

USC Men's Basketball Notes

USC Trojans (1-0) vs. CSU Bakersfield Roadrunners (1-0)







2023-24 USC Schedule

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<u>Date</u>	Opponent	Result/Tim			
11/6	vs. Kansas State%	W, 82-69			
11/9	CSU Bakersfield	6:00 p.m.			
11/14	UC Irvine	8:00 p.m.			
11/19	Brown	5:00 p.m.			
11/23	vs. Seton Hall^	2:30 p.m.			
11/24	vs. lowa/Oklahoma^	12:30/3 p.m.			
11/29	Eastern Washington	8:00 p.m.			
12/2	vs. Gonzaga#	7:00 p.m.			
12/10	Long Beach State	1:00 p.m.			
12/17	at Auburn	12:00 p.m.			
12/19	at Alabama State	6:00 p.m.			
12/28	at Oregon	6:00 p.m.			
12/30	at Oregon State	7:00 p.m.			
1/3	California	7:00 p.m.			
1/6	Stanford	1:00 p.m			
1/10	Washington State	7:30 p.m.			
1/13	at Colorado	8:00 p.m.			
1/17	at Arizona	8:00 p.m.			
1/19	at Arizona State	12:00 p.m.			
1/27	UCLA	5/7:00 p.m.			
2/1	Oregon	7:30 p.m.			
2/3	Oregon State	4:00 p.m.			
2/7	at California	8:00 p.m.			
2/10	at Stanford	5/7:00 p.m.			
2/15	Utah	8:00 p.m.			
2/17	Colorado	7:00 p.m.			
2/24	at UCLA	5/7:00 p.m.			
2/29	at Washington State	7:30 p.m.			
3/2	at Washington	1:00 p.m.			
3/7	Arizona State	8:00 p.m.			
3/9	Arizona	7:00 p.m.			

% Hall of Fame Classic (Las Vegas, Nev.)
^ Rady's Childrens Invitational (San Diego, Calif.) # Legends of Basketball (Las Vegas, Nev.)

-- Home Games in Bold , All times local to site --

2024 Pac-12 Tournament (Las Vegas, Nev.)

3/13 First Round 3/14 Quarterfinals Semifinals 3/15

Finals 3/16

2024 NCAA Tournament

3/19-20 First Four 3/21-24 First and Second Rounds 3/28-31 Regional Semifinals & Finals

4/6, 4/8 Final Four, Championship (Glendale, Ariz.)

USC Quick Facts

Location: Los Angeles, Calif. **Enrolment:** 49,500 (21,000 undergraduates)

Nickname: Trojans Colors: Cardinal and Gold

Head Coach: Andy Enfield (11th year at USC) Associate HC: Chris Capko (10th year at USC) Assistant Coaches, Eric Mobley (6th year at USC), Jay Morris (3rd year at USC), Demon Farmer (4th year at USC), Kurt Karis (6th year at USC)

BROADCAST NEWS

Nov. 9 - Pac-12 with J.D. Long (pxp) & Don MacLean (analyst) KABC Radio 790AM with Jordan Moore

Nov. 14 - Pac-12 with J.D. Long (pxp) & Mike Montgomery (analyst)
KABC Radio 790AM with Jordan Moore

 USC HOSTS CSU BAKERSFIELD IN HOME OPENER Trojans Coming Off Program-Record 4th Consecutive 20-win Season

TONIGHT'S GAME -- The No. 21 USC Trojans (1-0) will host the CSU Bakersfield Roadrunners (1-0) in the home opener at the Galen Center on Nov. 9 at 6 p.m. The game will air on the Pac-12 Network with J.B. Long and Don MacLean calling the action.

A LOOK AT LAST YEAR -- The Trojans went 22-11 during the 2022-23 season, including a 14-6 record in Pac-12 play which tied for second in the conference. USC also advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the third consecutive season. It was the Trojans' fourth consecutive 20-win season, a school record for back-to-back 20-win seasons. The Trojans return leading scorer and All-Pac-12 guard Boogie Ellis and have added the No. 4 ranked recruiting class in the country, which includes the consensus No. 1 overall player, guard Isaiah Collier.

USC'S STELLAR STRETCH -- USC won a school-record 95 games over the last four seasons (22 in 2020, 25 in 2021, 26 in 2022 and 22 in 2023). The four consecutive seasons of 20+ wins sets a school record for most consecutive 20-win seasons, breaking the mark of three consecutive seasons with 20 or more wins from 2016-18.

WINNING WAYS -- USC's 95 total wins the last four seasons tied for sixth-most among all Power 6 basketball programs, trailing only Kansas (111), Baylor (104), Arizona (99), UCLA (99) and Duke (97). Also, USC's 182 wins the last eight seasons ranks tied for 14th among all Power 6 conference teams.

HOME OPENER AGAINST CSU BAKERSFIELD -- USC will host CSU Bakersfield (1-0) in its home opener at the Galen Center on Nov. 9 at 6 p.m. USC is 22-5 in its last 27 home openers. CSU Bakersfield went 11-22 during the 2022-23 season and opened this season with a 73-72 home win vs. Southern Utah on Nov. 6. USC is 2-0 all-time against the Roadrunners, winning 90-75 in the last meeting on Nov. 25, 2018. Guard Kaleb Higgins led CSUB with a career-high 27 points in the opener. Rod Barnes is in his 13th season as the CSUB head coach.

UC IRVINE ON DECK -- USC will host UC Irvine (0-1) at the Galen Center on Nov. 14 at 8 p.m. UCI opened its season with a 72-64 loss at San Jose State on Nov. 7 and will host New Mexico State on Nov. 11 before taking on the Trojans. USC is 8-2 all-time against UC Irvine, winning the last meeting 66-61 on Dec. 15, 2021 at the Galen Center.

USC FIRST TO BRING IN BOTH MEN'S & WOMEN'S TOP RECRUIT -- Isaiah Collier was the consensus No. 1 men's basketball recruit for 2023 and JuJu Watkins the No. 1 women's recruit for 2023. It marks the first time that the top recruit on the men's and women's sides both selected to attend the same school in the same season. Also, both the USC men's and women's team are ranked No. 21 in the AP preseason poll, the first time both teams have been ranked in the AP preseason top 25. Both athletes had dynamic debuts with Collier scoring 18 points with 6 assists in USC's win over 2023 Elite Eight team Kansas State and Watkins pouring in 32 points in the Trojan women's win over No. 7 Ohio State.

ENFIELD MOVING UP THE USC ALL-TIME COACHING WINS LIST -- USC head coach Andy Enfield is in his 11th season at USC and has compiled an 206-129 record. He picked up his 200th win on Feb. 4, 2023 vs. Washington. Enfield's win total ranks fourth on USC's all-time wins list, trailing only Sam Barry (260), Forrest Twogood (251) and Bob Boyd (216). Including his two seasons as the head coach at FGCU (2012-13), Enfield has compiled a 247-157 record.

IT STARTS WITH DEFENSE -- USC held Kansas State to 31.0 percent shooting in the opener on Nov. 6. USC held its opponent to under 40 percent shooting in 19 of its 33 games in the 2022-23 season. USC held its opponents to a 39.3 shooting percentage last season, 8th in the country. Over the last four seasons, USC's defense has held the opposition to 38.9 FG percentage, third in the country, tops among teams in the six basketball power conferences. USC held California to 27.7 percent shooting on Nov. 30 last season, lowest by an opponent since holding Stanford to a 25.4 shooting percentage on March 3, 2021. Only two times last season did an opponent shoot over 50 percent in a game. Also over the last four seasons, USC has held the opposition to a 42.4 shooting percentage on two-point field goals, best in the country.

TROJANS SIGN A TRIO OF PROSPECTS -- USC has announced that guards Trent Perry and Liam Campbell and forward Brody Kozlowski have signed National Letters of Intent (NLIs) to play basketball for the Trojans, it was announced by head coach Andy Enfield on Nov. 8. USC's recruiting class is ranked No. 10 nationally by 247Sports.com, marking it the third consecutive top 10 recruiting class and the 10th consecutive top 30 class.

