 6 points in the win over No. 16/17 Kansas (2/8/25) with a pair of steals.

▶ Scored his first points vs. Drake (12/17/24), posting 4 points on 2-of-2 field goals with 1 rebound and 1 steal in 10 minutes.

▶ Averaged a double-double (19 ppg., 10.3 rpg.) as a redshirt freshman at Ellsworth Community College, where he helped the school to its first national tournament appearance in 38 seasons and the highest finish in 1977.

▶ Has a variety of international experience, having played for both the Irish U16 National Team at the 2019 FIBA European U16 Division B Championships as well as for two club teams in the Czech Republic from 2020-23.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a career-high 27 points at Western Iowa Tech (12/9/23)... Rattled off 7 consecutive 20-point games to end the regular season at Ellsworth.

▶ Scored season-high 8 points vs. Oklahoma State (1/29/25) on 3-of-4 field goals to go with 3 rebounds and 3 steals in 12 minutes.

▶ Grabbed a season-high 3 steals twice, vs. Oklahoma State (1/29/25) and No. 13/13 Arizona (2/11/25).

▶ Tied a season-high with 7 rebounds vs. Arizona State (2/23/25) in a season-high 18 minutes

▶ Posted a pair of blocks at Utah (2/17/25).

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in May 2024 after 2 seasons at Ellsworth Community College in Ellsworth, Iowa, redshirting in 2022-23.

▶ Earned NJCAA Second Team All-American honors in leading the Panthers to 29 wins and a fourth-place finish at the NJCAA Division II Championship.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	*	**17**	**1-1**	**0-0**	**1-2**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**3**	**-2**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**16**	**1-1**	**0-0**	**1-2**	**3**	**1**	**4**	**2**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**8**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**17**	**2-3**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**-5**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**DNP**													
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		13	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	2	1	1	2	12
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		7	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 25	@Indiana		15	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	4	0	0	1	2	0	-3
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**15**	**0-2**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**2**	**5**	**7**	**4**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**-11**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**5**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**1-2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**-2**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**DNP**													
Dec. 13	@Creighton		DNP													
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
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Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

IKEGWURUKA'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
2024-25 (So.)	24	0	192	8.0	21	35	.600	0	0	.000	9	17	.529	18	39	57	2.4	27	2	9	5	14	51	2.1
2025-26 (Jr.)	8	1	106	13.2	5	9	.556	0	0	.000	3	6	.500	7	12	19	2.4	19	4	5	4	4	13	1.6
Totals	**32**	**1**	**297**	**9.3**	**26**	**44**	**.591**	**0**	**0**	**.000**	**12**	**23**	**.522**	**25**	**51**	**76**	**2.4**	**46**	**6**	**14**	**9**	**18**	**64**	**2.0**

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SUPERLATIVES

	RFR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
20+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
2+ 3FGM	—	1	—	—	1
5+ Rebounds	—	—	2	—	2
10+ Rebounds	—	—	—	—	—
3+ Assists	—	—	—	—	—
Multiple Steals	—	—	—	—	—
2+ Blocks	—	—	—	—	—
Double-Double	—	—	—	—	—

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	4 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	6 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)
Big 12	4 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)

Field Goals Made

Season	2 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	2, twice
Big 12	1 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)

Field Goals Attempted

Season	4 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	2, 4 times
Big 12	2 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	—
Career	2 vs. UAPB (12/1/24)
Big 12	1 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	2 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Career	2, twice
Big 12	2 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)

Free Throws Made

Season	2 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	2 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Big 12	1, twice

Free Throws Attempted

Season	2 vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25)
Career	2, 4 times
Big 12	2, twice

Rebounds

Season	6 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	6 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Big 12	3 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)

Assists

Season	1, vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career	1, 3 times
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	1, twice
Career	1, twice
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	1, twice
Career	1, 3 times
Big 12	1 vs. Houston (1/11/25)

Minutes

Season	18 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	18 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Big 12	10 vs. Oklahoma (1/30/24)

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
1.3	2.8	0.2	45.5	0.0	100.0

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25))

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
13	2	5	0	0	1

MANNING AT A GLANCE

▶ Has come off the bench in 9 of the first 11 games, averaging 7.4 minutes per game... Has been on the team longer than anyone, redshirting as a freshman in 2022-23 before playing 18 games with a start in 2023-24.

▶ Averaging 13 minutes per game in the last 4 games.

▶ Has scored in 5 of 9 games played, including a season-high 4 points vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) in a career-best 18 minutes.

▶ Has grabbed 19 of 25 rebounds this season in the last 4 games, including a career-best 6 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) and 5 at Creighton (12/13/25).

▶ Played 13 minutes vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25), knocking down a pair of free throws to go with 4 rebounds.

▶ Came off the bench to play 7 minutes in the win over Tulsa (11/17/25), scoring his first points of the season on a layup to go with 2 rebounds.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Posted a career-high 6 points vs. UAPB (12/1/24), hitting on both 3-pointers.

▶ Scored his first career points vs. Central Arkansas (11/22/23), posting 3 points on 1-of-1 field goals and 1-of-2 free throws in 9 minutes.

▶ Connected on his first career 3-pointer vs. No. 23/24 Oklahoma (1/30/24).

▶ Grabbed a career-best 6 rebounds vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25).

BACKGROUND

▶ Was signed by the previous coaching staff on Nov. 10, 2021.

▶ Played locally at Grandview (2018-20) and Bishop Miege High Schools (2020-21) in the Kansas City area, winning a Missouri Class 4A title with a 29-2 record with the Bulldogs and a Kansas Class 6A title with a 22-1 record with the Stags.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**3**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**-3**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**2**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**3**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**DNP**													
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**7**	**1-1**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**-3**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		3	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	-1
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		DNP													
Nov. 25	@Indiana		0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**13**	**0-1**	**0-1**	**2-2**	**2**	**2**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**-4**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**8**	**0-2**	**0-2**	**0-0**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**9**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**18**	**2-4**	**0-1**	**0-0**	**3**	**3**	**6**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**4**	**18**
Dec. 13	@Creighton		13	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	10
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
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Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
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MANNING'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
2023-24 (RFr.)	14	1	68	4.9	5	8	.625	1	3	.333	3	7	.429	6	10	16	1.1	13	2	1	0	2	14	1.0
2024-25 (So.)	8	0	21	2.7	2	4	.500	2	4	.500	0	0	.000	1	5	6	0.8	4	0	1	0	1	6	0.8
2025-26 (Jr.)	9	0	66	7.4	5	11	.455	0	4	.000	2	2	1.000	9	16	25	2.8	2	1	1	2	2	12	1.3
Totals	**31**	**1**	**156**	**5.0**	**12**	**23**	**.522**	**3**	**11**	**.273**	**5**	**9**	**.556**	**16**	**31**	**47**	**1.5**	**19**	**3**	**3**	**2**	**5**	**32**	**1.0**

