



MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

..... 2017, 2018 NCAA NATIONAL FINALISTS | 2018, 2019 SEC CHAMPIONS | 2019 SEC TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS

2020-21 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

OVERALL RECORD	2-0
SEC	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-0
HOME	2-0
AWAY	0-0
NEUTRAL	0-0

Date	MSU	OPP	Opponent	TV	Time/Results
11/29	6/7	-/-	Jackson State		W, 88-58
12/2	6/7	-/-	New Orleans	SECN+	W, 106-51
12/5	6/7	RV/RV	at South Florida	ESPN+	6 p.m.
12/14			Troy	SECN+	7 p.m.
12/18			Southern	SECN+	7 p.m.
12/20			Central Arkansas	SECN	3 p.m.
12/31		*	at Georgia	SECN+	2 p.m.
1/3		*	Vanderbilt	SECN	2 p.m.
1/7		*	at Florida	SECN+	5 p.m.
1/10		*	Ole Miss	SECN	5 p.m.
1/14		*	Alabama	SECN+	7 p.m.
1/17		*	at Texas A&M	ESPN2	12 p.m.
1/24		*	Kentucky	ESPN2	1 p.m.
1/28		*	South Carolina	ESPN/ESPN2	6 p.m.
2/1		*	at Vanderbilt	SECN	6 p.m.
2/4		*	Tennessee	SECN+	7 p.m.
2/11		*	at Arkansas	SECN	8 p.m.
2/14		*	at Ole Miss	SECN	3 p.m.
2/18		*	Auburn	SECN	8 p.m.
2/21		*	at Alabama	SECN+	2 p.m.
2/25		*	at LSU	SECN+	6 p.m.
2/28		*	Missouri	SECN	3 p.m.

Mar. 3-7 SEC Tournament (Greenville, S.C.)
 Mar. 19-22 NCAA First/Second Rounds
 Mar. 26-29 NCAA Regionals
 Apr. 2-4 NCAA Women's Final Four (San Antonio, Texas)

All Times Central
 Home Games In Bold
 * — SEC Game

Lists of Games Canceled
 vs. Maine (11/28)
 vs. UConn/Quinnipiac (11/29)
 at Southern Miss (12/12)

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#6/7 MISSISSIPPI STATE (2-0) vs. USF (1-1)

GAME 3 • DECEMBER 5, 2020 • TAMPA, FLA. • YUENGLING CENTER • 6:00 P.M. CT



Head Coach Nikki McCray-Penson
 Record At MSU 2-0 (1st Season)
 Career Record 55-40 (4th Season)

COMPARISON

97.0	..... PPG	73.0
54.5	..... OPG	56.5
.514	..... FG%	.400
.386	..... 3FG%	.356
.658	..... FT%	.750
53.0	..... RPG	45.5
22.5	..... APG	21.5
8.5	..... SPG	4.0
5.5	..... BPG	4.5



Head Coach Jose Fernandez
 Record At USF 374-273 (21st season)
 Career Record Same

PROJECTED STARTING LINEUP (BASED ON PREVIOUS GAME)

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	Other
0	JaMya Mingo-Young	G	5-8	So.	Bogalusa, La.	15.5	8.5	5.0 apg
1	Myah Taylor	G	5-7	R-Jr.	Olive Branch, Miss.	8.0	4.0	6.0 apg
4	Jessika Carter	F/C	6-5	Jr.	Waverly Hall, Ga.	18.5	6.5	2.5 bpg
5	Rickey Jackson	F	6-2	So.	Detroit, Mich.	17.5	6.0	2.0 apg
10	Sidney Cooks	F/C	6-4	R-Jr.	Kenosha, Wis.	8.5	3.5	3.0 apg

OFF THE BENCH

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown	PPG	RPG	Other
3	Aliyah Matharu	G	5-7	So.	Washington, D.C.	5.5	4.0	2.0 spg
11	Xaria Wiggins	G	6-1	Jr.	Virginia Beach, Va.	-	-	-
20	Yemiyah Morris	C	6-6	Sr.	San Bernardino, Calif.	9.0	5.5	1.0 bpg
21	Madison Hayes	G	6-0	Fr.	Chattanooga, Tenn.	7.5	8.5	2.5 apg
22	Charlotte Kohl	C	6-5	Fr.	Giessen, Germany	1.0	1.5	1,000 FT%
23	Caterrier Thompson	G	5-11	Gr.	Lima, Ohio	6.0	2.5	1.0 spg

BULLDOG BITES

- Mississippi State enters a new era during the 2020-21 campaign, as women's basketball hall of famer **Nikki McCray-Penson** takes the helm of the women's basketball program. The Collierville, Tenn., native boasts a decorated resume to this point in her career.
 - 2017 National Championship
 - 2x Olympic Gold Medalist
 - 2x SEC Player of the Year
 - 3x WNBA All-Star
 - 1997 ABL MVP
 - 1997 ABL Championship
- Since the start of the 2016-17 campaign, Mississippi State owns 133 wins, which is tied for the second-most victories in all of Division I. The Bulldogs are tied with Baylor for second, while UConn leads the way with 136 wins.
- With MSU being tabbed No. 6 in the most recent poll, the Bulldogs have now spent 116 consecutive weeks inside the AP Top 25, continuing the longest streak in program history and the fifth-longest active streak in the country.
- During the last few years, Mississippi State has developed into one of the top scoring offenses in the nation. The Bulldogs ranked inside the top 25 in scoring during each of the last four seasons.
- State returns three starters from last year's squad, and they've each earned preseason recognition for their talent. **Rickey Jackson** and **Jessika Carter** are both candidates for the Naismith Trophy and Wade Trophy, while point guard **Myah Taylor** made the Nancy Lieberman Award preseason watch list.
- Rickey Jackson** led the Bulldogs in scoring last year with 15.1 ppg. The second team All-SEC selection posted eight games with 20-plus points and recorded four double-doubles.
- After stepping into a starting role last year, **Jessika Carter** led the team in rebounding (8.7 rpg), blocks (1.8 bpg), field goal percentage (.585) and double-doubles (11) and was second on the team in scoring (13.0 ppg).
- Myah Taylor** quietly put together a strong season in 2019-20. The Olive Branch, Miss., native ranked eighth in the country and led the SEC in assist/turnover ratio at 2.80. She paced the Bulldogs in assists (151) and ranked second in steals (63) while also averaging 5.6 points per game on 46 percent shooting.
- Prior to the 2019 class, the Mississippi State women's basketball team had never signed a McDonald's All-American. Entering this season, the Bulldogs boast three All-Americans in National Player of the Year candidate **Rickey Jackson**, Michigan State transfer **Sidney Cooks** and five-star freshman **Madison Hayes**.

SERIES HISTORY

South Florida: MSU leads 2-1
 at MSU: MSU trails 1-0
 at USF: First Meeting
 Neutral Sites: MSU leads 2-0
 Last Meeting: MSU won 86-61 vs. USF (12/19/19)

TV/RADIO INFORMATION

TV: ESPN+
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 Radio: MSU Radio Network
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2017 & 2018 NCAA NATIONAL FINALISTS



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MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

MISSISSIPPI STATE 2020-21 RADIO/TV ROSTER



0 JAMYA MINGO-YOUNG
G • 5-8 • So. • Bogalusa, La.



1 MYAH TAYLOR
G • 5-7 • R-Jr. • Olive Branch, Miss.



3 ALIYAH MATHARU
G • 5-7 • So. • Washington, D.C.



4 JESSIKA CARTER
F/C • 6-5 • Jr. • Waverly Hall, Ga.



5 RICKEA JACKSON
F • 6-2 • So. • Detroit, Mich.



10 SIDNEY COOKS
F/C • 6-4 • R-Jr. • Kenosha, Wis.



11 XARIA WIGGINS
G • 6-1 • Jr. • Virginia Beach, Va.



20 YEMIYAH MORRIS
C • 6-6 • Sr. • San Bernardino, Calif.



21 MADISON HAYES
G • 6-0 • Fr. • Chattanooga, Tenn.



22 CHARLOTTE KOHL
C • 6-5 • Fr. • Giessen, Germany



23 CATERION THOMPSON
G • 5-11 • Gr. • Lima, Ohio



NIKKI MCCRAY-PENSON
Head Coach
1st Season



KEITH FREEMAN
Associate Head Coach
1st Season



SCEPTER BROWNLEE
Assistant Coach
1st Season



BRITTANY YOUNG
Assistant Coach
1st Season

PRONUNCIATIONS

Rickea Jackson
Ri-KEY-uh
Aliyah Matharu
uh-LEE-yuh muh-THAR-oo
Yemiyah Morris
yeh-MY-yuh
Caterion Thompson
ka-TAIR-ee-on
Xaria Wiggins
ZAR-ee-ah

MISSISSIPPI STATE 2020-21 NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown (High School/Previous School)
0	JaMya Mingo-Young	G	5-8	So.	Bogalusa, La. (Loranger HS)
1	Myah Taylor	G	5-7	R-Jr.	Olive Branch, Miss. (Olive Branch HS)
3	Aliyah Matharu	G	5-7	So.	Washington, D.C. (Bishop McNamara HS)
4	Jessika Carter	F/C	6-5	Jr.	Waverly Hall, Ga. (Harris County HS)
5	Rickea Jackson	F	6-2	So.	Detroit, Mich. (Detroit Edison Public School Academy)
10	Sidney Cooks	F/C	6-4	R-Jr.	Kenosha, Wis. (Michigan State)
11	Xaria Wiggins	G	6-1	Jr.	Virginia Beach, Va. (Princess Anne HS)
20	Yemiyah Morris	C	6-6	Sr.	San Bernardino, Calif. (Cochise College [Ariz.])
21	Madison Hayes	G	6-0	Fr.	Chattanooga, Tenn. (East Hamilton HS)
22	Charlotte Kohl	C	6-5	Fr.	Giessen, Germany (Theo Koch Schule)
23	Caterion Thompson	G	5-11	Gr.	Lima, Ohio (Bowling Green)

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach.....Nikki McCray-Penson — 1st Season
Associate Head Coach.....Keith Freeman — 1st Season
Associate Head Coach.....Scepter Brownlee — 1st Season
Assistant Coach.....Brittany Young — 1st Season

Director of Operations.....Ashley Morris — 1st Season
Head Strength & Conditioning Coach.....Marci Hoppa — 4th Season
Certified Athletic Trainer.....Olivia Vita-Farnsworth — 1st Season



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THE McCRAY WAY RINGS IN NEW ERA IN STARKVILLE

- On April 11, 2020, **Nikki McCray-Penson** was introduced as the eighth women's basketball head coach at Mississippi State.
- The Collierville, Tennessee, native is considered one of the top rising stars in women's college basketball having both playing and coaching experience in multiple Final Fours.
- McCray-Penson has won championships at all levels of her basketball career. As a coach, she's has been a part of one national championship, four conference championships and four conference tournament championships. As a player, she was a two-time Olympic gold medalist and 1998 World Cup gold medalist while competing for Team USA. She led her Columbus Quest team to the 1997 ABL Championship. During college, she helped Tennessee win three SEC regular-season championships and two SEC Tournament titles.
- The Women's Basketball Hall of Famer enjoyed a prolific and decorated playing career. The three-time WNBA All-Star spent nine years in the league. Prior to the WNBA, she played two seasons in the ABL, where she earned MVP honors during her championship season.
- During her collegiate career at Tennessee, McCray-Penson spearheaded legendary coach **Pat Summitt's** teams to four NCAA Tournament appearances. The two-time All-American garnered SEC Player of the Year honors as a junior and senior, joining **Chamique Holdscrow** and **Meighan Simmons** as the only three Lady Vols to ever win the yearly award twice.
- Before coming to Starkville, the 2020 C-USA Coach of the Year most recently finished her third season at Old Dominion, where she led the Monarchs to a 24-6 record. It was the second season in a row that ODU won at least 20 games, an accomplishment that hadn't been achieved since 2006-08.
- Prior to becoming a head coach, McCray-Penson served on staff as an assistant coach at South Carolina, where she helped the Gamecocks claim their first-ever National Championship in 2017. South Carolina earned six-consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances during her tenure, reaching five Sweet 16s, two Elite Eights and two Final Fours. During her last four seasons in Columbia, she helped lead the Gamecocks to four-straight SEC regular-season championships and three SEC Tournament titles.
- Part of South Carolina's success on the hardwood was a result of McCray-Penson's ability to identify talent as the assistant recruiting coordinator. Regarded as one of the top recruiters in the country, she helped land the No. 2 class and the top player in the nation in 2014.
- In her first coaching job, McCray-Penson played a big role in guiding Western Kentucky to back-to-back postseason appearances and a 2008 Sun Belt Tournament championship as an assistant coach. She was also the program's head recruiting coordinator and signed one of WKU's top all-time classes in 2007-08.