GALEN REFRESH -- The Galen Center, which opened for the 2006-07 season, recently experienced the completion of phase one of a multi-phase enhancement to the arena. Among the upgrades include new championships banners recognizing the accomplishments for all four sports which compete in the arena, new signature branding on the north arena wall celebrating the "Fight On!" mantra, a renovated Hall of Champions including two large LED screens with dynamic content highlighting the basketball and volleyball programs, upgraded concession stands, new graphics and branding throughout the arena, a renovated Founders Room, the largest premium hospitality space in Galen, the addition of a new premium lounge space near the court and an updated media room and postgame media conference room.

ENFIELD AT USC -- Andy Enfield, 54, a proven winner as a player, assistant coach and head coach, was named the USC men's basketball head coach on April 1, 2013 and quickly brought success to the Trojans' basketball program. Results came immediately with the Trojans setting the school single-season win record and the most wins in program history over a two-year, three-year, four-year, five-year, six-year, seven-year and now eight year period. USC has won 182 games over the last eight seasons which is the third-most wins in the Pac-12 and tied period. USC has won 182 games over the last eight seasons which is the third-most wins in the Pac-12 and tied for the 14th-most wins in the nation among power conferences during that time. USC has had the second-best overall record in the Pac-12 four of the last six seasons (24-12 in 2018, 22-9 in 2020, 25-8 in 2021, 26-8 in 2022 and 22-11 in 2023). USC's 95 wins the past four seasons are tied for the sixth-most among the six basketball power conferences. Over the last six seasons, USC has had six players selected in the NBA Draft, tied for the 13th-most by any program in the country, with Evan Mobley being selected No. 3 overall in the 2021 NCAA Draft a year after Onyeka Okongwu was selected No. 6 in the 2020 NBA Draft. USC is one of seven teams to have had at least one player selected in five of the last six NBA Drafts. Enfield guided the Trojans into the NCAA Tournament the last three seasons and into the postseason from 2016-18 (2018 NIT), the first time for USC since 2007-09, and his teams have reached the NCAA Tournament five times in the last seven seasons in which there was a postseason. His teams have lace averaged by setting the program's team of the Spring and his teams have also excelled in the classroom by setting the program's top team GPAs for the Spring, Fall and Summer sessions. Enfield has brought in eight consecutive Top 30 recruiting classes, with the 2022 class ranking No. 7 and the 2023 class ranking No. 4. Enfield has an **206-129** record in his first 10 seasons as the USC head coach and is **247-157** in 12 seasons as a head coach. USC went 22-11 in the **2022-23** season and advanced to the NCAA Tournament where it fell to Michigan State 72-62 in the first round. The three consecutive NCAA Tournaments for the Trojans matched a program record. USC also finished tied for second in the Pac-12 with a 14-6 record. Boogie Ellis and Drew Peterson were named All-Pac-12 first team. USC was third in scoring average (72.5) and led the conference by holding opponents to a 39.3 field goal percentage, the fourth consecutive season holding opponents to under 40 percent shooting from the floor. USC went 26-8 in **2021-22**, placed third in the Pac-12, reached the Pac-12 semifinals and the NCAA Tournament for the fourth time in the last six seasons in which a tournament was played. The win total tied the school record. USC held its first 12 opponents to under 40 percent shooting, the first time in 15 seasons a team had accomplished that feat. USC was 11-0 in the nonconference and was undefeated in play prior to conference games for the second time in six seasons, the nonconterence and was undefeated in play prior to conference games for the second time in six seasons, one of only two teams to have done that (Villanova). The **2020-21** Trojans went 25-8 and advanced to the NCAA Tournament Elite Eight, winning the most conference games and games overall in the regular season among Pac-12 teams. The **2019-20** Trojans went 22-9, finished tied for 3rd in the Pac-12 and were getting better as the season was cancelled due to COVID-19. The Trojans led Pac-12 teams in defensive field goal percentage and points per game allowed in Conference play. The **2018-19** Trojans were bitten by the injury bug beginning late in the summer, practicing the majority of the preseason with seven or eight scholarship players. Ultimately USC players missed 54 games due to injury and finished with a 16-17 record after falling to regular season champion Washington 78-75 in the quarterfinals of the Pac-12 Tournament. Enfield guided the **2017-18** Trojans to a 24-12 record and to a second place finish in the Pac-12 its hinghest outright conference finish since 1992 USC's 12 Pac-Washington 78-75 in the quarterinnals of the Pac-12 Tournament. Enflietd guided the 2017-10 Trojans to a 24-12 record and to a second place finish in the Pac-12, its highest outright conference finish since 1992. USC's 12 Pac-12 wins were its most since also going 12-6 in 2002. The Trojans reached the Pac-12 Tournament finals for the first time since winning the title in 2009. USC set school records with 296 three-pointers made, 1022 FG made and 569 assists. The Trojans also scored the second-most points by a USC team in history (2,798). The Trojans accomplished all of this and achieved a No. 10 ranking in the preseason, its highest since the 1974-75 season, despite 40 percent of its projected starting lineup missing much of the season. USC went 26-10 in the 2016-17 season to set the school record for wins in a season, was in the top 25 rankings for five weeks with a high of No. 22 and won two NCAA Tournament games. The Trojans won their first 14 games which was tied for the fourth-longest winning streak in school history and was the best USC start since the 1971 season. The 13-0 mark in nonconference regular season action was just the sixth time in school history USC had gone undefeated in the nonconference slate. USC defeated Providence in the First Four game for its first NCAA Tournament win since the 2009 season, then defeated No. 11 SMU before falling 82-78 to No. 12 Baylor, one win away from a Sweet 16 berth. USC won consecutive NCAA Tournament games for the first time since also winning two straight in the 2007 Tourney. After bringing in his recruits and establishing his system during the first two seasons, his Trojans took a big leap forward in the **2015-16** season. USC went 21-13 and advanced to the NCAA Tournament for the took a big leap forward in the **2015-16** season. USC went 21-13 and advanced to the NCAA lournament for the first time since 2011. The Trojans had an 8.0 game improvement from the 2014-15 season which was tops among the Power 5 conference teams. USC played an exciting brand of basketball, averaging over 80 points per game and ranking among the nation's top 20 in offensive output. They matched a school record with four 100-point games in a season, after not having broken the century mark since 2002. The high-flying athletic style was also in effect in the **2015-16** season as the Trojans averaged over 3.5 dunks per game and set the then USC season record with 182 blocks, ranking in the top 15 in the country in this category. Enfield and staff brought in the No. 12-ranked freshman class in **2014-15** and they became key members of the team. McLaughlin was named to the 2015 Pac-12 All-Freshman team and went on to become one of three Pac-12 players all-time to record 700 or more career points scored. Flijah Stawart would leave USC as the school's career. or more assists and 1,600 or more career points scored. Elijah Stewart would leave USC as the school's career record-holder for three-point baskets made. USC went 12-20 during the **2014-15** campaign, including a Pac-12 Tournament first-round upset win over Arizona State. USC went 11-21 in his first season (**2013-14**), but Enfield developed freshmen Nikola Jovanovic and Julian Jacobs into impact Pac-12 players, In 2016, Jacobs would lead the Pac-12 in assists and was named to the All-Conference team.

TROJANS ON THE RADIO -- USC's radio flagship station will be AM 790 KABC with Jordan Moore calling the action. The USC graduate is in his 10th season of working on USC basketball broadcasts, his sixth season as the play-by-play announcer.

PAC-12 PREDICTIONS -- USC was picked to finish 2nd in the 2023-24 Pac-12 preseason poll by league media. The rest of the predictions went as follows: 1.) Arizona (303), 2.) **USC (264)**, 3.) UCLA (249), 4.) Oregon (228), 5.) Colorado (210), 6.) Arizona State (148), 7.) Utah (139), 8.) Stanford (131), 9.) Washington (108), 10.) Washington State (94), 11.) California (67) and 12.) Oregon State (42).

A HISTORY OF WINNING -- USC has compiled a record of 1,698-1,244* in its 118 years of intercollegiate basketball competition. USC has had a .500 or better record in 83 of its first 117 seasons.