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2024-25 All-CAA Tournament Team (UNC Wilmington)
2024-25 CAA's Dean Ehlers Leadership Award (UNC Wilmington)

SUPERLATIVES

	RFR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	—	1	22	5	28
15+ Points	—	—	9	2	11
20+ Points	—	—	2	1	3
30+ Points	—	—	1	—	1
5+ Rebounds	—	8	13	4	25
10+ Rebounds	—	1	1	—	2
Multiple Steals	—	—	1	—	3
2+ Blocks	1	6	10	4	21
Double-Doubles	—	—	1	—	1

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points
Season — 21 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career — 34 at Howard (12/14/24)
Big 12 —

Field Goals Made
Season — 8, twice
Career — 14 at Howard (12/14/24)
Big 12 —

Field Goals Attempted
Season — 11 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career — 16 at Howard (12/14/24)
Big 12 —

3-Point Field Goals Made
Season — 1 at Creighton (12/13/25)
Career — 1, 3 times
Big 12 —

3-Point Field Goals Attempted
Season — 1, twice
Career — 1, 5 times
Big 12 —

Free Throws Made
Season — 5, 3 times
Career — 7, twice
Big 12 —

Free Throws Attempted
Season — 6, 3 times
Career — 10 vs. Georgia Southern (11/8/24)
Big 12 —

Rebounds
Season — 9 vs. Tulsa (11/17/25)
Career — 12 vs. Georgia Southern (11/8/24)
Big 12 —

Assists
Season — 2, 3 times
Career — 3, twice
Big 12 —

Blocked Shots
Season — 3, twice
Career — 4, 3 times
Big 12 —

Steals
Season — 2 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career — 2, 4 times
Big 12 —

Minutes
Season — 28 at Creighton (12/13/25)
Career — 32 vs. Georgia Southern (11/8/24)
Big 12 —

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
10.3	4.4	1.2	75.9	50.0	70.6

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25))

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
28	12	6	0	2	0

McGRIFF AT A GLANCE

▶ Has started the first 11 games, averaging 20.0 minutes per game... Has now played in 96 career games, including 53 starts.

▶ Has one of the top field goal percentages in the country at 75.9 percent, as he has hit on 44-of-58 field goal attempts... Has gone 2-of-2 or better from the field in 4 games (Bellarmine, Mississippi State, Nebraska, Mississippi Valley).

▶ Has a career 69.1 field goal percentage while averaging 4 field goal attempts/game... Led UNCW in field goal percentage in 2023-24 (75.4) and 2024-25 (65.1).

▶ Collected his first 20-point game as a Wildcat with a season-high 21 points vs. Cal (11/13/25) on 8-of-11 field goals in just 20 minutes of action.

▶ Became the 24th Wildcat to go perfect on 5 or more field goals in school history with his 16-point effort vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) on 8-of-8 field goals.

▶ Went a perfect 7-of-7 from the field in games vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25) and Nebraska (11/21/25) with 8 points each.

▶ Has now scored in double figures in 28 career games with two 20-point games and one 30-point game in his career... Has 5 double-digit scoring games this year.

▶ Coming off a career year at UNCW in 2024-25, emerging as one of the top sixth men in the CAA, averaging 11.5 points on 65.1 percent shooting from the field... Led the CAA in field goal percentage (64.1) in league-only games.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Posted a career-high 34 points at Howard (12/14/24) while playing at UNC Wilmington, connecting on 14-of-16 field goals and 5-of-8 free throws.

▶ Tallied just his third game of 20 or more points with a season-high 21 points vs. Cal (11/13/25) on 8-of-11 field goals in 20 minutes.

▶ Scored 16 points vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25) on 8-of-8 field goals, becoming the 24th Wildcat to go perfect on the field on 5 or more field goals.

▶ Nearly collected his first double-double as a Wildcat in the win over Tulsa (11/17/25) with 13 points and 9 rebounds in 25 minutes.

▶ Earned his first career double-double vs. Georgia Southern (11/8/24) with 21 points and 12 rebounds while playing at UNC Wilmington.

▶ Had a season-high 3 blocks vs. Bowling Green (12/1/25).

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in May 2025 after 4 seasons at UNC Wilmington (2021-25) where he was part of 99 wins, 3 CAA Championships (2 regular season and 1 tournament), a CBI title (2022) and 1 NCAA Tournament appearance (2025).

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	*	**14**	**2-3**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**0**	**4**	**4**	**5**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**19**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**	*	**14**	**8-8**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**16**	**22**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**	*	**20**	**8-11**	**0-1**	**5-5**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**21**	**6**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**	*	**25**	**4-6**	**0-0**	**5-6**	**3**	**6**	**9**	**3**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**13**	**6**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State	*	17	4-4	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	3	1	0	1	0	8	9
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska	*	28	3-3	0-0	2-2	2	2	4	3	1	1	2	1	8	4
Nov. 25	@Indiana	*	10	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	2	-10
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**	*	**23**	**4-5**	**0-0**	**1-5**	**2**	**3**	**5**	**4**	**2**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**9**	**-4**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**	*	**21**	**5-8**	**0-0**	**2-6**	**7**	**1**	**8**	**2**	**1**	**1**	**3**	**1**	**12**	**-6**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	*	**21**	**2-2**	**0-0**	**4-4**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**3**	**2**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**8**	**28**
Dec. 13	@Creighton	*	28	3-7	1-1	5-6	3	3	6	2	0	1	2	0	12	3
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

