



SAMFORD

FOOTBALL
2024 GAME NOTES

BULLDOGS

3-4
OVERALL

2-2
SoCon

NR
STATS PERFORM TOP 25

CHRIS HATCHER
HEAD COACH

181-104
CAREER

25th
SEASON



TERRIERS

3-5
OVERALL

1-4
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SHAWN WATSON
HEAD COACH

19-39
CAREER

6th
SEASON



VS

THE KICKOFF: WOFFORD

- The Samford football team will return home to play host to the Wofford Terriers for Samford's homecoming game Saturday at 2 p.m. at Pete Hanna Stadium. Samford has a record of 3-4 overall and 2-2 in Southern Conference play after a 28-11 loss at The Citadel last week. Wofford is currently 3-5 overall and 1-4 in the SoCon after a 24-7 loss to ETSU last week.
- Samford and Wofford are meeting for the 22nd time, with Samford owning a 16-5 series lead. Last season, the Bulldogs picked up a 31-10 win at Wofford. Samford has won the last nine games in the series. Wofford's last win in the series came in 2014 in a 24-20 Terriers' win at Samford. Since Samford joined the Southern Conference in 2008, Samford has a 12-4 series lead against Wofford. The first-ever meeting in the series came in 1949, with Wofford taking a 27-13 win in Spartanburg.
- Last week, Samford traveled to Charleston, S.C., to take on The Citadel, falling by a score of 28-11. For Samford in the loss, quarterback Quincy Crittendon completed 29-of-36 passes for 223 yards, one touchdown and two interceptions. Samuel Willoughby had five catches for 27 yards and a touchdown. Iaan Cousin caught three passes for a team-high 47 yards. Defensively, Noah Martin had 11 tackles, while C.J. Douglas had 10 stops.
- Entering the contest against Wofford, linebacker Noah Martin is tied for eighth nationally averaging 9.9 total tackles per game. Martin had 11 tackles in each of the first three games of the season. In the win over VMI, the graduate student led the team with seven tackles on the day, then he tallied eight tackles at ETSU, 10 tackles in the win over Mercer and 11 in last week's contest at The Citadel.



TALE OF THE TAPE

SERIES RECORD

22ND MEETING

Overall Samford leads, 16-5
Last Meeting W, 31-10 (10/7/2023)



BULLDOGS	STATS	TERRIERS
24.14	PPG	16.38
128	First Downs	115
90.4	Rush YPG	100.8
248.43	Pass YPG	189.50
338.9	Total Offense	290.3
15	Pass TD	8
7	Pass Int	11
6	Rush TD	7
3-of-8	Field Goals	8-of-10
29:28	Avg. Time of Possession	28:08
20 (138 yards)	Sacks Allowed	14 (103 yards)
18-of-26	Red Zone Attempts-Scores	18-of-21
26.71	Scoring Defense	23.38
122.0	Rush YPG/Allowed	165.1
245.71	Pass YPG/Allowed	174.38
367.7	Total Defense	339.5
18 (146 yards)	Sacks By	9 (68 yards)
6	Interceptions By	12
8/5	Fumbles Forced/Recovered	14/6
+1	Turnover Margin	+3



NUMBERS TO KNOW

22

Saturday's game between Samford and Wofford will mark the 22nd meeting in the history of the series.

9.9

Entering this week, Samford linebacker Noah Martin is averaging 9.9 tackles per game which is tied for eighth nationally.

2024 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

OVERALL RECORD:	3-4
SOCON:	2-2
NON-CONFERENCE:	1-2
HOME:	3-0
AWAY:	0-4
NEUTRAL:	0-0



WEST GEORGIA

Aug. 31, 2024 | 5 p.m. | ESPN+
University Stadium | Carrollton, Ga.
Result: L, 29-38



FLORIDA

Sept. 7, 2024 | 6 p.m. | ESPN+ / SEC NETWORK+
Ben Hill Griffin Stadium | Gainesville, Fla.
Result: L, 7-45



ALABAMA STATE

Sept. 14, 2024 | 6 p.m. | ESPN+
Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.
Results: W, 12-7



FURMAN

Sept. 25, 2024 | 1 p.m. | ESPN+
Paladin Stadium | Greenville, S.C.
Results: Postponed



VMI

Oct. 5, 2024 | 12 p.m. | ESPN+
Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.
Results: W, 27-3



ETSU

Oct. 12, 2024 | 2:30 p.m. | ESPN+
William B. Greene, Jr. Stadium | Johnson City, Tenn.
Results: L, 28-31



#7 MERCER

Oct. 19, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+
Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.
Results: W, 55-35



THE CITADEL

Oct. 25, 2024 | 1 p.m. | ESPN+
Johnson Hagood Stadium | Charleston, S.C.
Results: L, 11-28



WOFFORD

Nov. 2, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+
Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.
Results:



TENNESSEE TECH

Nov. 9, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+
Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.
Results:



CHATTANOOGA

Nov. 16, 2024 | 12:30 p.m. | ESPN+
Finley Stadium | Chattanooga, Tenn.
Results:



WESTERN CAROLINA

Nov. 23, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+
Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala.
Results:

LEGEND: All times Central and subject to change.





MEDIA INFORMATION

CREDENTIAL REQUESTS

All media members working the game must request credentials from the athletic communications office. Early requests are helpful, enabling media to receive parking passes before the game. Please make requests at least one week before the game. Only working media will be granted credentials.

PRESS BOX

Press facilities are located in Bashinsky Press Tower on the west side of Pete Hanna Stadium. Working media and scouts should enter through the gate on the west side of the stadium, at the gate just south of the press tower. To pick up unmailed credentials, go to the Will Call booth, also located at that gate.

Bashinsky Press Tower is a multilevel facility. Enter on the first level and use the stairs or elevator to reach the second, third and fourth levels.

Level 2: The second level contains boxes for replay officials, and a VIP suite. The booth for Samford's ESPN+/ESPN3 broadcasts is also on the second level.

Level 3: The third level contains coaches boxes, visiting radio, print media and statistics personnel. The athletic communications office also provides wireless internet access in the writers' area for use in covering the game.

Level 4: Exterior and interior filming areas are available for all television and team video crews. Priority is given to film crews and stations that cover Samford and the opposing team on a regular basis. The video board and marketing operations are also run from the fourth floor.

Radio Network: The visiting team's network is provided a broadcasting booth that seats three. One ethernet line is provided in the visitor's radio booth. If you have additional needs, please contact the Athletic Communications office.

Television: Each Samford home game will be broadcast on either ESPN+ or ESPN3.

Sideline: Samford follows NCAA rules regarding media representatives on the sideline.

Photographers are not permitted to stand between the 25-yard lines and must display their credentials at all times. Only photographers shooting for accredited news agencies, Samford University Photographic Services, freelance photographers shooting for the Samford athletic communications or football offices, or for the opponents' sports information office, will be issued credentials.

Media staffing the contest will not be allowed in the team areas for any reason. Anyone violating the sideline policies will be removed by Samford representatives responsible for sideline control.

PARKING

Press parking is at a premium at Pete Hanna Stadium. Spaces are allotted on a first-come, first-served basis. Print media, television stations and radio network broadcast crews have priority.

Please request parking credentials at least one week in advance so they can be mailed to you. No one will be admitted in the press parking lot without a proper pass.

PRESS BOX SERVICES

Statistics, and weekly releases with flip cards will be distributed in the press box before the game. Play-by-play, complete quarter, halftime and final game statistics, defensive statistics and drive charts will be available shortly after the conclusion of the game.

A picnic-style lunch will be available in the press facility before the game. Soft drinks and water will be available throughout the game.

INTERVIEWS WITH HEAD COACH CHRIS HATCHER

To set up interviews with Samford head coach Chris Hatcher you need to contact Joey Mullins by phone at 205-726-2799 or by e-mail at jmmull1@samford.edu.

INTERVIEWS WITH PLAYERS

To set up interviews with Samford players you need to contact Joey Mullins by phone at 205-726-2799 or by e-mail at jmmull1@samford.edu.

POSTGAME INTERVIEW POLICIES

At the conclusion of each game, the Samford athletic communications staff will make head coach Chris Hatcher and requested players available to the media upon request.

For interviews with the opposing coach or players, please make arrangements before the end of the game with the sports information director from that institution.

PRACTICES

If you would like to cover a Samford practice, please contact Joey Mullins by phone at 205-726-2799 or by e-mail at jmmull1@samford.edu.

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS | ATHLETIC COMMUNICATIONS

Samford University's Office of External Affairs provides a full service public relations shop to members of the media. Game day services include credentials, statistics, photography, video clips (where available), and post-game access to coaches and student-athletes. The Office of External Affairs is located on the first floor of the Pete Hanna Center adjacent to Pete Hanna Stadium and the Sullivan-Cooney Family Field House.



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SAMFORD FAST FACTS

Name of School	Samford University
Address	800 Lakeshore Drive, Birmingham, AL 35229
Founded	1841
Enrollment	6,101
Nickname	Bulldogs
School Colors	Navy Blue (PMS 289) and Red (PMS 200)
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Southern
President	Dr. Beck A. Taylor (Baylor, '92)
Athletic Director	Martin Newton (Samford, 1983)

STADIUM INFORMATION

Home Field	Pete Hanna Stadium
Capacity	6,700
Surface	LSR Blade Synthetic Surface
Record @ Pete Hanna Stadium	184-84-4

HISTORY

First Year of Football	1906
All-Time Record	497-491-47
SoCon Championships	2 (2013 & 2022)
NCAA National Championships	1 (1971 NCAA D-II West Region Championship)
No. of Years in NCAA Playoffs	7 (6 FCS, 1 D-II)
NCAA Postseason Record	4-6 (3-6 in FCS, 1-0 in D-II)
All-Time Bowl/Post-Season Record	6-71
Last Post-Season Appearance	2022
Finish	at North Dakota State, L, 9-27 (FCS Quarterfinal)

TEAM INFORMATION

2023 Season	6-5
Southern Conference/Finish	4-4/15th
Final National Ranking	N/A
Basic Offense	Air Raid
Basic Defense	4-2-5
Starters Returning/Lost	11/17
Offense	5/6
Defense	6/5
Specialty	4/3
Lettermen Returning/Lost	50/29
Graduates/Seniors	45
Juniors	28
Sophomores	14
Freshmen	30

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Chris Hatcher
Alma Mater/Year	Valdosta State / 1994
Record at Samford/Years	60-47 / 10th
Career Collegiate Record	181-104 / 25th
National Championships	2004 / Valdosta State (DII)
NCAA Playoff Appearances	Nine
Football Office Phone	(205) 726-2572

ASSISTANT COACHES & SUPPORT STAFF

Ricky Turner	Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers
Shawn Bostick	Associate Head Coach/Offensive Line
Adam Braithwaite	Defensive Coordinator/Safeties
Brandon Cooper	Linebackers
K.D. Humphries	Running Backs
Kerry Webb	Special Teams Coordinator
Brendan Bogner	Quarterbacks
Darien Moody	Defensive Line
Peter Renkoski	Tigh Ends/Asst. Offensive Line
Chazman Scales	Cornerbacks
Blake Cartlett	Defensive Backs
Jared Lee	Offensive Analyst
Matthew Smith	Offensive Analyst
Reagan Davenport	Offensive Analyst
Chad Larkin	Defensive Analyst
James Carlson	Asst. AD/Facilities, Game Ops and Equipment
Matt Kooiman	Chief Of Staff
Rocky Sabbatini	Video Coordinator
Wes Bordelon	Director of Football Strength and Conditioning
Robert Miller	Assistant Sports Performance Coach
Whitley Williams	Head Football Athletic Trainer
Rae Martin	Assistant Football Athletic Trainer
Alexis Roberts	Director of Student-Athlete Academic Services

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

MONDAY | 28

• 4:01 PM | Practice

TUESDAY | 29

• 11:31 AM | Hatcher Press Conference

• 4:01 PM | Practice

WEDNESDAY | 30

• 4:01 PM | Practice

THURSDAY | 31

• 4:01 PM | Practice

FRIDAY | 1

• Team Meetings

SATURDAY | 2











• 2 PM (CT) | vs. Wofford

SUNDAY | 3

• Players Off



SEASON SCHEDULE BREAKDOWN

	WEST GEORGIA Aug. 31, 2024 | 5 p.m. Seibert Stadium | University, Ga. Result: L, 29-38	ESPN+ - After 631 days in between starts, junior quarterback Quincy Crittendon showed flashes of brilliance in a losing effort. In the season opener, Crittendon threw for 307 yards and rushed for 90 yards. He was the only QB in all of Division I to do that on opening weekend.
	FLORIDA Sept. 7, 2024 | 6 p.m. Ben Hill Griffin Stadium | Gainesville, Fla. Result: L, 7-45	ESPN+ / ISEC Network+ - Despite the final score, the Samford defense held the Florida Gators to 14 first half points in The Swamp that included a fourth-down stop and a red zone turnover. Noah Martin continued to play at an All-American level with another double-digit tackle performance.
	ALABAMA STATE Sept. 14, 2024 | 6 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results: W, 12-7	ESPN+ - The Samford defense turned in an outstanding performance in a 12-7 win in the team's home opener. The Bulldogs shut out the Hornets for the final three and a half quarters to hold on for the win. Noah Martin led the defense with 11 tackles.
	FURMAN Sept. 28, 2024 | 1 p.m. Paladin Stadium | Greenville, S.C. Results: N/A	ESPN+ - The game was postponed due to the effects of Hurricane Helene.
	VMI Oct. 5, 2024 | 2 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results: W, 27-3	ESPN+ - The Bulldogs earned a 27-3 win over VMI to open Southern Conference play. The win marked the first time Samford held a team without a touchdown since a 38-3 win at The Citadel in 2022.
	ETSU Oct. 12, 2023 | 2:30 p.m. Greene Stadium | Johnson City, Tenn. Results:	ESPN+ - The Bulldogs led for the majority of the game, but eventually fell, 31-28 at ETSU. The Samford defense produced four turnovers, with three interceptions and one fumble recovery in the loss.
	MERCER Oct. 19, 2024 | 2 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results: W, 55-35	ESPN+ - The Bulldogs put up 55 points against the top scoring defense at the FCS level. Quincy Crittendon tossed four touchdown passes, and Gavin Morris (fumble return) and Noah Martin (INT return) both scored defensive touchdowns in the 55-35 win.
	THE CITADEL Oct. 26, 2024 | 1 p.m. Hagood Stadium | Charleston, S.C. Results: L, 11-28	ESPN+ - Samford led, 3-0 at halftime, but was outscored 28-8 in the second half in falling by a score of 28-11.
	WOFFORD Nov. 2, 2024 | 2 p.m. Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results:	ESPN+ -
	TENNESSEE TECH Nov. 9, 2024 | 2 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results:	ESPN+ -
	CHATTANOOGA Nov. 16, 2024 | 12:30 p.m. | ESPN+ Finley Stadium | Chattanooga, Tenn. Results:	ESPN+ -
	WESTERN CAROLINA Nov. 23, 2024 | 12:30 p.m. | ESPN+ Pete Hanna Stadium | Birmingham, Ala. Results:	ESPN+ -



SETTING THE SCENE

Location	Birmingham, Ala.
Kickoff	2 p.m.
Site	Pete Hanna Stadium
Capacity	6,700
Surface	Artificial
TV	ESPN+
All-Time Series	Samford leads, 16-5
Last Meeting	Oct. 7 2023 Spartanburg, S.C.
Result	W, 31-10

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Instagram Account	@SamfordFootball
Facebook Account	Facebook.com/SamfordFootball
Hashtags	#AllforSAMford / #HatchAttack

