

Conference Champions: 2010, 2014, 2018, 2019 · NCAA Tournament: 2010 · 719 All-Time Wins · 11 20-win Seasons

GAME

#### THE MATCH-UP

#### LAMAR

2-1 | 0-0 SLC

Head Coach: Aqua Franklin Record at Lamar: 36-49 / 4th Year Career Record: 36-49 / 4th Year Last Game: W 66-63 at Prairie View A&M

#### **MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE**

0-3 | 0-0 SWAC

Head Coach: Kimberly Anderson Record at Mississippi Valley State: 0-3/1st year

Career Record: 61-108/7th year Last Game: L 45-67 @ Lipscomb

LAMAR vs. MISSISSIPPI VALLEY ST | NOVEMBER 25, 2021 | 5:00 P.M. CT | REED GREEN COLISEUM



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	STAT COMPARISON									
LAMAR	MISSISSIPPI VA	ALLEY STATE								
2-1	Overall Record	0-3								
64.7	Points/Game	44.3								
68.7	Opp. Points Against	94.0								
40.5	FG%	26.2								
38.4	Opp. FG%	54.8								
25.5	3-Point FG%	16.0								
66.7	FT%	71.4								
12.0	Assists/Game	8.3								



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#### RETURNING STARTERS

	No.	Name	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	APG
G	3	Sabria Dean	5-7	Jr.	Mineola, Texas	12.0	3.4	2.6
F	10	Malay McQueen	5-7	Sr.	Arlington, Texas	8.3	4.2	1.7
С	41	Akasha Davis	6-2	So.	Dallas, Texas	12.5	6.7	0.7
			REI	MAIN	ING ROSTER			
G	2	Alyiah Craft	5-6	Fr.	Huntsville, Texas	-		
G	4	Brooklyn Mitchell	5-7	Sr.	New Orleans, La.	1.0	0.5	0.5
G	11	Portia Adams	5-6	So.	Cedar Hill, Texas	4.1	2.2	1.0
F	13	Taliah Hill	6-0	So	Arlington, Texas		-	-
F	14	Emma Imevbore	6-4	Fr.	London, England, UK	3.8	3.1	0.1
F	22	NJ Weems	6-1	Jr.	Minneapolis, Minn.	2.8	2.4	0.4
С	25	Bebe Galloway	5-11	Jr.	Galveston, Texas	1.2	0.7	-
G	30	R'Mani Taylor	5-6	Fr.	Houston, Texas	-	-	
G	33	Anaya Bernard	5-10	So.	Mansfield, Texas		-	-

#### **KEY STORYLINES**

#### CARDINAL NOTABLES

- · WORKING OVERTIME: Lamar edged out Prairie View A&M in a thrilling overtime game. After a slow start by trailing 18-9 in the first quarter, LU rallied back to take the game 66-63 over the Panthers marking their fifth win in six games
- DOUBLE TROUBLE: Emma Imevbore and Malay McQueen each contributed double-doubles in the win. Imevbore scored 15 points and grabbed 15 rebounds while she netted the game-winning lay-up on an assist from McQueen, who finished with 10 points and 13 rebounds.
- 25 AGAIN: For the second game in a row, Sabria Dean tallied 25 points. She currently leads LU with 18.7 ppg, after three games. This is the highest average Dean has had through the first three games, which bests last season (16.3 ppg).
- · HISTORY AGAINST THE DELTA DEVILETTES: In their only meeting against the Delta Devils back in the 2008-09 season, the Cardinals came out with a 72-47 win.

#### **OPPONENT INFO**

- SCOUTING THE DELTA DEVILETTES: The Delta Devilettes are currently 0-3 after losing to Lipscomb. They're averaging 44.3 points per game and they're two top scorers of Zakiya Mahoney and Elisa Saffold are averaging 7.7 ppg.
- A THANKSGIVING TRADITION: This contest will be part of the Lady Eagle Thanksgiving Classic hosted by Southern Mississippi and will take place in Hattiesburg,

#### **HOW TO FOLLOW**

- · RADIO: The game between the Cardinals and Delta Devilettes will be broadcasted on University of Southern Mississippi Live on the Varsity Network App
- TV: There will be no televised broadcast of the game.