McGRIFF'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2021-22 (Fr.)	2	0	10	4.9	2	3	.667	0	0	.000	1	3	.333	0	1	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	5	2.5
*2022-23 (RFr.)	18	0	95	5.3	12	14	.857	0	0	.000	1	7	.143	8	8	16	0.9	17	6	3	8	2	25	1.4
*2023-24 (So.)	31	30	518	16.7	46	61	.754	0	0	.000	26	34	.765	45	63	108	3.5	55	7	19	23	10	118	3.8
*2024-25 (Jr.)	34	12	656	19.3	164	252	.651	2	3	.667	61	88	.693	53	83	136	4.0	71	23	33	39	13	391	11.5
2025-26 (Sr.)	11	11	220	20.0	44	58	.759	1	2	.500	24	34	.706	21	27	48	4.4	33	11	9	13	6	113	10.3
Totals	**96**	**53**	**1499**	**15.6**	**268**	**388**	**.691**	**3**	**5**	**.600**	**113**	**166**	**.681**	**127**	**182**	**309**	**3.2**	**176**	**47**	**64**	**83**	**31**	**652**	**6.8**

*at UNC Wilmington

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SUPERLATIVES

		JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	—	7	—	—	7
15+ Points	—	1	—	—	1
20+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
5+ Rebounds	—	24	3	—	27
10+ Rebounds	—	4	—	—	4
3+ Assists	—	1	—	—	1
Multiple Steals	—	—	—	—	—
2+ Blocks	—	14	3	—	17
Double-Doubles	—	1	—	—	1

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	5, 3 times
Career	15 vs. Piazenza (3/8/25)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Made

Season	2 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Career	6, twice
Big 12	—

Field Goals Attempted

Season	3, 3 times
Career	11 vs. Cento (3/23/25)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	1 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career	—
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	3, twice
Career	4, 4 times
Big 12	—

Free Throws Attempted

Season	4 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	8 vs. Pesaro (3/30/25)
Big 12	—

Rebounds

Season	7 vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)
Career	12, twice
Big 12	—

Assists

Season	2, twice
Career	3 vs. Brindisi (2/19/25)
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	5 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	5, twice
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	—
Career	2, twice
Big 12	—

Minutes

Season	20 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	33 vs. Cento (3/23/25)
Big 12	—

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2.4	3.1	1.7	41.2	0.0	66.7

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25))

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
11	5	5	1	0	0

BUCA AT A GLANCE

▶ One of the tallest players in school history, just one inch short than 7-foot-3 **Jason Bennett**, who played from the Wildcats from 2006-07... He is one of 9 players in school history to measure 7-feet or taller.

▶ Has averaged 10.5 minutes per game off the bench in playing in 10 of 11 games.

▶ Has a team-leading 17 blocks with at least one in 8 of 11 games.

▶ Recorded the 38th game of 5 or more blocks vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) to go with 5 points, 5 rebounds and an assist in a season-high 20 minutes.

▶ Has scored in 8 of 10 games played with a season-high 5 points in 3 straight games (Seton Hall, Mississippi Valley and Creighton).

▶ Was solid all-around vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25) with 5 points, 7 rebounds, 3 blocks and 2 assists in 17 minutes.

▶ Collected 4 blocks vs. Cal (11/13/25) with 2 points and 2 assists in 12 minutes... Made his first field goal on a dunk.

▶ Scored his first points on a free throw vs. Bellarmine (11/8/25).

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Posted 4 blocks in the win over Cal (11/13/25) to go with 2 points and 2 assists in 12 minutes of action.

▶ Totaled season-highs in both points (5) and rebounds (7) with 3 blocks in 17 minutes vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25).

▶ Scored a career-high 15 points vs. Piazenza (3/8/25) while with Akern Libertas Livorno on 6-of-10 field goals.

▶ Collected a double-double with 10 points and 12 rebounds vs. Cento (3/23/25).

BACKGROUND

▶ First-ever Italian-born basketball player at K-State... One of just 24 foreign-born players in school history and one of 7 from the European continent.

▶ Began career with Basket Perugia in the Italian Serie C in 2019-20, spending 2 seasons before moving to Sana Basketball Academy Siena in Serie C in 2022-23... Was promoted to Libertas 1947 Livorno in the Italian Serie B, helping them to the 2024 Italian Serie B Cup Finals and the Serie B Nazionale Group B Championship... Played for Akern Libertas Livorno in 2024-25.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**3**	**0-1**	**0-0**	**0-2**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**8**	**0-2**	**0-0**	**1-2**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**6**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**12**	**1-1**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**1**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**4**	**0**	**2**	**11**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**15**	**1-2**	**0-0**	**0-0**	**2**	**2**	**4**	**3**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**-5**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		11	1-3	0-1	0-0	1	2	3	1	0	1	1	0	2	4
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-4
Nov. 25	@Indiana		6	0-0	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	1	0	2	1	0	2	-10
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**DNP**													
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**17**	**2-2**	**0-0**	**1-2**	**2**	**5**	**7**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**3**	**0**	**5**	**0**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**20**	**1-3**	**0-1**	**3-4**	**0**	**5**	**5**	**3**	**1**	**1**	**5**	**0**	**5**	**31**
Dec. 13	@Creighton		11	1-3	0-0	3-3	2	3	5	2	1	1	0	0	5	3
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

BUCA'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2024-25	43	12	717	16.7	101	166	.608	0	0	.000	39	79	.494	72	158	230	5.3	111	7	68	53	9	241	5.6
2025-26 (Jr.)	10	0	105	10.5	7	17	.412	0	2	.000	10	15	.667	12	19	31	3.1	13	7	10	17	0	24	2.4
Totals	**10**	**0**	**105**	**10.5**	**7**	**17**	**.412**	**0**	**2**	**.000**	**10**	**15**	**.667**	**12**	**19**	**31**	**3.1**	**13**	**7**	**10**	**17**	**0**	**24**	**2.4**

**played with several club teams, including Akern Libertas Livorno*

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SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	15	—	—	—	15
15+ Points	6	—	—	—	6
20+ Points	3	—	—	—	3
5+ Rebounds	22	—	—	—	22
10+ Rebounds	8	—	—	—	8
3+ Assists	2	—	—	—	2
Multiple Steals	—	—	—	—	—
2+ Blocks	—	—	—	—	—
Double-Doubles	7	—	—	—	7

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	2 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career	23, twice
Big 12	—

Field Goals Made

Season	1 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career	9, twice
Big 12	—

Field Goals Attempted

Season	3 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career	12 vs. Yavapai (11/18/24)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	—
Career	7 vs. Lamar CC (1/11/25)
Big 12	—

Free Throws Attempted

Season	—
Career	10 vs. Monroe College (11/7/24)
Big 12	—

Rebounds

Season	2 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	14 vs. Northeastern JC (11/16/24)
Big 12	—

Assists

Season	—
Career	3, twice
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	—
Career	—
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	—
Career	1, 4 times
Big 12	—

Minutes

Season	5 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/20/25)
Career	36 vs. Northeastern JC (11/16/24)
Big 12	—

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
0.7	1.0	0.0	33.3	—	—

LAST GAME (vs. Indiana (11/25/25))

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
0+	0	0	0	0	0

OSEI AT A GLANCE

▶ Has seen action in 3 games, including opener vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25).