ESPN+ COVERAGE



Play-by-Play	Blake Gardner
Analyst	Damian Mitchell
Sideline	Lynden Blake
Online (iOS | Android)	SamfordSports.com



SOUTHERN CONFERENCE STANDINGS

SCHOOL	CONF	CPCT.	OVERALL	PCT.	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL	L10	STREAK
Mercer	4-1	.800	7-1	.875	4-0	3-1	0-0	7-1	W1
Chattanooga	4-1	.800	5-3	.625	3-1	2-2	0-0	5-3	W5
ETSU	3-1	.750	5-3	.625	2-2	3-1	0-0	5-3	W2
Western Carolina	3-1	.750	4-4	.500	2-1	2-3	0-0	4-4	L1
Samford	2-2	.500	3-4	.429	3-0	0-4	0-0	3-4	L1
The Citadel	2-4	.333	4-5	.444	2-3	2-2	0-0	4-5	W2
Furman	1-2	.333	2-5	.286	1-3	1-2	0-0	2-5	L2
Wofford	1-4	.200	3-5	.375	1-3	2-2	0-0	3-5	L2
VMI	0-4	.000	0-8	.000	0-3	0-5	0-0	0-8	L8

UPCOMING SCHEDULE (CT)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Furman at VMI	12:30 p.m.
Chattanooga at Western Carolina	1:30 p.m.
Wofford at Samford	2 p.m.
ETSU at Mercer	2 p.m.
The Citadel	OPEN

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

The Citadel 28, Samford 11

Chattanooga 31, VMI 10
ETSU 24, Wofford 7
Mercer 44, Western Carolina 34

WEEKLY HONORS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Sept. 2	D.J. Smith, Mercer
Sept. 9	Amari Odo, Wofford
Sept. 16	Trey Hedden, Furman
Sept. 23	D.J. Smith, Mercer
Sept. 30	Khamran Laborn, ETSU
Oct. 7	Sam Phillips, Chattanooga
Oct. 14	A.J. Johnson, ETSU
Oct. 21	Cole Gonzalez, WCU
Oct. 28	Dwayne McGee, Mercer
Nov. 4	
Nov. 11	
Nov. 18	
Nov. 25	

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Sept. 2	Jalen Marshall, Wofford
Sept. 9	Amir Annoor, Wofford
Sept. 16	C.J. Coombes, Wofford
Sept. 23	T.J. Moore, Mercer
Sept. 30	Dainsus Miller, Mercer
Oct. 7	David Powers, Wofford
Oct. 14	T.J. Moore, Mercer
Oct. 21	Noah Martin, Samford
Oct. 28	Brayden Manley, Mercer
Nov. 4	
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Nov. 25	

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Sept. 2	Brayden Smith, Mercer
Sept. 9	John McConnell, Mercer
Sept. 16	Ian Williams, Furman
Sept. 23	Ewan Johnson, ETSU
Sept. 30	John McConnell, Mercer
Oct. 7	Nate Brackett, ETSU
Oct. 14	Jude Kelley, Chattanooga
Oct. 21	Jude Kelley Chattanooga
Oct. 28	James Platte, The Citadel
Nov. 4	
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SOCON PRESEASON COACHES POLL

TEAM (1ST-PLACE VOTES)	TOTAL
1. Chattanooga (5)	61
2. Furman (3)	56
3. Western Carolina (1)	49
4. Mercer	45
5. Samford	37
6. ETSU	26
7. VMI	23
8. Wofford	19
9. The Citadel	8

STATS PERFORM FCS POLL

#	SCHOOL (1ST)	RECORD	PTS.
1	North Dakota State (43)	8-1	1387
2	Montana State (13)	8-0	1350
3	South Dakota State	6-2	1290
4	UC Davis	7-1	1196
5	South Dakota	6-2	1174
6	Southeast Missouri	8-1	1106
7	Tarleton State	7-1	1012
8	Montana	6-2	941
9	UIW	6-2	904
10	Idaho	6-3	860
11	Central Arkansas	6-2	794
12	Mercer	7-1	777
13	Villanova	6-2	708
14	Rhode Island	7-1	705
15	North Dakota	5-3	645
16	Richmond	6-2	566
17	Abilene Christian	5-3	512
18	Chattanooga	5-3	452
19	North Carolina Central	6-2	263
20	Stony Brook	6-2	259
21	Illinois State	5-3	241
22	Dartmouth	6-0	227
23	ETSU	5-3	199
24	William & Mary	5-3	170
25	Tennessee State	6-2	137

OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES: UT Martin (5-3, 2-1 Big South-OVC), 119; Duquesne (5-2, 3-0 NEC), 47; Harvard (5-1, 2-1 Ivy), 37; Northern Arizona (4-4, 2-2 Big Sky), 27; Jackson State (6-2, 4-0 SWAC), 25; Western Carolina (4-4, 3-1 SoCon), 21; Lamar (5-3, 2-1 Southland), 9; Drake (5-1, 4-0 Pioneer), 8; Stephen F. Austin (5-3, 3-2 Southland), 8; Southern Utah (4-4, 3-1 UAC), 7; Florida A&M (4-3, 2-1 SWAC), 4



GAME DAY COVERAGE | ESPN+

All Samford home games will be streamed live on ESPN+. Blake Gardner will provide play-by-play while Damian Mitchell offers color commentary for each Bulldogs' broadcast. Lynden Blake and Justin Stuckey will split time as the sideline reporters.



PROUD MEMBER OF NIKE FOOTBALL

Nike is the official apparel, uniform and shoe provider of Samford University Football. Visit the Bulldogs' page on SamfordSports.com for more information.

SERIES NOTEBOOK: WOFFORD

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- » Samford enters the game with a record of 3-4 overall and 2-2 in Southern Conference play. The Bulldogs dropped a 28-11 decision at The Citadel last Saturday. Wofford has a mark of 3-5 overall and 1-4 in league play after a 24-7 loss to ETSU last week.
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- Last Five Meetings: Samford leads, 5-0
- Last 10 Meetings: Samford leads, 9-1



LAST 10 MEETINGS

W/L	DATE	SAM	LOCATION	MER
W	10/7/23	31	Spartanburg, S.C.	10
W	10/8/22	28	Birmingham, Ala.	14
W	10/16/21	27	Spartanburg, S.C.	24
W	3/13/21	37	Birmingham, Ala.	31
W	9/14/19	21	Spartanburg, S.C.	14
W	11/3/18	35	Birmingham, Ala.	20
W	10/21/17	24	Spartanburg, S.C.	21
W	10/1/16	28	Birmingham, Ala.	26
W	11/14/15	37	Spartanburg, S.C.	27
L	10/18/14	20	Birmingham, Ala.	24



HOW THEY COMPARE

BULLDOGS	STATS	TERRIERS
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WOFFORD SCHEDULE & RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 29	Gardner-Webb	W, 21-20
Sept. 7	at Richmond	W, 26-19
Sept. 14	William & Mary	L, 21-28
Sept. 28	Mercer*	L, 3-22
Oct. 5	at Western Carolina*	L, 17-21
Oct. 12	VMI*	W, 31-16
Oct. 19	at Chattanooga*	L, 5-37
Oct. 26	ETSU*	L, 7-24
Nov. 2	at Samford*	2 p.m.
Nov. 9	at Furman*	1 p.m.
Nov. 16	The Citadel*	12:30 p.m.
Nov. 23	at South Carolina	3 p.m.

BY THE NUMBERS: SAMFORD VS. WOFFORD



16-5
SERIES RECORD

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CONSECUTIVE WINS BY
SAMFORD

8-3

RECORD PLAYING AT
SAMFORD

74-55
SAMFORD VS
SOCON TEAMS





NEWS, NOTES, & SIDEBAR STATS

BULLDOGS PICKED FIFTH BY COACHES IN SOCON PRESEASON POLLS

The Bulldogs were picked to finish fifth in the Southern Conference by the league's coaches preseason polls released in July.

PRESEASON SOCON COACHES POLL

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HATCHER'S OFFENSES PRODUCE

Through the last nine-plus seasons, Samford head coach Chris Hatcher's offenses have averaged more points than under any other head coach in program history. Entering the week, Hatcher's teams have averaged 33.28 points per game, ahead of Bobby Bowden's 28.57 average. Terry Bowden (1987-1992) averaged 27.92 points per game during his tenure while Bill Gray (2001-06 / 25.68) and Pat Sullivan (2007-14 / 25.50) round out the top five.

PUTTING UP POINTS

Over the last nine-plus seasons under head coach Chris Hatcher, the Samford offense has scored at least 30 points 51 times. The unit has put up at least 40 points 29 times, and at least 50 points a total of 15 times.

QUICK STRIKES

In the nine-plus seasons under head coach Chris Hatcher, Samford has made a habit of quick scoring drives. In Hatcher's time at Samford, the Bulldogs have had 203 scoring drives that lasted two minutes or less and 96 that have lasted one minute or less.

GRADUATE STUDENTS MAKING AN IMPACT

Samford features 26 graduate students on its 2024 roster: Xavier Lanier (CB), Nik Scalzo (QB), Noah Martin (LB), D.J. Rias (WR), Iaan Cousin (WR), Seth Parker (CB), Micah Kelly (RB), Xavier Nurse (DE), Edwin Dearman (S), Jonathan Bennett (RB), Samuel Willoughby (WR), Mailk Gaither (LB), Thomas Neville (LB), Luke

Byrne (OL), Johnny Johnson (DL), Cooper Frazier (OL), Chris Noble (OL), Alex Applefield (LS), Wilson Beaverstock (K), Jaylon Barden (WR), Joel Decoursey (TE), Conroy Cunningham II (DE), Jaylin Rainey (DL), Daniel Bettis (TE), Nazir Sy (DL) and Nick Jackson (DL).

SAMFORD AT PETE HANNA STADIUM

Samford has an all-time record of 188-85-4 in games played at Pete Hanna Stadium. This season, Samford has six home games on its schedule, with the Bulldogs holding a 3-0 record in those games. Last season, Samford posted a record of 4-2 in home games. In nine-plus seasons under head coach Chris Hatcher, Samford has a record of 38-13 when playing at home.

SAMFORD AGAINST SOUTH CAROLINA TEAMS

Samford has an all-time record of 45-31-1 against teams from the state of South Carolina, including a mark of 16-5 against Saturday's opponent, Wofford.

AGAINST SOUTHERN CONFERENCE TEAMS

Since joining the Southern Conference in 2008, Samford has posted a record of 73-58 in conference games. All-time against each current members of the SoCon, Samford has a mark of 99-86-4, including a 16-5 record against Wofford. Samford's all-time record against each current SoCon team is Chattanooga (11-34-3), The Citadel (10-8), ETSU (8-4), Furman (12-14), Mercer (16-14-1), VMI (9-3), Western Carolina (17-4) and Wofford (16-5).

ON THIS DATE

Samford has an all-time record of 4-6-2 in games played on Nov. 2. The last time the Bulldogs played on Nov. 2 was in 2019, in a 36-33 overtime loss at Mercer. Samford and Wofford have played on Nov. 2 just once, in 1996 in a 20-14 Samford win in overtime.

SAMFORD IN HOMECOMING GAMES

Samford has an all-time record of 57-24-6 in homecoming games. Samford is 39-13-2 in homecoming games played at Pete Hanna Stadium. Samford's homecoming tradition began in 1919 and for the first 21 years, it was a dual homecoming game with Birmingham-Southern, played first at Rickwood Field and later at Legion Field when it opened in 1927.

SAMFORD RECORD WHEN

CATEGORY	2024
At Home	3-0
On The Road	0-4
Neutral Site Game	0-0
vs. SoCon	2-2
vs. Non Conference	1-2
NCAA Postseason	0-0
vs. In State Opponents	1-0
In August	0-1
In September	1-1
In October	2-2
In November	0-0
In December	0-0
Day Games	2-2
Night Games	1-2
Decided by 7 pts or less	1-1
Scoring First	1-2
Opponent Scores First	2-2
Leading at Half	2-2
Trailing at Half	1-2
Tied at Half	0-0
Leading after 3 quarters	3-2
Trailing after 3 quarters	0-2
Tied After 3 quarters	0-0
In overtime	0-0
Scoring 30 + points	1-0
Scoring 20-29 points	1-2
Scoring 0-19 points	1-2
Allowing 30 + points	1-3
Allowing 20-29 points	0-1
Allowing 0-19 points	2-0
Outrushing Opponents	3-0
Getting Outrushed	0-4
Passing for more yards	3-3
Passing for fewer yards	0-1
Outgaining Opponent	3-2
Getting Outgained	0-2
Winning TOP	1-1
Losing TOP	2-3
Scoring a Def./ ST TD	1-0
Allowing a Def./ST TD	0-0
Fewer Penalty Yards	3-4
More Penalty Yards	0-0
Winning Turnover Battle	1-1
Losing Turnover Battle	1-3
Equal In Turnovers	1-0

HATCH ATTACK: TOTAL OFFENSE TRACKER

465	205	305	N/A	312	319	446	320				



TWO BULLDOGS HEADLINE ALL-SOCON PRESEASON TEAMS

Graduate student linebacker Noah Martin was the lone Bulldog named preseason first team All-SoCon when the squads were announced in July. Graduate student offensive lineman Chris Noble was tabbed for the second team.

MISTER MARTIN

Noah Martin, a consensus first team All-SoCon defender in 2023, led the SoCon with 109 and became the first Bulldog defender to eclipse 100 tackles since John Staton had 115 in 2019. Martin's 109 tackles were good enough to rank him 13th nationally.

Heading into the 2024 season, Martin was named a preseason All-American by FCS Football Central, Stats Perform and Phil Steele while landing on the Buck Buchanan Award Watch List.

Martin picked up right where he left off in 2023 with a game-high 11 tackles in each of the first three games against West Georgia, Florida and Alabama State. He then led the squad with seven tackles against VMI, he tallied eight tackles at ETSU and then had 10 tackles against Mercer. With these performances, Martin ranks tied for eighth nationally, averaging 9.9 tackles per game. So far this season, Martin has 69 total tackles through seven games.

CALLING HOMEWOOD HOME

The 2024 Samford roster features 11 transfers from schools located inside the 205 area code: D.J. Rias (Alabama), Kobe Hughes (Birmingham-Southern), Jonathan Bennett (Alabama), Samuel Willoughby (Alabama), Teddy Davenport (UAB), Dayton Green (Birmingham-Southern), Chris Noble (UAB), Brett Johnson (UAB), Joshua Lovett (Birmingham-Southern), Charlie Rickell (Birmingham-Southern), and Wilson Beaverstock (UAB).

BRINGING THE POWER

The 2024 Samford football roster also features several Power Four transfers including DJ Rias (Alabama), Mack Howard (Utah), Rayf Vinson (Ole Miss), Stephan Martin (UCF), Gumbo Gaskins (Vanderbilt), Jonathan Bennett (Alabama), Samuel Willoughby (Alabama), Deuce Caldwell II (North Carolina), Daniel Bethel (Tennessee), Trustin Northington (Ole Miss), Vance Nicklaus (Florida State) and Joel Decoursey (Vanderbilt).

NEW FACES IN NEW PLACES

Not only have there been changes on the roster, but the Bulldog coaching staff has some new faces also: Adam Braithwaite (Defensive Coordinator/Safeties), Brendan Bognar (Quarterbacks), Peter Renkoski (Tight Ends/Assistant Offensive Line), Chazmon Scales (Cornerbacks) and Blake Catlett (Defensive Ends).

RUNNING THE ROCK

Despite being known as an "Air Raid" offensive system, graduate student running back Jay Stanton led all SoCon rushers with 971 yards on the ground in 2022. Stanton also set the career rushing touchdowns record with 35. Current running back Damonta Witherspoon has gotten off to a hot start this season as well, rushing for 126 yards and a touchdown in the home-opening win over Alabama State.