**2022-23 SCHEDULE** 

RECORD	2-1
SOUTHLAND CONFERENCE	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-1
HOME	1-0
AWAY	1-1
NEUTRAL	0-0

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
N7	at Baylor	L 50-88
N11	Jarvis Christian	W 78-55
N16	at Prairie View	W 66-63 (OT)
N25	Mississpii Valley State#	5:00 p.m.
N26	at Southern Mississippi#	5:00 p.m.
D3	UT-Arlington	2:00 p.m.
D6	Loyola (La.)	7:00 p.m.
D8	at Arkansas	7:00 p.m.
D14	at LSU	7:00 p.m.
D17	Louisiana-Lafayette	2:00 p.m.
D21	Texas A&M-Texarkana	7:00 p.m.
D31	McNeese*	1:00 p.m.
J5	at New Orleans*	5:00 p.m.
J7	at Southeastem La.*	1:00 p.m.
J12	Nicholls*	5:00 p.m.
J14	at Texas A&M-Commerce*	2:00 p.m.
J19	Texas A&M-Corpus Christi*	5:00 p.m.
J21	Incarnate Word*	3:00 p.m.
J26	Texas A&M-Commerce*	5:00 p.m.
J28	at Northwestern State*	1:00 p.m.
F2	at McNeese*	5:00 p.m.
F4	Northwestern State*	3:00 p.m.
F9	at Incamate Word*	5:30 p.m.
F11	at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi*	1:00 p.m.
F16	Houston Baptist*	5:00 p.m.
F18	at Houston Baptist*	2:00 p.m.
F23	Southeastern La.*	5:00 p.m.
F25	New Orleans*	3:00 p.m.
M1	at Nicholls	5:00 p.m.
SLC CH	AMPIONSHIPS (LAKE CHARLES, LA.)	
M5-9	TBD (TBD)	TBA

## Schedule Key

- All Times Central
- \* Southland Conference Game
- #Southern Mississippi Thanksgiving Tournament ^ ESPN+/ESPN3 games are online broadcasts and are available only on WatchESPN via computers, smartphones and tablets.

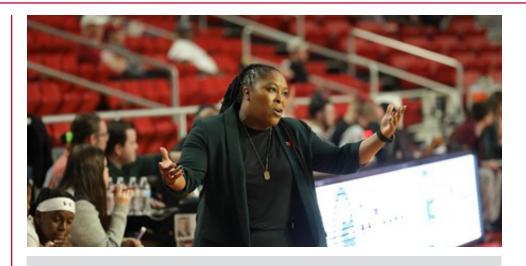
#### **TEAM INFORMATION**

2021-22 Overall Record	.14-15
2021-22 WAC Record/Finish	.8-10/7th
2021-22 Home Record	.9-6
2021-22 Away Record	.4-8
2021-22 Neutral Record	.1/1
Starters Returning/Lost	.3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	.9/5



# **RECORD**

Overall         1-1           Leading After 1st Quarter         1-0           Trailing After 1st Quarter         1-1           Tied after 1st Quarter         0-0           Leading at Halftime         0-0           Trailing at Halftime         2-1           Leading After 3rd Quarter         1-0           Trailing After 3rd Quarter         0-1           Tied After 3rd Quarter         0-1           In Overtime         1-0           In Double Overtime         0-0
By Month
November         2-1           December         0-0           January         0-0           February         0-0           March         0-0
By Days of the Week
Sunday         0-0           Monday         0-1           Tuesday         0-0           Wednesday         1-0           Thursday         0-0           Friday         1-0           Saturday         0-0
By Location
Home Games
By Starting Time
By Starting Time           In Day Games         1-0           In Night Games (6 p.m. or Later)         1-1
Margins         23           Largest Deficit.         38           Largest Winning Margin         23           Largest Losing Margin         38           Offensively
LU Scored Fewer Than 60
Defensively           LU Allowed Fewer Than 60         1-0           LU Allowed 60-69         1-0           LU Allowed 70-79         0-0           LU Allowed 80-89         0-1           LU Allowed 90-99         0-0           LU Allowed 100+         0-0
Bench Scoring           LU Had More Bench Points         2-0           Opponent Had More Bench Points         0-1           Bench Scoring was Tied         0-0
From The Field
Free Throw Attempts Were Even         0-0           LU Had Better FT Percentage         2-0           Opponent Had Better FT Percentage         0-1           Free-Throw Percentage Was Tied         0-0