STATE AMONG WINNINGEST PROGRAMS IN DIVISION I SINCE 2016-17

- Since the start of the 2016-17 campaign, Mississippi State owns 133 wins, which is tied for the second-most victories in all of Division I.
- The Bulldogs are tied with Baylor for second, while UConn leads the way with 136 wins.
- During the stretch, State has appeared in two national title games, made three-consecutive Elite Eights and won three SEC championships.
- After posting 34 wins in 2016-17, the Bulldogs recorded a program-record 37 victories during the 2017-18 campaign. State followed that season up with 33 wins in 2018-19 and 27 in 2019-20.
- Mississippi State has won eight matchups against teams on the list during the last four seasons and owns a 5-2 record against the other top five teams.

Rank	Team	Total Wins
1.	UConn	136
T2.	Mississippi State	133
T2.	Baylor	133
4.	Louisville	127
5.	Oregon	122
6.	South Carolina	119
T7.	Notre Dame	117
T7.	FGCU	117
T7.	Maryland	117
10.	Stanford	115

*As of games Dec. 2

MCDONALD'S ALL-AMERICAN TRIO HIGHLIGHTS ROSTER

- Prior to the 2019 class, the Mississippi State women's basketball team had never signed a McDonald's All-American. Entering this season, the Bulldogs boast three All-Americans.
- Sophomore **Ricke Jackson** became the first McDonald's All-American signee to join the program. As a freshman, Jackson led State in scoring with 15.1 ppg and ranked third on the team with 5.1 rpg.
- The All-SEC performer eclipsed the 20-point margin eight times and averaged 16.5 ppg during the SEC slate, which accounted for 22 percent of MSU's scoring in league play.
- After sitting out last season due to NCAA transfer rules, **Sidney Cooks** is eligible to play for the Bulldogs this year. The 2017 McDonald's All-American is one of the most versatile post players in the country, possessing the ability to score at all three levels. At Michigan, she averaged 9.5 ppg and 4.6 rpg while shooting 38 percent from beyond the arc.
- The third McDonald's All-American is freshman **Madison Hayes**. The Chattanooga, Tennessee, native was the No. 28 player in the 2020 signing class according to espnW. The all-around player amassed 3,055 points, 1,583 rebounds, 459 assists, 457 steals and 241 blocks during her four-year prep career.



QUICK HITS

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State ranked inside the top 25 in Division I in 10 team categories in 2019-20.


SEC

MSU has finished inside the top three of the SEC for six straight seasons.

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ESPN ranked Rickea Jackson as the No. 13 player in the country going into 2020-21.

SEC STANDINGS (THROUGH 12/2)

	Conference				Overall						
	W-L	Pct.	H	A	W-L	Pct.	H	A	N	Strk	
Alabama	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	3-0	1.000	3-0	0-0	0-0	W3	
Auburn	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	3-0	1.000	2-0	0-0	0-0	W2	
Georgia	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	2-0	1.000	0-0	2-0	0-0	W2	
Kentucky	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	2-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	0-0	W2	
Ole Miss	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	0-0	W1	
Mississippi State	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	2-0	1.000	2-0	0-0	0-0	W2	
Missouri	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	0-0	W1	
South Carolina	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	3-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	2-0	W3	
Tennessee	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	2-0	1.000	2-0	0-0	0-0	W2	
Texas A&M	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	3-0	1.000	2-0	1-0	0-0	W3	
Arkansas	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	3-1	.750	1-0	0-0	2-1	L1	
Florida	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	2-1	.667	2-0	0-1	0-0	W1	
LSU	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-2	.000	0-0	0-0	0-2	L2	
Vanderbilt	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0		



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ASSOCIATED PRESS TOP 25 POLL Nov. 30				USA TODAY TOP 25 POLL Nov. 19			
Rk.	School	Rcd.	Pts. Pvs.	Rk.	School	Rcd.	Pts. Pvs.
1	South Carolina (29)	3-0	749 1	1	South Carolina (31)	0-0	799 —
2	Stanford (1)	1-0	704 2	2	Stanford (1)	0-0	740 —
3	Connecticut	0-0	689 3	3	Connecticut	0-0	732 —
4	Baylor	1-0	665 4	4	Baylor	0-0	702 —
5	Louisville	2-0	607 5	5	Louisville	0-0	663 —
6	Mississippi State	1-0	586 6	6	NC State	0-0	601 —
7	Arizona	1-0	566 7	7	Mississippi State	0-0	567 —
8	NC State	2-0	564 8	8	Arizona	0-0	548 —
9	UCLA	1-0	494 9	9	Oregon	0-0	539 —
10	Oregon	1-0	477 10	10	UCLA	0-0	535 —
11	Kentucky	2-0	466 11	11	Maryland	0-0	456 —
12	Texas A&M	2-0	412 13	12	Kentucky	0-0	451 —
13	Indiana	1-0	342 16	13	Texas A&M	0-0	377 —
14	Maryland	2-1	327 12	14	Arkansas	0-0	360 —
15	Northwestern	0-0	289 17	15	Indiana	0-0	347 —
16	Arkansas	3-1	265 14	16	Northwestern	0-0	287 —
17	Oregon State	1-0	256 18	17	Oregon St.	0-0	281 —
18	Gonzaga	0-1	193 21	18	Iowa State	0-0	253 —
19	Ohio State	1-0	189 20	19	DePaul	0-0	219 —
20	DePaul	0-1	187 19	20	Gonzaga	0-0	192 —
21	Missouri State	2-1	153 24	21	Syracuse	0-0	149 —
22	Syracuse	1-0	142 23	22	Ohio St.	0-0	135 —
23	Iowa State	1-1	128 15	23	Notre Dame	0-0	104 —
24	Michigan	2-0	110 25	24	Michigan	0-0	84 —
25	Texas	2-0	65 NR	25	Missouri St.	0-0	76 —

WEEK-BY-WEEK RANKINGS

Week	AP	Coaches	NET	Week	AP	Coaches	NET
Preseason	6	7	-	Feb. 2			
Dec. 1	6	-	-	Feb. 9			
Dec. 8				Feb. 16			
Dec. 15				Feb. 23			
Dec. 22				Mar. 2			
Dec. 29				Mar. 9			
Jan. 5				Mar. 23			
Jan. 12				Mar. 30			
Jan. 19				Final			
Jan. 26							



MISSISSIPPI STATE IN THE AP RANKINGS

- On Nov. 24, 2014, the Associated Press voted Mississippi State back into the top 25 for the first time in four years. With MSU ranking No. 6 in the most recent poll, the Bulldogs have now spent 116 consecutive weeks inside the AP Top 25, continuing the longest streak in program history and the fifth-longest active streak in the country.
- During the stretch, State has been ranked inside the top 10 for 74 weeks, including 14 weeks last season.
- Since beginning the streak, MSU has been ranked as a top-five team for 33 weeks, including a stretch of 14 straight weeks during the 2017-18 season.
- Ranked No. 6 in the AP Preseason Top 25, Mississippi State earned its ninth preseason ranking in program history and matched the previous best.

Consecutive Weeks Ranked in AP Top 25 (Active)

Rank	Team	Date Streak Started
1.	UConn	11/16/93
2.	Baylor	1/5/04
3.	Maryland	10/29/10
4.	South Carolina	12/10/13
5.	Mississippi State (116 weeks)	11/24/14
6.	Louisville	1/11/16
7.	Oregon State	12/19/16
8.	Oregon	10/22/17
9.	Stanford	1/29/18
10.	NC State	2/5/18

Bulldog Duo Reunited After Team USA Stint

- Rickey Jackson** and **Madison Hayes** are now in their second stint of competing as teammates. During the 2019 FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup, the McDonald's All-American duo helped Team USA win the gold medal.
- Jackson earned All-Tournament Team honors and was second on the squad in scoring and ranked fifth overall with 39 total points in seven games. Hayes finished with 21 total points during the event, including five points scored during the gold medal contest.
- The four-member squad went a perfect 7-0 during the tournament to help Team USA claim its fourth gold medal at a FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup event.

BULLDOGS LIGHTING THE SCOREBOARD UP

- During the last few years, Mississippi State has developed into one of the top scoring offenses in the nation.
- Ranked inside the top 25 in scoring during each of the last four seasons, the Bulldogs boasted the NCAA's 12th-ranked scoring offense last season.
- State's 86.2 points per game in 2018-19 set the program record for scoring in a single season.
- The Bulldogs' scoring production during the last three seasons ranks inside the top four in the MSU record books. In 1980-81, State averaged 81.13 points per game, which ranks second all time, and bested the 2017-18 mark by .01 points per game.

Season	Scoring	NCAA	SEC
2019-20	79.2	12	3
2018-19	86.2	2	1
2017-18	81.1	11	1
2016-17	75.9	22	2

CARTER CLIMBING THE LEADERBOARDS

- Junior **Jessika Carter** has developed into one of the top post players in the country, and a large part of that has to do with her efficient scoring and her ability to protect the paint on defense. In the MSU record books, Carter ranks inside the top 10 in field goal percentage (2nd), blocks per game (4th) and total blocks (6th).
- Last year, she ranked 13th in Division I in field goal percentage (.585), and she shot a league-best 65 percent from the field during conference play.
- Carter owns four career games with five or more blocks and recorded multiple blocks in a game 19 times last year.

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE (minimum 300 attempts)

player	g	fg percentage
1 Teaira McCowan (2016-19)	149	59.7 (770-1,289)
2 Jessika Carter (2019-pres.)	71	57.2 (230-402)
3 LaToya Thomas (2000-03)	125	55.3 (1,119-2,024)
4 Sophie Ratliff (1987-90)	117	53.7 (454-845)
5 Ann Lashley (1985-88)	116	53.6 (439-819)

BLOCKS PER GAME (minimum 50 blocks)

player	g	blk.	avg.
1 Chanel Mokango (2009-10)	67	180	2.7
2 Martha Alwal (2012-15)	124	328	2.6
3 Teaira McCowan (2016-19)	149	271	1.8
4 Jessika Carter (2019-pres.)	71	97	1.4
5 Catina Bett (2011-12)	52	63	1.2

BLOCKED SHOTS

player	g	blk.	avg.
1 Martha Alwal (2012-15)	124	328	2.6
2 Teaira McCowan (2016-19)	149	271	1.8
3 Chanel Mokango (2009-10)	67	180	2.7
4 Tan White (2002-05)	121	118	1.0
5 LaToya Thomas (2000-03)	125	109	0.9
6 Jessika Carter (2019-pres.)	71	97	1.4



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THREE BULLDOGS EARN PRESEASON PRAISE

- Mississippi State's three returning starters were crucial in the success of the squad last year, and their play garnered the attention of many in the basketball world this offseason.
- Named preseason All-Americans by Lindy's Sport Magazine, **Rickea Jackson** and **Jessika Carter** were both tabbed to the Naismith Trophy and Wade Trophy watch lists for National Player of the Year. The duo also earned All-SEC recognition from league coaches, with Jackson being named to the first team and Carter to the second team.
- Jackson, who was also tabbed a candidate for the Cheryl Miller Award given to the nation's top small forward, led the Bulldogs in scoring (15.1 ppg) and ranked third in rebounding (5.1 rpg) as a freshman in 2019-20. She ranked fifth among all players during conference play with 16.5 points per game and eighth in field goal percentage (.480).
- Jackson was named second team All-SEC after accounting for 22 percent of Mississippi State's scoring during conference play despite being the focal point for opposing team's defenses. She posted eight games with 20-plus points and was the only freshman in the SEC that eclipsed the 30-point margin. For the season, she scored double digits 23 times, including 18 efforts with 15-plus points, and recorded four double-doubles.
- Carter, who was named to the preseason list for the Katrina McClain Award given to the top power forward in the nation, led State in rebounding (8.7 rpg), blocks (1.8 bpg), field goal percentage (.585) and double-doubles (11) and was second on the team in scoring (13.0 ppg) as a sophomore in 2019-20.
- Carter scored in double figures 22 times last year, including 13 games with 15 or more points, and she recorded 19 games with multiple blocks. An elite rebounder, 37 percent of her scoring came on second-chance opportunities (159 of 429) for State.