MARTIN NAMED WINNER OF CHARLES WILLIAMS MEMORIAL JERSEY

Graduate linebacker Noah Martin is this season's winner of the Charles Williams Memorial Jersey. The jersey honors former Samford player Charles Williams, who died in a car accident on May 23, 2003.

CHARLES WILLIAMS JERSEY RECIPIENTS

2005	Ossie Buchannon
2006	T.C. Myers
2007	Jay McCurdy
2008	Rodney Shepherd
2009	Jon Weber
2010	Bryce Smith
2011	Sean Thompson
2012	Ryan Dudchok
2013	Justin Shade
2014	Brinson Porter
2015	Carson Barnett
2016	Devon Schmitt
2017	Shaheed Salmon
2018	Tyler Queen
2019	Nick Barton
2021S	Montrell Washington
2021F	Liam Welch
2022	Nathan East
2023	Chandler Smith
2024	Noah Martin

CRITTENDON TURNS IN A CAREER PERFORMANCE VS. MERCER

In last week's 55-35 win over 7th-ranked Mercer, quarterback Quincy Crittendon turned in a career performance in leading the Bulldogs to the win. He passed for a career-high 378 yards and he tied a career high with four touchdown passes. His four scoring passes all came in the first quarter, setting a new Southern Conference record for touchdown passes in one quarter.

SAMFORD IN THE SOCON RANKING SCORING OFFENSE

TEAM	POINTS PER GAME
1. Mercer	34/6
2. ETSU	29.9
3. Western Carolina	29.1
4. Chattanooga	24.8
5. Samford	24.1
6. The Citadel	23.0
7. Furman	19.9
8. Wofford	16.4
9. VMI	11.4

PASSING OFFENSE

TEAM	YARDS PER GAME
1. Western Carolina	329.9
2. Samford	248.4
3. Mercer	237.4
4. Chattanooga	228.0
5. Furman	224.6
6. ETSU	198.8
7. Wofford	189.5
8. The Citadel	158.7
9. VMI	114.2

TOTAL OFFENSE

TEAM	YARDS PER GAME
1. Western Carolina	468.6
2. ETSU	417.2
3. Mercer	413.1
4. Chattanooga	367.5
5. Samford	338.9
6. The Citadel	313.0
7. Furman	309.3
8. Wofford	290.2
9. VMI	209.5

SCORING DEFENSE

TEAM	POINTS PER GAME
1. Mercer	16.9
2. ETSU	19.9
3. The Citadel	20.4
4. Chattanooga	21.0
5. Wofford	23.4
6. Samford	26.7
7. Western Carolina	27.8
8. VMI	33.6
9. Furman	35.7



NOAH MARTIN

6-2 • GRADUATE • LINEBACKER • CHATTANOOGA, TN

CAREER HIGHS

SINGLE GAME

» Solo Tackles:	14, @ Mercer (11/11/23)
» Assisted Tackles:	7, vs The Citadel (10/28/23)
» Total Tackles:	19, @ Mercer (11/11/23)
» TFLs:	2, vs Mercer (9/23/23)
» Sacks:	1.5, vs Furman (10/14/23)
» INT:	1, vs VMI (11/5/22)
» Passes Deflected:	1, vs Chattanooga (9/23/23)
» Forced Fumbles:	1, vs Furman (10/14/23)
» Fumbles Recovered:	1, vs The Citadel (11/6/23)

SEASON

» Solo Tackles:	68, 2023
» Assisted Tackles:	45, 2021
» Total Tackles:	109, 2023
» TFL:	14.5, 2023
» Sacks:	3.5, 2023
» INT:	1, 2021 & 2022
» Passes Deflected:	2, 2022 & 2023
» Forced Fumbles:	1, 2021 & 2023
» Fumbles Recovered:	2, 2021

HONORS

2021 SPRING SEASON

- SoCon All-Freshman Team

2023 SEASON

- First Team All-SoCon
- AP Third Team All-American
- FCS Football Central All-American

2024 PRESEASON

- Charles Williams Memorial Jersey Winner
- FCS Football Central Preseason All-American
- First Team All-SoCon
- Stats Perform Preseason All-American
- Buck Buchanan Award Preseason Watch List
- Phil Steele Preseason All-American

MARTIN NATIONALLY RANKED

STAT	RANKING
Tackles per game	9.9 p.g./T=8th





CHRIS HATCHER

HEAD COACH • 10TH SEASON • VALDOSTA STATE (1994)

CHRIS HATCHER ■ HEAD COACH

- » Birthdate: February 18, 1973
- » Alma Mater: Valdosta State (1994)
- » Hometown: Macon, Ga.
- » Record at Samford: 60-47 (10th season)
- » Overall Record: 181-104 (25th season)
- » NCAA Playoff Appearances: 9
- » NCAA National Championships: One / 2004 NCAA DII



@HATCHATTACK1 NOTES

74 Hatcher's Samford squads have won 74 percent of the team's home games. The program's home record in the time is 37-13.

9 Hatcher has led nine teams to NCAA postseason play during his career, including the 2016, 2017 and 2022 FCS Playoffs with the Bulldogs. While at Valdosta State, the Blazers advanced six times to NCAA playoffs.

15 Hatcher's teams have earned 15 wins against ranked FCS opponents in his time at Samford. The Bulldogs' record against ranked teams in that time is 15-11.

181 Chris Hatcher has won 181 games in his distinguished career as a head coach, including 60 here at Samford.

44 Hatcher's Samford teams have won 44 Southern Conference games. The Bulldogs have posted a record of 44-30 during Hatcher's tenure with the program.



YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORD

YEAR	SCHOOL	W-L	%	
2000	Valdosta St.	10-2	.833	+
2001	Valdosta St.	12-1	.923	+
2002	Valdosta St.	14-1	.933	+
2003	Valdosta St.	10-2	.833	+
2004	Valdosta St.	13-1	.929	!
2005	Valdosta St.	9-3	.750	+
2006	Valdosta St.	8-2	.800	
2007	Ga. Southern	7-4	.636	
2008	Ga. Southern	6-5	.545	
2009	Ga. Southern	5-6	.455	
2010	Murray St.	6-5	.545	
2011	Murray St.	7-4	.636	
2012	Murray St.	5-6	.455	
2013	Murray St.	6-6	.500	
2014	Murray St.	3-9	.250	
2015	Samford	6-5	.545	
2016	Samford	7-5	.583	#
2017	Samford	8-4	.667	#
2018	Samford	6-5	.545	
2019	Samford	5-7	.417	
2021 (S)	Samford	4-3	.571	
2021 (F)	Samford	4-7	.364	
2022	Samford	11-2	.846	#
2023	Samford	6-5	.545	
2024	Samford	3-4	.428	
Totals	25th year	181-104	.635	

! NCAA DII National Champion / + NCAA DII Playoffs / # NCAA FCS Playoffs



OFFENSE

QB	2 Quincy Crittendon 10 Haden Klees	5-11 200 6-1 180	Jr. Fr.	Decatur, Ala./Austin Crawfordville, Fla./Wakulla County HS
RB	31 Damonta Witherspoon 20 Micah Kelly	5-8 210 5-9 203	Sr. Gr.	East St. Louis, Ill./Murray State Pascagoula, Miss. / Toledo
X	3 E. Jai Mason 82 Jaylon Barden	6-1 205 5-11 180	Sr. Gr.	Jackson, Miss. / NW Miss. CC Macon, Ga./Georgia Southern -
LT	79 Donovan Hawkins 78 Duncan Johnson	6-1 310 6-5 275	Sr. Fr.	Pinson, Ala./Pinson Valley HS Augusta, Ga. / Aquinas HS
LG	58 Chris Noble 70 Brett Johnson	6-4 287 6-4 290	Gr. Jr.	Brewton, Ala./ UAB Maplesville, Ala. / UAB
C	57 Cooper Frazier 63 Zach Bond	6-4 305 6-3 290	Sr. Sr.	Corinth, Miss./ Corinth HS McHenry, Miss. / NW Miss. CC
RG	54 Luke Byrne 79 Donny Hawkins	6-4 305 6-1 310	Gr. Sr.	Forsyth, Ga./ Mary Persons HS Pinson, Ala./ Pinson Valley HS
RT	77 Zach Brown 74 Tyler Douthit	6-4 280 6-4 280	Sr. Fr.	Loretto, Tenn. / Loretto HS Woodstock, Ga. / Woodstock HS
H	11 Rayf Vinson 15 Iaan Cousin	6-1 195 5-11 170	Jr. Gr.	Madison, Miss./Ole Miss Carrollton, Ga./Kennesaw State
Y	7 DJ Rias 85 Wesley Carlock	5-9 190 5-10 175	Gr. Jr.	Phenix City, Ala. / Alabama Jackson, Tenn./Univ. School of Jackson
Z	12 Brendan Jenkins 84 Preston Bird	6-1 200 5-10 170	So. Fr.	Hoschton, Ga. / Mill Creek HS Bonaire, Ga. / Veterans HS
TE	41 Tate Taylor 93 Daniel Bettis	6-0 228 6-1 250	Jr. Gr.	Nashville, Tenn. / Lipscomb Academy Tuskegee, Ala. / Booker T. Washington HS



DEFENSE

R	45 Thomas Neville 22 Xavier Nurse	6-3 215 6-3 205	Gr. Gr.	Loganville, Ga. / Dunwoody HS Brooklyn, N.Y./Maine
NT	98 Josh Mathiasen 91 Jaylin Rainey	6-2 325 6-2 275	Sr. Gr.	Elmhurst, Ill. / Olivet Nazarene Memphis, Tenn. / Dartmouth
DT	97 Nick Jackson 94 Makhi Gilbert	6-1 270 6-3 290	Gr. So.	Orlando, Fla. / Winter Park HS Phenix City, Ala. / Central HS
DE	55 Johnny Johnson 81 Jamall Thompson	6-1 263 6-3 268	Gr. Jr.	St. Amant, La. / St. Amant HS Sarasota, Fla. / Sarasota HS
W	33 Jaden Mosley 39 Gavin Morris	6-2 208 6-1 215	Gr. So.	Mobile, Ala. / Hutchinson CC Cumming, Ga. / South Forsyth HS
M	5 Noah Martin 34 Maik Gaiter	6-2 232 6-2 205	Gr. Gr.	Chattanooga, Tenn. / Baylor School Stockbridge, Ga. / Alcorn State
CB	4 Xavier Lanier 13 Jamari Cannon	6-2 192 5-10 158	Gr. Sr.	Carrollton, Ala./Tulsa Lancaster, Calif./Santa Barbara CC
SS	24 Edwin Dearman 6 Jalen Nelson	5-11 200 6-1 185	Gr. So.	Spring, Texas / Northern Iowa Flowood, Miss. / Northwest Rankin HS
FS	29 CJ Douglas 9 Midnight Steward	5-10 195 6-1 202	So. Jr.	Leeds, Ala. / Leeds HS Daphne, Ala./Daphne HS
NKL	1 Dontae Pollard 27 Gumbo Gaskins	5-10 185 6-1 190	Jr. So.	Pittsburgh, Pa. / Akron Jonesboro, Ga./Vanderbilt
CB	2 Jalik Yancey 16 Kamron Smith	5-11 180 6-0 195	Jr. Sr.	Marietta, Ga. / NE Miss. CC Bonaire, Ga./Charleston Southern

SPECIAL TEAMS

PK	80 Wilson Beaverstock 87 Forrest Taylor	6-0 210 5-8 165	Gr. Jr.	Mobile, Ala. / UAB Foley, Ala. / Coffeyville CC
KO	80 Wilson Beaverstock 87 Forrest Taylor	6-0 210 5-8 165	Gr. Jr.	Mobile, Ala. / UAB Foley, Ala. / Coffeyville CC
P	59 Will Thorley 80 Wilson Beaverstock	6-3 215 6-0 210	So. Gr.	Torquay, Australia / Prokick Aus. Mobile, Ala. / UAB
H	59 Will Thorley 6 Ben Levine	6-3 215 5-8 165	So. Fr.	Torquay, Australia / Prokick Australia Houston, Texas / Second Baptist HS
LS	61 Alex Applefield 56 Aidan Barr	5-10 208 6-0 205	Gr. So.	Dothan, Ala./Houston Academy West Palm Beach, Fla. / Cardinal Newman HS
KR	7 DJ Rias 15 Iaan Cousin	5-9 190 5-11 170	Gr. Gr.	Phenix City, Ala. / Alabama Carrollton, Ga./Kennesaw State
PR	82 Jaylon Barden 7 DJ Rias	5-11 180 5-9 190	Gr. Gr.	Macon, Ga./Georgia Southern Phenix City, Ala. / Alabama

DEPTH CHART: WOFFORD



CHUNK PLAYS, SCORING DRIVES & STARTERS

CHUNK PLAYS (30 YARDS OR MORE)

Opp.	Result	Yards
UWG (8/31)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	68
UF (9/7)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	35
ASU (9/14)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	48
ASU (9/14)	Crittendon pass to Cousin	46
ASU (9/14)	Witherspoon rush	33
VMI (10/5)	Kelly rush	30
ETSU (10/12)	Crittendon pass to Vinson	89
ETSU (10/12)	Crittendon pass to Mason	41
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon pass to Cousin	77
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon rush	38
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon pass to Witherspoon	35
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon pass to Jenkins	41

SCORING DRIVES

Opp. (Date)	Plays-Yds	TOP	Qtr	Scoring Play
UWG (8/31)	8-70	2:38	1	Crittendon 1-yard run
UWG (8/31)	10-70	4:18	2	Crittendon to Witherspoon 3-yard pass
UWG (8/31)	19-71	6:14	3	Crittendon 3-yard run
UWG (8/31)	1-68	00:13	3	Crittendon to Jenkins 68-yard pass
UF (9/7)	12-75	5:58	3	Witherspoon 1-yard run
ASU (9/14)	7-77	3:15	2	Crittendon to Cousin 5-yard pass
ASU (9/14)	13-54	6:33	3	Witherspoon 1-yard run
VMI (10/5)	9-71	2:57	1	Crittendon to Mason 5-yard pass
VMI (10/5)	7-70	2:04	1-2	Crittendon to Jenkins 18-yard pass
VMI (10/5)	4-7	1:26	3	Taylor 31-yard field goal
VMI (10/5)	2-6	0:48	3	Crittendon to Mason 8-yard pass
VMI (10/5)	10-47	6:31	4	Taylor 29-yard field goal
ETSU (10/12)	3-95	0:51	1	Crittendon to Vinson 89-yard pass
ETSU (10/12)	5-70	1:39	1	Crittendon to Mason 41-yards pass
ETSU (10/12)	7-61	2:38	2	Crittendon to Carlock 23-yard pass
ETSU (10/12)	3-32	0:58	3	Crittendon to Mason 7-yard pass
Mercer (10/19)	5-30	1:22	1	Crittendon to Rias 15-yard pass
Mercer (10/19)	1-15	0:08	1	Crittendon to Rias 15-yard pass
Mercer (10/19)	3-26	0:28	1	Crittendon to Mason 24-yard pass
Mercer (10/19)	1-77	0:10	1	Crittendon to Cousin 77-yard pass
Mercer (10/19)	15-73	5:53	2	Witherspoon 2-yard run
Mercer (10/19)	6-89	1:45	2	Witherspoon 4-yard run
The Citadel (10/26)	12-57	5:03	2	Beaverstock 41-yard field goal
The Citadel (10/26)	7-75	1:19	4	Crittendon to Willoughby 18-yard pass