THE GALEN ADVANTAGE -- USC is 203-78 in 17 seasons at the Galen Center since it opened on Nov. 16, 2006. USC is also 102-23 in nonconference games at the Galen Center. USC is 63-9 in home nonconference games with Enfield as the head coach, including 53-7 in its last 60 regular season nonconference home games.

OUT IN THE COMMUNITY -- The USC men's basketball team tries to be a conscientious member of the community and has routinely had youth groups or schools visit practice or ventured out into the community for an event over the last several years.

* 21 wins and one loss in 2007-08 vacated due to NCAA penalty, original record: 1,718-1,243

PRONUNCIATION KEY

Boogie Ellis
Harrison Hornery
Vincent Iwuchukwu
Oziyah Sellers
D Plough
Kijani Wright

Boog-ghee
HORE-ner-rhee
EE-woo-CHEWK-woo
OH-zie-yah
Plow
Kuh-john-nee

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

The Trojans have 8 players from California, 3 from Georgia and 1 from Texas, Wisconsin and Australia.

USC INFORMATION OUTLETS

TROJANS ON THE WEB

Current and historical USC men's baskeball information, as well as news, statistics, and features can be found at the USC website: www.usctrojans.com.

The Pac-12 Conference web site address is: www.pac-12.org.

TROJANS ON THE RADIO

Most of USC's games will be broadcast on AM 790 KABC. Many games are also on Sirius or XM radio.

TROJANS ON TELEVISION

Every USC game this season is expected be on television on the Pac-12 Network, FOX, Fox Sports 1, ESPN, ESPN2, ESPNU or ESPN+. The television assignments are expected to be set very shortly:

	TNT
CSU Bakersfield	Pac-12
UC Irvine	Pac-12
Brown	Pac-12
vs. Seton Hall	FS1
vs. lowa/Oklahoma	TBD
Eastern Washington	Pac-12
vs. Gonzaga	ESPN
Long Beach State	Pac-12
at Auburn	ESPN
at Alabama State	ESPN+
at Oregon	ESPN2
at Oregon State	Pac-12
California	Pac-12
Stanford	Pac-12
Washington State	FS1
at Colorado	ESPN2
at Arizona	ESPN
at Arizona State	FOX
UCLA	ESPN/2
Oregon	ESPN
Oregon State	Pac-12
at California	Pac-12
at Stanford	ESPN/2/U
Utah	FS1
Colorado	ESPN2
at UCLA	ESPN/2
at Washington State	Pac-12
at Washington	CBS
Arizona State	FS1
Arizona	ESPN
	Brown vs. Seton Hall vs. Iowa/Oklahoma Eastern Washington vs. Gonzaga Long Beach State at Auburn at Alabama State at Oregon at Oregon State California Stanford Washington State at Colorado at Arizona at Arizona State UCLA Oregon Oregon State at California at Stanford Utah Colorado at UCLA at Washington State at Washington State at California

Pac-12 = Pac-12 Network CBS = CBS Network ESPN/2/U/N = ESPN2 or ESPNU or ESPN News FS1 = Fox Sports 1 FOX = FOX Network **ROSTER BREAKDOWN** -- Seniors (5th/Grad): Zach Brooker (G), Boogie Ellis (G), DJ Rodman (F), Josh Morgan (F), JD Plough (G); Juniors: Kobe Johnson (G), Harrison Hornery (F); Sophomores: Vincent Iwuchukwu (F), Oziyah Sellers (G), Kijani Wright (F); Freshmen: Isaiah Collier (G), Brandon Gardner (F), Bronny James (G), Arrinten Page (F).

EARLY ACCOLADES --

Isaiah Collier: NABC Division I Player of the Year Award Watch List, Bob Cousey Award Watch List (Point Guard), Pac-12 Preseason First Team, CBS Sports Player Rankings - No. 11, CBS Sports Preseason Freshman of the Year, Andy Katz Preseason Freshman of the Year, Paul Biancardi Top Freshman Playmaker

Boogie Ellis: NABC Division I Player of the Year Award Watch List, Jerry West Award Watch List (Top Shooting Guard), Pac-12 Preseason First Team, Fox Sports Preseason All-America Third Team, CBS Sports Player Rankings - No. 17

Kobe Johnson: Pac-12 Preseason Second Team

WINNING THE CLOSE ONES -- With the 68-65 win vs. Arizona State on March 4, USC improved to 10-4 in one-possession games since the start of the 2021-22 season, 4-2 during the 2022-23 season.

THE JOHNSON JUMP -- Junior Kobe Johnson averaged 9.2 points and 5.0 rebounds as a sophomore in the 2022-23 season, while tying for 17th in the country with 72 steals. The 72 steals also tied him for third on USC's single-season steals list. As a freshman, he averaged 1.2 points and 1.0 rebounds while playing in 27 games. Johnson also finished third on the 2022-23 team in assists (85) and tied for third in blocks (14). Johnson also led the Trojans with a 84.1 shooting percentage from the free throw line. Johnson averaged 12.4 points over the Trojans' final 11 games of the 2022-23 season. He set his career high with 21 points vs. Washington on Feb. 4, 2023. He registered a career-high 9 rebounds vs. Michigan State in the NCAA Tournament on March 17 and had 19 games with 5 or more rebounds. He opened up with 16 points, 8 rebounds and 4 steals vs. Kansas State on Nov. 6.

THE BOOGIE MAN RETURNS -- USC fifth-year player Boogie Ellis has returned for one final season with the Trojans. The All-Pac-12 guard averaged 17.7 points and his 583 total points scored last season were the 10th-most ever in a single season by a Trojan player. Ellis is the highest -scoring USC player who led the team in scoring and returned the next season since Desmon Farmer in 2004 (18.7 ppg in 2003). Ellis tied for the Pac-12 lead with 83 three-pointers made and is the second-leading returning scorer in the Pac-12. Ellis averaged 22.8 points over USC's final eight regular season games, including matching the Trojan Galen Center record and setting a career high with 35 points vs. Arizona on March 2. Ellis opened up this season by scoring 24 points vs. Kansas State at the Hall of Fame Series on Nov.6.

HE WAS BIG GAME BOOGIE -- In USC's 6 games last season against ranked teams, guard Boogie Ellis averaged 22.7 points. He scored 21 points vs. No. 22 Tennessee on Nov. 24, 28 vs. No. 19/18 Auburn on Dec. 18, 10 at No. 10/8 UCLA on Jan. 5, 11 at Arizona on Jan. 19, 31 vs. No. 8 UCLA on Jan. 26 and a career-high 35 vs. No. 8/9 Arizona on March 2.

LINE DANCING IN 2022-23 -- USC made 74.5 percent of its free throws during the 2022-23 season, third-best all-time by a Trojan team and their best team FT percentage since the 1976 team made a school-record 75.8 percent of its free throws. USC had shot higher than 70 percent for a season from the free throw line twice in the previous 15 seasons and averaged 65.5 percent from the line the previous four seasons. USC made all 14 of its FT attempts at Arizona State on Jan. 21, tying for the third most makes from the charity stripe in a game without a miss in school history. On Jan. 19 at Arizona, USC made 66.7 percent of its free throw, snapping a streak of five consecutive games making 70 percent or more from the charity stripe, USC's longest such stretch since an 8-game stretch in the 2016-17 season. USC made 78.9 percent of its free throws (15-for-19) in the opener vs. Kansas State on Nov. 6.

FROM GALEN TO THE NBA -- USC is one of seven schools to have at least one player selected in five of the last six NBA drafts. The Trojans selected in the last six NBA Drafts are: 2018 - De'Anthony Melton (No. 46), Chimezie Metu (No. 49), 2019 - Kevin Porter Jr. (No. 30), 2020 - Onyeka Okongwu (No. 6), 2021 - Evan Mobley (No. 4) and 2022- Isaiah Mobley (No. 49).

THE MAGIC MARK -- USC defeated Kansas State 82-69 on Nov. 6 to improve to 126-11 in its last 137 games when holding the opposition to under 70 points, dating back to Feb. 28, 2015. USC is 1-0 this season and was 15-3 last season when it held the opposition to under 70 points. USC has held 66 of its last 93 opponents to under 70 points dating back to the 2019-20 season.