- Myah Taylor** earned a spot on the Nancy Lieberman Award Preseason Watch List, which is given to the nation's top point guard.
- Last season, Taylor ranked eighth in the country and led the SEC in assist/turnover ratio at 2.80. She paced the Bulldogs in assists (151) and ranked second in steals (63). She finished with a positive assist/turnover ratio in 26 games and recorded 15 games with at least five assists.
- Taylor averaged 5.6 points per game on 46 percent shooting from the field. She also posted 4.6 assists, 2.3 steals and 1.5 rebounds per game while starting all 33 contests.

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

- Mississippi State's 2020-21 roster features 11 players representing nine states, Washington, D.C. as well as Germany.
- State's roster is highlighted by players from all over the country, with Bulldogs coming to Starkville from California, Georgia, Louisiana, Michigan, Mississippi, Ohio, Tennessee, Virginia and Wisconsin.
- State has one graduate, one senior, four juniors, three sophomores and two freshmen.
- Mississippi State has three returning starters from a year ago in **Jessika Carter**, **Rickea Jackson** and **Myah Taylor**. Carter and Taylor both started all 33 games for the Bulldogs.
- For the eighth-straight year, State's roster will include at least one foreign player with **Charlotte Kohl** coming to Starkville from Giessen, Germany. **Chinwe Okorie** (Nigeria) played for the Bulldogs from 2013-17, while **Chloe Bibby** (Australia) was on the roster from 2017-20.

SEASON HONORS

JESSIKA CARTER

- Naismith Trophy Preseason Watch List
- Wade Trophy Preseason Watch List
- Katrina McClain Award Preseason Watch List
- Lindy's Magazine Preseason Third Team All-American
- Preseason Second Team All-SEC (Coaches)

RICKEA JACKSON

- Naismith Trophy Preseason Watch List
- Wooden Award Preseason Top 30 Watch List
- Wade Trophy Preseason Watch List
- Cheryl Miller Award Preseason Watch List
- Lindy's Magazine Preseason Third Team All-American
- Preseason First Team All-SEC (Coaches)
- Preseason All-SEC (Media)
- Ranked No. 13 Player in the Country by ESPN

MYAH TAYLOR

- Nancy Lieberman Award Preseason Watch List



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WELCOME TO THE HUMP



YEAR-BY-YEAR AT THE HUMP

YEAR	G	REC.	Pct.	SEC	NON
1975-76	7	3-4	.429	---	---
1976-77	11	4-7	.364	---	---
1977-78	14	9-5	.391	---	---
1978-79	12	9-3	.750	---	---
1979-80	13	8-5	.615	---	---
1980-81	13	11-2	.846	---	---
1981-82	14	8-6	.571	---	---
1982-83	15	10-5	.667	0-4	10-1
1983-84	15	8-7	.533	0-5	8-2
1984-85	12	5-7	.417	0-4	5-3
1985-86	13	6-7	.462	0-4	6-3
1986-87	12	7-5	.583	2-3	5-2
1987-88	14	9-5	.643	0-5	9-0
1988-89	11	8-3	.727	3-2	5-1
1989-90	13	5-8	.385	0-5	5-3
1990-91	13	5-8	.385	0-4	5-4
1991-92	13	10-3	.769	3-3	7-0
1992-93	11	8-3	.727	3-2	5-1
1993-94	14	7-7	.500	1-5	6-2
1994-95	10	6-4	.600	1-4	5-0
1995-96	12	9-3	.750	4-2	5-1
1996-97	12	6-6	.500	0-6	6-0
1997-98	13	9-4	.692	3-3	6-1
1998-99	13	11-2	.846	6-2	5-0
1999-00	15	13-2	.867	5-2	8-0
2000-01	15	9-6	.600	2-5	7-1
2001-02	13	11-2	.846	5-2	6-0
2002-03	13	12-1	.923	6-1	6-0
2003-04	11	8-3	.727	5-1	3-2
2004-05	17	13-4	.765	4-3	9-1
2005-06	14	4-10	.286	0-7	4-3
2006-07	17	9-8	.529	2-5	7-3
2007-08	16	11-5	.688	3-4	8-1
2008-09	16	12-4	.750	4-3	8-1
2009-10	16	12-4	.750	4-4	8-0
2010-11	14	6-8	.429	1-7	5-1
2011-12	16	10-6	.625	2-6	8-0
2012-13	17	12-5	.706	4-4	8-1
2013-14	21	16-5	.762	4-4	12-1
2014-15	18	17-1	.944	7-1	10-0
2015-16	18	16-2	.889	6-2	10-0
2016-17	13	12-1	.923	7-1	5-0
2017-18	18	18-0	1.000	8-0	10-0
2018-19	17	16-1	.941	7-1	7-0
2019-20	14	12-2	.857	7-1	5-1
2020-21	2	2-0	1.000	---	2-0

ALL-TIME RECORD (46 YEARS): 432-199 (.684)

BULLDOGS AT HUMPHREY COLISEUM

- Mississippi State is in its 46th season at Humphrey Coliseum.
- The Bulldogs are 93-7 in the Hump since 2014-15, including 42-6 in SEC play.
- State's top 20 single-game attendance marks have all occurred since the 2015-16 campaign.
- MSU had the largest crowd in the history of The Hump with 10,794 vs. No. 6 South Carolina (2/5/18).
- Six of Mississippi State's eight 10,000-plus crowds have occurred since the start of the 2017-18 season.

MSU'S RECORD AT HOME UNDER McCRAV-PENSON

YEAR	OVERALL	Pct.	SEC	Pct.	NON	Pct.
2020-21	2-0	1.000	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000
TOTALS	2-0	1.000	0-0	.000	2-0	1.000

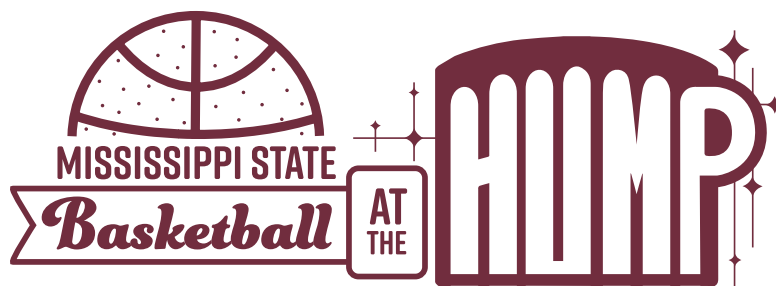
ATTENDANCE LAST 15 YEARS

- In the last 15 seasons, attendance at Mississippi State women's basketball games has grown exponentially.
- During the 2005-06 season, MSU averaged 647 per game. Last season, State averaged more than 10 times that with 7,681 people coming to games this season.

TOP 20 HUMPHREY COLISEUM WOMEN'S CROWDS

	Att.	date	opp.	score		Att.	date	opp.	score
1	10,794	2/5/18	South Carolina	W, 67-53	11	9,933	2/18/18	Texas A&M	W, 76-55
2	10,626	1/24/16	South Carolina	L, 51-57	12	9,881	3/19/18	Oklahoma St. (NCAA)	W, 71-56
3	10,500	2/26/17	Tennessee	L, 64-82	13	9,566	2/24/19	Vanderbilt	W, 86-70
4	10,337	1/27/19	Ole Miss	W, 80-49	14	9,520	2/11/18	Kentucky	W, 74-55
5	10,242	12/30/18	Louisiana	W, 104-36	15	9,503	1/26/20	Ole Miss	W, 80-39
6	10,211	3/17/18	Nicholls (NCAA)	W, 95-50	16	9,474	2/22/18	Auburn	W, 82-61
7	10,021	2/10/19	Tennessee	W, 91-63	17	9,010	1/14/18	Alabama	W, 75-61
8	10,006	1/17/19	South Carolina	W, 89-74	18	8,840	1/16/17	Ole Miss	W, 73-62
9	9,967	3/22/19	Southern (NCAA)	W, 103-46	19	8,830	1/6/19	Kentucky	W, 81-76
10	9,944	3/24/19	Clemson (NCAA)	W, 85-61	20	8,631	2/28/19	LSU	W, 76-56

* Top 20 Crowds Set Since 2016



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NIKKI McCRAY-PENSON

HEAD COACH

FIRST SEASON AT MSU • 4TH SEASON OVERALL
TENNESSEE (1995)

Coaching Career

2020-present: Mississippi State (Head Coach)

2017-20: Old Dominion (Head Coach)

2008-17: South Carolina (Assistant Coach)

2006-08: Western Kentucky (Assistant Coach)

Career Honors

- Women's Basketball Hall of Fame (2012)
- National High School Hall of Fame (2015)
- Greater Knoxville Sports Hall of Fame (2014)

Career Highlights

- 2017 National Championship
- 2x Olympic Gold Medalist
- 2x SEC Player of the Year
- 3x WNBA All-Star
- 1997 ABL MVP
- 1997 ABL Championship

Old Dominion Highlights

- Named the 2020 C-USA Coach of the Year.
- Tabbed a 2020 WBCA Coach of the Year Finalist.
- Posted back-to-back 20-win seasons, an accomplishment that hadn't been achieved since 2006-08.
- Coached the Monarchs to a No. 33 RPI year-end ranking in 2020; Team received votes in the USA Today Coaches Poll for the first time since 2008.
- Boasted a defense that ranked No. 1 in the country in three-point field goals allowed and 15th in scoring defenses in 2020.
- Increased her win total in 2018-19 by 13 games, which marked the sixth-best improvement in the NCAA.
- Earned a postseason bid to the 2019 WNIT.

- Coached four players to all-conference honors, two individuals to all-defensive team recognition and two selections for the all-freshman team.

South Carolina Highlights

- Helped coach the Gamecocks to their first-ever National Championship in 2017.
- Earned six-consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances during her tenure, reaching five Sweet 16s, two Elite Eights and two Final Fours.
- Won four SEC regular-season championships (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017).
- Claimed three SEC Tournament titles (2015, 2016, 2017).
- Helped land the No. 2 class and the top player in the nation in 2014.

Western Kentucky Highlights

- Helped guide WKU to a 2008 Sun Belt Tournament championship.
- Played a big role in guiding Western Kentucky to back-to-back postseason appearances.
- Earned a bid to the 2008 NCAA Tournament.
- Advanced to the Final Four of the 2007 WNIT.
- Signed one of WKU's top all-time classes in 2007-08.

USA Basketball Highlights (Coaching and Playing)

- Served her first assignment as a USA Basketball court coach for the 2019 USA Basketball Women's U19 and Pan Am Games team trials.
- Won two gold medals at the 1996 (Atlanta) and 2000 (Sydney) Olympics.
- Claimed the gold medal at the 1998 World Cup.
- Posted an overall playing record of 120-7.

WNBA Highlights

- Named a WNBA All-Star three times (1999, 2000, 2001).
- Played nine seasons for five different teams, retiring with the Chicago Sky.
- Averaged 14.3 points, 2.7 rebounds and 2.5 assists per game for her career.
- Recorded five seasons with double-digit scoring averages, topped by 17.7 ppg in 1998.
- Was one of leading vote-getters for 2000 All-Star Game.