GAME-BY-GAME OFFENSIVE STARTERS

Opponent (Date)	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR	WR/TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT
at West Georgia (8/31)	Crittendon	Kelly	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	Johnson	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at Florida (9/7)	Crittendon	Kelly	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
Alabama State (9/14)	Crittendon	Kelly	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at Furman (9/28)					DNP						
VMI (10/5)	Crittenson	Witherspoon	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at ETSU (10/12)	Crittendon	Witherspoon	Mason	Rias	Jenkins	T. Taylor	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
Mercer (10/19)	Crittendon	Witherspoon	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	King	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
at The Citadel (10/26)	Crittendon	Witherspoon	Mason	Rias	Cousin	Jenkins	Hawkins	Noble	Frazier	Byrne	Brown
Wofford (11/2)											
Tennessee Tech (11/9)											
Chattanooga (11/16)											
Western Carolina (11/23)											

GAME-BY-GAME DEFENSIVE STARTERS

Opponent (Date)	RUSH	NT	DT	DE	Will	Mike	CB	SS	FS	NKL	CB
at West Georgia (8/31)	Nurse	Mathiasen	Gilbert	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Smith	Dearman	Douglas	Nelson	Lainer
at Florida (9/7)	Neville	Mathiasen	Jackson	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Smith	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Lainer
Alabama State (9/14)	Neville	Mathiasen	Jackson	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Smith	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
at Furman (9/28)					DNP						
VMI (10/5)	Russell	Mathiasen	Jackson	Thompson	Mosley	Martin	Cannon	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
at ETSU (10/12)	Russell	Mathiasen	Jackson	Thompson	Mosley	Martin	Lanier	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
Mercer (10/19)	Russell	Mathiasen	Gilbert	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Lanier	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
The Citadel (10/26)	Neville	Mathiasen	Jackson	Johnson	Mosley	Martin	Smith	Dearman	Douglas	Pollard	Yancey
Wofford (11/2)											
Tennessee Tech (11/9)											
Chattanooga (11/16)											
Western Carolina (11/23)											



SAMFORD UNIVERSITY NUMERICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	David Coltrane	LB/S	6-2	220	Jr.	Alpharetta, Ga./Blessed Trinity HS
1	Ryan Oliver	QB	6-2	190	Fr.	Lake Oswego, Or./Lakeridge HS
1	Dontae Pollard	CB	5-10	185	Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa./Arkon
2	Quincy Crittendon	QB	5-11	200	Jr.	Decatur, Ala./Austin HS
2	Jalik Yancey	CB	5-11	180	Jr.	Marietta, Ga./Northeast Mississippi CC
3	Caidan Maddux	CB	5-11	165	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn./Montgomery Bell Academy
3	E. Jai Mason	WR	6-1	205	Sr.	Jackson, Miss./N.W. Mississippi CC
4	Xavier Lanier	CB	6-2	192	Gr.	Carrollton, Ala./Tulsa
5	Noah Martin	LB	6-2	232	Gr.	Chattanooga, Tenn./The Baylor School
6	Ben Levine	WR	5-8	165	Fr.	Houston, Texas/Second Baptist HS
6	Jalen Nelson	S	6-1	185	So.	Flowood, Miss./Northwest Rankin HS
7	Jim Coleman	QB	6-0	160	Fr.	Dublin, Ga./Trinity Christian HS
7	D.J. Rias	WR	5-9	190	Gr.	Phenix City, Ala./Alabama
8	Mack Howard	QB	6-2	189	Fr.	Columbus, Miss./Utah
8	Luke Wattenbarger	S	6-0	190	Jr.	Bakersfield, Calif./Bakersfield College
9	Midnight Steward	S	6-1	202	Jr.	Daphne, Ala./Daphne HS
9	Thomas Vaccaro	QB	6-1	202	Fr.	Nashville, Tenn./Christ Presbyterian Academy
10	Andrew Johnson	S	5-10	187	Jr.	Olive Branch, Miss./Copiah-Lincoln CC
10	Haden Klees	QB	6-1	180	Fr.	Crawfordville, Fla./Wakulla County HS
11	William Hold	CB	6-2	185	Fr.	Leander, Texas/Rouse HS
11	Rayl Vinson	WR	6-1	195	Jr.	Madison, Miss./Ole Miss
12	Brendan Jenkins	WR	6-1	200	So.	Hoschton, Ga./Mill Creek HS
12	Christian Roberts	TE	6-1	200	So.	Addison, Ala./Addison HS
13	Jamari Cannon	CB	5-10	158	Sr.	Lancaster, Calif./Santa Barbara CC
13	Logan Cross	QB	6-6	195	Fr.	Social Circle, Ga./Social Circle HS
14	Jackson Beatty	WR	5-11	175	Fr.	Mountain Brook, Ala./Mountain Brook HS
15	Clay Burdeshaw	S	6-2	185	Fr.	Homewood, Ala./Homewood HS
15	Iaan Cousin	WR	5-11	170	Gr.	Carrollton, Ga./Kennesaw State
16	Kamron Smith	CB	6-0	195	Sr.	Bonaire, Ga./Charleston Southern
17	James McGinn	QB	6-1	185	Fr.	Windermere, Fla./First Academy
17	Seth Parker	CB	5-10	175	Gr.	Hoover, Ala./Columbia
18	Stephen Martin	WR	6-5	210	Sr.	Orlando, Fla./UCF
19	Connor Masters	QB	5-9	170	Jr.	Louisville, Ky./Christian Academy of Louisville
20	Micah Kelly	RB	5-9	203	Gr.	Pascagoula, Miss./Toledo
21	Ethan Fisher	K	5-7	135	Fr.	Tallahassee, Fla./North Florida Christian HS
21	Carson Goold	WR	6-5	205	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn./Houston HS
22	Ken Cherry	RB	5-11	190	Fr.	Huntsville, Ala./Madison Academy
22	Xavier Nurse	DE	6-3	205	Gr.	Brooklyn, N.Y./Maine
23	Tucker Weber	CB	5-10	175	Fr.	Brentwood Tenn./Brentwood HS
23	Noah Young	WR	6-5	215	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala./North Alabama
24	Edwin Dearman	S	5-11	200	Gr.	Spring, Texas/Northern Iowa
24	Kobe Hughes	RB	5-10	182	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala./Birmingham-Southern
25	Jadon Loving	WR	5-10	160	Fr.	Trussville, Ala./Hewitt-Trussville HS
25	William Pruitt	S	6-2	185	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga./Marist School
26	Mitchell Owen	S	6-1	185	Sr.	Atlanta, Ga./Marist School
26	Colton Pace	WR	5-9	165	Fr.	Brentwood, Tenn./Ravenwood HS
27	Gumbo Gaskins	CB	6-1	190	So.	Jonesboro, Ga./Vanderbilt
27	Connor Pace	RB	5-9	184	Sr.	Brentwood, Tenn./Ravenwood HS
28	Jonathan Bennett	RB	5-10	180	Gr.	Birmingham, Ala./Alabama
29	C.J. Douglas	S	5-10	195	So.	Leeds, Ala./Leeds HS
30	Carson Sloan	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	Blackshear, Ga./Pierce County HS
30	Harrison Weathington	K	6-2	189	Jr.	Huntsville, Ala./Randolph School
31	Maddox McKim	LB	6-4	210	Fr.	Brentwood, Tenn./Brentwood HS
31	Damonta Witherspoon	RB	5-8	210	Sr.	East St. Louis, Ill./Murray State
32	Samuel Willoughby	WR	5-10	165	Gr.	Vestavia Hills, Ala./Alabama
33	Teddy Davenport	WR	5-10	175	Jr.	Alpharetta, Ga./UAB
33	Jaden Mosley	LB	6-2	208	Jr.	Mobile, Ala./Hutchinson CC
34	Mailk Gaither	LB	6-2	205	Gr.	Stockbridge, Ga./Alcorn State
35	Deuce Caldwell II	LB	6-0	230	Jr.	Mauldin, S.C./North Carolina
36	Dayton Green	WR	5-11	176	Sr.	Madison, Ga./Birmingham-Southern
37	Nick Speros	WR	5-10	165	Jr.	Alpharetta, Ga./Mount Pisgah Christian School
38	Emerson Russell	RB	5-6	160	Fr.	Chelsea, Ala./Chelsea HS
39	Gavin Morris	LB	6-1	215	So.	Cumming, Ga./South Forsyth HS
39	Ryan Skinner	RB	6-1	200	Fr.	Cullman, Ala./The Citadel
40	Wade White	S	6-1	200	Sr.	Prattville, Ala./Prattville HS
41	Jake Haynes	LB	6-2	225	Fr.	Hartselle, Ala./Hartselle HS
41	Tate Taylor	TE	6-0	228	Jr.	Nashville, Tenn./Lipscomb Academy
42	Jordan Russell	DE	6-0	225	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala./Georgia State
43	Daniel Bethel	K	6-1	195	Jr.	Clinton, Tenn./Tennessee
44	Corey Warren	DT	6-0	257	So.	Hoover, Ala./Georgia State
45	Jaden Daniels	WR	5-10	165	Fr.	Vestavia Hills, Ala./Vestavia Hills HS
45	Thomas Neville	LB	6-3	215	Gr.	Loganville, Ga./Dunwoody HS
46	Trustin Northington	S	6-1	190	Jr.	Bay St. Louis, Miss./Ole Miss
47	Daniel Valdes	WR	6-2	160	Fr.	Franklin, Tenn./Franklin Christian Academy
48	Nour Tavara	WR	6-0	190	Jr.	Pass Christian, Miss./St. Olaf (MN)
49	Vance Nicklaus	TE	6-5	240	Jr.	Duluth, Ga./Florida State
50	Darrian King	OL	6-3	295	Sr.	Oak Grove, Miss./East Mississippi CC
51	Jacob Gettman	K	6-0	160	Fr.	Daytona Beach, Fla./Mainland HS
52	Wesley Graham	OL	6-3	300	Fr.	Smiths Station, Ala./Glenwood HS
53	Kaden McKeown	LS	6-0	195	Fr.	Mableton, Ga./Whitefield Academy
54	Luke Byrne	OL	6-4	305	Gr.	Forsyth, Ga./Mary Persons HS
55	Johnny Johnson	DL	6-1	263	Gr.	St. Amant, La./St. Amant HS
56	Aidan Barr	LS	6-0	205	So.	West Palm Beach, Fla./Cardinal Newman HS
57	Cooper Frazier	OL	6-4	305	Gr.	Corinth, Miss./Corinth HS
58	Chris Noble	OL	6-4	287	Gr.	Brewton, Ala./UAB
59	Will Thorley	P	6-3	215	So.	Torquay, Australia/Prokick Australia

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

#	NAME	POS
61	Alex Applefield	LS
82	Jaylon Barden	WR
56	Aidan Barr	LS
14	Jackson Beatty	WR
80	Wilson Beaverstock	K
28	Jonathan Bennett	RB
43	Daniel Bethel	K
93	Daniel Bettis	TE
84	Preston Bird	WR
63	Zach Bond	OL
77	Zach Brown	OL
15	Clay Burdeshaw	S
54	Luke Byrne	OL
35	Deuce Caldwell II	LB
13	Jamari Cannon	CB
85	Wesley Carlock	WR
22	Ken Cherry	RB
7	Jim Coleman	QB
0	David Coltrane	LB/S
15	Iaan Cousin	WR
86	Nick Crayton	WR
2	Quincy Crittendon	QB
13	Logan Cross	QB
90	Conroy Cunningham II	DE
45	Jaden Daniels	WR
33	Teddy Davenport	WR
24	Edwin Dearman	S
88	Joel Decoursey	TE
71	Carson Donovan	OL
29	C.J. Douglas	S
74	Iyler Douthit	OL
99	Iyler Durant	DL
21	Ethan Fisher	K
57	Cooper Frazier	OL
34	Mailk Gaither	LB
27	Gumbo Gaskins	CB
51	Jacob Gettman	K
94	Makhi Gilbert	DL
21	Carson Goold	WR
52	Wesley Graham	OL
36	Dayton Green	WR
79	Donovan Hawkins	OL
41	Jake Haynes	LB
11	William Hold	CB
8	Mack Howard	QB
24	Kobe Hughes	RB
97	Nick Jackson	DL
12	Brendan Jenkins	WR
10	Andrew Johnson	S
70	Brett Johnson	OL
78	Duncan Johnson	OL
55	Johnny Johnson	DL
20	Micah Kelly	RB
50	Darrian King	OL
10	Haden Klees	QB
4	Xavier Lanier	CB
6	Ben Levine	WR
72	Joshua Lovett	OL
25	Jadon Loving	WR
3	Caidan Maddux	CB
5	Noah Martin	LB
18	Stephen Martin	WR
3	E. Jai Mason	WR
19	Connor Masters	QB
98	Joshua Mathiasen	DL
17	James McGinn	QB
53	Kaden McKeown	LS
31	Maddox McKim	LB
89	Michael Mitchler	TE
39	Gavin Morris	LB
33	Jaden Mosley	LB
6	Jalen Nelson	S
45	Thomas Neville	LB
49	Vance Nicklaus	TE
58	Chris Noble	OL
46	Trustin Northington	S
22	Xavier Nurse	DE
69	J.P. Oliver	DL
1	Ryan Oliver	QB
26	Mitchell Owen	S
26	Colton Pace	WR
27	Connor Pace	RB
17	Seth Parker	CB
73	Justin Perritt	OL
1	Dontae Pollard	CB
25	William Pruitt	S
91	Jaylin Rainey	DL



61	Alex Applefield	LS	5-10	208	Gr.	Dothan, Ala./Houston Academy
63	Zach Bond	OL	6-3	290	Sr.	McHenry, Miss./N.W. Mississippi CC
64	Noah Watts	OL	6-1	295	So.	Alabaster, Ala./Thompson HS
69	J.P. Oliver	DL	6-0	260	Jr.	Jackson, Tenn./Trinity Christian Academy
70	Brett Johnson	OL	6-4	290	Jr.	Maplesville, Ala./UAB
71	Carson Donovan	OL	6-2	255	Fr.	Calera, Ala./Evangel Christian
72	Joshua Lovett	OL	6-0	255	So.	Knoxville, Tenn./Birmingham-Southern
73	Justin Perritt	OL	6-2	285	Jr.	Covington, La./Northlake Christian School
74	Tyler Douthit	OL	6-4	280	Fr.	Woodstock, Ga./Woodstock HS
75	Charlie Rickell	OL	6-4	252	So.	Dunwoody, Ga./Birmingham-Southern
76	Michael Snow	OL	6-5	240	Fr.	Pell City, Ala./Pell City HS
77	Zach Brown	OL	6-4	280	Sr.	Loretto, Tenn./Loretto HS
78	Duncan Johnson	OL	6-5	275	Fr.	Augusta, Ga./Aquinas HS
79	Donovan Hawkins	OL	6-1	310	Sr.	Pinson, Ala./Pinson Valley HS
80	Wilson Beaverstock	K	6-0	210	Gr.	Mobile, Ala./UAB
81	Jamall Thompson	DL	6-3	268	Jr.	Sarasota, Fla./Sarasota HS
82	Jaylon Barden	WR	5-11	180	Gr.	Macon, Ga./Georgia Southern
84	Preston Bird	WR	5-10	170	Fr.	Bonaire, Ga./Veterans HS
85	Wesley Carlock	WR	5-10	175	Jr.	Jackson, Tenn./University School of Jackson
86	Nick Crayton	WR	6-3	215	Fr.	Decatur, Ala./Austin HS
87	Forrest Taylor	K	5-8	165	Jr.	Foley, Ala./Coffeyville CC
88	Joel Decoursey	TE	6-4	230	Gr.	Zionsville, Ind./Vanderbilt
89	Michael Mitchler	TE	6-3	225	Jr.	Roswell, Ga./Blessed Trinity HS
90	Conroy Cunningham II	DE	6-3	235	Gr.	Melbourne, Fla./Bethune-Cookman
91	Jaylin Rainey	DL	6-2	275	Gr.	Memphis, Tenn./Dartmouth
93	Daniel Bettis	TE	6-1	250	Gr.	Tuskegee, Ala./Booker T. Washington HS
94	Makhi Gilbert	DL	6-3	290	So.	Phenix City, Ala./Central HS
95	Maxton Woodward	DL	6-2	336	Jr.	Philadelphia, Miss./Holmes CC
96	Nazir Sy	DL	6-3	300	Gr.	Caton, Ga./Northwestern State
97	Nick Jackson	DL	6-1	270	Gr.	Orlando, Fla./Winter Park HS
98	Joshua Mathiasen	DL	6-2	325	Sr.	Elmhurst, Ill./Olivet Nazarene
99	Tyler Durant	DL	6-3	270	Fr.	Daphne, Ala./Daphne HS