▶ Scored his first points as a Wildcat with 2 points vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25) on 1-of-3 field goals.

▶ Played in 26 games with 25 starts at Casper College in Casper, Wyo., where he was a Fab 50 Freshman by *JUCORecruiting.com*.

▶ Scored in double figures in 15 of Casper's 26 games with three 20-point games.

▶ Collected 7 double-doubles, including a 20-point, 10-rebound performance vs. Yavapai College (23 points, 11 rebounds; 11/18/24).

▶ Preped at Salt Lake Academy in Herriman, Utah from 2021-23 before spending a postgraduate season at the NBA Academy in San Luis Potosi, Mexico in 2023-24.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a career-tying 23 points vs. Yavapai College (11/18/24) on 9-of-12 field goals and 5-of-7 free throws to go with 11 rebounds while at Casper.

▶ Tied his career-high with 23 points vs. Lamar Community College (1/11/25) on 8-of-9 field goals and 7-of-7 free throws while at Casper.

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in May 2025 after 1 season at Casper College in Casper, Wyo., where he played alongside **Abdi Bashir Jr's** twin brother **Abdul**.

▶ Has international experience, having played for the Canadian U17 and U16 National Teams at the 2021 FIBA U16 Americas Championship and 2022 FIBA U17 World Cup... He is the fifth Canadian-born player at K-State, joining **Justin Edwards**, **Kaosi Ezeagu**, **Juevol Myles** and **Rudi Williams**.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	-7
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		DNP													
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		DNP													
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		DNP													
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		3	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	-1
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		DNP													
Nov. 25	@Indiana		0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		DNP													
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		DNP													
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		DNP													
Dec. 13	@Creighton		DNP													
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

OSEI'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2024-25 (Fr.)	26	25	550	21.2	113	177	.638	0	0	.000	59	86	.686	75	108	183	7.0	49	20	27	28	4	285	11.0
2025-26 (So.)	3	0	9	2.9	1	3	.333	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	2	1	3	1.0	1	0	3	0	0	2	0.7
Totals	**3**	**0**	**9**	**2.9**	**1**	**3**	**.333**	**0**	**0**	**.000**	**0**	**0**	**.000**	**2**	**1**	**3**	**1.0**	**1**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0.7**

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2024-25 MAC Player of the Year | MAC Defensive Player of the Year
2025 MAC Tournament MVP | 2025 Lou Henson Award finalist

SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	5	9	26	7	47
15+ Points	—	2	13	2	17
20+ Points	—	—	6	2	8
30+ Points	—	—	1	—	1
10+ Rebounds	—	—	1	—	1
3+ Assists	1	4	23	7	35
Multiple Steals	10	7	18	8	43
2+ Blocks	—	—	6	—	6
Double-Doubles	—	—	1	—	1

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	22 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	31 vs. Toledo (3/14/25)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Made

Season	9 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career	12 vs. Toledo (1/14/25)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Attempted

Season	11, 3 times
Career	23 vs. Toledo (1/14/25)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	6 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	6 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	7, twice
Career	7, 4 times
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	5 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	11 vs. Arizona (3/21/25)
Big 12	—

Free Throws Attempted

Season	6 at Indiana (11/25/25)
Career	12 vs. Arizona (3/21/25)
Big 12	—

Rebounds

Season	9, twice
Career	10 vs. Kent State (2/28/25)
Big 12	—

Assists

Season	9 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	10 vs. South Alabama (2/8/25)
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	1, twice
Career	3 vs. Western Michigan (2/11/25)
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	5 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	4, 8 times
Big 12	—

Minutes

Season	37 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Career	37 vs. Nebraska (11/21/25)
Big 12	—

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
12.0	5.5	3.9	49.5	41.2	81.3

LAST GAME (at Creighton (12/13/25)

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
32	8	4	6	1	4

JOHNSON AT A GLANCE

▶ Has started the first 11 games, averaging 31.4 minutes per game... Has now seen action in 103 career games, including 71 starts.

▶ Has scored in double figures in 7 of 11 games, including 5 of last 7 games... Had a season-high 22 points in opener vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)... Posted his second 20-point game vs. Cal (11/13/25) with 20 points... Has now scored in double figures in 47 games with eight 20-point games and one 30-point games.

▶ Ranks second in assists with 43, dishing out at least 2 in 10 of 11 games... Had a season-high 9 assists vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25) while he had 6 in back-to-back games vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) and at Creighton (12/13/25).

▶ One of the active Division I leaders in steals with 145 in 103-game career, averaging 1.4 per game... Had a career-high 5 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25).

▶ Team leader in steals with 22... Has at least 2 steals in 8 games, including the career-high 5 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) and 4 at Creighton (12/13/25).

▶ Nearly made history in his first game in a Wildcat uniform, falling a rebound and an assist short of a triple-double with 22 points on 8-of-11 field goals, including 6-of-7 from 3-point range, with 9 rebounds and 9 assists.

▶ His scoring ability increased in each season at Akron capped by his 14.0 points per game as a junior in 2024-25... Nearly doubled his scoring average from his sophomore (7.3 ppg.) to his junior (14.0 ppg.) seasons.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a career-high 31 points in the Zips' win over Toledo in the semifinals of the MAC Tournament, connecting on 10-of-16 field goals and 8-of-8 free throws.

▶ Also scored 28 points vs. Toledo (1/14/25) on 12-of-23 field goals.

▶ Nearly had a triple-double in his first career game as Wildcat with a season-high 22 points to go with 9 rebounds and 9 assists in 31 minutes.

▶ Posted a career-high 5 steals vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25) to go with 14 points, 6 assists (with zero turnovers) and 3 rebounds in 21 minutes.

BACKGROUND

▶ Transferred to K-State in May 2025 after 3 seasons at Akron (2022-25), where he was part of 74 wins, 3 MAC Championships (1 regular season and 2 tournament titles) and 2 NCAA Tournament appearances (2024, 2025).