ABL Highlights

- Led the Columbus Quest to the 1997 ABL Championship.
- Named ABL MVP in 1997.

Tennessee Highlights

- Named a two-time SEC Player of the Year (1994, 1995); one of just three Lady Vols all time to achieve that feat.
- Earned Kodak and Naismith All-American status twice (1994, 1995).
- Won three SEC regular-season championships (1993, 1994, 1995).
- Claimed two SEC Tournament titles (1992, 1995).
- Competed in four NCAA Tournaments (1992, 1993, 1994, 1995).
- Led Tennessee to the national title game as a senior in 1995.
- Tabbed a three-time All-SEC selection (1993, 1994, 1995).
- Earned a spot on the 1995 SEC All-Academic Team.
- Finished her collegiate career with a 122-11 record.



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THE NIKKI McCRAY RESUME

2x SEC Player of the Year

2x All-American

5 SEC Titles

1997 ABL MVP

1997 ABL Champion

3x All-Star

9 Year Career

2x Gold Medalist

1998 World Champion

**2017 NCAA
National Champion**

**2020 C-USA
Coach of the Year**



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JESSIKA CARTER

Forward/Center | 6-5 | Junior

Waverly Hall, Ga. | Harris County HS

SEASON HIGHS

Points	23, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	10, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Made	9, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Attempts	12, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
3PT FG Made	—
3PT FG Attempts	—
FT Made	5, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FT Attempts	7, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Assists	3, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	5, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Steals	—

CAREER HIGHS

Points	25, vs Murray State (11-15-19)
Rebounds	21, at Marquette (11-25-19)
FG Made	10, vs Ole Miss (1-26-20)
FG Attempts	16, vs Murray State (11-15-19)
3PT FG Made	—
3PT FG Attempts	—
FT Made	9, vs Murray State (11-15-19)
FT Attempts	10, vs Murray State (11-15-19)
Assists	3, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	6, vs Jackson State (11-24-18)
Steals	3, 2x, last at Auburn (2-20-20)

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	F	21	6-8	0-0	2-4	1-2-3	1	0	2	5	0	14
New Orleans	F	22	9-12	0-0	5-7	2-8-10	1	3	2	0	0	23
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
Kentucky												
South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Great touch on her shots around the basket but is also comfortable with shooting the ball from midrange.
- Named a preseason candidate for the Naismith Trophy, Wade Trophy and Katrina McClain Award and earned a spot on the SEC Coaches Preseason All-SEC Second Team.
- Owns 12 career double-doubles, which ranks seventh among active SEC players.
- Ranks fourth in career blocks per game (1.4) and sixth in total blocks (97) in Mississippi State history; Second in career field goal percentage (.572).
- Named Second Team All-SEC in 2019-20 after leading State in rebounding (8.7 rpg), blocks (1.8 bpg), field goal percentage (.585) and double-doubles (11) and was second on the team in scoring (13.0 ppg).
- Ranked 13th in Division I in field goal percentage (.585) and 28th in offensive rebounds per game (3.8) as a sophomore.
- Averaged 13.9 points and 7.2 rebounds per game during SEC Play; Shot a league-best 65 percent from the field last season.
- Significantly increased her scoring (9.8 ppg) and rebounding (5.6 rpg) during her sophomore campaign compared to her freshman year.
- In 2019-20, she scored in double figures 22 times, including 13 games with 15 or more points, and posted 19 games with multiple blocks.

QUICK HITS

12

Ranks seventh among active SEC players with 12 double-doubles.

9.8

Increased her scoring average by 9.8 ppg as a sophomore.

97

Ranks sixth in MSU history in total blocks with 97.



CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2018-19	36	0	390	10.8	46	93	.495	0	0	.000	22	42	.524	47	65	112	3.1	50	1	7	22	32	7	114	3.2
2019-20	33	33	950	28.8	169	289	.585	0	0	.000	91	128	.711	124	163	287	8.7	93	2	13	49	60	23	429	13.0
2020-21	2	2	43	21.5	15	20	.750	0	0	.000	7	11	.636	3	10	13	6.5	2	0	3	4	5	0	37	18.5
TOTAL	71	35	1383	19.5	230	402	.572	0	0	.000	120	181	.663	174	238	412	5.8	145	3	23	75	97	30	580	8.2



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SIDNEY COOKS

Forward/Center | 6-4 | Redshirt Junior

Kenosha, Wisc. | St. Joseph Catholic HS | Michigan State (2017-19)

SEASON HIGHS

Points	9, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	4, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	4, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Attempts	8, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	5, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	—
FT Attempts	—
Assists	4, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Steals	—

CAREER HIGHS

Points	21, 2x*, last vs Central Michigan (3-23-19)
Rebounds	12*, at Notre Dame (3-25-19)
FG Made	10*, vs Central Michigan (3-23-19)
FG Attempts	16*, at Illinois (1-16-18)
3PT FG Made	3, 6x*, at Rutgers (1-20-19)
3PT FG Attempts	9*, at Michigan (1-23-18)
FT Made	5*, vs Rhode Island (12-9-17)
FT Attempts	6, 3x*, last vs Purdue (2-3-19)
Assists	4, 2x*, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	4, 3x*, last at Indiana (1-6-19)
Steals	2, 6x*, last vs Northwestern (3-7-19)

* includes games at Michigan State

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	F	17	3-8	2-5	0-0	1-3-4	1	2	1	1	0	8
New Orleans	F	18	4-7	1-3	0-0	2-1-3	0	4	1	0	0	9
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
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South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Sat out the 2019-20 season after transferring to Mississippi State from Michigan State.
- One of three former McDonald's All-Americans on the roster (Madison Hayes, Rickea Jackson).
- Plays center but is very efficient from beyond the arc, knocking down 54 3-pointers for her career at a 38-percent clip.
- Averaged 9.5 ppg and 4.7 rpg during her two seasons at Michigan State.
- Tabbed a 2017 McDonald's All-American and was the 2017 Wisconsin Girls Basketball Player of the Year.

QUICK HITS

5

Rated the No. 5
player in the nation
out of high school.

485

Owens a .485
career field goal
percentage.

3

Has 3 career games
of 20+ points.

CAREER STATS

Year	GP		GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
						FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2017-18*	32	22		638	19.9	121	247	.490	27	77	.351	36	45	.800	47	103	150	4.7	61	-	39	52	27	20	305	9.5
2018-19*	30	8		581	19.4	116	241	.481	24	59	.407	29	38	.763	43	91	134	4.5	58	-	31	40	32	13	285	9.5
2019-20																										
2020-21	2	2		35	17.6	7	15	.467	3	8	.375	0	0	.000	3	4	7	3.5	1	-	6	2	1	0	17	8.5
TOTAL	64	32		1251	19.5	244	503	.485	54	144	.375	65	83	.783	93	198	291	4.5	120	-	76	94	60	33	607	9.5

*at Michigan State



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MADISON HAYES

Guard | 6-0 | Freshman

Chattanooga, Tenn. | East Hamilton HS

SEASON HIGHS

Points	8, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Rebounds	9, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Attempts	5, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
3PT FG Made	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	2, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FT Made	3, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FT Attempts	5, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Assists	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Blocks	—
Steals	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)

CAREER HIGHS

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3PT FG Made	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	2, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FT Made	3, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
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Blocks	—
Steals	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)

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New Orleans	18	2-5	0-2	3-5	3-5-8	4	2	0	0	0	7	
at USF												
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South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Nearly notched a double-double in her collegiate debut, recording 8 points, 9 rebounds and 3 assists against Jackson State (11/29).
- Rated as a five star and No. 28 player in the country by espnW, ranked No. 7 guard in the class of 2020.
- Became the second McDonald's All-American to sign with State out of high school; One of three former McDonald's All-Americans on the roster (Sidney Cooks, Rickea Jackson).
- Helped Team USA win the 2019 FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup, where she was teammates with current Bulldog Rickea Jackson.
- Two-time Class AAA Miss Tennessee Basketball winner (2019, 2020) amassed 3,055 points, 1,583 rebounds, 459 assists, 457 steals and 241 blocks during her four-year prep career.
- Named the 2020 Tennessee Gatorade Player of the Year after posting 25.8 ppg, 11.3 rpg, 3.3 apg, 2.8 spg and 2.0 bpg as a senior.
- The 2019 USA Today Tennessee Player of the Year averaged 25.2 ppg, 12.2 rpg and 4.0 spg in helping her team to a district championship as a junior.

QUICK HITS

3

One of three McDonald's All-Americans on State's roster.

3055

Scored 3,005 career points in high school.

4

One of just four top-30 players to sign with State.



CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2020-21	2	0	40	20.0	5	10	.500	1	4	.250	4	7	.571	7	10	17	8.5	5	0	5	2	0	1	15	7.5
TOTAL	2	0	40	20.0	5	10	.500	1	4	.250	4	7	.571	7	10	17	8.5	5	0	5	2	0	1	15	7.5



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RICKEA JACKSON

Forward | 6-2 | Sophomore

Detroit, Mich. | Detroit Edison Public School Academy

SEASON HIGHS

Points	19, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Rebounds	7, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	8, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Attempts	18, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	6, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	1, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FT Attempts	2, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Assists	4, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Blocks	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Steals	—

CAREER HIGHS

Points	34, at Auburn (2-20-20)
Rebounds	10, 4x, last vs Kentucky (3-6-20)
FG Made	14, at Auburn (2-20-20)
FG Attempts	22, 2x, last at Auburn (2-20-20)
3PT FG Made	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	6, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	8, vs Georgia (2-3-20)
FT Attempts	10, vs Georgia (2-3-20)
Assists	4, 2x, last vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Blocks	3, at Ole Miss (3-1-20)
Steals	3, at Ole Miss (3-1-20)

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	F	28	8-18	3-6	0-2	2-5-7	1	4	2	2	0	19
New Orleans	F	28	7-16	1-4	1-2	2-3-5	3	0	2	0	0	16
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
Kentucky												
South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Enters the 2020-21 campaign as one of the top rising stars in college basketball, being tabbed to National Player of the Year watch lists for the Naismith Trophy, Wade Trophy and Wooden Award.
- Ranked as the No. 13 player in the country by ESPN before the season.
- Earned a spot on the Cheryl Miller Award preseason watch list.
- Selected to the coaches preseason All-SEC first team and the preseason All-SEC team by media.
- Eclipsed the 20-point scoring margin eight times in her career; Owns one game with 30-plus points.
- Named second team All-SEC and earned a spot on the SEC All-Freshman Team in 2019-20 after ranking fifth among all players with 16.5 ppg and eighth in field goal percentage (.480) during conference play; Only freshman that ranked inside the top 10 in both categories.
- Her eight games with 20-plus points were tied for the most by any freshman; Only freshman in the SEC to eclipse the 30-point mark.
- Named to the SEC All-Tournament Team after averaging 20.3 points and 8.3 rebounds per game; She recorded back-to-back double-doubles in the first two games while eclipsing the 20-point margin in both outings to lead State to a fifth-straight SEC Tournament Championship appearance.
- 3x SEC Freshman of the Week honoree.
- Tabbed SEC Freshman of the Week after recording a career-high 34 points on 14-of-22 shooting, seven rebounds and three assists in win at Auburn; Matched the second-most points ever in a game by an MSU freshman.



QUICK HITS

13

Ranked as the No. 13 player in the country by ESPN.

25

Owns 25 double-digit scoring efforts in her career.

16.5

Averaged 16.5 points per game during SEC play last season.