7	D.J. Rias	WR
75	Charlie Rickell	OL
12	Christian Roberts	TE
38	Emerson Russell	RB
42	Jordan Russell	DE
39	Ryan Skinner	RB
30	Carson Sloan	LB
16	Kamron Smith	CB
76	Michael Snow	OL
37	Nick Speros	WR
9	Midnight Steward	S
96	Nazir Sy	DL
48	Nour Tayara	WR
87	Forrest Taylor	K
41	Iate Taylor	TE
81	Jamall Thompson	DL
59	Will Thorley	P
9	Thomas Vaccaro	QB
47	Daniel Valdes	WR
11	Rayf Vinson	WR
44	Corey Warren	DT
8	Luke Wattenbarger	S
64	Noah Watts	OL
30	Harrison Weathington	K
23	Tucker Weber	CB
40	Wade White	S
32	Samuel Willoughby	WR
31	Damonta Witherspoon	RB
95	Maxton Woodward	DL
2	Jalik Yancey	CB
23	Noah Young	WR

THE 2024 SAMFORD UNIVERSITY BULLDOGS





BOBBY BOWDEN FIELD AT PETE HANNA STADIUM

Bobby Bowden Field at Pete Hanna Stadium has been home to the Samford football team since 1958, one year after the campus was moved from East Lake to its present site. The field was officially dedicated to Bobby Bowden during the team's game against ETSU in 2021. The stadium was renamed as Pete Hanna Stadium at halftime of the team's contest with Furman in 2023.

The stadium was originally named F. Page Seibert, for the late Daytona Beach, Fla., businessman who donated money for the completion of the stadium in 1961 with the addition of stands on the west side. Originally, the stadium had the current gatehouse and seating on the east side. The stadium was renamed in 2023 for Samford alum and donor Pete Hanna.

Over the years, the stadium has seen some memorable football, including the Bobby Bowden era (1959-62), a one-loss season in 1971 and the Terry Bowden era, which ended with a 14-game Bulldog winning streak in the stadium.

The first game was played Friday, Sept. 26, 1958, with Samford losing to Sewanee, 21-0. Bobby Bowden brought Samford (then known as Howard College) its first win at Seibert on Oct. 3, 1959, as the Bulldogs defeated the Tennessee Tech "B" team, 34-0. The first win against varsity competition came two weeks later when the Bulldogs defeated Millsaps, 26-0.

Pete Hanna Stadium has undergone numerous improvements during the past few years. In 2019, a brand new state-of-the-art video board was installed in the north end zone of the stadium. Before the 2009 season, the Cooney Family Field House was opened in the South end zone of the stadium. The facility includes locker rooms, training rooms, meeting rooms and coaches offices for Samford's football program. A second-level terrace overlooks Seibert Stadium. An unfinished third level provides for future university expansion. The facility was renamed the Sullivan-Cooney Family Field House in 2014, honoring former head coach Pat Sullivan and his wife, Jean.

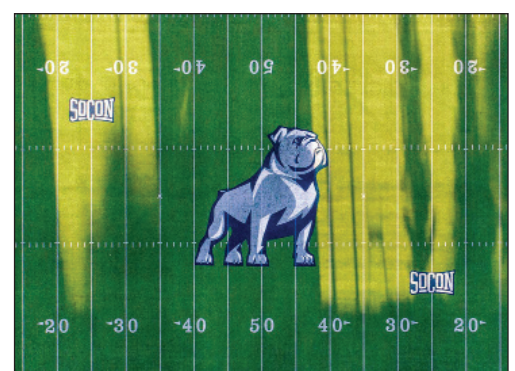
In fall 2005, the original grass surface was replaced with an LSR Blade Synthetic Surface. The surface was replaced in 2013 with a Hybrid Mono/XP by Warner Athletic Construction.

The four-level Bashinsky Press Tower was completed before the 1989 season. This Georgian-Colonial structure contains complete facilities for print and electronic media on the third level, reserved seating for 51 guests on the second level, and a concession stand and restroom facilities on the ground floor. A partially covered film deck is located atop the facility, and an elevator serves all levels. The press tower was completely renovated prior to the 2021 season.

When the press tower was originally built, more than 200 theatre-type reserved seats were added in front of the press tower, bringing the seating capacity to 6,700. The seats were replaced in 2021 at the same time the press tower was renovated.

PETE HANNA STADIUM TOP CROWDS

DATE	OPPONENT	NOTE	W/L/T	SU	OPP	ATT
Oct. 29, 1994	Alcorn State	HC	T	45	45	11,189
Sept. 23, 2023	Chattanooga		L	24	47	10,870
Nov. 8, 2003	Jacksonville State		L	32	49	10,780
Oct. 11, 2008	#2 Appalachian State		L	24	35	10,670
Aug. 30, 2007	West Alabama		W	23	21	10,483
Aug. 31, 2006	Miles College		W	37	7	10,386
Oct. 25, 2003	Tennessee State	HC	L	24	29	10,360
Sept. 2, 1989	Jacksonville State		L	9	19	10,136
Oct. 13, 2012	#13 App. State	HC	L	25	28	9,712
Aug. 29, 2002	North Alabama		W	24	21	9,638
Aug. 28, 2004	West Alabama		W	34	20	9,542
Sept. 25, 2010	#1 Appalachian State		L	17	35	9,428
Sept. 30, 2017	#11 The Citadel		W	35	14	9,233
Sept. 4, 2003	West Alabama		W	44	28	9,228
Sept. 19, 2015	#10 Chattanooga		L	21	31	9,088
Sept. 11, 2004	Furman		L	10	45	9,053





RECORD VERSUS ALL OPPONENTS

OPP.	GMS	W	L	T	PCT	SU PTS	OPP PTS	1st GAME	LAST GAME
Abraham Baldwin	1	1	0	0	1.000	31	0	1931	1931
Acipco YMCA	1	1	0	0	1.000	31	0	1917	1917
Alabama	21	0	20	1	0.024	34	669	1906	1944
Alabama A&M	1	1	0	0	1.000	55	21	2019	2019
Ala. Informals	1	1	0	0	1.000	42	6	1943	1943
Ala. Presbyterian	5	5	0	0	1.000	91	6	1906	1916
Alabama State	3	1	1	1	0.500	64	62	1990	2024
UAB	1	1	0	0	1.000	49	3	1992	1992
Albertville Aggies	3	2	1	0	0.667	34	16	1912	1914
Alcorn State	6	4	1	1	0.750	141	125	1994	2002
Anderson (Ind.)	2	2	0	0	1.000	94	23	1986	1987
Appalachian State	8	2	6	0	0.250	202	247	1969	2013
Arkansas	1	0	1	0	0.000	21	31	2013	2013
Ark.-Monticello	6	3	3	0	0.500	136	135	1967	1995
Athens State	2	1	1	0	0.500	19	20	1948	1949
Auburn	30	0	29	1	0.016	93	992	1903	2023
Austin Peay	9	8	1	0	0.888	286	145	1990	2007
Baylor	2	0	2	0	0.000	26	98	2002	2005
Bethel (Tenn.)	2	2	0	0	1.000	81	13	1952	1994
Bethune-Cookman	2	2	0	0	1.000	69	23	1992	1993
Birmingham HS	1	0	1	0	0.000	0	11	1903	1903
Birmingham-So.	32	16	10	6	0.594	431	250	1906	1939
Blountsville Aggies	5	5	0	0	1.000	142	3	1910	1917
Bowdon (Ga.) College	1	1	0	0	1.000	22	7	1931	1931
Carson-Newman	17	6	11	0	0.353	217	317	1943	1972
Catawba (N.C.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	31	15	1990	1990
Central Arkansas	2	2	0	0	1.000	80	45	2015	2016
Central Florida	11	3	8	0	0.273	174	399	1985	2009
Centre (Ky.)	1	0	1	0	0.000	0	120	1920	1920
Charleston So.	2	2	0	0	1.000	67	42	2000	2001
Chattanooga	48	11	34	3	0.260	644	1055	1906	2023
Citadel, The	18	10	8	0	0.555	533	403	1989	2024
Clark-Atlanta	1	1	0	0	1.000	43	0	2015	2015
Clemson	3	0	3	0	0.000	0	97	1910	1912
Concord (W.Va.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	49	14	1990	1990
Concordia (Ala.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	55	0	2014	2014
Craig Field	1	1	0	0	1.000	14	7	1948	1948
Cumberland (Ky.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	28	23	1987	1987
Cumberland (Tenn.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	41	0	1929	1929
Dayton	2	0	2	0	0.000	19	105	1985	1986
Delaware	1	0	1	0	0.000	21	56	1992	1992
Delta State	11	7	4	0	0.636	192	173	1953	1971
Disque HS	1	0	1	0	0.000	0	14	1910	1910
Duquesne (Pa.)	2	1	1	0	0.500	22	20	1930	1931
East Carolina	2	0	2	0	0.000	30	66	1964	1965
E. Tennessee State	12	8	4	0	0.666	394	291	1989	2024
Eastern Kentucky	9	1	8	0	0.111	173	278	1992	2007
Eastern Illinois	5	1	4	0	0.200	75	142	2003	2007
Edward Waters	1	1	0	0	1.000	60	7	2005	2005
Elon (N.C.)	12	5	7	0	0.417	296	356	1973	2013
Emory & Henry	5	1	4	0	0.200	130	174	1937	1988
All-Collegians	1	1	0	0	1.000	22	0	1906	1906
Faulkner	1	1	0	0	1.000	62	0	2008	2008
Fayetteville State	1	1	0	0	1.000	37	10	1990	1990
Ferrum	1	1	0	0	1.000	63	42	1987	1987
Florida	4	0	4	0	0.000	59	206	1921	2024
Florida A&M	2	2	0	0	1.000	85	41	2013	2015
Florida Southern	1	1	0	0	1.000	6	0	1931	1931
Florida State	3	0	3	0	0.000	38	115	1950	2018
Furman	26	12	14	0	0.462	637	687	1961	2023
Gardner-Webb	8	6	2	0	0.750	237	173	1970	2012
Georgetown (Ky.)	5	5	0	0	1.000	199	26	1909	1968
Georgia	3	0	3	0	0.000	14	114	1943	2022
Georgia Southern	9	4	5	0	0.444	207	272	1988	2013
Georgia State	1	1	0	0	1.000	31	21	2013	2013
Ga. Southwestern	3	1	2	0	0.333	47	104	1984	1987
Georgia Tech	8	0	8	0	0.000	27	302	1903	2007
Glenville State	1	1	0	0	1.000	20	14	1993	1993
Gordon (Ga.) Coll.	2	1	1	0	0.500	52	31	1907	1959
Guilford College	3	3	0	0	1.000	81	30	1966	1973
Hamilton Aggies	4	3	0	1	0.875	105	7	1914	1919
Hampden-Sydney	4	1	3	0	0.250	84	100	1984	1987
Harding	2	2	0	0	1.000	69	22	1973	1991
Havana (Cuba)	1	1	0	0	1.000	20	6	1927	1927
Henderson (Ark.) State	1	1	0	0	1.000	27	21	1972	1972
Jacksonville	1	1	0	0	1.000	27	0	2009	2009
Jacksonville State	46	21	23	2	0.478	800	903	1905	2013
Jacksonville State B	2	2	0	0	1.000	35	25	1948	1948
James Madison	1	1	0	0	1.000	24	21	1991	1991
Kennesaw State	4	2	2	0	0.500	82	92	2017	2022
Kentucky	0	0	1	0	0.000	3	34	2012	2012
Knoxville College	1	1	0	0	1.000	28	13	1996	1996
Liberty	4	2	2	0	0.500	76	108	1990	2000
Livingston B's	2	0	2	0	0.000	6	42	1948	1948
Loras (Iowa)	1	1	0	0	1.000	23	7	1985	1985
Louisiana College	6	5	1	0	0.833	123	40	1962	1968

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OPP.	GMS	W	L	T	PCT	SU PTS	OPP PTS	1st GAME	LAST GAME
Louisiana-Monroe	2	2	0	0	1.000	33	24	1963	1964
Louisiana Tech	2	1	1	0	0.500	59	38	1928	1945
Louisville	1	0	1	0	0.000	3	45	2015	2015
Lovola-N. Orleans	5	2	2	1	0.500	42	37	1927	1936
LSU	1	0	1	0	0.000	0	57	1907	1907
Marion Institute	23	16	6	1	0.717	480	287	1902	1949
Mars Hill	3	3	0	0	1.000	122	47	1973	2016
Maryville (Tenn.)	10	6	3	1	0.650	212	120	1930	1987
McNeese State	4	0	4	0	0.000	34	105	1962	1989
Memphis Navy	6	2	4	0	0.333	105	61	1954	1961
Mercer	31	16	14	1	0.532	562	554	1907	2024
National University of Mexico	4	2	2	0	0.500	85	68	1954	1963
Miami (Fla.)	5	3	2	0	0.600	83	26	1927	1941
Miles College	3	3	0	0	1.000	102	25	1988	2009
Millsaps	32	14	16	2	0.469	574	400	1920	1987
Mississippi	3	1	2	0	0.333	23	66	1932	2008
Miss. College	40	14	22	4	0.400	569	539	1912	1994
Mississippi State	19	1	17	1	0.079	72	655	1902	2016
Morehead State	4	3	1	0	0.750	123	88	1988	1991
Morgan School	2	1	0	1	0.750	13	0	1919	1920
Morgan State	3	3	0	0	1.000	88	70	1994	1998
Morris Brown	1	1	0	0	1.000	20	7	2002	2002
Murray State	11	6	5	0	0.545	212	233	1935	2006
New Hampshire	1	1	0	0	1.000	29	13	1991	1991
Newberry College	5	3	1	1	0.700	129	105	1970	2010
Nicholls State	12	5	7	0	0.417	220	258	1988	2002
North Alabama	13	5	6	2	0.462	210	259	1913	2002
North Dakota	1	0	1	0	0.000	7	39	1932	1932
North Dakota State	1	0	1	0	0.000	9	27	2022	2022
North Texas	1	0	1	0	0.000	6	41	2000	2000
N.W. State (La.)	1	1	0	0	1.000	19	7	2010	2010
Oglethorpe	5	2	2	1	0.500	50	45	1924	1934
Ohio Wesleyan	1	1	0	0	1.000	20	10	1971	1971
Pensacola Navy	3	1	1	1	0.500	39	42	1964	1970
Presbyterian (S.C.)	3	3	0	0	1.000	89	43	1933	2007
Rhodes	24	16	6	2	0.708	353	233	1906	1986
Rollins	2	1	1	0	0.500	7	28	1925	1941
Salem (W.Va.)	1	0	1	0	0.000	9	82	1984	1984
San Diego State	1	0	1	0	0.000	17	37	2003	2003
Sewanee	17	8	7	2	0.529	276	237	1917	1986
Shorter	2	2	0	0	1.000	135	23	2018	2023
S.E. Missouri	8	5	3	0	0.625	279	225	1991	2007
S.E. Louisiana	4	2	2	0	0.500	95	89	1963	2022
So. Mississippi	1	0	1	0	0.000	16	59	1994	1994
Southern Univ.	4	2	1	1	0.625	34	5	1910	1916
S.W. Missouri State	1	0	1	0	0.000	14	42	1993	1993
S.W. Louisiana	2	0	2	0	0.000	3	13	1965	1966
Spring Hill	20	10	8	2	0.550	290	158	1914	1941
Stephen F. Austin	2	0	2	0	0.000	24	74	1995	1996
Stetson	3	3	0	0	1.000	54	19	1928	1935
Stillman	2	2	0	0	1.000	100	6	2011	2014
Tampa	2	1	0	1	0.750	22	19	1933	1941
Tennessee	2	0	2	0	0.000	6	45	1910	1941
Tennessee-Martin	21	16	4	1	0.785	575	370	1958	2023
Tennessee State	5	2	3	0	0.400	132	143	2003	2007
Tennessee Tech	25	14	11	0	0.560	625	619	1934	2022
Tenn. Tech B's	2	1	1	0	0.500	52	22	1958	1959
Tenn. Wesleyan	3	1	2	0	0.333	85	57	1956	1987
Texas Christian	1	0	1	0					