# **2022-23 ROSTER**

No.	Name	Ht.	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown   Previous School(s)
2	Alyiah Craft	5-6	G	FR	Huntsville, Texas   Huntsville HS
3	Sabria Dean	5-7	G	JR	Mineola, Texas   Mineola HS
4	Brooklyn Mitchell	5-7	G	SR	New Orleans, La.   Ursuline Academy   Kansas
10	Malay McQueen	5-7	G	SR	Arlingotn, Texas   Bowie HS
11	Portia Adams	5-6	G	SO	Cedar Hill, Texas   Cedar Hill HS
13	Taliah Hill	6-0	F	SO	Arlington, Texas   Arlington Martin
14	Emma Imevbore	6-4	F	SO	London, England   King Henry HS
22	NJ Weems	6-1	F	JR	Minneapolis, Minn.   De La Salle HS   Moberly Area CC
25	Bebe Galloway	5-11	С	SO	Galveston, Texas   Ball HS
30	R'Mani Taylor	5-6	G	FR	Houston, Texas   Shadow Creek HS
33	Anaya Bernard	5-10	G/F	SO-TR	Mansfield, Texas   Duncanville HS/Idaho State
41	Akasha Davis	6-2	F?C	FR	Dallas, Texas   Wylie East HS

#### **STAFF**

Head Coach: Aqua Franklin Record at Lamar: 34-48 (4th Year) Overall Record: Same (Same) Assistant Coach: Bianca Smith Assistant Coach: Omar Sneed Assistant Coach: Raymond Patche

Director of Basketball Operations: Katie Jones Graduate Assistant Coach: Shakendra Tilley Graduate Assistant Coach: Shedricka Pierson

#### PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

ANAYA BERNARD - AH-NYE-AH
AKASHA DAVIS - A-KAY-SHA
SABRIA DEAN - SA-BREEA
PORTIA ADAMS - PORSCHA
BEBE GALLOWAY - BEE-BEE
TALIAH HILL - TAL-LEAH
EMMA IMEVBORE - I-MEV-BORAY
R'MANI TAYLOR - ARE-MONEY

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#### **SLC STANDINGS**

<u>Team</u>	Conference	Pct.	Overall	Pct.	Home	Away	Neutral	L10	Streak
Lamar	0-0	.000	2-1	0.66	1-0	1-1	0-0	2-1	W2
AMU-Corpus Christi	0-0	.000	2-2	0.50	2-0	0-2	0-0	2-2	W2
Nicholls	0-0	.000	2-2	0.50	2-1	0-1	0-0	2-2	L2
Southeastern La.	0-0	.000	2-2	0.50	1-0	1-2	0-0	2-2	L2
UIW	0-0	.000	2-2	0.50	2-1	0-1	0-0	2-2	W1
Houston Christian	0-0	.000	1-2	0.33	1-0	0-2	0-0	1-2	L2
New Orleans	0-0	.000	1-2	0.33	1-0	0-2	0-0	1-2	L1
Northwestern State	0-0	.000	1-3	0.25	1-1	0-2	0-0	1-3	L3
AMU-Commerce	0-0	.000	1-3	0.25	1-0	0-3	0-0	1-3	L3
McNeese	0-0	.000	1-4	0.20	1-1	0-3	0-0	1-4	L4

#### SLC BASKETBALL OPENING WEEK (NOV. 14, 2022-NOV. 20, 2022)

Tuesday, November 22, 2022

Nicholls @ Mississippi Valley State - 1:00 p.m. New Orleans @ Alcorn State - 6:00 p.m. McNeese @ Xavier - 6:00 p.m.

Southeastern @ South Alabama - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 24, 2022

AMU-Corpus Christi vs. Stony Brook# - 12:30 p.m.

Friday, November 25, 2022

A&M-Corpus Christi vs. Nebraska# - 12:30 p.m. Houston Christian @ Denver - 1:00 p.m. Nicholls @ Southern Mississippi - 3:00 p.m. Lamar vs. Mississippi Valley State\$ - 5:00 p.m. Southeastern vs. Dillard - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 26, 2022

Northwestern State vs. Arkansas Baptist - 1:00 p.m. AMU-Commerce vs. New Mexico - 2:00 p.m.

Nicholls vs. Mississippi Valley State\$ - 3:00 p.m.

Lamar at Southern Miss. - 5:00 p.m. Houston Christian @ Yale - TBA

# - Puerto Rico

\$ - Lady Eagle Thanksgiving Classic, Hattiesburg, Miss.

# **QUICK FACTS**

#### UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Name: Lamar University Founded: 1923 Location: Beaumont, Texas Enrollment: 15,460 Nickname: Cardinals Colors: Red and white

Affiliation: NCAA Division I, Southland Con-

President: Dr. Jaime Taylor Director of Athletics: Jeff O'Malley

#### **TEAM INFORMATION**

2021-22 Overall Record: 14-15 2021-22 SLC Record/Finish: 8-10/7th 2021-22 Postseaon: Quarterfinalist Starters Returning/Lost: 3/2 Lettermen Returning/Lost: 9/5

Newcomers: 3

First Year of Basketball: 1971-72 Joined Southland Conference: 2013 All-Time Record: 748-748