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2019-20	33	27	996	30.2	204	422	.483	13	31	.419	76	105	.724	70	99	169	5.1	68	0	40	82	20	25	497	15.1
2020-21	2	2	56	28.0	15	34	.441	4	10	.400	1	4	.250	4	8	12	6.0	4	0	4	4	2	0	35	17.5
TOTAL	35	29	1052	30.1	219	456	.480	17	41	.415	77	109	.706	74	107	181	5.2	72	0	44	86	22	25	532	15.2



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CHARLOTTE KOHL

Center | 6-5 | Freshman

Giessen, Germany | Theo Koch Schule

SEASON HIGHS

Points	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Rebounds	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	—
FG Attempts	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	—
3PT FG Attempts	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Attempts	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Assists	—
Blocks	—
Steals	—

CAREER HIGHS

Points	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Rebounds	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	—
FG Attempts	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	—
3PT FG Attempts	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Attempts	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Assists	—
Blocks	—
Steals	—

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	8	0-2	0-1	2-2	2-1-3	3	0	0	0	0	0	2
New Orleans	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
Kentucky												
South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Member of the German National U16 and U18 Teams as well as the 3X3 U18 National Team.
- Participated in the German National U18 League at 14 years old.
- Made the All-Star team at the 2015 FIBA Camp.
- In 2016, she played for the Bender Baskets in the 2nd German Senior League.
- Guided her team to a second-place finish at the 2017 national high school championship.
- Placed third at the German U18 National Championship while playing for Team Mittelhessen in 2018.
- Attended Theo Koch Schule in Grünberg, which cooperates with the Basketball Internat Grünberg, a basketball academy for girls.

QUICK HITS

4

One of 4 girls on the roster that is 6-4 or taller.

3X3

Member of the German 3X3 U18 National Team.

8

This is the 8th straight year MSU's had a foreign player on the roster.



CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2020-21	2	0	14	7.0	0	2	.000	0	1	.000	2	2	1.000	2	1	3	1.5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	1.0
TOTAL	2	0	14	7.0	0	2	.000	0	1	.000	2	2	1.000	2	1	3	1.5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	1.0



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3

ALIYAH MATHARU

Guard | 5-7 | Sophomore

Washington, D.C. | Bishop McNamara HS

SEASON HIGHS

Points	8, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	4, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Made	4, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Attempts	8, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	
3PT FG Attempts	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Attempts	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Assists	2, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	1, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Steals	2, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)

CAREER HIGHS

Points	24, at Ole Miss (03-01-20)
Rebounds	7, vs Arkansas (2-27-20)
FG Made	8, at Ole Miss (03-01-20)
FG Attempts	14, vs Arkansas (2-27-20)
3PT FG Made	5, at Ole Miss (03-01-20)
3PT FG Attempts	9, vs Arkansas (2-27-20)
FT Made	5, vs Southern Miss (11-9-19)
FT Attempts	8, vs Southern Miss (11-9-19)
Assists	4, vs Arkansas (2-27-20)
Blocks	1, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Steals	4, at Vanderbilt (1-23-20)

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	23	1-8	0-3	1-3	4-0-4	3	2	3	0	2	3	3
New Orleans	18	4-6	0-0	0-0	2-2-4	4	2	2	1	2	8	8
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
Kentucky												
South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Speedy guard that has a quick first step when driving the ball, also not afraid to shoot from deep.
- 2x SEC Freshman of the Week selection.
- Ranked second on the team in threes made with 33 last season.
- Posted 11 double-digit scoring efforts as a freshman, including six games with 15 or more points.
- Named SEC Freshman of the Week after posting back-to-back career games against Arkansas and Ole Miss, averaging 21.0 points, 5.5 rebounds, 2.5 assists and 1.0 steal per game.
- At Ole Miss (3/1/20), she recorded a career-high 24 points on 8-of-12 shooting and knocked down a career-best five 3-pointers to go along with four rebounds, two steals and an assist.
- Earned her first career start against Arkansas (2/27), finishing with 18 points behind four 3-pointers to go along with career highs in rebounds (7) and assists (4).

QUICK HITS

2X

2x SEC Freshman of the Week selection in 2019-20.

9.9

Only averaged 9.9 minutes per game as a freshman.

4

Scored double digits in 4 of the final 5 games last year.

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2019-20	33	2	326	9.9	85	188	.452	33	87	.379	32	51	.627	11	47	58	1.8	56	1	19	31	1	26	235	7.1
2020-21	2	0	41	20.5	5	14	.357	0	3	.000	1	3	.333	6	2	8	4.0	7	0	4	5	1	4	11	5.5
TOTAL	35	2	367	10.5	90	202	.446	33	90	.367	33	54	.611	17	49	66	1.9	63	1	23	36	2	30	246	7.0



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10

JAMYA MINGO-YOUNG

Guard | 5-8 | Freshman

Bogalusa, La. | Loranger HS

SEASON HIGHS

Points	18, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	9, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	8, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Attempts	9, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
3PT FG Made	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	5, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Attempts	5, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Assists	5, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	—
Steals	2, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)

CAREER HIGHS

Points	18, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	9, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	8, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Attempts	10, at South Carolina (1-20-20)
3PT FG Made	2, 2x, last vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	3, vs Stanford (11-30-19)
FT Made	5, 2x, last vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Attempts	7, vs Southern Miss (11-9-19)
Assists	5, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	1, 6x last at Kentucky (2-16-20)
Steals	4, 2x, last vs Stanford (11-30-19)

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	G	25	3-4	2-2	5-5	1-8-9	3	5	2	0	2	13
New Orleans	G	25	8-9	0-0	2-2	3-5-8	2	5	0	0	2	18
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
Kentucky												
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at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Will see an increased role this year with the departure of All-SEC guard Jordan Danberry.
- Hard-working guard who isn't afraid to go fight for rebounds or dive on the floor for the ball; Can shoot from anywhere on the court.
- One of the most improve players on the Bulldog roster this season.
- Always one of the first people to the gym and one of the last to leave.
- Continued to stuff the stat sheets by posting a career-high 18 points, eight boards, a career-high-tying five assists and two steals vs. New Orleans (12/2).
- Earned the second start of her career and finished with 13 points, a career-high nine rebounds, a career-best five assists and two steals in State's win against Jackson State (11/29).
- Ranked third on the team in assists (48) and steals (28) last season.
- Posted four double-digit scoring efforts as a freshman.
- Led the team in free throw percentage (.844) last year.
- Father, JueMichael Young, played college basketball at LSU and Louisiana Tech.

QUICK HITS

6

Owns 6 double-digit scoring efforts in her career.

11

Posted 11 games with multiple steals.

.844

Led the team in free throw percentage with a .844 clip in 2019-20.

CAREER STATS

Year				Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds												
	GP	GS	Min	Avg	FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	AST	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2019-20	32	1	417	13.0	50	120	.417	5	17	.294	38	45	.844	19	51	70	2.2	55	0	48	34	5	28	143	4.5
2020-21	2	2	50	25.0	11	13	.846	2	2	1.000	7	7	1.000	4	13	17	8.5	5	0	10	2	0	4	31	15.5
TOTAL	34	3	467	13.7	61	133	.459	7	19	.368	45	52	.865	23	64	87	2.6	60	0	58	36	5	32	174	5.1



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20

YEMIYAH MORRIS

Center | 6-6 | Junior

San Bernardino, Calif. | Canyon Springs HS (Nev.) | Cochise College (Ariz.)

SEASON HIGHS

Points	14, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	5, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	6, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Attempts	10, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	—
3PT FG Attempts	—
FT Made	2, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FT Attempts	2, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Assists	—
Blocks	1, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Steals	—

CAREER HIGHS

Points	14, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	10, vs Kentucky (3-7-20)
FG Made	6, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Attempts	10, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	—
3PT FG Attempts	—
FT Made	7, at Tennessee (2-6-20)
FT Attempts	8, at Tennessee (2-6-20)
Assists	1, vs. Virginia (12/21/19)
Blocks	5, vs Kentucky (3-7-20)
Steals	3, at Tennessee (2-6-20)

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	14	2-10	0-0	0-0	3-2-5	4	0	1	1	0	0	4
New Orleans	17	6-8	0-0	2-2	2-4-6	1	0	1	1	0	0	14
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
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South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- At 6-6, Morris is the tallest player on the team and has the potential to provide big minutes in the paint for the Bulldogs this season.
- Matched her career high in scoring with 14 points against New Orleans (12/2); Also had six rebounds and one block.
- Second on the team in blocks (31) last year; Had five games with three or more blocks this season.
- Started to see more playing time down the final stretch of the season; posted a strong showing at the SEC Tournament.
- Went off against #15 Kentucky (3/7/20) in the semifinals of the SEC Tournament, posting the first double-double of her career with 11 points, 10 rebounds and five blocks in the win.

QUICK HITS

5

Recorded five games with three or more blocks.

.646

Shot a .646 clip from the field last season.

4

One of 4 girls on the roster that is 6-4 or taller.



CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2019-20	29	0	261	9.0	42	65	.646	0	0	.000	14	28	.500	24	46	70	2.4	38	0	1	14	31	7	98	3.4
2020-21	2	0	31	15.5	8	18	.444	0	0	.000	2	2	1.000	5	6	11	5.5	5	0	0	2	2	0	18	9.0
TOTAL	31	0	292	9.4	50	83	.602	0	0	.000	16	30	.533	29	52	81	2.6	43	0	1	16	33	7	116	3.7



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1

MYAH TAYLOR

Guard | 5-7 | Redshirt Sophomore
Olive Branch, Miss. | Olive Branch HS

SEASON HIGHS

Points	11, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Rebounds	5, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	4, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Attempts	8, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	4, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	—
FT Attempts	—
Assists	7, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Blocks	—
Steals	4, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)

CAREER HIGHS

Points	20, vs Troy (11-19-19)
Rebounds	5, 2x, last vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Made	8, vs Troy (11-19-19)
FG Attempts	11, vs Troy (11-19-19)
3PT FG Made	3, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	4, 2x, last vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	4, 4x, at Vanderbilt (1-23-20)
FT Attempts	6, 2x, last vs West Virginia (12-8-19)
Assists	10, at Ole Miss (03-01-20)
Blocks	1, 4x, last vs Kentucky (3-07-20)
Steals	5, 2x, last vs South Florida (12-19-19)

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	G	23	4-8	3-4	0-0	0-5-5	3	7	0	0	4	11
New Orleans	G	29	2-4	1-3	0-0	0-3-3	0	5	1	0	2	5
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
Kentucky												
South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Worked on her shooting during the offseason; Will look to be more of a scoring threat for the Bulldogs.
- Great on-ball defender that can prevent opponents from getting any clean looks at the basket.
- Her 12.00 assist/turnover ratio leads all players in Division I.
- Posted 11 points, seven assists, five rebounds and four steals in win over Jackson State (11/29); Also knocked down a career-high three 3-pointers.
- Ranked eighth in the country and paced the SEC in assist/turnover ratio at 2.80 as a redshirt sophomore.
- Led the team in assists (151) and charges taken (44) last season; Ranked second in steals (63).
- Finished with a positive assist/turnover ratio in 26 games.
- Recorded 15 games with at least five assists last year.
- With 44 charges drawn and 63 steals, she forced 107 turnovers in 2019-20, which directly accounted for 16 percent of MSU's 20.3 turnovers forced per game.

QUICK HITS

242

Boasts a career assist/turnover ratio of 2.42.

15

Led the team in steals 15 times last year.

12.0

Ranks first in Division I with a 12.00 assist/turnover ratio.