SAMFORD (0-1)

WEST GEORGIA (1-0)

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SATURDAY, AUG. 31, 2024 - UNIVERSITY STADIUM - CARROLLTON, GA.
ATTENDANCE: 4,329 | **TV:** ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Samford	7	7	15	0	29
West Georgia	14	12	0	12	38

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	13:49	UWG - Belcher, Chase 3 yd run (Gagnon, Chance kick), 3 plays, 75 yards, TOP 01:11
	11:04	SAM - Crittendon, Quincy 1 yd run (Taylor, Forrest kick), 8 plays, 70 yards, TOP 02:38
	04:41	UWG - Dickerson, Bryson 29 yd pass from Wydner, Davin (Gagnon, Chance kick) 13 plays, 75 yards, TOP 06:23
2nd	13:08	UWG - Gagnon, Chance 49 yd field goal 9 plays, 29 yards, TOP 04:25
	08:43	SAM - Witherspoon, Damontia 3 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 10 plays, 70 yards, TOP 04:18
	02:18	UWG - Gagnon, Chance 28 yd field goal 15 plays, 66 yards, TOP 06:19
3rd	00:00	UWG - Gary, Dylan 44 yd pass from Wydner, Davin () 5 plays, 70 yards, TOP 00:49
	08:41	SAM - Crittendon, Quincy 3 yd run (Taylor, Forrest kick), 19 plays, 71 yards, TOP 06:14
	05:54	SAM - Jenkins, Brendan 68 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Mason, E. Jai rush) 1 plays, 68 yards, TOP 00:13
4th	13:40	UWG - Belcher, Chase 4 yd run (), 7 plays, 30 yards, TOP 02:26
	08:18	UWG - Wydner, Davin 21 yd run (), 8 plays, 87 yards, TOP 03:45

STATISTICS

	SAM	UWG
FIRST DOWNS	25	24
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	37-163	45-185
PASSING YDS (NET)	302	271
Passes Att-Comp-Int	24-42-1	24-35-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	79-465	80-456
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	11	1-21
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-180	3-65
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-30
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-38	5-41.4
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-35	6-46
Possession Time	25:01	34:59
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	8 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	4 of 4	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	3-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-22	11

SAMFORD (0-2)

FLORIDA (1-1)

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 7, 2024 - BEN HILL GRIFFIN STADIUM - GAINESVILLE, FLA.
ATTENDANCE: 89,295 | **TV:** ESPN+ / SEC NETWORK+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Samford	0	0	7	0	7
Florida	7	7	14	17	45

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	02:53	UFL - Johnson, Jr, Montrell 1 yd run (Smack, Trey kick), 4 plays, 86 yards, TOP 01:55
	07:02	UFL - Johnson, Jr, Montrell 7 yd run (Smack, Trey kick), 5 plays, 70 yards, TOP 02:18
	13:38	UFL - Hawkins, Tank 36 yd pass from Lagway, DJ (Smack, Trey kick) 4 plays, 69 yards, TOP 01:07
2nd	07:40	SAM - Witherspoon, Damontia 1 yd run (Taylor, Forrest kick), 12 plays, 75 yards, TOP 05:58
	05:52	UFL - Mizell, Aidan 41 yd pass from Lagway, DJ (Smack, Trey kick) 4 plays, 75 yards, TOP 01:48
	13:18	UFL - Smack, Trey 25 yd field goal 15 plays, 56 yards, TOP 06:37
3rd	09:55	UFL - Lagway, DJ 85 yd pass from Lagway, DJ (Smack, Trey kick) 1 plays, 85 yards, TOP 00:13
	00:48	UFL - Warner, Aidan 9 yd run (Smack, Trey kick), 6 plays, 29 yards, TOP 02:09

STATISTICS

	SAM	UFL
FIRST DOWNS	15	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-61	34-166
PASSING YDS (NET)	205	466
Passes Att-Comp-Int	22-33-0	19-28-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	68-205	62-632
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-5	3-37
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-18	1-31
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-40.3	2-49.5
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	3-30	7-77
Possession Time	33:30	26:30
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	5 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	4-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	4-27





ALABAMA STATE (1-2) **7**
SAMFORD (1-2) **12**

SATURDAY, SEPT. 14, 2024 - PETE HANNA STADIUM - BIRMINGHAM, ALA.
 ATTENDANCE: 6,045 | TV: ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Alabama State	7	0	0	0	7
Samford	0	6	6	0	12

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	07:58	ASU - Harris II, Marcus 14 yd run (Gilliam, Brandon kick), 4 plays, 61 yards, TOP 01:30
2nd	05:46	SAM - Cousin, Iaan 5 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy () 7 plays, 77 yards, TOP 03:15
3rd	07:01	SAM - Witherspoon, Damonta 1 yd run (), 13 plays, 54 yards, TOP 06:33

STATISTICS

	ASU	SAM
FIRST DOWNS	10	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-103	47-120
PASSING YDS (NET)	106	185
Passes Att-Comp-Int	9-23-0	19-25-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	57-209	72-305
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	5-38
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-50	1-8
Interception Returns-Yards	1-19	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	10-35.1	7-37.2
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	4-0
Penalties-Yards	6-37	3-26
Possession Time	25:01	34:59
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 16	5 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	2-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-12	2-19



VMI (0-5, 0-1 SoCon) **3**
SAMFORD (2-2, 1-0 SoCon) **27**

SATURDAY, OCT. 5, 2024 - PETE HANNA STADIUM - BIRMINGHAM, ALA.
 ATTENDANCE: 3,617 | TV: ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
VMI	3	0	0	0	3
Samford	7	10	7	3	27

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	06:30	VMI - Beck, Caden 33 yd field goal 16 plays, 60 yards, TOP 08:23
1st	03:28	SAM - Mason, E. Jai 5 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 9 plays, 71 yards, TOP 02:57
2nd	14:54	SAM - Jenkins, Brendan 18 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 7 plays, 70 yards, TOP 02:04
2nd	06:40	SAM - Taylor, Forrest 31 yd field goal 4 plays, 7 yards, TOP 01:26
3rd	04:36	SAM - Mason, E. Jai 8 yd pass from Crittendon, Quincy (Taylor, Forrest kick) 2 plays, 6 yards, TOP 00:48
4th	05:16	SAM - Taylor, Forrest 29 yd field goal 10 plays, 47 yards, TOP 06:31

STATISTICS

	VMI	SAM
FIRST DOWNS	10	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	32-44	27-116
PASSING YDS (NET)	87	196
Passes Att-Comp-Int	14-28-1	26-30-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	60-131	57-312
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-2	2-16
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-95	2-42
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-45
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-39.0	4-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-40	2-15
Possession Time	30:28	29:32
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 18	4 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	5-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-7	3-32





E	SAMFORD (2-3, 1 SoCon)	28
	ETSU (4-3, 2-1 SoCon)	31

M	#7 MERCER (6-1, 3-1 SoCon)	35
	SAMFORD (3-3, 2-1 SoCon)	55

SATURDAY, OCT. 12, 2024 - WILLIAM B. GREENE JR. STADIUM - JOHNSON CITY, TENN.
ATTENDANCE: 8,013 | **TV:** ESPN+

SATURDAY, OCT. 19, 2024 - PETE HANNA STADIUM - BIRMINGHAM, ALA.
ATTENDANCE: 4,215 | **TV:** ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Samford	14	7	7	0	28
ETSU	7	7	7	10	31

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
#7 Mercer	7	0	21	7	35
Samford	28	14	0	13	55

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	10:11	SAM - Vinson,RayJ 89 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Taylor,Forrest kick) 3 plays, 95 yards, TOP 00:51
1st	03:17	ETS - Meggett,Hakeem 31 yd pass from King,Jaylen (Johnson,Ewan kick) 6 plays, 52 yards, TOP 02:22
1st	01:32	SAM - Mason,E Jai 41 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Taylor,Forrest kick) 5 plays, 70 yards, TOP 01:39
2nd	12:55	SAM - Carlock,Wesley 23 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Taylor,Forrest kick) 7 plays, 61 yards, TOP 02:38
2nd	02:18	ETS - Johnson,AJ 15 yd pass from King,Jaylen (Johnson,Ewan kick) 3 plays, 60 yards, TOP 00:43
3rd	10:35	SAM - Mason,E Jai 7 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Taylor,Forrest kick) 3 plays, 32 yards, TOP 00:58
3rd	06:54	ETS - Johnson,AJ 75 yd pass from King,Jaylen (Johnson,Ewan kick) 2 plays, 92 yards, TOP 00:36
4th	14:13	ETS - Johnson,Ewan 23 yd field goal 13 plays, 47 yards, TOP 06:21
4th	01:46	ETS - English,Gino 1 yd run (Johnson,Ewan kick), 5 plays, 33 yards, TOP 02:10

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	12:15	SAM - Rias,DJ 15 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Beaverstock,Wilson kick) 5 plays, 30 yards, TOP 01:22
1st	11:32	SAM - Rias,DJ 15 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Beaverstock,Wilson kick) 1 plays, 15 yards, TOP 00:08
1st	10:59	SAM - Mason 24 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Beaverstock,Wilson kick) 3 plays, 26 yards, TOP 00:28
1st	08:25	SAM - Cousin,Iaan 77 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Beaverstock,Wilson kick) 1 plays, 77 yards, TOP 00:10
1st	00:18	MER - Smith,DJ 1 yd run (Griffith,Reice kick), 8 plays, 55 yards, TOP 04:20
2nd	04:22	SAM - Witherspoon,Damontia 2 yd run (Beaverstock,Wilson kick), 15 plays, 73 yards, TOP 05:53
2nd	00:22	SAM - Witherspoon,Damontia 4 yd run (Beaverstock,Wilson kick), 6 plays, 89 yards, TOP 01:45
3rd	11:38	MER - McGee,Dwayne 1 yd run (Griffith,Reice kick), 5 plays, 60 yards, TOP 01:52
3rd	05:38	MER - McGee,Dwayne 2 yd run (Griffith,Reice kick), 1 plays, 2 yards, TOP 00:04
3rd	02:25	MER - Albee,Sam 5 yd pass from Smith,DJ (Griffith,Reice kick) 4 plays, 67 yards, TOP 01:31
4th	11:43	SAM - Morris,Gavin 55 yd fumble recovery ()
4th	06:33	SAM - Martin,Noah 26 yd interception (Beaverstock,Wilson kick)
4th	01:42	MER - Smith,Brayden 5 yd pass from Newbauer,Whitt (Griffith,Reice kick) 9 plays, 75 yards, TOP 04:51

STATISTICS	SAM	ETSU
FIRST DOWNS	14	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	28-13	50-151
PASSING YDS (NET)	306	304
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-37-0	16-29-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	65-319	79-455
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-11	4-44
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-78	1-15
Interception Returns-Yards	3-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	10-37.4	4-42.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	6-49	8-85
Possession Time	26:21	33:39
Third-Down Conversions	2-of-14	4-of-17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-of-1	2-of-4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-3	3-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-13	7-50

STATISTICS	MER	SAM
FIRST DOWNS	17	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-39	33-68
PASSING YDS (NET)	352	378
Passes Att-Comp-Int	24-39-2	23-37-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	73-391	70-446
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-55
Punt Returns-Yards	2-2	2-24
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-98	1-21
Interception Returns-Yards	3-104	2-30
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-40.1	7-33.3
Fumbles-Lost	4-3	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-50	3-24
Possession Time	31:13	28:47
Third-Down Conversions	7-of-16	2-of-13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-of-1	2-of-2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	5-5	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-18	6-53





SAMFORD (3-4, 2-2 SoCon)
THE CITADEL (4-5, 2-4 SoCon)

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SATURDAY, OCT. 26, 2024 - JOHNSON HAGOOD STADIUM - CHARLESTON, S.C.

ATTENDANCE: 8,013 | **TV:** ESPN+

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Samford	0	3	0	8	11
The Citadel	0	0	14	14	28

SCORING SUMMARY

2nd	02:36	SAM - Beaverstock,Wilson 41 yd field goal 12 plays, 57 yards, TOP 05:03
3rd	12:10	CIT - Johnson,Garrison 1 yd run (Barnes,Ben kick), 5 plays, 25 yards, TOP 02:39
3rd	02:21	CIT - Johnson,Garrison 5 yd run (Barnes,Ben kick), 2 plays, 29 yards, TOP 00:40
4th	05:47	CIT - Crawford III,Johnny 18 yd run (Barnes,Ben kick), 3 plays, 32 yards, TOP 01:33
4th	01:55	CIT - Bennett,Johnathan 3 yd run (Barnes,Ben kick), 7 plays, 44 yards, TOP 02:03
4th	00:36	SAM - Willoughby,Samuel 18 yd pass from Crittendon,Quincy (Beaverstock kick), 7 plays, 75 yards, TOP 01:19

STATISTICS	SAM	CIT
FIRST DOWNS	22	14
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	33-97	46-166
PASSING YDS (NET)	223	134
Passes Att-Comp-Int	29-36-2	11-18-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	69-320	64-300
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	4-23	3-20
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-28	2-25
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-35
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-36.2	5-54.6
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-34	5-47
Possession Time	28:03	31:57
Third-Down Conversions	4-of-12	7-of-17
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-of-2	1-of-1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-7	3-18





2024-25 Samford Football
Game Results
All games

Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
	08/31/2024	at West Ga.	L	29-38	0-1	0-0	3:37	4329
	09/07/2024	at Florida	L	7-45	0-2	0-0	3:20	89295
	09/14/2024	Alabama St.	W	12-7	1-2	0-0	2:51	6045
*	10/05/2024	VMI	W	27-3	2-2	1-0	2:42	3617
*	10/12/2024	at ETSU	L	28-31	2-3	1-1	3:23	8013
*	10/19/2024	Mercer	W	55-35	3-3	2-1	3:19	4216
*	10/26/2024	at The Citadel	L	11-28	3-4	2-2	3:01	8977