MAGICAL BOTH WAYS -- Since the 2019 season, USC owns a 69-9 record when it scores 70 or more points.

THE STRENGTH OF THREE -- A cord of three strands is not easily broken and a USC team with three players scoring 10 or more points is not easily defeated. USC had four Trojans scored in double figures in the opener and is 64-11 in the last four seasons when at least three players score in double figures.

THE WINNING WAYS -- Since the beginning of the 2016 season, USC has picked up 183 victories, tied for 14th-most by any team that played in the six Power basketball conferences over that period (ACC, Big 12, Big East, Big Ten, Pac-12 & SEC). In the last five seasons, USC's 96 total wins are tied for sixth-most among all six basketball power conference teams.

Most Wins Last 8 Seasons		Most Wir	<u>ıs Last 4 Seasor</u>	<u>15</u>	
Kansas Villanova Duke Virginia North Carolina Purdue Arizona Oregon Kentucky Baylor Michigan State Michigan UCLA USC Xavier Arkansas Creighton Tennessee	Big 12 Big East ACC ACC ACC Big Ten Pac-12 SEC Big 12 Big Ten Big Ten Pac-12 Pac-12 Big East SEC Big East SEC Big East SEC	233 219 212 206 203 202 201 199 198 193 192 192 184 183 183 179 180 176	Kansas Baylor Arizona UCLA Duke USC Arkansas Creighton Purdue Alabama Texas Villanova Illinois UConn lowa Virginia Tennessee Auburn	Big 12 Big 12 Pac-12 Pac-12 ACC Pac-12 SEC Big East Big Ten SEC Big East Big Ten SEC Big East Big Ten SEC SEC SEC SEC SEC	112 105 100 100 98 96 94 93 93 90 90 89 89 88 88 88
			Oregon	Pac-12	87

LEADERS OF THE PAC -- The Trojans have a 54-24 record in Pac-12 games the last four seasons and are the only school to finish in the top three of the conference in each of those seasons.

RETURNING ALL-PAC-12 PLAYERS -- The Trojans have three returning players who received 2022-23 Pac-12 accolades. Boogie Ellis was named Pac-12 First Team and Kobe Johnson and Joshua Morgan were named to the All-Defensive Team.

WHEN FULLY LOADED... -- USC went 8-2 record in games last season when it had all of its rotational players available, only losing to Arizona twice.

CHALLENGING SCHEDULE AWAITS THE 2023-24 TROJANS -- The Trojans are set to play a potential 10 games against teams which played in the 2023 NCAA Tournament, nearly a third of the schedule. In addition to the always challenging Pac-12 slate of games, the nonconference schedule features a potential nine of 11 contests against teams that finished over .500, including five scheduled games with teams which won more than 20 games. Also, three of its opponents, Gonzaga, UC Irvine and Eastern Washington, won or tied for their regular season conference title.

USC HOSTED A BLOCK PARTY -- USC had 167 blocks last season, led by Joshua Morgan's 63 blocks. USC averaged 5.1 blocks per game, 11th in the country. Morgan's 2.17 blocks per game average led all Pac-12 players and ranekd 16th in the country. Morgan had 7 blocks vs. FGCU on Nov. 7 which tied him for fifth on USC's all-time single game blocks list. He matched that total with 7 blocks at Cal on Nov. 30. USC as a team has registered 638 blocks over the last four seasons which ranks 7th nationally. USC had 8 blocks in the season opener, including 5 by Morgan.

USC TO THE NBA -- USC had 8 former players that began the 2023-24 season on NBA rosters, which ranked tied for 12th among all schools. Here are the current 2023-24 stats for the Trojans playing in the NBA:

Player	Team	G	Minutes/G	Reb./G	Points/G
DeMar DeRozan	Chicago	8	33.9	3.3	21.4
Jordan McLaughlin	Minnesota	5	3.8	0.0	1.0
De'Anthony Melton	Philadelphia	8	26.7	3.2	8.3
Chimezie Metu	Phoenix	3	3.0	0.7	1.3
Evan Mobley	Cleveland	7	32.9	11.6	14.9
Isaiah Mobley	Cleveland	1	1.0	0.0	0.0
Onyeka Okongwu	Atlanta	7	22.6	7.3	11.0
Nikola Vucevic	Chicago	8	33.9	11.3	15.1

USC Record When	Outshoot opponent (%)	
	Outshot by opponent (%)	0-0
Score first	Outrebound opponent	0-0
Opponent scores first 1-0	Outrebounded or tied by opponent	
Lead at half1-0	Opponent 10 or more offensive rebounds	
Trail at half0-0	• •	
Tied at half0-0	More turnovers or same as opponent	
Ahead w/ 5:00 left 1-0	Less turnovers than opponent	0-0
Trail w/5:00 left0-0	USC scored 90-plus points	
Tied w/5:00 left0-0	USC scores 80-89 points	1-0
	USC scores 70-79 points	0-0
0 or 1 Trojan in double figures0-0	USC scores 60-69 points	0-0
2 Trojans in double figures0-0	USC scores 50-59 points	
3 Trojans in double figures0-0	USC scores 39-49 points	
4 Trojans in double figures1-0	Opponent scores 20-29 points	
5 or more Trojans in double figures0-0		
FG Pct. at or above .5001-0	Opponent scores 30-39 points	
FG Pct. below .5000-0	Opponent scores 40-49 points	
FG Pct. at or below .4000-0	Opponent scores 50-59 points	
Opponent FG Pct. at or above .5000-0	Opponent scores 60-69 points	
	Opponent scores 70-79 points	
Opponent FG Pct. below .500	Opponent scores 80-89 points	
Opponent FG Pct. at or below .4001-0	Opponent scored 90-plus points	

	STARTING LINEUPS							
Nov. 6	vs. Kansas State	Collier	Ellis	Johnson	Rodman	Morgan	W	
Nov. 9	CSU Bakersfield							
Nov. 14	UC Irvine							
Nov. 19	Brown							
Nov. 23	vs. Seton Hall							
Nov. 24	vs. lowa/Oklahoma							
Nov. 29	Eastern Washington							
Dec. 2	vs. Gonzaga							
Dec. 10	Long Beach State							
Dec. 17	at Auburn							
Dec. 19	at Alabama State							
Dec. 28	at Oregon							
Dec. 30	at Oregon State							
Jan. 3	California							
Jan. 6	Stanford							
Jan. 10	Washington State							
Jan. 13	at Colorado							
Jan. 17	at Arizona							
Jan. 20	at Arizona State							
Jan. 27	UCLA							
Feb. 1	Oregon							
Feb. 3	Oregon State							
Feb. 7	at California							
Feb. 10	at Stanford							
Feb. 15	Utah							
Feb. 17	Colorado							
Feb. 24	at UCLA							
Feb. 29	at Washington State							
March 2	at Washington							
March 7	Arizona State							
March 9	Arizona							

USC DOUBLE-DOUBLES...

USC TRIPLE-DOUBLES...

*only one in USC history by Daniel Hackett on 11/17/07 at South Carolina (22pts, 10 reb, 10 ast)

USC		Орр.
6	Dunks	3
50	Pts/Paint	28
11	Bench Pts.	16
18	Fast Break	12
13	Pts. off TO	13
9	2nd Chance	15

WEARING THE COLORS:

Wearing Cardinal Uniforms - 0-0
Wearing White Uniforms - 1-0
Wearing Gold Uniforms - 0-0
Wearing Black Uniforms - 0-0

USC BY DAY/MONTH:							
Mondays -	1-0	Nov	1-0				
	0-0	Dec	0-0				
Wednesdays -	0-0	Jan -	0-0				
Thursdays -	0-0	Feb	0-0				
Fridays -	0-0	Mar	0-0				

Saturdays - 0-0 Sundays - 0-0

THE LAST TIME THE TROJANS...