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2017-18											— REDSHIRTED —														
2018-19	34	0	381	11.2	33	89	.371	10	38	.263	26	40	.650	6	23	29	0.9	39	0	57	36	1	24	102	3.0
2019-20	33	33	851	25.8	70	154	.455	1	7	.143	45	67	.672	5	43	48	1.5	84	4	151	54	3	63	186	5.6
2020-21	2	2	52	26.0	6	12	.500	4	7	.571	0	0	.000	0	8	8	4.0	3	0	12	1	0	6	16	8.0
TOTAL	69	35	1284	18.6	109	255	.427	15	52	.288	71	107	.664	11	74	85	1.2	126	4	220	91	4	93	304	4.4



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23

CATERION THOMPSON

Guard | 5-8 | Graduate

Lima, Ohio | Lima Senior HS | Bowling Green (2016-20)

SEASON HIGHS

Points	6, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Rebounds	3, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
FG Made	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FG Attempts	7, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
3PT FG Made	2, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
3PT FG Attempts	6, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Made	1, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
FT Attempts	2, vs Jackson State (11-29-20)
Assists	1, vs New Orleans (12-2-20)
Blocks	—
Steals	1, 2x, last vs New Orleans (12-2-20)

CAREER HIGHS

Points	32*, vs Kent State (2-29-20)
Rebounds	13*, vs California Baptist (11-30-19)
FG Made	11*, vs Kent State (2-29-20)
FG Attempts	19*, vs Kent State (2-29-20)
3PT FG Made	6*, vs Kent State (2-29-20)
3PT FG Attempts	10*, 2x, last vs Kent State (2-29-20)
FT Made	6*, at Valparaiso (11-24-19)
FT Attempts	8*, at Valparaiso (11-24-19)
Assists	5*, 2x, last at Marshall (12-07-19)
Blocks	1*, 5x, last at Loyola Chicago (12-16-19)
Steals	4*, vs Ohio Valley (12-07-16)

* includes games at Bowling Green

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State	19	2-7	1-6	1-2	0-2-2	3	0	1	0	1	1	6
New Orleans	19	2-3	2-3	0-0	0-3-3	1	1	0	0	1	1	6
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
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Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Joined the Mississippi State program during the summer as a graduate transfer from Bowling Green, where she started in 2019-20.
- Provides a three-point threat for State off the bench; Knocked down 118 career 3-pointers.
- Ranked second on the team in scoring with 13.7 ppg and averaged 5.3 rebounds, 1.9 assists and 1.0 steals per game last year at Bowling Green.
- Hit 66 three-point field goals last season, the second-highest total on the team and 13th-highest in Bowling Green history.
- Scored in double digits a team-high 23 times, including eight games of 20 points or more, as a redshirt junior.
- Had three double-figure rebounding games and two double-doubles on the year.

QUICK HITS

23

Scored in double-digits 23 times last season.

8

Eclipsed the 20-point margin 8 times in 2019-20.

118

Knocked down 116 career 3-pointers.

CAREER STATS

Year	GP		GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
						FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2016-17*	30	0		377	12.6	50	164	.305	15	58	.259	18	25	.720	17	52	69	2.3	38	0	12	21	0	19	133	4.4
2017-18*	29	6		563	19.4	66	177	.373	34	82	.415	17	28	.607	13	41	54	1.9	42	1	23	29	3	19	183	6.3
2018-19*																										
2019-20*	31	26		930	30.0	159	388	.410	66	180	.367	41	55	.745	32	133	165	5.3	51	0	60	65	2	31	425	13.7
2020-21	2	0		39	19.6	4	10	.400	3	9	.333	1	2	.500	0	5	5	2.5	4	0	1	1	0	2	12	6.0
TOTAL	92	32		1911	20.8	279	739	.378	118	329	.359	77	110	.700	62	231	293	3.2	135	1	96	116	5	71	753	8.2

*at Bowling Green



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XARIA WIGGINS

Guard | 6-1 | Sophomore

Virginia Beach, Va. | Princess Anne HS

SEASON HIGHS

Points	—
Rebounds	—
FG Made	—
FG Attempts	—
3PT FG Made	—
3PT FG Attempts	—
FT Made	—
FT Attempts	—
Assists	—
Blocks	—
Steals	—

CAREER HIGHS

Points	13, at Georgia (1-5-20)
Rebounds	6, 3x, last at Vanderbilt (1-23-20)
FG Made	4, 3x, last at Georgia (1-5-20)
FG Attempts	10, at Florida (1-24-19)
3PT FG Made	2, 7x, last vs Texas A&M (2-9-20)
3PT FG Attempts	5, vs. Virginia (11-9-18)
FT Made	7, vs. Louisiana (12-30-18)
FT Attempts	10, vs. Louisiana (12-30-18)
Assists	5, vs Ole Miss (1-26-20)
Blocks	2, 4x, last at Auburn (2-20-20)
Steals	3, 2x, last at Marquette (11-25-19)

2020-21 GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	ST	MIN	FG-A	3PT-A	FT-A	O-D-T	PF	AST	TO	BLK	STL	PTS
Jackson State					DNP							
New Orleans					DNP							
at USF												
Troy												
Southern												
Central Arkansas												
at Georgia												
Vanderbilt												
at Florida												
Ole Miss												
Alabama												
at Texas A&M												
Kentucky												
South Carolina												
at Vanderbilt												
Tennessee												
at Arkansas												
at Ole Miss												
Auburn												
at Alabama												
at LSU												
Missouri												

BULLDOG BITES...

- Athletic guard that can drive the ball or shoot from the perimeter and is an all-around player.
- Her long frame allows her to guard the 1-4 spots on the floor.
- Posted an all-around performance against #16 Texas A&M (2/9/20) with six points, four rebounds, two blocks, an assist and a steal.
- Provided a spark off the bench in the second quarter at No. 1 South Carolina (1/20/20), posting eight points and three rebounds.
- Recorded her best game of the season at Georgia (1/5/20), finishing with a career-high 13 points off the bench after knocking down a pair of big threes for State.

QUICK HITS

13

Scored a career-high 13 points at Georgia last season.

11

Has multiple assists in 11 games in her career.

1-4

Talented guard who can guard the 1-4 spots on the floor.

CAREER STATS

Year	GP	GS	Min	Avg	Total			3-Point			F-Throw			Rebounds				PF	FO	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
					FG	FGA	Pct	FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
2018-19	29	1	264	9.1	29	98	.296	11	43	.256	14	26	.538	12	28	40	1.4	26	0	26	19	8	14	83	2.9
2019-20	32	3	460	14.4	47	123	.382	17	46	.370	23	32	.719	14	37	51	1.6	39	0	33	43	14	16	134	4.2
2020-21																									
TOTAL	61	4	724	11.9	76	221	.344	28	89	.315	37	58	.638	26	65	91	1.5	65	0	59	62	22	30	217	3.6



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THE LAST TIME...

THE LAST TIME MSU...

Won 30 games in a row: 32 games (11/10/17-3/3/18)
Won 20 games in a row: 32 games (11/10/17-3/3/18)
Won 10 home games in a row: 32 games (3/17/17-2/10/19)
Won 10 road games in a row: 14 games (12/20/18-1/9/20)
Lost 3 games in a row: 3 games (1/16/14-1/23/14)

Defeated a Top-10 Team: at No. 10 Texas, 67-49 (12/2/18)
Defeated a Top-25 Team: vs. No. 15 Kentucky (3/7/20)
Defeated a ranked team on the road: at No. 23 Tennessee (2/6/20)

Overcame a 10+ point halftime deficit to win: 11, at Auburn (2/21/20)

Won an overtime game: 92-85 at Auburn (2/21/20)
Lost an overtime game: 75-78 at Kentucky (2/23/17)
Won a double overtime game: 74-66 vs. Southern Miss (3/24/14)
Lost a double overtime game: 90-92 at Kentucky (2/12/15)

Won regular-season tournament: Duel in the Desert (2019)

Scored 100 points: 106 vs. New Orleans (12/2/2020)
Scored 100+ points in 3 straight games: 4 games (11/15/18-11/24/18)
Scored 100 points on the road/at neutral sites: 101 vs. Arkansas (3/10/19)
Scored 90 points: 106 vs. New Orleans (12/2/2020)

Had 2 players score 30+ points in a game: Teaira McCowan [35], Victoria Vivians [30] vs. Oregon (12/13/17)
Had 3 players score 20+ points in a game: Andra Espinoza-Hunter [24], Teaira McCowan [24], Bre'Amber Scott [20] vs. Arkansas (3/10/19)
Had 2 players score 20+ points in a game: Jordan Danberry [21], Rickea Jackson [20] vs. Florida (1/2/20)

Made 50 field goals: 53 vs. Judson College (2/24/86)
Made 40 field goals: 44 vs. New Orleans (12/2/2020)
Attempted 100 field goals: 104 vs. Montevallo (11/19/79)

Shot 60% from the field: 62.9 vs. New Orleans (12/2/2020)
Shot 55% from the field: 62.9 vs. New Orleans (12/2/2020)

Made 10 3-point field goals: 12 vs. Jackson State (11/29/20)
Made 8 3-point field goals: 12 vs. Jackson State (11/29/20)
Attempted 30 3-point field goals: 31 at Duke (3/22/15)

Made 30 free throws: 33 vs. Louisiana Tech (12/11/14)
Made 25 free throws: 25 vs. Southern Miss (11/9/19)
Attempted 45 free throws: 46 vs. Louisiana Tech (12/11/14)
Attempted 30 free throws: 30 vs. West Virginia (12/8/19)

Had 75 rebounds: 78 vs. Judson College (2/24/86)
Had 70 rebounds: 71 vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/13/09)
Had 65 rebounds: 69 vs. SE Louisiana (12/7/14)

Had 35 assists: 37 vs. Memphis (1/3/80)
Had 25 assists: 28 vs. Arkansas [SECT] (3/10/19)

Had 10 blocked shots in a game: 10 vs. South Carolina (3/8/20)

Had 30 steals: 30 vs. New Orleans (11/17/13)
Had 20 steals: 20 vs. Miss. Valley St. (11/24/15)
Had 15 steals: 15 vs. Georgia (2/3/20)

Had four freshmen start a single game: 4, at Vanderbilt (1/12/06)

LAST TIME SOMEONE FOR MSU...

Scored 45 points: 47, Tan White vs. Vanderbilt (2/3/05, 20T)
Scored 40 points: 41, Teaira McCowan vs. Miss. Valley St. (12/28/17)
Scored 30 points: 34, Rickea Jackson at Auburn (2/21/20)

Scored double figures in 100 straight games: 125 straight, LaToya Thomas (11/19/99-3/24/03)

Scored in double figures in 10 straight games: Jordan Danberry (11, 12/8/19-1/23/20)

Scored 30 points in 2 straight games: Tan White [38] vs. Arkansas (3/3/05) & Auburn (2/27/05)

Scored 20 points in 10 straight games: 12 straight, LaToya Thomas (2/1/01-3/20/01)

Scored 20 points in 5 straight games: 9 straight, Tan White (2/19/04-11/26/04)

5 players scored double figures: 5 vs. Arkansas (2/27/20)
5 scored double figures in 2 straight games: 2 straight games (11/15/19-11/18/19)

Made 20 field goals in a game: 20, LaToya Thomas vs. Tulsa (11/17/02)

Made 15 field goals in a game: 19, Teaira McCowan vs. Miss. Valley St. (12/28/17)

Made 10 field goals in a game: 11, Rickea Jackson vs. Kentucky (3/7/20)

Made 8 3-pointers in a game: 8, Andra Espinoza-Hunter vs. Arkansas (3/10/19)

Made 7 3-pointers in a game: 8, Andra Espinoza-Hunter vs. Arkansas (3/10/19)

Made 6 3-pointers in a game: 8, Andra Espinoza-Hunter vs. Arkansas (3/10/19)

Made 15 free throws in a game: 18, Jennifer Fambrough vs. Northwestern St. (12/19/98)

Made 10 free throws in a game: 10, Teaira McCowan vs. Tennessee (2/10/19)

Had 25 rebounds: 25, Teaira McCowan vs. Louisville (3/30/18)

Had 20 rebounds: 21, Jessika Carter at Marquette (11/25/19)

Had 15 rebounds: 15, Jessika Carter vs. Virginia (12/21/19)

Had 10+ rebounds in 5 straight games: 7 straight, Teaira McCowan (2/28/19-3/24/19)

Had three players record 10 rebounds: vs. SE Louisiana (12/7/14)

Had 10 offensive rebounds: 10, Teaira McCowan vs. Missouri (2/14/19)

Had 10 defensive rebounds: 10, Jessika Carter vs. Alabama (2/23/20)

Dished 15 assists: 17, Polly Branch vs. Bryan (2/1/86)
Dished 10 assists: 10, Myah Taylor at Ole Miss (3/1/19)

Blocked 10 shots in a game: 10, Martha Alwal vs. Jacksonville St. (11/11/11)

Blocked 5 shots in a game: 5, Jessika Carter vs. Jackson State (11/29/20)

Had 5 steals in a game: 5, Jordan Danberry at Tennessee (2/6/20)

20 points and 20 rebounds in a game: Teaira McCowan [26 points, 24 rebounds] vs. No. 15 South Carolina (1/17/19)

Had a double-double in 5 straight games: Teaira McCowan (8 straight, 2/28/19-3/29/19)

Had a double-double in 3 straight games: Jessika Carter (3 straight, 2/20/20-2/27/20)

Had a double-double in 2 straight games: Rickea Jackson (2 straight, 3/6/20-3/7/20)

Had three players record a double-double: vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff (11/13/09)

Had two players record a double-double: Rickea Jackson & Yemiyah Morris vs. Kentucky (3/7/20)

Had 10+ double-doubles in a season: 11, Jessika Carter (2019-20)

Had a triple-double: Cynthia Hall, 12 pts., 10 rbs. and 12 assts. vs. La.-Lafayette (12/16/00)

LAST TIME AN OPPONENT...