2024-25 Samford Football
Overall Team Statistics
All games

Team Statistics

	SU	OPP
Scoring	169	187
Points per game	24.1	26.7
Points Off Turnovers	21	26
First Downs	128	118
Rushing	45	52
Passing	74	57
Penalty	9	9
Rushing Yardage	633	854
Yards gained rushing	887	1055
Yards lost rushing	254	201
Rushing attempts	240	275
Average per rush	2.6	3.1
Average per game	90.4	122.0
TDs Rushing	6	15
Passing Yardage	1739	1720
Comp-Att-Int	170-240-7	117-200-6
Average per pass	7.2	8.6
Average per catch	10.2	14.7
Average per game	248.4	245.7
TDs Passing	14	10
Total offense	2372	2574
Total plays	480	475
Average per play	4.9	5.4
Average per game	338.9	367.7
Kick returns: #-Yards	17-385	20-379
Punt returns: #-Yards	16-108	14-122
Int returns: #-Yards	6-75	7-188
Kick return average	22.6	19.0
Punt return average	6.8	8.7
Int return average	12.5	26.9
Fumbles-Lost	14-3	8-5
Penalties-Yards	25-213	42-382
Average per game	30.4	54.6
Punts-Yards	45-1680	42-1733
Average per punt	37.3	41.3
Net punt average	34.9	38.7
Kickoffs-Yards	32-1966	38-2207
Average per kick	61.4	58.1
Net kick average	40.4	36.5
Time of possession / game	29:28	30:32
3rd-down conversion	29/96	40/110
3rd-down pct	30%	36%
4rd-down conversion	6/9	8/12



**2024-25 Samford Football
Overall Team Statistics
All games**

	SU	OPP
4rd-down pct	67%	67%
Sacks by-Yards	18-146	20-138
Misc Yards	0	0
Touchdowns scored	23	25
Field goals - attempts	3-8	5-10
On-Side kicks	0-1	0-0
Red-zone scores	(17-26) 65%	(21-26) 81%
Red-zone touchdowns	(15-26) 58%	(17-26) 65%
PAT-attempts	(18-20) 90%	(22-25) 88%
2-point conversion-attempts	(2-3) 67%	(0-0) 0%
Attendance	13878	110614
Games / Avg per game	3/4626	4/27654
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Samford	56	47	42	24	0	169
Opponents	45	26	56	60	0	187



2024-25 Samford Football Combined Team Statistics All games

Team Results

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
	08/31/2024	at West Ga.	L	29-38	4329
	09/07/2024	at Florida	L	7-45	89295
	09/14/2024	Alabama St.	W	12-7	6045
*	10/05/2024	VMI	W	27-3	3617
*	10/12/2024	at ETSU	L	28-31	8013
*	10/19/2024	Mercer	W	55-35	4216
*	10/26/2024	at The Citadel	L	11-28	8977

Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Damonta Witherspoon	7	83	333	14	319	3.8	4	33	45.6
Micah Kelly	7	45	171	14	157	3.5	0	30	22.4
Quincy Crittendon	7	82	295	165	130	1.6	2	38	18.6
DJ Rias	7	2	25	0	25	12.5	0	16	3.6
Ken Cherry	4	10	22	5	17	1.7	0	4	4.3
E. Jai Mason	7	1	15	0	15	15.0	0	14	2.1
Haden Klees	1	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
Iaan Cousin	6	4	14	11	3	0.8	0	9	0.5
Sam Willoughby	7	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.3
Nik Scalzo	1	1	0	7	-7	-7.0	0	0	-7.0
Team	7	9	0	36	-36	-4.0	0	0	-5.1
Total	7	240	887	254	633	2.6	6	38	90.4
Opponents	7	275	1055	201	854	3.1	15	28	122.0

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Quincy Crittendon	7	147.6	170-236-7	72.0	1739	14	89	248.4
DJ Rias	7	0.0	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Nik Scalzo	1	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Team	7	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	7	145.1	170-240-7	70.8	1739	14	89	248.4
Opponents	7	141.2	117-200-6	58.5	1720	10	85	245.7

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
DJ Rias	7	31	229	7.4	2	27	32.7
E. Jai Mason	7	29	278	9.6	5	41	39.7
Brendan Jenkins	7	22	317	14.4	2	68	45.3
Iaan Cousin	6	19	323	17.0	2	77	53.8
Damonta Witherspoon	7	18	126	7.0	1	35	18.0
Micah Kelly	7	9	63	7.0	0	18	9.0
Sam Willoughby	7	9	39	4.3	0	13	5.6
Preston Bird	7	9	96	10.7	0	23	13.7
Wesley Carlock	4	5	50	10.0	1	23	12.5
Rayf Vinson	7	5	122	24.4	1	89	17.4
Stephen Martin	6	3	27	9.0	0	12	4.5
Jaylon Barden	7	3	16	5.3	0	12	2.3
Teddy Davenport	4	3	6	2.0	0	6	1.5
Tate Taylor	7	3	47	15.7	0	29	6.7
Quincy Crittendon	7	1	-9	-9.0	0	0	-1.3
Ken Cherry	4	1	9	9.0	0	9	2.3
Total	7	170	1739	10.2	14	89	248.4
Opponents	7	117	1720	14.7	10	85	245.7

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	3-4	3-0	0-4	0-0
CONFERENCE	2-2	2-0	0-2	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-2	1-0	0-2	0-0

Team Statistics

	SU	OPP
First Downs	128	118
Rushing	45	52
Passing	74	57
Penalty	9	9
Rushing Yardage	633	854
Rushing attempts	240	275
Average per rush	2.6	3.1
Average per game	90.4	122.0
TDs Rushing	6	15
Passing Yardage	1739	1720
Comp-Att-Int	170-240-7	117-200-6
Average per pass	7.2	8.6
Average per catch	10.2	14.7
Average per game	248.4	245.7
TDs Passing	14	10
Total offense	2372	2574
Average per play	4.9	5.4
Average per game	338.9	367.7
Kick returns: #-Yards	17-385	20-379
Punt returns: #-Yards	16-108	14-122
Int returns: #-Yards	6-75	7-188
Fumbles-Lost	14-3	8-5
Penalties-Yards	25-213	42-382
Punts-Avg	45-37.3	42-41.3
Time of possession / game	29:28	30:32
3rd-down conversion	29/96	40/110
4rd-down conversion	6/9	8/12
PAT-attempts	(18-20) 90%	(22-25) 88%
2-point conversion-attempts	(2-3) 67%	(0-0) 0%

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Xavier Lanier	1	0	0.0	0	0
Noah Martin	1	26	26.0	1	26
Midnight Steward	1	45	45.0	0	45
Dontae Pollard	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jaden Mosley	1	4	4.0	0	4
Jalik Yancey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	6	75	12.5	1	45
Opponents	7	188	26.9	0	48



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Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Forrest Taylor	2-6	33.3	0-0	1-4	1-1	0-1	0-0	31	1
Wilson Beaverstock	1-2	50.0	0-0	0-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	41	0
Opponents	5-10	50.0	0-0	3-3	1-2	1-4	0-1	49	0

Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
E. Jai Mason	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	32
Damonta Witherspoon	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Forrest Taylor	-	2-6	11-12	-	-	-	-	-	17
Iaan Cousin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
DJ Rias	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Quincy Crittendon	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	12
Brendan Jenkins	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Wilson Beaverstock	-	1-2	7-8	-	-	-	-	-	10
Sam Willoughby	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
Noah Martin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Wesley Carlock	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Rayf Vinson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Gavin Morris	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	23	3-8	18-20	1	1	1	0	0	169
Opponents	25	5-10	22-25	0	0	0	0	0	187

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Samford	56	47	42	24	0	169
Opponents	45	26	56	60	0	187

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Will Thorley	45	1680	37.3	49	1	17	15	0	0
Total	45	1680	37.3	49	1	17	15	0	0
Opponents	42	1733	41.3	61	1	15	14	8	0

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jaylon Barden	13	85	6.5	0	20
DJ Rias	3	23	7.7	0	17
Total	16	108	6.8	0	20
Opponents	14	122	8.7	0	31

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
DJ Rias	13	294	22.6	0	30
Iaan Cousin	2	58	29.0	0	33
Daniel Bettis	1	15	15.0	0	15
Preston Bird	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	17	385	22.6	0	33
Opponents	20	379	19.0	0	31

All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
DJ Rias	7	25	229	23	294	0	571	81.6
Damonta Witherspoon	7	319	126	0	0	0	445	63.6
Iaan Cousin	6	3	323	0	58	0	384	64.0
Brendan Jenkins	7	0	317	0	0	0	317	45.3
E. Jai Mason	7	15	278	0	0	0	293	41.9
Micah Kelly	7	157	63	0	0	0	220	31.4
Rayf Vinson	7	0	122	0	0	0	122	17.4
Quincy Crittendon	7	130	-9	0	0	0	121	17.3
Preston Bird	7	0	96	0	18	0	114	16.3
Jaylon Barden	7	0	16	85	0	0	101	14.4
Wesley Carlock	4	0	50	0	0	0	50	12.5
Tate Taylor	7	0	47	0	0	0	47	6.7
Midnight Steward	5	0	0	0	0	45	45	9.0
Sam Willoughby	7	-2	39	0	0	0	37	5.3
Stephen Martin	6	0	27	0	0	0	27	4.5
Noah Martin	7	0	0	0	0	26	26	3.7
Ken Cherry	4	17	9	0	0	0	26	6.5
Daniel Bettis	6	0	0	0	15	0	15	2.5
Haden Klees	1	7	0	0	0	0	7	7.0
Teddy Davenport	4	0	6	0	0	0	6	1.5
Jonathan Bennett	2	5	0	0	0	0	5	2.5
Jaden Mosley	7	0	0	0	0	4	4	0.6
Nik Scalzo	1	-7	0	0	0	0	-7	-7.0
Total	7	633	1739	108	385	75	2940	420.0
Opponents	7	854	1720	122	379	188	3263	466.1

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Quincy Crittendon	7	318	130	1739	1869	267.0
Damonta Witherspoon	7	83	319	0	319	45.6
Micah Kelly	7	45	157	0	157	22.4
DJ Rias	7	4	25	0	25	3.6
Ken Cherry	4	10	17	0	17	4.3
E. Jai Mason	7	1	15	0	15	2.1
Haden Klees	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	2.5
Iaan Cousin	6	4	3	0	3	0.5
Sam Willoughby	7	1	-2	0	-2	-0.3
Nik Scalzo	1	2	-7	0	-7	-7.0
Total	7	480	633	1739	2372	338.9
Opponents	7	475	854	1720	2574	367.7



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Team Defense

##	Player	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
5	Noah Martin	7	31	38	69	4-11	1-4	1-26	1	1	1-0	1	.	.	
33	Jaden Mosley	7	25	25	50	6.5-29	2-16	1-4	1	1	.	.	.	.
29	C.J. Douglas	7	28	19	47	2-3	.	.	4	.	.	2	.	.	
24	Edwin Dearman	7	25	10	35	0.5-2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
1	Dontae Pollard	7	14	10	24	2-10	1-7	1-0	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	
16	Kamron Smith	7	13	5	18	1-10	1-10	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	
39	Gavin Morris	6	8	9	17	1-3	.	.	.	1	1-55	.	.	.	
6	Jalen Nelson	5	12	4	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	Jalik Yancey	7	11	5	16	1-8	1-8	1-0	5	.	1-0	.	.	.	
98	Joshua Mathiasen	7	7	8	15	1-4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
55	Johnny Johnson	7	2	12	14	3-10	1.5-8	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
90	Conroy Cunningham	6	8	6	14	4-28	3-25	.	.	6	.	1	.	.	
81	Jamall Thompson	7	10	4	14	2-3	1-1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
45	Thomas Neville	6	8	5	13	2-15	1-14	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
42	Jordan Russell	5	2	10	12	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Makhi Gilbert	6	8	4	12	3-15	2-13	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
22	Xavier Nurse	6	6	5	11	1.5-13	1-13	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	
34	Mailk Gaither	5	3	7	10	2-8	1-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4	Xavier Lanier	7	7	2	9	2-3	.	1-0	2	.	.	.	.	.
9	Midnight Steward	5	7	1	8	.	.	1-45	2	.	1-0	.	.	.	
13	Jamari Cannon	5	3	4	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
91	Jaylin Rainey	6	2	4	6	1.5-16	1-15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Nick Jackson	6	3	3	6	2-8	0.5-5	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
44	Corey Warren	6	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
46	Trustin Northington	6	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	Carson Sloan	4	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
0	David Coltrane	6	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	Deuce Caldwell	3	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Quantaves Gaskins	5	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	Wilson Beaverstock	7	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
58	Chris Noble	7	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Iaan Cousin	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	Wade White	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
11	Rayf Vinson	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8	Luke Wattenbarger	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
96	Nazir Sy	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
31	Damonta Witherspoon	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
85	Wesley Carlock	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Seth Parker	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	Nour Tayara	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	Camden Kuhn	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
61	Alex Applefield	7	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	E. Jai Mason	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
50	Darrian King	6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
87	Forrest Taylor	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Totals	7	269	220	489	43-201	18-146	6-75	20	28	5-55	6	1	0	
	Opponents	7	294	174	468	64-263	20-138	7-188	23	24	3-0	7	2	0	



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Team Game-by-Game
All games

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
08/31/2024	at West Ga.	37	158	2	19	24	307	2	68	24	42	1	307	2	68	7	180	0	33	1	1	0	1	465
09/07/2024	at Florida	35	61	1	12	22	144	0	35	22	33	0	144	0	35	1	18	0	18	1	-5	0	0	205
09/14/2024	Alabama St.	47	120	1	33	19	185	1	48	19	25	1	185	1	48	1	18	0	18	5	38	0	17	305
10/05/2024	VMI	27	116	0	30	26	196	3	22	26	30	0	196	3	22	2	42	0	25	2	16	0	10	312
10/12/2024	at ETSU	28	13	0	16	27	306	4	89	27	37	0	306	4	89	4	78	0	29	1	11	0	11	319
10/19/2024	Mercer	33	68	2	38	23	378	4	77	23	37	3	378	4	77	1	21	0	21	2	24	0	15	446
10/26/2024	at The Citadel	33	97	0	14	29	223	0	19	29	36	2	223	0	19	1	28	0	28	4	23	0	20	320
Samford		240	633	6	38	170	1739	14	89	170	240	7	1739	14	89	17	385	0	33	16	108	0	20	2372
Opponents		275	854	15	28	117	1720	10	85	117	200	6	1720	10	85	20	379	0	31	14	122	0	31	2574

Samford Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
7	2.6	10.2	145.1	22.6	6.8	420.0	338.9

Date	Opponent	Tackles			Sacks no-yds	Fumble ff fr-yds	Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT attempts			off					
		ua	a	total			tfl-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts		
08/31/2024	at West Ga.	51	24	75	6.0-31	2-22	0	0-0	0-0	3	2	1	3-3	1	0	0	0	0	29
09/07/2024	at Florida	29	42	71	1.0-3	0-0	1	1-0	0-0	3	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0	7
09/14/2024	Alabama St.	28	34	62	6.0-32	2-19	0	0-0	0-0	8	5	0	0-1	0	0	0	0	0	12
10/05/2024	VMI	35	30	65	7.0-39	3-32	0	0-0	1-45	3	5	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	7	27
10/12/2024	at ETSU	49	20	69	8.0-21	3-13	1	1-0	3-0	2	1	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	0	28
10/19/2024	Mercer	31	50	81	9.0-61	6-53	3	3-55	2-30	6	4	0	7-8	0	0	0	14	55	
10/26/2024	at The Citadel	46	20	66	6.0-14	2-7	1	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	11
Samford		269	220	489	43.0-201	18-146	6	5-55	6-75	28	20	1	18-20	1	1	0	21	169	
Opponents		294	174	468	64.0-263	20-138	7	3-0	7-188	24	23	2	22-25	0	0	0	26	187	