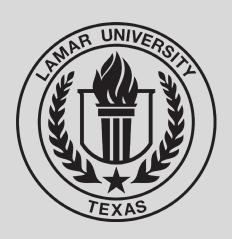
Southland Conference Record/Years: 217-222/11

Southland Conference Titles: 4 (2010, 2014, 2018, 2019)

Southland Tournament Titles: 1 (2010) NCAA Appearances: 2 (1991, 2010) WNIT Appeanances: 4 (2011, 2014, 2018,

2019)

WBI Appearances: 2 (2013, 2017)



## 2022-23 CARDINAL GAME-BY-GAME

OPPONENT	1	2	3	4	5
at Baylor	Adams	Dean	Weems	Bernard	Davis
Jarvis Christian	Adams	Dean	Weems	Bernard	Davis
at Prairie View A&M	Adams	Dean	McQueen	Weems	Bernard
Mississippi Valley State					
at Southern Mississippi					
UT-Arlington					
Loyola (La.)					
at Arkansas					
at LSU					
Louisiana					
Texas A&M-Texarkana					
McNeese					
at New Orleans					
at Southeastern La.					
Nicholls					
at Texas A&M-Commerce					
Texas A&M-Corpus Christi					
UIW					
Texas A&M-Commerce					
at Northwestern State					
at McNeese					
Northwestern State					
at UIW					
at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi					
Houston Christian					
at Houston Christian					
Southeastern Louisiana					
Southeastern Louisiana					

### **BREAKING IT DOWN**

#### **2022-23 LAMAR LINEUP COMBINATIONS**

Gms.Rec.Lineup1-21-1Adams-Dean-Weems-Bernard-Davis31-0Adams-Dean-McQueen-Weems-Bernard

#### **OFFENSIVE OPPORTUNITIES**

Lamar shooting from the field (all games):

10%FG:

20%FG:

30%FG: 36.0% (BU)

40%FG: 42.3% (PVÚ), 42.4% (JCC)

60%FG:

#### **DEE -- FENSE**

Opponents shooting from the field (all games):

10%FG:

20%FG: 29.1% (PVU)

30%FG: 39.3% (JCC)

40%FG: 48.5%(BU)

50%FG:

60%FG:



# Lamar Head Coach Aqua Franklin

Aqua Franklin was named the 14th women's basketball head coach at Lamar University on May 1, 2019.

Prior to being named the head coach at Lamar, Franklin was on the sidelines of Allen Fieldhouse as the associate head coach at Kansas. In her second stint with the Jayhawks, Franklin spent four seasons as the Jayhawks' associate head coach and five overall in Lawrence. During her time at Kansas, Franklin has worked to help rebuild the KU program.

During her career, Franklin has recruited and coached eight all-conference players and three all-freshman team selections. Franklin guided yet another KU guard to All-Big 12 honors during the 2017-18 season after junior Christalah Lyons earned an honorable mention nod for her work on the hardwood. Lyons repeated honorable mention honors following the 2018-19 season as well.

During the 2016-17 season, Franklin mentored Jessica Washington to new heights in the red and blue. Under Franklin's guidance, Washington became the first Jayhawk to garner Big 12 Newcomer of the Year honors after averaging a league-best 19.3 points per game in conference play.

Prior to returning to KU, Franklin spent the last three seasons as an assistant coach and recruiting coordinator at Mississippi State, where she helped the Bulldogs to a historic season in 2014-15. That year Mississippi State set a school record for overall (27) and conference (11) wins and advanced to the second round of the tournament. In addition to the Bulldogs work on the court, Franklin was also instrumental in helping Mississippi State bring in one of the top recruiting classes in program history with a top

20 national ranking.

During her first stint with the Jayhawks in 2011-12, Franklin helped Kansas to one of its best seasons in recent history, highlighted by the Jayhawks' trip to the NCAA Sweet 16. Franklin coached Angel Goodrich to a banner season after she paced KU with 23.3 points per game and shattered the single-season school record with 250 assists. Goodrich was named Honorable Mention All-America by both the Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) and the Associated Press, and was one of the four finalist for the Nancy Lieberman Award, given annually to the top point guard in the nation.

Franklin spent the 2010-11 season at Stephen F. Austin under current Kansas head coach, Brandon Schneider. With the Ladyjacks, she tutored Tammara Marion to All-Southland Conference accolades after Marion became the 25th SFA player to score 1,000 points and set a school mark for three-pointers made in a season

Franklin's coaching career got started at her alma mater serving as a graduate assistant for Texas A&M during the 2009-10 season. Her collegiate and professional experiences were a valuable asset to the Aggies as she helped guide the team to the Big 12 Championship and the No. 2 seed in the NCAA Tournament.