Scored 50 points or less: 49 by LSU (3/6/20)

Scored 40 points or less: 39 by Ole Miss (1/26/20)

Scored 30 points or less: 26 by Northwestern St. (12/28/16)

Shot 60% from the field: 62.7% by UConn (3/26/16)

Shot 50% from the field: 51.1% by Georgia (1/5/20)

Made 10 3-point field goals in a game: 11 by Arkansas (2/27/20)

Made 10 or fewer field goals: 8 by Savannah St. (11/29/15)

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MSU'S RECORD WHEN...

	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Under McCray-Penson</u>
Scoring First	2-0	2-0
Opponent Scores First	0-0	0-0
Leads at Halftime	2-0	2-0
Trails at Halftime	0-0	0-0
Is Tied at Halftime	0-0	0-0
Shoots 45% or better from field	1-0	1-0
Shoots less than 45% from field	1-0	1-0
Opp. shoots less than 45% from field	2-0	2-0
Opp. shoots 45% or better from field	0-0	0-0
Outrebounds the opponent	2-0	2-0
Ties the opponent in rebounds	0-0	0-0
Outrebounded by the opponent	0-0	0-0
Fewer (or ties) TOs than opponent	2-0	2-0
More TOs than opponent	0-0	0-0
Holds opponents to 65 points or less	2-0	2-0
In games decided by 10 points or less	0-0	0-0

MSU'S RECORD IN...

	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Under McCray-Penson</u>
All Games	2-0	2-0
Home Games	2-0	2-0
Road Games	0-0	0-0
Neutral-sites	0-0	0-0
Non-SEC Games	2-0	2-0
Non-SEC Home Games	2-0	2-0
Non-SEC Road Games	0-0	0-0
Non-SEC Neutral-site Games	0-0	0-0
SEC Games	0-0	0-0
SEC Home Games	0-0	0-0
SEC Road Games	0-0	0-0
SEC Tournament	0-0	0-0
November Games	1-0	1-0
December Games	1-0	1-0
January Games	0-0	0-0
February Games	0-0	0-0
March Games	0-0	0-0
April Games	0-0	0-0
Monday Games	0-0	0-0
Tuesday Games	0-0	0-0
Wednesday Games	1-0	1-0
Thursday Games	0-0	0-0
Friday Games	0-0	0-0
Saturday Games	0-0	0-0
Sunday Games	1-0	1-0
Overtime Games	0-0	0-0
Television Games	1-0	1-0
Games vs. Ranked Opponents	0-0	0-0

BREAKING DOWN THE BULLDOGS

<u>Double-Doubles:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Jessika Carter	1	12
Rickeya Jackson	-	4
Caterriion Thompson	-	3
Sidney Cooks	-	2
Yemiyah Morris	-	1

<u>Double-Figure Scoring:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Caterriion Thompson	-	34
Sidney Cooks	-	30
Jessika Carter	2	27
Rickeya Jackson	2	25
Aliyah Matharu	-	11
Myah Taylor	1	7
JaMya Mingo-Young	2	6
Yemiyah Morris	1	4
Xaria Wiggins	-	3

<u>20-Plus Point Games:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Caterriion Thompson	-	9
Rickeya Jackson	-	8
Jessika Carter	1	5
Sidney Cooks	-	3
Aliyah Matharu	-	1
Myah Taylor	-	1

<u>30-Plus Point Games:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Rickeya Jackson	-	1
Caterriion Thompson	-	1

<u>10+ Rebounds:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Jessika Carter	1	14
Rickeya Jackson	-	4
Sidney Cooks	-	2
Yemiyah Morris	-	1

<u>5+ Blocks:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Jessika Carter	1	4
Yemiyah Morris	-	1

<u>5+ Assists:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Myah Taylor	2	21
Caterriion Thompson	-	2
JaMya Mingo-Young	2	2

<u>10+ Assists:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Myah Taylor	-	1

<u>5+ Steals:</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>Career</u>
Myah Taylor	-	2

Who Scored First

Rickeya Jackson	1
Jessika Carter	1

How The First Points Were Scored

3-Pointer	1
Jumper	1
Layup	0
Free Throw	0

Career Games Played

92	Caterriion Thompson
71	Jessika Carter
69	Myah Taylor
64	Sidney Cooks
61	Xaria Wiggins
35	Rickeya Jackson
35	Aliyah Matharu
34	JaMya Mingo-Young
31	Yemiyah Morris
2	Madison Hayes
2	Charlotte Kohl

Career Games Started

35	Jessika Carter
35	Myah Taylor
32	Sidney Cooks
32	Caterriion Thompson
29	Rickeya Jackson
4	Xaria Wiggins
3	JaMya Mingo-Young
2	Aliyah Matharu

Consecutive Games Started

35	Jessika Carter
35	Myah Taylor
4	Rickeya Jackson
2	Sidney Cooks
2	JaMya Mingo-Young



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RESULTS & GAME LEADERS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATT	HIGH POINTS	HIGH REBOUNDS	HIGH ASSISTS	HIGH BLOCKS	HIGH STEALS
Nov. 29	Jackson State	W	88-58	0	(19) Rickea Jackson	(9) JaMya Mingo-Young (9) Madison Hayes	(7) Myah Taylor	(5) Jessika Carter	(4) Myah Taylor
Dec. 2	New Orleans	W	106-51	1782	(23) Jessika Carter	(10) Jessika Carter	(5) Myah Taylor (5) JaMya Mingo-Young	(1) Aliyah Matharu (1) Yemiyah Morris	(2) Three Players

* — SEC Game

^ — SEC Tournament (Greenville, S.C.)

ATTENDANCE SUMMARY	GAMES	TOTALS	AVG/GAME
HOME	1	1782	1782
AWAY	0	0	0
NEUTRAL	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	1,782	1,782

*Game vs. Jackson State (11/29) not included as fans were not allowed to attend the game.



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GAME-BY-GAME COMPARISON

Game	Pts	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%	Off	Def	Reb	A	TO	Blk	Stl
MSU	88	32-78	.410	12-29	.414	12-20	.600	21	34	55	23	14	9	10
Jackson State	58	18-58	.310	6-16	.375	16-26	.615	11	30	41	8	19	2	5
MSU	106	44-70	.629	5-15	.333	13-18	.722	16	35	51	22	11	2	7
New Orleans	51	17-53	.321	4-19	.211	13-18	.722	4	12	16	8	16	1	5
MSU														
South Florida														
Mississippi State	194	76-148	.514	17-44	.386	25-38	.658	37	69	106	45	25	11	17
Opponents	109	35-111	.315	10-35	.286	29-44	.659	15	42	57	16	35	3	10



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MSU IN THE SEC AND NCAA

(Through Dec. 2)

Team Standings

Category	NCAA	SEC	Total
Scoring Offense	11	2	97.0
Scoring Defense	37	3	54.5
Scoring Margin	11	2	42.5
FG Percentage	19	5	.514
FG Percentage Def.	28	3	.315
3PT FG Percentage	33	1	.386
3PT FG Percentage Def.	110	6	.286
3PT FG Per Game	32	2	8.5
Free Throw Percentage	160	10	.658
Rebounding	9	1	53.0
Rebounding Margin	5	1	24.5
Assists	9	2	22.5
Assist/Turnover Ratio	14	2	1.80
Blocks	30	3	5.5
Steals	94	6	8.5
Turnovers Forced	107	8	17.5
Turnover Margin	55	6	5.0

Individual Standings

Category	NCAA	SEC	Total
Assist/Turnover Ratio			
Myah Taylor	1	1	12.00
JaMya Mingo-Young	26	5	5.00
Sidney Cooks	61	9	3.00
Assists Per Game			
Myah Taylor	28	2	6.0
JaMya Mingo-Young	61	4	5.0
Sidney Cooks	250	20	3.0
Blocks Per Game			
Jessika Carter	30	5	2.50
Rickeya Jackson	154	11	1.00
Yemiyah Morris	154	11	1.00
Double-Double			
Jessika Carter	23	4	1
Field Goal Percentage			
JaMya Mingo-Young	7	2	.846
Jessika Carter	18	4	.750
Field Goals Made			
Jessika Carter	92	12	15
Rickeya Jackson	92	12	15
Points Per Game			
Jessika Carter	113	10	18.5
Rickeya Jackson	145	15	17.5
JaMya Mingo-Young	227	19	15.5
Rebounds Per Game			
Madison Hayes	141	8	8.5
JaMya Mingo-Young	141	8	8.5
Steals Per Game			
Myah Taylor	54	5	3.0
Aliyah Matharu	171	12	2.0
JaMya Mingo-Young	171	12	2.0

BULLDOG GAME-BY-GAME LEAD/DEFICIT

Opponent	Largest Lead	Largest Deficit	Time Led	Time Trailing	Time Tied	Result
Jackson State	43	0	38:43	0:00	1:17	W, 88-58
New Orleans	55	2	38:10	0:18	1:32	W, 106-51
at USF						
Troy						
Southern						
Central Arkansas						
at Georgia						
Vanderbilt						
at Florida						
Ole Miss						
Alabama						
at Texas A&M						
Kentucky						
South Carolina						
at Vanderbilt						
Tennessee						
at Arkansas						
at Ole Miss						
Auburn						
at Alabama						
at LSU						
Missouri						
Highs/Total	55	2	76:53	0:18	2:49	2-0

BULLDOG GAME-BY-GAME SPECIALTY STATS (MSU/OPPONENT)

Opponent	Paint	Off TO	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
Southern Miss	38/10	23/8	15/8	26/11	23/17
New Orleans	72/12	23/10	23/2	14/2	35/13
at USF					
Troy					
Southern					
Central Arkansas					
at Georgia					
Vanderbilt					
at Florida					
Ole Miss					
Alabama					
at Texas A&M					
Kentucky					
South Carolina					
at Vanderbilt					
Tennessee					
at Arkansas					
at Ole Miss					
Auburn					
at Alabama					
at LSU					
Missouri					
Total	110/22	46/18	38/10	40/13	58/30
Totals/Game	55.0/11.0	23.0/9.0	19.0/5.0	20.0/6.5	29.0/15.0



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MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

SCORING BREAKDOWN

MISSISSIPPI STATE

	PTS	OPP	DATE
Highest Scoring Quarter	34 (2nd)	Jackson State	11/29
Lowest Scoring Quarter	14 (1st)	Jackson State	11/29
	14 (4th)	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring Half	57 (1st)	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring Half	40 (1st)	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 1st Quarter	25	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 1st Quarter	14	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 2nd Quarter	32	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 2nd Quarter	26	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 1st Half	57	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 1st Half	40	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 3rd Quarter	34	Jackson State	11/29
Lowest Scoring 3rd Quarter	26	New Orleans	12/2

Highest Scoring 4th Quarter	23	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 4th Quarter	14	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 2nd Half	49	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 2nd Half	48	Jackson State	11/29