Scored 100 points	103	vs. UNC Asheville on March 13, 2018
Allowed 100 points	101	vs. Marquette on Nov. 29, 2019
Had 50 or more rebounds	58	at Arizona State, Feb. 3, 2022
Allowed 50 or more rebounds	50	vs. Long Beach State, Dec. 14, 2022
Had 25 or more assists	28	vs. Washington, Feb. 17, 2022
Had 15 or more steals	15	vs. New Orleans, Nov. 22, 2016 & vs. Washington, March 8, 2017
6 or more score in double figures	6	vs. Utah, March 11, 2021
Beat an opponent by 50 or more	52	vs. Bethune-Cookman on Dec. 14, 2006
Beat an AP-ranked opponent	#8	vs. UCLA on Jan. 26, 2023
Beat a top-10 AP-ranked opponent	#8	vs. UCLA on Jan. 26, 2023
Beat a top-5 AP-ranked opponent	#4	at UCLA on Jan. 19, 2008

	TEAM COMPARISONS	
USC		CSU Bakersfield
82.0	Offensive Pts./Game	73.0
69.0	Defensive Pts./Game	72.0
.517	Field Goal Percentage	.444
.310	Field Goal Defense Pct.	.343
.250	3-Point FG Percentage	.294
.242	3-Point FG Defense Pct.	.346
.789	Free Throw Percentage	.923
41.0	Rebounds/Game	42.0
17.0	Assists/Game	11.0
18.0	Turnovers/Game	12.0
8.0	Steals/Game	5.0
8.0	Blocks/Game	6.0

		THE PLAYERS		
5 ZACH BROOKER (Sr.) Career Highs: Pts.: (Season Highs: Pts.: (• He was a 2020 graduate of • He is in his third season as a • Played the final minute in the) Sierra Canyon High a guard on the USC t	team; Played his first game a	Calabasas, Calif. (Sierra Canyon) Assists: () Assists: () gue second team selection as a Trojan on Jan. 24, 2022 vs. ASL ed the final minute vs. California on F	l Feb. 16
1 ISAIAH COLLIER (Fr.) Career Highs: Pts.: (18 • He was a 2023 graduate of			Atlanta, Ga. (Wheeler) 3 vs. KSU) Assists: (6, 11/6/2 3-time Georgia state champion	3 vs. KS

• As a senior averaged 19.6 points, 6.8 assists and 5.5 rebounds per game

The consensus No. 1 national recruit in the 2023 recruiting class...Named the 2023 Georgia Mr. Basketball
Was a McDonald's All-American and was co-MVP of the game as he scored a game-high 25 points

Named Naismith Boys High School Player of the Year, Gatorade Georgia Player of the Year, and MaxPreps Player of the Year.
Selected to play for Team USA at the Nike Hoop Summit and helped lead USA to a 90-84 victory over the World Team by scoring 11 points, dishing out three assists and making two steals. He was also the 2022 Stephen Curry Camp MVP and the 2022 Under Armour Next Elite 24 MVP as he hit the game-winning shot.
Scored 18 points and had 6 assists in his collegiate debut vs. Kansas State on Nov. 6 at the Hall of Fame Series in Las Vegas

5 BOOGIE ELLIS (5th)

Ht. - 6-3

Wt. - 190

San Diego, Calif. (Mission Bay/Memphis)

Career Highs: Pts.: (35, 3/2/23 vs. Arizona) 3-pointers: (6, 4x, 3/2/23 vs. Arizona) Assist Season Highs: Pts.: (24, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) 3-pointers: (3, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) Assist Oraduated from Mission Bay High in 2019 as the No. 32 overall recruit according to 247Sports.com **Assists:** (7, 2/18/23 vs. Stanford) **Assists:** (5, 11/6/23 vs. KSU)

As a junior at Mission Bay, he averaged 24 points, 6 rebounds and 6 assists and was named the San Diego Section Player

of the Year. He led his team to the 2018 Open Division title by scoring 34 points vs. Torrey Pines

• Played at Memphis in 2020 & 2021; Named AAC Co-6th Man of the Year in 2021...averaged 10.2 ppg in 28 games, 15 starts

• Scored a then-career high 27 points vs. Houston in the AAC Tournament on March 13, 2020...made 5 of 8 three-pointers

Scored a then-career high 27 points vs. Houston in the AAC Tournament on March 13, 2020...made 5 of 8 three-pointers
Led Memphis with 23 points in the 77-65 NIT Championship win over Mississippi State on March 28, 2021
The 2021-22 season was his first at USC...started all 33 G and averaged 12.5 points per game...led USC with 56 3-pointers
He led USC in 2021-22 with a 78.9 FT percentage, 10th in the Pac-12...scored 20 points in USC debut vs. CSUN on Nov. 9
During the 2022-23 season led USC with a 17.7 scoring average and 83 3-pointers made...tied for first in the Pac-12
Scored 15 points, had 4 assists & a career-best 7 steals vs. Alabama State on Nov. 10...T-41 on USC's single-game steals list
Tiod of the percentage high with 27 points vs. PMI on Nov. 22, made a career bigh 13 FT (12 of 17)

Tied a then career high with 27 points vs. BYU on Nov. 23...made a career-high 13 FT (13 of 17)
Scored a then career-high 28 points in the win over No. 19 Auburn on Dec. 18...scored 7 of USC's final 9 points
Made then-career-high 31 points, 27 points in 2nd H vs. UCLA on Jan. 16...27 points matched UCLA's 2nd-H total...also 6 assists

Had a then career-best 33 points, a career-high 7 assists & matched a career-best with 6 3-pointers vs. Stanford on Feb. 18
Set new career high with 35 points & tied career high with 6 3-pointers made vs. Arizona on March 2...3rd 30-point G of season
Scored in double figures 28 times in the 2022-23 season; Averaged 22.8 points the last 8 regular season games
Scored a game-high 24 points & matched a career-best with 8 rebounds in the opener vs. Kansas St. on Nov. 6...he surpassed 1,000 career points as a Trojan (1,020 after that game), the 44th Trojan to score 1,000 or more points in a USC uniform

13 BRANDON GARDNER (Fr.) Ht. - 6-8 Wt. - 215 Waynesboro, Ga. (Wheeler) Career Highs: **Rebounds:** (-----) Blocks: (-

He was a 2023 graduate of Christ the King High in New York City...Averaged 12 points, 10 rebounds and 2 blocks per game
Named "Mr. Basketball" in New York and was ranked the No. 2 overall recruit in New York and No. 77 nationally

· Originally committed to St. John's, but opened up his recruiting when the Red Storm changed head coaches

On3 basketball recruiting expert Jamie Shaw listed Gardner among his "most electric players" in the 2023 recruiting class
Missed the opener vs. Kansas State on Nov. 6 with an ankle injury...he is listed as day-to-day

30 HARRISON HORNERY (Jr.) Ht. - 6-10

Wt. - 230

Toowoomba, Australia (Mater Dei HS)

Pts.: (9, 2/8 vs. Pacific) Career Highs: **3-pointers:** (3, 2/8, vs. Pacific) Rebounds: (6, 2/8, vs. Pacific) Season Highs: Pts.: (------) Rebounds: (1, 11/6/23 vs. KSU)
• He was a 2021 graduate of Mater Dei High in Sant Ana, Calif. where he averaged a team-leading 18.6 points & 7.8 rebounds

He also led Mater Dei as a senior with 76 three-point baskets made; He scored 24+ points over in each of the final 6 games
Named first-team All-State and the OC Player of the Year as he led the Monarchs to a 27-4 record...maintained a 4.1 GPA

· Came to the U.S. from Australia to play basketball at Mater Dei and lived with a host family in Mission Viejo, Calif.