▶ Coming off a career year in 2024-25, becoming the first player in Akron history to be named both the MAC Player and Defensive Player of the Year in the same season and the first since Ball State's **Bonzi Wells** in 1998.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**	*	**31**	**8-11**	**6-7**	**0-0**	**1**	**8**	**9**	**3**	**9**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**22**	**47**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**	*	**35**	**3-7**	**1-3**	**2-2**	**1**	**6**	**7**	**2**	**4**	**2**	**1**	**2**	**9**	**21**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**	*	**29**	**9-11**	**2-3**	**0-2**	**0**	**3**	**3**	**3**	**2**	**4**	**0**	**2**	**20**	**5**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**	*	**35**	**2-7**	**1-4**	**0-0**	**3**	**6**	**9**	**4**	**4**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**5**	**0**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State	*	29	6-11	2-5	0-0	1	3	4	3	4	2	0	2	14	11
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska	*	37	4-10	2-6	2-2	0	5	5	2	4	1	0	0	12	-8
Nov. 25	@Indiana	*	33	3-9	2-6	5-6	0	5	5	2	2	4	0	2	13	-21
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**	*	**32**	**2-6**	**0-1**	**0-0**	**0**	**4**	**4**	**2**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**4**	**-4**
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**	*	**32**	**4-10**	**1-6**	**2-2**	**3**	**4**	**7**	**3**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**11**	**-17**
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**	*	**21**	**5-7**	**2-3**	**2-2**	**1**	**2**	**3**	**1**	**6**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**14**	**37**
Dec. 13	@Creighton	*	32	3-10	2-7	0-0	1	3	4	1	6	2	1	4	8	2
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
Jan. 14	**UCF***															
Jan. 17	@Oklahoma State*															
Jan. 20	**UTAH***															
Jan. 24	**KANSAS***															
Jan. 27	@West Virginia*															
Feb. 1	**IOWA STATE***															
Feb. 7	@TCU*															
Feb. 11	**CINCINNATI***															
Feb. 14	@Houston*															
Feb. 17	**BAYLOR***															
Feb. 21	@Texas Tech*															
Feb. 25	@Colorado*															
Feb. 28	**TCU***															
Mar. 3	**WEST VIRGINIA***															
Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

JOHNSON'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
*2022-23 (Fr.)	33	5	653	19.8	58	115	.504	21	50	.420	10	15	.667	29	67	96	2.9	55	28	33	1	34	147	4.5
*2023-24 (So.)	24	21	567	23.6	68	157	.433	19	60	.317	21	28	.750	19	59	78	3.3	52	39	22	2	28	176	7.3
*2024-25 (Jr.)	35	34	1052	30.1	169	385	.439	37	123	.301	114	142	.803	35	136	171	4.9	72	120	63	18	61	489	14.0
2025-26 (Sr.)	11	11	346	31.4	49	99	.495	21	51	.412	13	16	.813	11	49	60	5.5	26	43	21	2	22	132	12.0
Totals	**103**	**71**	**2630**	**25.5**	**344**	**756**	**.455**	**98**	**284**	**.345**	**158**	**201**	**.786**	**94**	**311**	**405**	**3.9**	**205**	**231**	**139**	**23**	**145**	**944**	**9.2**

*at Akron

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SUPERLATIVES

	FR	SO	JR	SR	CAR
10+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
15+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
20+ Points	—	—	—	—	—
2+ 3FGM	1	—	—	—	1
5+ Rebounds	1	—	—	—	1
3+ Assists	1	—	—	—	1
Multiple Steals	—	—	—	—	—
2+ Blocks	—	—	—	—	—
Double-Doubles	—	—	—	—	—

PERSONAL HIGHS

Points

Season	9 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	39 vs. Joker S (2/8/25)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Made

Season	2, 4 times
Career	13 vs. Joker S (2/8/25)
Big 12	—

Field Goals Attempted

Season	7 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	20 vs. Joker S (2/8/25)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Made

Season	2, twice
Career	8 vs. Joker S (2/8/25)
Big 12	—

3-Point Field Goals Attempted

Season	5 vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25)
Career	14 vs. Joker S (2/8/25)
Big 12	—

Free Throws Made

Season	3 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	10 vs. Zlatibor (3/29/25)
Big 12	—

Free Throws Attempted

Season	4 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	12 vs. Zlatibor (3/29/25)
Big 12	—

Rebounds

Season	5 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	10 vs. Sloga KR (3/17/24)
Big 12	—

Assists

Season	3 vs. Mississippi Valley (12/8/25)
Career	8 vs. Sloga KR (3/17/24)
Big 12	—

Blocked Shots

Season	1 vs. California (11/13/25)
Career	3 vs. Joker S. (2/8/25)
Big 12	—

Steals

Season	1, twice
Career	5 vs. NGT Belgrade (3/2/24)
Big 12	—

Minutes

Season	17 vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)
Career	36, twice
Big 12	—

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
4.0	2.1	1.1	34.4	30.0	80.0

LAST GAME (vs. Mississippi Valley State (12/8/25)

MIN	PTS	REBS	ASTS	BLKS	STLS
12	2	4	3	0	1

KOSTIC AT A GLANCE

▶ Has come off the bench in 8 of the first 11 games, averaging 10.5 minutes per game... Has already played in 41 games in the Serbian pro circuit in 2024-25.

▶ Has scored in 7 of 11 games, including a season-high 9 points in the opener vs. UNC Greensboro (11/4/25)... Also had 7 points vs. Mississippi State (11/20/25).

▶ Considered one of the top prospects in Europe, earning all-tournament honors at the 2025 Adidas Eurocamp (May 31-June 2) in Treviso, Italy... The Adidas Eurocamp in the premier pre-draft scouting event for player agaes 16-22.

TOP PERFORMANCES

▶ Scored a career-high 39 points vs. Joker S. (2/8/25) while with Crvena zevda Meridian on 13-of-20 field goals, including 8-of-14 from 3-point range.

BACKGROUND

▶ Kostic is the first-ever Serbian-born basketball player at K-State... One of just 24 foreign-born players in school history, and one of 7 players from Europe.

▶ A member of the Serbian U18 and U19 National Teams, winning the gold medal at the 2023 European U18 Championship and a silver medal at the 2024 European U18 Championship... Played on Serbia's U19 National Team at the 2025 U19 World Cup, helping the team to 3 straight wins to end the tournament.