Date	Opponent	Punting								Field Goals			Kickoffs					
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
08/31/2024	at West Ga.	4	152	38.0	43	0	0	2	0	2	0-1	0	1	5	305	61.0	2	0
09/07/2024	at Florida	9	363	40.3	46	0	0	5	0	2	0-0	0	0	2	115	57.5	1	0
09/14/2024	Alabama St.	7	261	37.3	45	0	1	3	0	4	0-1	0	0	3	187	62.3	0	0
10/05/2024	VMI	4	152	38.0	49	0	0	1	0	2	2-3	31	0	6	377	62.8	1	0
10/12/2024	at ETSU	10	374	37.4	44	0	0	3	0	2	0-1	0	0	5	310	62.0	3	1
10/19/2024	Mercer	7	233	33.3	46	0	0	2	0	1	0-0	0	0	9	558	62.0	2	0
10/26/2024	at The Citadel	4	145	36.3	49	0	0	1	0	2	1-2	41	0	2	114	57.0	0	0
Samford		45	1680	37.3	49	0	1	17	0	15	3-8	41	1	32	1966	61.4	9	1
Opponents		42	1733	41.3	61	0	1	15	8	14	5-10	49	0	38	2207	58.1	9	2



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Overall Defense Statistics
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Team Defense

#	Player	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	no-yds			int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
5	Noah Martin	7	31	38	69	4-11	1-4	1-26	1	1	1-0	1	.	.	
33	Jaden Mosley	7	25	25	50	6.5-29	2-16	1-4	1	1	.	.	.	.
29	C.J. Douglas	7	28	19	47	2-3	.	.	4	.	.	2	.	.	
24	Edwin Dearman	7	25	10	35	0.5-2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
1	Dontae Pollard	7	14	10	24	2-10	1-7	1-0	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	
16	Kamron Smith	7	13	5	18	1-10	1-10	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	
39	Gavin Morris	6	8	9	17	1-3	.	.	.	1	1-55	.	.	.	
2	Jalik Yancey	7	11	5	16	1-8	1-8	1-0	5	.	1-0	.	.	.	
6	Jalen Nelson	5	12	4	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	Joshua Mathiasen	7	7	8	15	1-4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
55	Johnny Johnson	7	2	12	14	3-10	1.5-8	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
81	Jamall Thompson	7	10	4	14	2-3	1-1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
90	Conroy Cunningham	6	8	6	14	4-28	3-25	.	.	6	.	1	.	.	
45	Thomas Neville	6	8	5	13	2-15	1-14	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
42	Jordan Russell	5	2	10	12	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Makhi Gilbert	6	8	4	12	3-15	2-13	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
22	Xavier Nurse	6	6	5	11	1.5-13	1-13	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	
34	Mailk Gaither	5	3	7	10	2-8	1-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4	Xavier Lanier	7	7	2	9	2-3	.	1-0	2	.	.	.	.	.
9	Midnight Steward	5	7	1	8	.	.	1-45	2	.	1-0	.	.	.	
13	Jamari Cannon	5	3	4	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
44	Corey Warren	6	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
91	Jaylin Rainey	6	2	4	6	1.5-16	1-15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Nick Jackson	6	3	3	6	2-8	0.5-5	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
46	Trustin Northington	6	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	Carson Sloan	4	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
0	David Coltrane	6	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	Deuce Caldwell	3	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Quantaves Gaskins	5	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	Wilson Beaverstock	7	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8	Luke Wattenbarger	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
58	Chris Noble	7	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Iaan Cousin	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	Wade White	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
11	Rayf Vinson	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
61	Alex Applefield	7	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	Nazir Sy	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
3	E. Jai Mason	7	1	.	1	
31	Damonta Witherspoon	7	1	.	1	
50	Darrian King	6	.	1	1	
85	Wesley Carlock	4	.	1	1	



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Overall Defense Statistics
All games

##	Player	gp	Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
17	Seth Parker	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	Camden Kuhn	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	Nour Tayara	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Totals		7	269	220	489	43-201	18-146	6-75	20	28	5-55	6	1	0
Opponents		7	294	174	468	64-263	20-138	7-188	23	24	3-0	7	2	0



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Individual Statistics
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Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Damonta Witherspoon	7	83	333	14	319	3.8	4	33	45.6
Micah Kelly	7	45	171	14	157	3.5	0	30	22.4
Quincy Crittendon	7	82	295	165	130	1.6	2	38	18.6
DJ Rias	7	2	25	0	25	12.5	0	16	3.6
Ken Cherry	4	10	22	5	17	1.7	0	4	4.3
E. Jai Mason	7	1	15	0	15	15.0	0	14	2.1
Haden Klees	1	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
Iaan Cousin	6	4	14	11	3	0.8	0	9	0.5
Sam Willoughby	7	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.3
Nik Scalzo	1	1	0	7	-7	-7.0	0	0	-7.0
Team	7	9	0	36	-36	-4.0	0	0	-5.1
Total	7	240	887	254	633	2.6	6	38	90.4
Opponents	7	275	1055	201	854	3.1	15	28	122.0

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jaylon Barden	13	85	6.5	0	20
DJ Rias	3	23	7.7	0	17
Total	16	108	6.8	0	20
Opponents	14	122	8.7	0	31

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Xavier Lanier	1	0	0.0	0	0
Noah Martin	1	26	26.0	1	26
Midnight Steward	1	45	45.0	0	45
Dontae Pollard	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jaden Mosley	1	4	4.0	0	4
Jalik Yancey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	6	75	12.5	1	45
Opponents	7	188	26.9	0	48

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Quincy Crittendon	7	147.6	170-236-7	72.0	1739	14	89	248.4
DJ Rias	7	0.0	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Nik Scalzo	1	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Team	7	0.0	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	7	145.1	170-240-7	70.8	1739	14	89	248.4
Opponents	7	141.2	117-200-6	58.5	1720	10	85	245.7

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
DJ Rias	13	294	22.6	0	30
Iaan Cousin	2	58	29.0	0	33
Daniel Bettis	1	15	15.0	0	15
Preston Bird	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	17	385	22.6	0	33
Opponents	20	379	19.0	0	31

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
DJ Rias	7	31	229	7.4	2	27	32.7
E. Jai Mason	7	29	278	9.6	5	41	39.7
Brendan Jenkins	7	22	317	14.4	2	68	45.3
Iaan Cousin	6	19	323	17.0	2	77	53.8
Damonta Witherspoon	7	18	126	7.0	1	35	18.0
Micah Kelly	7	9	63	7.0	0	18	9.0
Sam Willoughby	7	9	39	4.3	0	13	5.6
Preston Bird	7	9	96	10.7	0	23	13.7
Wesley Carlock	4	5	50	10.0	1	23	12.5
Rayf Vinson	7	5	122	24.4	1	89	17.4
Stephen Martin	6	3	27	9.0	0	12	4.5
Jaylon Barden	7	3	16	5.3	0	12	2.3
Teddy Davenport	4	3	6	2.0	0	6	1.5
Tate Taylor	7	3	47	15.7	0	29	6.7
Quincy Crittendon	7	1	-9	-9.0	0	0	-1.3
Ken Cherry	4	1	9	9.0	0	9	2.3
Total	7	170	1739	10.2	14	89	248.4
Opponents	7	117	1720	14.7	10	85	245.7

Fumble Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Gavin Morris	1	55	55.0	1	55
Noah Martin	1	0	0.0	0	0
Midnight Steward	1	0	0.0	0	0
Dontae Pollard	1	0	0.0	0	0
Jalik Yancey	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	5	55	11.0	1	55
Opponents	3	0	0.0	0	0



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Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT				dpx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
E. Jai Mason	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	32
Damonta Witherspoon	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Forrest Taylor	-	2-6	11-12	-	-	-	-	-	17
Iaan Cousin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
DJ Rias	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Quincy Crittendon	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	12
Brendan Jenkins	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Wilson Beaverstock	-	1-2	7-8	-	-	-	-	-	10
Sam Willoughby	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
Noah Martin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Wesley Carlock	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Rayf Vinson	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Gavin Morris	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	23	3-8	18-20	1	1	1	0	0	169
Opponents	25	5-10	22-25	0	0	0	0	0	187

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Forrest Taylor	2-6	33.3	0-0	1-4	1-1	0-1	0-0	31	1
Wilson Beaverstock	1-2	50.0	0-0	0-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	41	0
Opponents	5-10	50.0	0-0	3-3	1-2	1-4	0-1	49	0

FG Sequence

Team Name	Samford	Opponents
West Ga.	45	(49),(28)
Alabama St.	29	49
VMI	(31),29,(29)	(33)
ETSU	28	(23)
The Citadel	(41),21	52,48,35
Florida		(25)
Mercer		44

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made

Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Quincy Crittendon	7	318	130	1739	1869	267.0
Damonta Witherspoon	7	83	319	0	319	45.6
Micah Kelly	7	45	157	0	157	22.4
DJ Rias	7	4	25	0	25	3.6
Ken Cherry	4	10	17	0	17	4.3
E. Jai Mason	7	1	15	0	15	2.1
Haden Klees	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
Jonathan Bennett	2	1	5	0	5	2.5
Iaan Cousin	6	4	3	0	3	0.5
Sam Willoughby	7	1	-2	0	-2	-0.3
Nik Scalzo	1	2	-7	0	-7	-7.0
Team	7	0	-36	0	-36	-5.1
Total	7	480	633	1739	2372	338.9
Opponents	7	475	854	1720	2574	367.7

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Will Thorley	45	1680	37.3	49	1	17	15	0	0
Total	45	1680	37.3	49	1	17	15	0	0
Opponents	42	1733	41.3	61	1	15	14	8	0

Kickoffs

Player	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Wilson Beaverstock	32	1966	61.4	9	1			
Total	32	1966	61.4	9	1	20	40.4	24
Opponents	38	2207	58.1	9	2	17	36.5	28



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All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
DJ Rias	7	25	229	23	294	0	571	81.6
Damonta Witherspoon	7	319	126	0	0	0	445	63.6
Iaan Cousin	6	3	323	0	58	0	384	64.0
Brendan Jenkins	7	0	317	0	0	0	317	45.3
E. Jai Mason	7	15	278	0	0	0	293	41.9
Micah Kelly	7	157	63	0	0	0	220	31.4
Rayf Vinson	7	0	122	0	0	0	122	17.4
Quincy Crittendon	7	130	-9	0	0	0	121	17.3
Preston Bird	7	0	96	0	18	0	114	16.3
Jaylon Barden	7	0	16	85	0	0	101	14.4
Wesley Carlock	4	0	50	0	0	0	50	12.5
Tate Taylor	7	0	47	0	0	0	47	6.7
Midnight Steward	5	0	0	0	0	45	45	9.0
Sam Willoughby	7	-2	39	0	0	0	37	5.3
Stephen Martin	6	0	27	0	0	0	27	4.5
Noah Martin	7	0	0	0	0	26	26	3.7
Ken Cherry	4	17	9	0	0	0	26	6.5
Daniel Bettis	6	0	0	0	15	0	15	2.5
Haden Klees	1	7	0	0	0	0	7	7.0
Teddy Davenport	4	0	6	0	0	0	6	1.5
Jonathan Bennett	2	5	0	0	0	0	5	2.5
Jaden Mosley	7	0	0	0	0	4	4	0.6
Nik Scalzo	1	-7	0	0	0	0	-7	-7.0
Team	7	-36	0	0	0	0	-36	-5.1
Total	7	633	1739	108	385	75	2940	420.0
Opponents	7	854	1720	122	379	188	3263	466.1



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Team Game Highs
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Samford - Game Highs

RUSHES	47	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	158	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	4.3	VMI (10/05/2024)
TD RUSHES	2	Mercer (10/19/2024)
	2	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	42	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	29	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
YARDS PASSING	378	Mercer (10/19/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	10.2	Mercer (10/19/2024)
TD PASSES	4	Mercer (10/19/2024)
	4	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	79	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	465	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	6.4	Mercer (10/19/2024)
POINTS	55	Mercer (10/19/2024)
SACKS BY	6	Mercer (10/19/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	25	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PENALTIES	6	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	49	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
TURNOVERS	3	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
	3	Mercer (10/19/2024)
PUNTS	10	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
PUNTING AVG	40.3	at Florida (09/07/2024)
LONG PUNT	49	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
	49	VMI (10/05/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	4	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	20	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)



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Team Match Lows
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Samford - Game Lows

RUSHES	27	VMI (10/05/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	13	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	0.5	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
TD RUSHES	0 0 0	at The Citadel (10/26/2024) at ETSU (10/12/2024) VMI (10/05/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	25	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	19	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
YARDS PASSING	144	at Florida (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	4.4	at Florida (09/07/2024)
TD PASSES	0 0	at The Citadel (10/26/2024) at Florida (09/07/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	57	VMI (10/05/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	205	at Florida (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	3.0	at Florida (09/07/2024)
POINTS	7	at Florida (09/07/2024)
SACKS BY	0	at Florida (09/07/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	14	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
PENALTIES	2	VMI (10/05/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	15	VMI (10/05/2024)
INTERCEPTIONS BY	0 0 0 0	at The Citadel (10/26/2024) Alabama St. (09/14/2024) at Florida (09/07/2024) at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PUNTS	4 4 4	at The Citadel (10/26/2024) VMI (10/05/2024) at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PUNTING AVG	33.3	Mercer (10/19/2024)
LONG PUNT	43	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	1	Mercer (10/19/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	0	at Florida (09/07/2024)



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Opponent Match Highs
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Opponent - Game Highs

RUSHES	50	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	185	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	4.9	at Florida (09/07/2024)
TD RUSHES	4	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	39	Mercer (10/19/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	24	Mercer (10/19/2024)
	24	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
YARDS PASSING	466	at Florida (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	16.6	at Florida (09/07/2024)
TD PASSES	3	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
	3	at Florida (09/07/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	80	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	632	at Florida (09/07/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	10.2	at Florida (09/07/2024)
POINTS	45	at Florida (09/07/2024)
SACKS BY	7	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	24	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PENALTIES	8	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	85	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
TURNOVERS	5	Mercer (10/19/2024)
PUNTS	10	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
PUNTING AVG	54.6	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
LONG PUNT	61	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
	61	at Florida (09/07/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	3	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
	3	VMI (10/05/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	31	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
	31	at Florida (09/07/2024)



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Opponent - Game Lows

RUSHES	32	VMI (10/05/2024)
YARDS RUSHING	39	Mercer (10/19/2024)
YARDS PER RUSH	1.1	Mercer (10/19/2024)
TD RUSHES	0	VMI (10/05/2024)
PASS ATTEMPTS	18	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
PASS COMPLETIONS	9	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
YARDS PASSING	87	VMI (10/05/2024)
YARDS PER PASS	3.1	VMI (10/05/2024)
TD PASSES	0	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
	0	VMI (10/05/2024)
	0	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
TOTAL PLAYS	57	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
TOTAL OFFENSE	131	VMI (10/05/2024)
YARDS PER PLAY	2.2	VMI (10/05/2024)
POINTS	3	VMI (10/05/2024)
SACKS BY	1	VMI (10/05/2024)
	1	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
	1	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
FIRST DOWNS	10	VMI (10/05/2024)
	10	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
PENALTIES	5	at The Citadel (10/26/2024)
	5	Mercer (10/19/2024)
	5	VMI (10/05/2024)
PENALTY YARDS	37	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
INTERCEPTIONS BY	0	at ETSU (10/12/2024)
	0	VMI (10/05/2024)
	0	at Florida (09/07/2024)
PUNTS	2	at Florida (09/07/2024)
PUNTING AVG	35.1	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
LONG PUNT	43	at West Ga. (08/31/2024)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	0	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)
LONG PUNT RETURN	0	Alabama St. (09/14/2024)