Scored on a layup in his collegiate debut vs. CSUN on Nov. 9, 2021
Hit 1st 3-pointer of his career & grabbed his first board in 4 mins of action against DSU on Nov. 22; 1st steal vs. ASU on Jan. 24

Had season bests in points (9), 3-pointers (3), rebounds (6) and minutes (14) vs. Pacific on Feb. 8, 2022 to key comeback win
As a sophomore, he played in 24 games and averaged 1.5 points and 1.0 rebounds...made 5 three-pointers
Had 5 points, 2 assists and 2 rebounds vs. Alabama St. on Nov. 10; Scored 2 points & had 3 rebounds vs. Vermont on Nov. 15
Was 2-for-2 and hit a key 3-pointer to score a then season-best 6 points at UCLA on Jan. 5...also had 3 rebounds
Played 19 points and had a steal

Scored a season-best 7 points and grabbed 3 rebounds vs. California on Feb. 16
Played 17 minutes off the bench in the opener vs. Kansas State on Nov. 6

THE PLAYERS

3 VINCENT IWUCHUKWU (So.) Ht. - 7-1 Wt. - 240 San Antonio, Texas (So. Calif. Academy) Career Highs: Pts.: (19, 2/11 at Oregon St.) Rebounds: (7, 2/11 at Oregon St.) Blocks: (4, 2/2 vs. Washington St.) Rebounds: (-----) Pts.: (-----) Blocks: (-----) Season Highs: • He was a 2022 graduate of Southern California Academy in Castaic, Calif...played there with current teammate Oziyah Sellers • Led the SCA Rams to a 24-4 regular season ranking and a No. 10 national ranking • Ranked the No. 16 recruit in 2022 by Rivals.com, began the season as a consensus top 15 recruit by all major scouting services He averaged 19.3 points, 8.4 rebounds and 2.3 blocks in 12 games on the 2021 Nike EYBL circuit • At the 2021 Peach Jam, he averaged 16.4 points, 7.6 rebounds and 1.5 blocks, while shooting 55.4 percent from the field • Led the invite-only 2021 Pangos All-American Camp in scoring (22 ppg) while shooting 58 percent from the floor in addition to posting 9.8 rebounds, 2.3 assists and 1.3 blocks a game · Had a cardiac arrest on July 1, 2022 which kept him out of action until he began limited practice in December...he played in 14 games in the 2022-23 season and averaged 5.4 points and 2.5 rebounds, while recording 14 blocks • Made his 2022-23 debut with 5 scoreless minutes vs. Colorado on Jan. 12; Had a rebound & assist vs. Utah on Jan. 14 Scored his first 4 career points and registered his first career block and steal at Arizona on Jan. 19 • Had a then-season best is points (12), rebounds (5) and had a block at ASU on Jan. 21 Scored 6 points and had 3 rebounds and a block vs. UCLA on Jan. 26; Had 4 blocks & 5 points vs. Washington State on Feb. 2 · Made his first career start vs. Washington on Feb. 4...scored 6 points and had 2 rebounds • Scored career-best 19 points and grabbed career-high 7 rebounds at Oregon State on Feb. 11...9-for-9 from FT line Scored 7 points and had 2 blocks at Utah on Feb. 25; Missed the final 3 games with a sore back He had lumbar discectomy after the season and is expected to be back during the first half of the 2023-24 season. 6 BRONNY JAMES (Fr.) Ht. - 6-4 Wt. - 210 Los Angeles, Calif. (Sierra Canyon) Career Highs: Pts.: (-----) • He was a 2023 graduate of Sierra Canyon High in Chatsworth, Calif. where he averaged 13.8 points, 5.5 rebounds, 2.7 assists and 1.8 steals as a senior...he helped lead Sierra Canyon to the Mission League title in 3 of his 4 seasons • He was ranked the No. 19 overall recruit in the 2023 recruiting class by ESPN.com Was a 2023 McDonald's All-American and scored 15 points on 5-for-8 shooting from 3-point range with 4 assists Selected to play for Team USA at the 2023 Nike Hoop Summit...scored 11 points, had 4 rebounds & hit 2 late FTs in 90-84 win During the 2022 summer, he averaged 11.5 points, 4.7 rebounds & 3.7 assists for Strive For Greatness on the Nike EYBL circuit • Suffered a cardiac arrest likely due to a congenital heart defect on July 24...had a medical procedure & hopes to return this season 0 KOBE JOHNSON (Jr.) Ht. - 6-6 Wt. - 200 Milwaukee, Wisc. (Nicolet HS) Career Highs: Pts.: (21, 2/4/23 vs. Washington) 3-pointers: (4, 2/25/23 at Utah) Rebounds: (9, 3/17. Season Highs: Pts.: (16, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) 3-pointers: (1, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) Rebounds: (8, 11/6. • Graduated in 2021 from Nicolet HS in Glendale, Wisc. He averaged 26.7 points, 10.4 rebounds and 4.1 steals as a senior **Rebounds:** (9, 3/17/23 vs. MSU) **Rebounds:** (8, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) Was named to the Wisconsin Baskeball Coaches Associaton Division II All-State team as a junior and senior · As a soph., Nicolet won the Divsion II Wsconsin State title; His brother Jalen played at Duke & was the No. 20 pick in the 2021 NBA Draft • As a freshman, he averaged 1.2 points and 1.0 rebound while playing in 27 games, all off the bench; Had 16 steals, 6th among Trojans • Scored 3 points (3-for-3 in FTs) in his USC debut vs. CSUN on Nov. 9, 2021; Hit his first career 3-pointer against Saint Joe's on Nov. 25 • As a USC sophomore, he played in all 33 games, making 29 starts...averaged 9.2 points & 5.0 rebounds...he also had 72 steals, 2nd in the Pac-12 & T-3rd on USC's all-time single season list...named to the 2023 Pac-12 All-Defensive Team • Made his first career start in the opener vs. FGCU on Nov. 7 and had 6 points, 4 rebounds and 4 steals • Scored a then career-high 17 points to lead USC back from an 11-point deficit against Oregon St. on Dec. 4...made 3 3-pointers Had 10 points & a career-high 6 steals vs. Auburn on Dec 18 Scored a career-high 21 points with 5 assists and 4 steals vs. Washington on Feb. 4...9-or-9 from the free throw line Had 12 points and 3 steals at Utah on Feb. 25...made a career-high 4 3-pointers (4-for-7) Led USC and was 2nd in the Pac-12 with a .841 shooting percentage from the FT line...made 58 of his last 67 FTs (86.6 percent) Scored 16 points, had 4 steals and 8 rebounds vs. Kansas State in the opener on Nov. 6 24 JOSHUA MORGAN (R-Sr.) Wt. - 225 Sacramento, Calif. (Sheldon HS/Long Beach St.) Ht. - 6-11 Career Highs: Pts.: (17, 2/15/20 vs. UCR) Rebounds: (14, 1/16/20 vs. UC Davis) Blocks: (8, 1/18/20 vs. CS Fullerton) Season Highs: Pts.: (11, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) Rebounds: (3, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) Blocks: (5, 11/6/23 vs. KSU) • Graduated from Sheldon HS in 2019 where he averaged 9.3 points, 7.3 rebounds and 4.0 blocks per game • Was named Big West Defensive Player of the Year as a freshman at LBSU and was named honorable mention all Big West • Averaged 8.4 points, 6.1 rebounds and 2.5 blocks for LBSU in 2019, playing in all 32 games and making 29 starts • His 80 blocks set the school record & ranked 13th nationally; Set LBSU single-game block record with 8 vs. CSUF on Jan. 18 • In the 2020-21 season, his first at USC, he played in 7 games and scored 2 points and grabbed 4 rebounds • Played in his first game for USC vs. Santa Clara on Dec. 29, 2020; Had a dunk & 2 rebounds vs. Stanford on March 3, 2021 • In the 2021-22 season, he appeared in 31 games off the bench and averaged 3.2 points and 2.9 rebounds • Posted a season-best 13 points & 6 rebounds in a win over Saint Joe's on Nov. 25, 2021 • He scored 3 points, matched a season high with 8 rebounds and had a season-best 4 blocks vs. Utah on Dec. 1, 2021 • He was second on the team with 28 blocks and 8th in scoring with 98 points • In the 2022-23 season, he played in 29 games (28 starts) & averaged 7.0 points, 5.2 rebounds and a Pac-12 leading 2.2 blocks • Made 1st USC start (30th career) vs. FGCU on Nov. 7 & had 6 points, 9 rebounds vs. BYU on Nov. 23 • Had USC highs of 15 points & 12 rebounds with 5 blocks vs. Mt. St. Mary's on Nov. 18...3rd career double-double, 1st with USC • Had 2nd double-double with USC and 4th of career with 11 points and 10 rebounds vs. BYU on Nov. 23 • Scored 14 points, had 7 rebounds and matched a season-high with 7 blocks at California on Nov. 30 • Matched season high with 15 points vs. Oregon State on Dec. 4; Had 11 points, 5 rebounds & 5 blocks at UW on Dec. 30 • Scored 5 points in 5 minutes vs. WSU on Feb. 2, but left t Career Highs: **Pts.:** (17, 2/15/20 vs. UCR) **Rebounds:** (14, 1/16/20 vs. UC Davis) **Blocks:** (8, 1/18/20 vs. CS Fullerton)