2025-26 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	GS	MIN	FG	3PT	FT	O	D	TR	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	+/-
Nov. 4	**UNC GREENSBORO**		**17**	**2-7**	**2-4**	**3-4**	**2**	**3**	**5**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**9**	**9**
Nov. 8	**BELLARMINE**		**9**	**1-2**	**1-1**	**0-0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**-1**
Nov. 13	**CALIFORNIA**		**9**	**2-4**	**0-2**	**0-0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**4**	**8**
Nov. 17	**TULSA**		**10**	**2-5**	**1-3**	**0-0**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**-1**
Nov. 20	vs. Mississippi State		16	2-6	2-5	1-1	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	7	8
Nov. 21	vs. Nebraska		2	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-3
Nov. 25	@Indiana		10	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	2	8
Dec. 1	**BOWLING GREEN**		**DNP**													
Dec. 6	**SETON HALL**		**DNP**													
Dec. 8	**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY**		**12**	**1-4**	**0-3**	**0-0**	**2**	**2**	**4**	**2**	**3**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**12**
Dec. 13	@Creighton		DNP													
Dec. 20	**SOUTH DAKOTA**															
Dec. 28	**ULM**															
Jan. 3	**BYU***															
Jan. 7	@Arizona*															
Jan. 10	@Arizona State*															
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Mar. 7	@Kansas*															

KOSTIC'S CAREER STATS

YEAR	GP	GS	Min	Avg.	FGM	FGA	Pct.	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	FTM	FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg.
2022-23 (Age 15)	3	0	41	13.5	5	12	.417	3	9	.333	0	0	.000	3	6	9	3.0	8	4	2	0	1	13	4.3
2023-24 (Age 16)	10	7	237	23.7	57	123	.463	16	60	.267	36	49	.735	8	38	46	4.6	19	6	24	1	18	166	16.6
2024-25 (Age 17)	41	8	917	22.4	180	415	.434	91	249	.365	114	149	.765	4	98	102	2.5	62	105	97	8	24	565	13.8
2025-26 (Fr.)	8	0	84	10.5	11	32	.344	6	20	.300	4	5	.800	9	8	17	2.1	7	9	7	1	2	32	4.0
Totals	**8**	**0**	**84**	**10.5**	**11**	**32**	**.344**	**6**	**20**	**.300**	**4**	**5**	**.800**	**9**	**8**	**17**	**2.1**	**7**	**9**	**7**	**1**	**2**	**32**	**4.0**

*played with several club teams, including Crvena zevda Meridian bet Beograd

K-STATE

BROADCAST NOTES

2025-26 Record/Conf:
7-4/0-0 Big 12

National Rankings:
nr / AP
nr / Coaches

Last Game:
Won at Creighton, 83-76
Dec. 13, 2025

Next Game:
Dec. 20, 2025
vs. South Dakota

Head Coach:
Jerome Tang
(Charter Oak State '07)
KS: 68-46 / 4th
CAR: 70-46 / 4th+

Assistants
Matthew Driscoll
Jareem Dowling
Rodney Perry
Anthony Winchester
Bill Peterson

2025-26 Schedule
@Missouri, L 91-100^
Newman, W 112-90^
UNCG, W 93-64
Bellarmine, W 98-71
California, W 99-96
Tulsa, W 84-83
vs. Miss. St., W 98-77
vs. Nebraska, L 85-86
@Indiana, W 86-69
Bowling Green, L 66-82
Seton Hall, L 67-78
Miss. Valley, W 108-49
@Creighton, W 83-76
South Dakota
ULM
BYU*
@Arizona*
@Arizona State*
UCF*
@Oklahoma State*
Utah*
Kansas*
@West Virginia*
Iowa State*
@TCU*
Cincinnati*
@Houston*
Baylor*
@Texas Tech*
@Colorado*
TCU*
West Virginia*
@Kansas*

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**Big 12*

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SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	62/11	5.7	2.8	1.6	0.9	43.3	26.7	61.5
Season	11/8	3.7	3.0	1.6	1.0	43.2	36.4	38.5
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**11/8**	**3.7**	**3.0**	**1.6**	**1.0**	**43.2**	**36.4**	**38.5**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**27**	2/15/25 vs. ETB Miners
REB	**12**	3/1/25 vs. Berlin Braves
AST	**11**	3/1/25 vs. Berlin Braves
STL	**7**	twice
MIN	**36**	5/3/25 vs. Paderborn

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *9 points (4-5 FG, 0-0 3FG, 0-0 FT), 6 rebs, 2 asts in 25 mins at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- One of 5 international players on the roster and the first German-born Wildcat.
- Was a member of the German U18 and U20 National Teams.
- Grew up with the ALBA Berlin club, making his debut at the age of 17 in 2021-22.
- Played in 53 games with ALBA in 2024-25 between Euroleague and the BBL.

1 ABDI BASHIR JR.

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G / Jr. / 6-7 / 175
Omaha, Neb.
[Monmouth]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	33/32	20.1	2.6	2.2	0.5	37.7	38.3	86.8
Season	11/11	12.8	2.0	2.2	0.5	42.3	46.6	60.0
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**77/43**	**13.2**	**1.8**	**1.4**	**0.4**	**38.3**	**39.7**	**83.9**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**38**	11/15/24 at Rutgers
REB	**6**	2/24/25 vs. No'eastern
AST	**7**	2/13/25 at Stony Brook
STL	**3**	11/21/24 vs. YSU
MIN	**48**	1/30/25 vs. Drexel

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *18 points (6-17 FG, 6-12 3FG, 0-0 FT), 2 rebs, 1 ast in 28 mins at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- Transfer from Monmouth, where he played in 66 games with 32 starts.
- One of the top scorers in 2024-25, leading the CAA and 16th nationally at 20.1 ppg.
- A big threat from 3-point range in 2024-25, leading the NCAA in 3-pt/game (3.85).
- Has scored in double-figure points in 44 of 77 career games, including 15 20-point games.

2 EXAVIER WILSON

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Columbia, Mo.
[Father Tolton Catholic]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Season	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**—**	**—**	**—**	**—**	**—**	**—**	**—**	**—**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**—**	—
REB	**—**	—
AST	**—**	—
STL	**—**	—
MIN	**—**	—

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *0 points (0-0 FG, 0-0 3FG, 0-0 FT) in 3 mins vs. Newman (10/31/25)*

- Scored more than 1,700 career points in his prep career behind only **Michael Porter Jr.**
- Averaged 20.6 points, 6.8 rebounds and 3.8 assists as a senior in 2024-25.
- Was a 3-time MBCA Class 4 All-State selection and 2-time District 9 Player of the Year.
- Led Tolton Catholic to 4 consecutive District 4 Championships.