Franklin was selected with the 38th pick in the 2008 WNBA Draft by the Sacramento Monarchs. As a rookie, Franklin helped lead the Monarchs to the opening round of the 2008 WNBA playoffs. The following season she signed with the Seattle Storm before going on to begin her coaching career at her alma mater.

She concluded her four-year playing career at Texas A&M as one of the most-decorated guards in program history, ranking in the top three in assists with 627. Her final season with the Aggies was a memorable one for the program, as the team made its first run to the NCAA's Elite Eight. Franklin capped her career by claiming honorable mention All-America accolades from the Associated Press to go along with second-team All-Big 12 honors. During her collegiate career, Franklin led the Aggies to three NCAA appearances and was twice named Honorable Mention All-America.

A 2018 Texas A&M Hall of Fame inductee, Franklin graduated from A&M with a degree in recreation park and tourism science in 2009. She was also a member of the second Tyler ISD Hall of Fame class – one that also included NFL legend Earl Campbell.



### 2022-23 Lamar University Women's Basketball Combined Team Statistics All games

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#### **Game Records**

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

#### **Score by Periods**

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	ОТ	тот
Lamar University	45	37	55	44	13	194
Opponents	59	42	49	46	10	206

#### **Team Box Score**

N.o.	Player				Tota	Total 3-Point			F-Th	row		Reb	ound	S								
NO.	Player	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	Α	то	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
3	DEAN, Sabria	3-3	115:02	38.3	18-48	.375	4-12	.333	16-21	.762	6	3	9	3.0	8	0	7	7	1	6	56	18.7
11	ADAMS, Portia	3-3	107:36	35.9	12-35	.343	2-14	.143	9-11	.818	3	8	11	3.7	8	0	12	11	0	3	35	11.7
41	DAVIS, Akasha	2-2	35:48	17.9	6-13	.462	0-0	.000	5-12	.417	5	7	12	6.0	3	0	0	6	1	0	17	8.5
10	MCQUEEN, Malay	3-1	97:38	32.5	8-19	.421	4-11	.364	2-4	.500	4	21	25	8.3	4	0	8	6	1	4	22	7.3
14	IMEVBORE, Emma	3-0	47:47	15.9	9-13	.692	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	4	18	22	7.3	7	0	0	10	4	0	21	7.0
33	BERNARD, Anaya	3-3	76:27	25.5	6-18	.333	2-5	.400	2-2	1.000	0	7	7	2.3	4	0	3	4	1	2	16	5.3
2	CRAFT, Alyiah	3-0	29:54	10.0	5-10	.500	0-2	.000	3-5	.600	4	7	11	3.7	2	0	0	4	0	3	13	4.3
13	HILL, Taliah	2-0	37:00	18.5	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	3-3	1.000	0	4	4	2.0	5	0	0	1	0	2	7	3.5
30	TAYLOR, R'Mani	1-0	04:43	4.7	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	3.0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	2.0
22	WEEMS, NJ	3-3	73:05	24.4	1-7	.143	0-3	.000	3-5	.600	0	6	6	2.0	7	0	6	6	2	0	5	1.7
Tea	am										4	4	8					8				
To	tal	3	625		68-168	.405	12-47	.255	46-69	.667	30	88	118	39.3	48	0	36	65	10	20	194	64.7
Op	ponents	3	625		78-203	.384	19-68	.279	31-47	.660	36	74	110	36.7	63	1	40	43	10	28	206	68.7

#### **Team Statistics**

	LAMAR	OPF
Scoring	194	206
Points per game	64.7	68.7
Scoring margin	-4.0	
Field goals-att	68-168	78-203
Field goal pct	.405	.384
3 point fg-att	12-47	19-68
3-point FG pct	.255	.279
3-pt FG made per game	4.0	6.3
Free throws-att	46-69	31-47
Free throw pct	.667	.660
F-Throws made per game	15.3	10.3
Rebounds	118	110
Rebounds per game	39.3	36.7
Rebounding margin	+2.7	-
Assists	36	40
Assists per game	12.0	13.3
Turnovers	65	43
Turnovers per game	21.7	14.3
Turnover margin	-7.3	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.6	0.9
Steals	20	28
Steals per game	6.7	9.3
Blocks	10	10
Blocks per game	3.3	3.3
Winning streak	2	
Home win streak	1	
Attendance	804	4256
Home games-Avg/Game	1-804	2-2128
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

#### **Team Results**

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/07/2022	at Baylor	L	50-88	4032
11/11/2022	Jarvis Christian	l w	78-55	804
11/16/2022	at Prairie View	Wot	66-63	224