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12	steals in 85 career	games 2019 Most Section Divisi	Outstanding Playe	r in the Bay League	e, First team All-Area b	Palos Verdes Peninsula, Calif. (Penins Blocks: () , 5.3 rebounds, 1.6 assists and 1.7 y the Daily Breeze and First Team	
10	DJ RODMAN (Gr.))	Ht 6-6	Wt 225	Newport B	each, Calif. (JSerra Catholic/WSU)
	 Rodman graduate Attended WSU fro In the 2019-20 sea Made his collegiat Scored a season-I In the 2020-21 sea He made 41.1 per In the 2021-22 sea Scored 21 points a In the 2022-23 sea 180 rebounds and Set his career high He scored a caree 	d from JSerr m 2020-23 a a 2020-23 a a e debut vs. § high 8 points ason, was slo cent of his 3- ason he aver and had 10 r ason for WSU made 38.1 p n in rebounds er-high 23 po	ra Catholic in 2019 and average 5.5 poyed in 26 games at Seattle on Nov. 7, 2 and hit a late 3-powed by an injury v-pointers (23-for-56 raged 4.2 points ar ebounds vs. North U, averaged 9.6 popercent from 3-points with 14 vs. Boise bints vs. Eastern W	as a senior avera ints and 4.0 rebour nd averaged 1.7 po 2019 and scored 5 pointer which put WS which limited him to 6); Scored a seasor ad 4.1 rebounds per colorado on Depints and 5.8 rebour trange (51-for-134 State on Nov. 12 ashington in an NIT	ged 24.2 points, 8.9 relids in 111 games, 42 stints and 1.9 rebounds pointshis 1st Pac-12 y U ahead for good in an 19 gamesaveraged phigh 14 points and margame in 35 contests and 18, 2021made a chds in 31 games (30 stat), ninth among Pac-12	game was vs. USC on Jan. 2, 202 n upset of No. 8 Oregon 6.1 points and 3.7 rebounds ade 4 3-pointers at OSU on Feb. 6 areer-best 6 three-pointers arts)he was 2nd on the team with players	0
4 (OZIYAH SELLERS					Calif. (So. Calif. Academy)	
	 Sellers graduated He helped lead the He averaged 14.0 He was ranked as As a freshman pla Scored his first po Made his only sho Scored a career-b Started the season 	from Southe e SCA Rams points, 3.5 re the No. 10 p yed in 25 ga ints as a Tro t at Arizona i est 11 points n 1-for-11 fro	ern California Acados to a 24-4 regular sebounds, 3.0 assist player from Californes and average sign with a 3-pointe to finish with 2 points on 4-for-4 shooting the floor (0.91 per second sec	emy in 2022 with fe season and a No. 1 s for SCA as a senical according to ES I 1.1 points; Played r vs. Alabama States on Jan. 19his fig vs. California on ercent) in his first 1	or, while shooting 45.0 pPN 15 minutes in the oper e on Nov. 10; Had an as first points since Nov. 1 Feb. 16made both 3- 3 games, went 10-for-2	ncent Iwuchukwu percent from behind the 3-point line ner vs. FGCU on Nov. 7 ssist vs. CSU on Dec. 21 0	•
33	KIJANI WRIGHT (S	šo.)	Ht 6-9	Wt 235		Los Angeles, Calif. (Sierra Canyo	21
	 He was a 2022 McE The five-star recruit Was a member of the undefeated and wor As a freshman he in Scored 4 points, 2 reboths Scored 4 points and Had 2 points, 2 block Scored 4 points on 4 	Pts.: (2, 11/ duate of high conald's All-Ar is one of the to be USA Basken a gold meda 29 games an he opener vs. bunds, 2 block had 5 rebour s and a rebout 1-for-4 shootin	merican and scored op high school rebouetball development stall in Belem, Brazil. On the averaged 1.9 point FGCU on Nov. 7; So tas and an assist vs. Vands vs. Tennessee ound off the bench vs. Ing from the FT line a	Rebounds: (1, e Sierra Canyon School 5 points and grabbed unders in the country ystems and started en the AAU circuit, he puts and 1.8 rebounds. Forment on Nov. 15 in Nov. 24; Scored a series und added 3 rebounds and added 3 rebounds	played for the Compton Noted for third on the team and 3 rebounds and had a season-best 6 points vs. (by ESPN.com USA U16 National Team that went Alagic I with 14 blocked shots block vs. Alabama State on Nov. 10 CS Fullerton on Dec. 7 2 blocks at OSU on Feb. 11 on March 2	

2023-2024 Season Review

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Kansas State • 69 No. 21 USC • 82

Nov. 6 • T-Mobile Arena Las Vegas, Nev.

Boogie Ellis scored 24 points and Isaiah Collier added 18 points in his collegiate debut as No. 21 USC Men's Basketball defeated Kansas State, 82-69, at the Hall of Fame Series Las Vegas on Nov. 6. Collier, the consensus No. 1 recruit in the 2023 class, scored 15 of his 18 in the first. He also had 6 assists in 25 minutes before fouling out. Kobe Johnson scored 12 of his 16 points in the second half and grabbed 8 boards. Joshua Morgan added 11 points on 5-of-6 shooting while blocking 5 shots. The win marked a sweep for USC in the Hall of Fame Series Las Vegas after the No. 21 Women of Troy upset. No. 7 Ohio State, 83-74, in the first session of the day-long event. After conceding 3 free throws to Kansas State to start the game, Collier's and-one play and a layup highlighted a 14-2 run that gave the Trojans their lead that stood the rest of the night. USC made 51.7 percent of its shots, while holding KSU to 31.0 percent shooting. Ellis surpassed 1,000 career points as a Trojan, entering the game only needing 4 points to reach the milestone.

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				REB								
Player	FG	3FG	FT	0-D-T	ОТ	F	TP	Α	TO	В	S	MIN
N'Guessan	5-8	0-1	0-1	7-3	10	0	10	0	2	0	1	27
Perry	5-17	4-12	8-9	3-3	6	3	22	6	1	0	4	35
Carter	4-16	4-9	3-4	2-3	5	4	15	2	2	0	2	28
Manning	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Kaluma	1-11	0-5	4-6	1-8	9	4	6	2	4	0	1	36
Finister	1-3	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	1	0	1	12
Ames	0-3	0-2	0-1	0-1	1	3	0	3	3	0	0	15
Jones	0-5	0-3	2-2	1-1	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	11
McNair Jr.	4-5	0-0	0-1	3-0	3	1	8	0	1	0	0	10
Colbert	2-3	0-0	0-0	1-1	2	4	4	0	2	2	0	12
Macaleab	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
TEAM				4-1	5				0			
Totals	22-71	8-33	17-24	23-21	44	23	69	14	17	2	9	200

FG% 1st Half: 9-36 (.250) 2nd Half: 13-35 (.371) Game: 22-71 (.310) 3FG% 1st Half: 3-16 (.188) 2nd Half: 5-17 (.294) Game: 8-33 (.242) FT% 1st Half: 9-14 (.643) 2nd Half: 8-10 (.800) Game: 17-24 (.708)

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				REB								
Player	FG	3FG	FT	0-D-T	ОТ	F	TP	Α	TO	В	S	MIN
Johnson	6-13	1-4	3-3	0-8	8	3	16	1	4	1	4	38
Collier	7-9	1-3	3-3	0-3	3	5	18	6	6	0	0	25
Ellis	7-14	3-7	7-8	0-8	8	1	24	5	4	0	3	36
Rodman	1-5	0-3	0-1	3-1	4	1	2	2	2	1	0	27
Morgan	5-6	0-0	1-2	1-2	3	3	11	2	2	5	0	22
Sellers	1-5	0-2	1-2	1-1	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	16
Page	3-5	0-0	0-0	2-3	5	1	6	0	0	0	1	14
Hornery	0-1	0-1	0-0	1-0	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	17
Wright	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	5
TEAM				2-4	6							
Totals	31-60	5-20	15_10	10-31	41	19	82	17	18	8	8	200

FG% 1st Half: 15-31 (.484) 2nd Half: 16-29 (.552) Game: 31-60 (.517) 3FG% 1st Half: 2-10 (.200) 2nd Half: 3-10 (.300) Game: 5-20 (.250) FT% 1st Half: 8-9 (.889) 2nd Half: 7-10 (.700) Game: 15-19 (.789)

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Officials: Randy Richardson, Mike Greenstein, Kipp Kissinger Technical fouls: KSU - McNair Jr.; USC - Johnson, Ellis Attendance: 7.595

game • two

CSU Bakersfield • xx USC • xx

Nov. 9 • Galen Center Los Angeles, Calif.

game • three

UC Irvine • xx USC • xx

Nov. 14 • Galen Center Los Angeles, Calif.