3 C.J. JONES

G / Jr. / 6-5 / 195
East St. Louis, Ill.
[UIC]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	33/9	5.7	1.7	1.5	0.5	40.7	30.9	67.4
Season	11/0	3.5	2.5	1.2	0.4	35.1	31.3	80.0
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**106/59**	**7.4**	**2.4**	**2.7**	**0.7**	**39.5**	**34.4**	**65.7**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**25**	1/13/24 vs. Bradley
REB	**7**	11/4/25 vs. UNCG
AST	**14**	2/28/24 vs. Drake
STL	**5**	11/11/22 vs. Loyola
MIN	**47**	3/7/24 vs. So. Illinois

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *0 points (0-1 FG, 0-1 3FG, 0-0 FT), 2 rebs in 7 mins at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- One of 4 returning lettermen, who played in all 33 games with 9 starts in 2024-25.
- Started his career at UIC (2022-24), where he led the Flames in assists in 2023-24.
- Has 32 career double-digit scoring games in career, including 3 20-point efforts.
- Has 2 career points/assists double-doubles, both coming vs. Missouri Valley competition.

4 P.J. HAGGERTY

PRE ALL-BIG 12
G / Jr. / 6-4 / 195
Crosby, Texas
[Memphis]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	35/35	21.7	5.8	3.7	1.8	47.6	36.4	81.8
Season	11/11	22.7	4.7	4.7	1.0	49.7	39.5	72.6
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**83/77**	**20.3**	**5.2**	**3.7**	**1.7**	**48.6**	**34.2**	**78.3**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**42**	3/14/25 vs. Wichita St.
REB	**10**	3 times
AST	**11**	11/8/25 vs. Bellarmine
STL	**7**	12/4/24 vs. La. Tech
MIN	**44**	12/14/24 at Clemson

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *10 points (4-12 FG, 0-2 3FG, 2-3 FTs), 5 rebs, 1 ast in 34 min at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- Consensus Second Team All-American at Memphis, where he ranked 3rd in scoring (21.7 ppg.).
- Only D1 player to average at least 21 ppg., 5.5 rpg., 3.5 apg., 1.5 spg. in each of last 2 years.
- Has scored more than 1,600 points in his career, including 75 double-digit scoring games.
- Ranked in top-3 nationally in both FT made and attempted in the past 2 seasons.

6 MARCUS JOHNSON

W / Sr. / 6-7 / 265
Akron, Ohio
[Bowling Green]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	32/32	16.2	5.0	1.8	0.9	43.0	39.4	89.8
Season	3/0	1.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	33.3	33.3	0.0
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**91/86**	**17.9**	**6.2**	**2.1**	**1.2**	**46.2**	**41.0**	**87.2**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**34**	2/3/24 vs. W.V. State
REB	**15**	1/10/24 vs. Fairmont St.
AST	**9**	12/2/23 at W.V. Wesleyan
STL	**4**	6 times
MIN	**44**	3/6/24 vs. Notre Dame

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *3 points (1-3 FG, 1-3 3FG, 0-0 FTs), 2 rebs in 7 min vs. MVSU (12/8/25)*

- Transfer from Bowling Green, where he started all 32 games for the Falcons.
- Started his career at NJCAA's Parkland College before 2 years at D2 Wheeling College.
- Has scored more than 1,900 points in college, including 1,600 at Division I and/or II levels.
- Has double-digit points in 86 of 110 career games, including 42 20-point games.

10 DAVID CASTILLO

G / So. / 6-1 / 180
Bartlesville, Okla.
[Sunrise Christian]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	32/2	2.4	0.6	0.8	0.4	22.1	25.4	88.0
Season	11/2	13.5	2.1	2.3	0.4	49.0	42.4	80.8
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**43/4**	**5.2**	**1.0**	**1.1**	**0.4**	**36.8**	**33.3**	**84.3**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**22**	12/1/25 vs. Bowling Green
REB	**5**	12/6/25 vs. Seton Hall
AST	**5**	12/8/25 vs. MVSU
STL	**2**	3 times
MIN	**33**	12/1/25 vs. Bowling Green

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *19 points (7-11 FG, 2-4 3FG, 3-3 FT), 3 asts, 2 rebs, 1 stl in 23 mins at Creighton (12/13/25).*

- The lone true freshman in 2024-25, playing in 32 of 33 games with 2 starts.
- Scored nearly 1,700 points in his prep career, mostly at Bartlesville High School.
- Played for former Wildcat **Clent Stewart** at Bartlesville High School.
- Led Team USA to a pair of gold medals, most recently at 2022 FIBA U17 World Cup.

14 MOBI IKEGWURUKA

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G / Jr. / 6-6 / 220
Galway, Ireland
[Ellsworth CC]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	24/0	2.1	2.4	0.1	0.6	60.0	—	52.9
Season	8/1	1.6	2.4	0.5	0.5	55.6	—	50.0
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**32/1**	**2.0**	**2.4**	**0.2**	**0.6**	**59.1**	**—**	**52.2**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**8**	1/29/25 vs. Okla. St.
REB	**7**	3 times
AST	**2**	11/4/25 vs UNCG
STL	**3**	twice
MIN	**34**	twice

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *1 point (0-0 FG, 0-0 3FG, 0-0 FT), 0 rebs in 5 mins vs. Seton Hall (12/6/25)*

- One of 4 returning lettermen, playing in 24 games after playing at NJCAA D2 level.
- Averaged a double-double in leading the Panthers to a 4th-place finish at NJCAA D2 Champ.
- Earned 2024 NJCAA Division II Second Team All-America honors in 2023-24.
- A native of Ireland who played for two clubs teams in Czech Republic from 2020-23.