2023 • 2024 USC Roster

NUMERICAL

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	BIRTHDATE	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE)
0	Kobe Johnson	G	6-6	200	Jr.	1/15/03	Milwaukee, Wisc. (Nicolet HS)
1	Isaiah Collier	G	6-5	210	Fr.	10/8/04	Atlanta, Ga. (Wheeler HS)
3	Vincent Iwuchukwu	F	7-1	240	So.	9/17/03	San Antonio, Texas (Southern California Academy)
4	Oziyah Sellers	G	6-5	185	So.	7/28/03	Hayward, Calif. (Southern California Academy)
5	Boogie Ellis	G	6-3	190	5th.	12/12/00	San Diego, Calif. (Mission Bay HS/Memphis)
6	Bronny James	G	6-4	210	Fr.	10/6/04	Los Angeles, Calif. (Sierra Canyon HS)
10	DJ Rodman	F	6-6	225	Gr.	4/25/01	Newport Beach, Calif. (JSerra Catholic HS/WSU)
12	JD Plough	G	6-3	180	Sr.	4/6/01	Palos Verdes Peninsula, Calif. (Peninsula HS/L.A. Harbor Coll.)
13	Brandon Gardner	F	6-8	215	Fr.	5/14/04	Waynesboro, Ga. (Christ The King HS)
15	Zach Brooker	G	6-0	160	Sr.	7/24/00	Calabasas, Calif. (Sierra Canyon HS)
22	Arrinten Page	F	6-11	245	Fr.	3.17/05	Atlanta, Ga. (Wheeler HS)
24	Joshua Morgan	F	6-11	225	Sr.*	10/7/01	Sacramento, Calif. (Sheldon HS/LBSU)
30	Harrison Hornery	F	6-10	230	Jr.	7/1/01	Toowoomba, Australia (Mater Dei HS)
33	Kijani Wright	F	6-9	235	So.	1/23/03	Los Angeles, Calif. (Sierra Canyon HS)

^{*} Utilized redshirt year

ALPHABETICAL

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	BIRTHDATE	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE)
15	Zach Brooker	G	6-0	160	Sr.	7/24/00	Calabasas, Calif. (Sierra Canyon HS)
1	Isaiah Collier	G	6-5	210	Fr.	10/8/04	Atlanta, Ga. (Wheeler HS)
5	Boogie Ellis	G	6-3	190	5th.	12/12/00	San Diego, Calif. (Mission Bay HS/Memphis)
13	Brandon Gardner	F	6-8	215	Fr.	5/14/04	Waynesboro, Ga. (Christ The King HS)
30	Harrison Hornery	F	6-10	230	Jr.	7/1/01	Toowoomba, Australia (Mater Dei HS)
3	Vincent Iwuchukwu	F	7-1	240	So.	9/17/03	San Antonio, Texas (Southern California Academy)
6	Bronny James	G	6-4	210	Fr.	10/6/04	Los Angeles, Calif. (Sierra Canyon HS)
0	Kobe Johnson	G	6-6	200	Jr.	1/15/03	Milwaukee, Wisc. (Nicolet HS)
24	Joshua Morgan	F	6-11	225	Sr.*	10/7/01	Sacramento, Calif. (Sheldon HS/LBSU)
22	Arrinten Page	F	6-11	245	Fr.	3.17/05	Atlanta, Ga. (Wheeler HS)
12	JD Plough	G	6-3	180	Sr.	4/6/01	Palos Verdes Peninsula, Calif. (Peninsula HS/L.A. Harbor Coll.)
10	DJ Rodman	F	6-6	225	Gr.	4/25/01	Newport Beach, Calif. (JSerra Catholic HS/WSU)
4	Oziyah Sellers	G	6-5	185	So.	7/28/03	Hayward, Calif. (Southern California Academy)
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HEAD COACH

Andy Enfield (Johns Hopkins, 1991), 11th year

ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH

Chris Capko (USF, 2006), 3rd year, 10th with the program

ASSISTANT COACH

Eric Mobley (Portland, 1990), 6th year Jay Morris (CS Dominguez Hills, 2010), 3rd year Desmon Farmer (USC, 2020) 1st year, 4th with the program Kurt Karis (USC, 2018) 1st year, 6th with the program

ASSISTANT ATHLETIC DIRECTOR OF BASKETBALL OPERATIONS

Michael Swets (Boston College, 2009) 8th Year

Southern California Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 06, 2023) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-0

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##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg	pf	dq	а	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
05	Boogie Ellis	1-1	36	36.0	7-14	.500	3-7	.429	7-8	.875	0	8	8	8.0	1	0	5	4	0	3	24	24.0
01	Isaiah Collier	1-1	25	25.0	7-9	.778	1-3	.333	3-3	1.000	0	3	3	3.0	5	1	6	6	0	0	18	18.0
00	Kobe Johnson	1-1	38	38.0	6-13	.462	1-4	.250	3-3	1.000	0	8	8	8.0	3	0	1	4	1	4	16	16.0
24	Joshua Morgan	1-1	22	22.0	5-6	.833	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1	2	3	3.0	3	0	2	2	5	0	11	11.0
22	Arrinten Page	1-0	14	14.0	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	3	5	5.0	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	6.0
04	Oziyah Sellers	1-0	16	16.0	1-5	.200	0-2	.000	1-2	.500	1	1	2	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	3.0
33	Kijani Wright	1-0	5	5.0	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
10	DJ Rodman	1-1	27	27.0	1-5	.200	0-3	.000	0-1	.000	3	1	4	4.0	1	0	2	2	1	0	2	2.0
30	Harrison Hornery	1-0	17	17.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1.0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0.0
	Team										2	4	6									
	Total	1	200		31-60	.517	5-20	.250	15-19	.789	10	31	41	41.0	19	1	17	18	8	8	82	82.0
	Opponents	1	200		22-71	.310	8-33	.242	17-24	.708	23	21	44	44.0	23	-	14	17	2	9	69	69.0

TEAM STATISTICS	USC	OPP
SCORING	82	69
Points per game	82.0	69.0
Scoring margin	+13.0	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	31-60	22-71
Field goal pct	.517	.310
3 POINT FG-ATT	5-20	8-33
3-point FG pct	.250	.242
3-pt FG made per game	5.0	8.0
FREE THROWS-ATT	15-19	17-24
Free throw pct	.789	.708
F-Throws made per game	15.0	17.0
REBOUNDS	41	44
Rebounds per game	41.0	44.0
Rebounding margin	-3.0	-
ASSISTS	17	14
Assists per game	17.0	14.0
TURNOVERŠ	18	17
Turnovers per game	18.0	17.0
Turnover margin	-1.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	8.0
STEALS	8	9
Steals per game	8.0	9.0
BLOCKS	8	2
Blocks per game	8.0	2.0
ATTENDANCE	0	7595
Home games-Avg/Game	0-0	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	1-7595

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
Southern California	40	42	82
Opponents	30	39	69

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/06/23	vs Kansas St	W	82-69	7595

^{* -} Conference game