15 TAJ MANNING

W / Jr. / 6-7 / 230
Grandview, Mo.
[La Lumiere [Ind.]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	8/0	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.1	50.0	50.0	—
Season	9/0	1.3	2.8	0.1	0.2	45.5	0.0	100.0
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**31/1**	**1.0**	**1.5**	**0.1**	**0.2**	**52.2**	**27.3**	**55.6**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**6**	12/1/24 vs. UAPB
REB	**6**	12/8/25 vs. MVSU
AST	**1**	3 times
STL	**1**	5 times
MIN	**18**	12/8/25 vs. MVSU

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *2 points (1-2 FG, 0-0 3FG, 0-0 FT), 5 rebs in 13 mins at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- One of 4 returning lettermen who played in 8 games in 2024-25.
- Has scored in 11 games, including a season-high 6 points vs. UAPB (12/1/24).
- Redshirted his first season in 2022-23.
- Local product who won state titles at Grandview and Bishop Miege High Schools.

21 KHAMARI McGRIFF

Kuh-MAR-ee
W / Sr. / 6-9 / 230
Tallahassee, Fla.
[UNC Wilmington]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	34/12	11.5	4.0	0.7	0.4	65.1	66.7	69.3
Season	11/11	10.3	4.4	1.0	1.2	75.9	50.0	70.6
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**96/53**	**6.8**	**3.2**	**0.5**	**0.9**	**69.1**	**60.0**	**68.1**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**34**	12/14/24 at Howard
REB	**12**	11/8/24 vs. Ga. South.
AST	**3**	twice
BLK	**4**	3 times
MIN	**32**	11/8/24 vs. Ga. South.

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *12 points (3-7 FG, 1-1 3FG, 5-6 FT), 6 rebs, 2 blks in 28 mins at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- Transfer from UNC Wilmington, where he played in 85 games with 42 starts.
- Coming off career year in 2024-25, emerging as one of the top sixth men in the CAA.
- Has a career 69.1 FG% while averaging just under 4 field goal attempts per game.
- Has scored in double figures in 28 games with two 20-point game and one 30-point game.

22 DORIN BUCA

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C / Jr. / 7-2 / 254
Perugia, Italy
[Akern Libertas Livorno]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	43/12	5.6	5.3	0.2	1.2	60.8	—	49.4
Season	10/0	2.4	3.1	0.7	1.7	41.2	0.0	66.7
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**10/0**	**2.4**	**3.1**	**0.7**	**1.7**	**41.2**	**0.0**	**66.7**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**15**	3/8/25 vs. Piazenza
REB	**12**	twice
AST	**3**	2/19/25 vs. Brindisi
BLK	**5**	twice
MIN	**33**	3/23/25 vs. Cento

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *5 points (1-3 FG, 0-0 3FG, 3-3 FT), 5 rebs, 1 ast in 11 mins at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- One of 5 international players on the roster and the first Italian-born Wildcat.
- One of the tallest players in school history, measuring at 7-foot-2.
- Began his career with Basket Perugia in the Italian Serie C in 2019-20.
- Played in 43 games with Livorno Libertas in 2024-25 in the Italian Serie A.

23 STEPHEN OSEI

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W / So. / 6-10 / 200
Toronto, Ontario
[Casper College [Wyo.]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	26/25	11.0	7.0	0.8	0.2	63.8	—	68.6
Season	3/0	0.7	1.0	0.0	0.0	33.3	—	—
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**3/0**	**0.7**	**1.0**	**0.0**	**0.0**	**33.3**	**—**	**—**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**23**	twice
REB	**14**	11/16/24 vs. NE JC
AST	**3**	twice
STL	**1**	4 times
MIN	**36**	11/16/24 vs. NE JC

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *0 points (0-0 FG, 0-0 3FG, 0-0 FT), 0 reb in 0+ min at Indiana (11/25/25)*

- One of 5 international players on the roster and the fifth Canadian-born Wildcat.
- Transferred to K-State after 1 season at NJCAA's Casper College in 2024-25.
- Averaged 11.0 ppg. on a team-leading 63.8 percent shooting in lone season at Casper.
- Scored in double figures in 15 of 26 games with 3 20-point games.

34 NATE JOHNSON

G / Sr. / 6-3 / 215
Liberty Township, Ohio
[Akron]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	35/34	14.0	4.9	3.4	1.7	43.9	30.1	80.3
Season	11/11	12.0	5.5	3.9	2.0	49.5	41.2	81.3
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**103/71**	**9.2**	**3.9**	**2.2**	**1.4**	**45.5**	**34.5**	**78.6**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**31**	3/14/25 vs. Toledo
REB	**10**	2/28/25 vs. Kent St.
AST	**10**	2/8/25 vs. So. Alabama
STL	**5**	12/8/25 vs. MVSU
MIN	**37**	11/21/25 vs. Nebraska

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *8 points (3-10 FG, 2-7 3FG, 0-0 FT), 6 asts, 4 rebs, 4 stls in 32 mins at Creighton (12/13/25)*

- Has 1 season left after leading Akron to 74 wins, 3 MAC titles and 2 NCAA Tournaments.
- Became first Zip to be named both MAC Player and Defensive POY in the same season.
- Nearly had triple-double vs. UNCG (11/4) with 22 pts, 9 rebs and 9 asts in 31 mins.
- Has scored in double figures in 47 games with six 20-point games and one 30-point game.

47 ANDREJ KOSTIC

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W / Fr. / 6-6 / 210
Belgrade, Serbia
[Crvena zevda Me]

SEASON / CAREER STATS

	GP/GS	PPG	RPG	APG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
'24-25	41/8	13.8	2.5	2.6	0.6	43.4	36.5	76.5
Season	8/0	4.0	2.1	1.1	0.3	34.4	30.0	80.0
Big 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Career	**8/0**	**4.0**	**2.1**	**1.1**	**0.3**	**34.4**	**30.0**	**80.0**

CAREER-HIGHS

PTS	**39**	2/8/25 vs. Joker S.
REB	**10**	3/17/24 vs. Sloga KR
AST	**8**	3/17/24 vs. Sloga KR
STL	**5**	3/2/24 vs. NGT Belgrade
MIN	**36**	twice

QUICK NOTES

LAST: *2 points (1-4 FG, 0-3 3FG, 0-0 FT), 4 rebs, 3 asts, 1 stl in 12 mins vs. MVSU (12/8/25)*

- One of 5 international players on the roster and the first Serbian-born Wildcat.
- Member of the Serbian U18 and U19 National Teams, winning gold at 2023 European U18.
- Earned all-tournament honors at the 2025 Adidas Eurocamp in Treviso, Italy.
- Grew up in the KK Crvena Zvezda Meridianbet Beograd U18 club, starting in 2022-23.