OPPONENT

	PTS	OPP	DATE
Highest Scoring Quarter	25 (4th)	Jackson State	11/29
Lowest Scoring Quarter	4 (1st)	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring Half	39 (2nd)	Jackson State	11/29
Lowest Scoring Half	19 (1st)	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 1st Quarter	9	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 1st Quarter	4	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 2nd Quarter	19	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 2nd Quarter	15	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 1st Half	28	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 1st Half	19	Jackson State	11/29

Highest Scoring 3rd Quarter	14	Jackson State	11/29
	14	New Orleans	12/2
Lowest Scoring 3rd Quarter	14	Jackson State	11/29
	14	New Orleans	12/2

Highest Scoring 4th Quarter	25	Jackson State	11/29
Lowest Scoring 4th Quarter	9	New Orleans	12/2

Highest Scoring 2nd Half	39	Jackson State	11/29
Lowest Scoring 2nd Half	23	New Orleans	12/2

CUMULATIVE SCORING BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
MSU	39	58	60	37	0	194
OPP	13	34	28	34	0	109

SCORING AVERAGE BY QUARTER

	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
MSU	19.5	29.0	30.0	18.5	0.0	97.0
OPP	6.5	17.0	14.0	17.0	0.0	54.5

MSU SINGLE GAME HIGHS/LOWS

HIGHS

STAT	VALUE	OPPONENT	DATE
Points	106	New Orleans	12/2
FG Made	44	New Orleans	12/2
FG Attempts	78	Jackson State	11/29
FG Pct.	.629	New Orleans	12/2
3-pt FG Made	12	Jackson State	11/29
3-pt FG Attempts	29	Jackson State	11/29
3-pt FG Pct.	.414	Jackson State	11/29
FT Made	13	New Orleans	12/2
FT Attempts	20	Jackson State	11/29
FT Pct.	.722	New Orleans	12/2
Rebounds	55	Jackson State	11/29
Assists	23	Jackson State	11/29
Steals	10	Jackson State	11/29
Blocks	9	Jackson State	11/29
Turnovers	14	Jackson State	11/29
Fouls	23	Jackson State	11/29

LOWS

STAT	VALUE	OPPONENT	DATE
Points	88	Jackson State	11/29
FG Made	32	Jackson State	11/29
FG Attempts	70	New Orleans	12/2
FG Pct.	.410	Jackson State	11/29
3-pt FG Made	5	New Orleans	12/2
3-pt FG Attempts	15	New Orleans	12/2
3-pt FG Pct.	.333	New Orleans	12/2
FT Made	12	Jackson State	11/29
FT Attempts	18	New Orleans	12/2
FT Pct.	.600	Jackson State	11/29
Rebounds	51	New Orleans	12/2
Assists	22	New Orleans	12/2
Steals	7	New Orleans	12/2
Blocks	2	New Orleans	12/2
Turnovers	11	New Orleans	12/2
Fouls	17	New Orleans	12/2

OPP. SINGLE GAME HIGHS/LOWS

HIGHS

STAT	VALUE	OPPONENT	DATE
Points	58	Jackson State	11/29
FG Made	18	Jackson State	11/29
FG Attempts	58	Jackson State	11/29
FG Pct.	.321	New Orleans	12/2
3-pt FG Made	6	Jackson State	11/29
3-pt FG Attempts	19	New Orleans	12/2
3-pt FG Pct.	.375	Jackson State	11/29
FT Made	16	Jackson State	11/29
FT Attempts	26	Jackson State	11/29
FT Pct.	.722	New Orleans	12/2
Rebounds	41	Jackson State	11/29
Assists	8 (2x)	New Orleans	12/2
Steals	5 (2x)	New Orleans	12/2
Blocks	2	Jackson State	11/29
Turnovers	19	Jackson State	11/29
Fouls	20	New Orleans	12/2

LOWS

STAT	VALUE	OPPONENT	DATE
Points	51	New Orleans	12/2
FG Made	17	New Orleans	12/2
FG Attempts	53	New Orleans	12/2
FG Pct.	.310	Jackson State	11/29
3-pt FG Made	4	New Orleans	12/2
3-pt FG Attempts	116	Jackson State	11/29
3-pt FG Pct.	.211	New Orleans	12/2
FT Made	13	New Orleans	12/2
FT Attempts	18	New Orleans	12/2
FT Pct.	.615	Jackson State	11/29
Rebounds	16	New Orleans	12/2
Assists	8 (2x)	New Orleans	12/2
Steals	5 (2x)	New Orleans	12/2
Blocks	1	New Orleans	12/2
Turnovers	16	New Orleans	12/2
Fouls	18	Jackson State	11/29



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MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

GAME 1

JACKSON STATE
6/7 MISSISSIPPI ST.

58
88

NOVEMBER 29, 2020 • STARKVILLE, MISS.

Official Basketball Box Score - Final
Jackson St. at Mississippi St.
11/29/20 Humphrey Coliseum, Starkville
2020-21 Mississippi State Women's Basketball

Game Time: 3:00 PM
Game Duration: 2:19

Officials:

Jackson St. - 58

Record: 0-1

NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	Fouls PF FD	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks BS BA	++
35 Cherelle Jones	F 06:55	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	2 0 0	0	0	1 1	0 0	-7	
4 Ameshya Williams	C 20:47	4-14	0-0	1-2	2 4 6	2 1 9	0	4	0 1	2 2	-26	
12 Jariyah Covington	G 21:36	4-7	1-1	3-6	0 3 3	4 3 12	2	1	1 0	2 2	-18	
20 Jiniya Tallie	G 24:22	1-3	1-3	1-2	2 1 3	0 3 4	3	1	0 0	0 0	-40	
24 Dayzsha Rogan	G 28:33	5-15	3-6	3-4	0 3 3	2 3 16	0	2	0 0	3 3	-33	
10 Keshuna Luckett	22:23	0-2	0-0	2-2	0 2 2	2 2 2	2	3	0 0	1 1	-5	
2 Antionette Womack	16:56	0-2	0-0	2-4	0 1 1	1 4 2	1	0	2 0	1 1	-7	
30 Diamond Forrest	12:52	0-3	0-1	0-0	1 1 2	0 0 0	0	3	1 0	0 0	-15	
13 Elvis Peyton	14:27	1-4	1-2	2-2	0 2 2	1 2 5	0	1	0 0	0 0	-15	
3 D'Asia Mitchell	07:48	0-2	0-0	0 2 2	2 0 0	0 0 0	0	0	0 0	0 0	-1	
1 T'lan Boler	11:11	1-4	0-1	1-2	0 3 3	1 3 3	0	1	0 0	0 0	-3	
22 LaGenesis Johnson	06:46	1-1	0-0	0-0	4 0 4	0 1 2	0	1	0 1	0 1	8	
32 Jasmine Edwards	03:57	1-1	0-0	0-0	2 0 2	1 0 2	0	0	0 0	0 0	9	
23 Che'Mya Carouthers	01:27	0-0	0-0	1-2	0 0 0	0 1 1	0	0	0 0	0 0	3	
Team					4 3 7		0	1				
Totals		18-58	6-16	16-26	11 30 41	18 23 58	8	19	5 2 9	-30		

Technical Fouls: NONE

Mississippi St. - 88

Record: 1-0

NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	Fouls PF FD	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks BS BA	++
4 Jessica Carter	F 22:41	6-8	0-0	2-4	1 2 3	1 3 14	0	2	0 5	0 28		
5 Rickea Jackson	F 28:14	8-18	3-6	0-2	2 5 7	1 4 19	4	2	0 2	0 29		
10 Sidney Cooks	F 17:12	3-8	2-5	0-0	1 3 4	1 1 8	2	1	0 1	1 15		
0 JalMya Mingo-Young	G 24:02	3-4	2-2	5-5	1 8 9	3 3 13	5	2	2 0	0 16		
1 Myah Taylor	G 23:58	4-8	3-4	0-0	0 5 5	3 2 11	7	0	4 0	0 35		
20 Yemiyah Morris	13:40	2-10	0-0	0-0	3 2 5	4 0 4	0	1	0 1	0 0	-3	
21 Madison Hayes	21:53	3-5	1-2	1-2	4 5 9	1 1 8	3	2	1 0	0 9		
23 Caterion Thompson	18:37	2-7	1-6	1-2	0 2 2	3 1 6	0	1	1 0	0 14		
3 Aliyah Matharu	22:26	1-8	0-3	1-3	4 0 4	3 2 3	2	3	2 0	1 16		
22 Charlotte Kohl	07:17	0-2	0-1	2-2	2 1 3	3 1 2	0	0	0 0	0 0	-9	
Team					3 1 4		0	0				
Totals		32-78	12-29	12-20	21 34 55	23 18 88	23	14	10 9 2	30		

Technical Fouls: NONE

	JSU	MSU
Biggest lead	0 (1 st 10:00)	43 (3 rd 0:22)
Best Scoring Run	13 (4 th 0:22)	13 (3 rd 9:18)
Lead Changes	0	
Times Tied	0	
Time with Lead	00:00	38:43

Points from	JSU	MSU
Turnovers	8	23
Paint	10	38
Second Chance	8	15
Fast Breaks	11	26
Bench	17	23

Shooting By Period	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	GM
FG%	5-18 27.8%	3-9 33.3%	1-2 50%	6-23 26.1%	16-58 27.6%
3P%	0-0 0%	1-2 50%	0-0 0%	1-6 16.7%	2-16 12.5%
FT%	2-4 50%	5-5 100%	0-0 0%	1-2 50%	8-20 40%
GM FG%	16-58 27.6%	3-9 33.3%	1-2 50%	6-23 26.1%	16-58 27.6%
GM 3P%	0-0 0%	1-2 50%	0-0 0%	1-6 16.7%	2-16 12.5%
GM FT%	2-4 50%	5-5 100%	0-0 0%	1-2 50%	8-20 40%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 3, 0

GAME 2

NEW ORLEANS
6/7 MISSISSIPPI ST.

51
106

DECEMBER 2, 2020 • STARKVILLE, MISS.

Official Basketball Box Score - Final
New Orleans at Mississippi St.
12/02/20 Humphrey Coliseum, Starkville
2020-21 Mississippi State Women's Basketball

Game Time: 7:00 PM
Game Duration: 1:46

Officials: Gina Cross, Chaney Munch, Nitesha Orry

New Orleans - 51

Record: 1-1

NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	Fouls PF FD	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks BS BA	++
24 Erin Randle	F 29:46	4-7	2-3	0-0	1 5 6	4 0 10	0	1	0 0	0 0	-37	
31 Zoe Cooper	F 27:39	1-6	0-0	2-2	0 0 0	4 1 4	1	3	2 1	1 1	-38	
1 Jada Duncantell	G 27:49	4-7	1-2	0-0	0 0 0	3 2 9	3	4	0 0	0 0	-31	
21 Mia Deck	G 25:27	1-10	0-6	2-2	0 1 1	3 4 4	1	0	1 0	0 0	-29	
23 Dionhae Thomas	G 29:55	3-9	0-3	5-8	0 2 2	3 5 11	2	3	0 0	0 0	-32	
5 Traya Bruce	29:50	3-7	1-3	0-0	0 1 1	3 1 7	0	0	1 0	0 0	-52	
32 Brianna Ellis	10:54	0-3	0-1	2-2	0 0 0	0 1 2	0	3	0 0	1 21		
25 Mary Delgado	14:42	1-3	0-0	2-4	1 2 3	0 3 4	1	2	1 0	0 0	-27	
00 Jacqueline Dianis	03:58	0-1	0-1	0-0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	0	0 0	0 0	-8	
Team					2 1 3		0	0				
Totals		17-53	4-19	13-18	4 12 16	20 17 51	8	16	5 1 2	-55		

Technical Fouls: NONE

Shooting By Period	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	GM
FG%	4-12 33.3%	1-5 20.0%	8-10 80%	3-15 20.0%	16-53 30.2%
3P%	0-0 0%	0-0 0%	5-12 41.7%	3-15 20.0%	8-27 29.6%
FT%	2-2 100%	5-8 62.5%	3-6 50%	1-7 14.3%	11-23 47.8%
GM FG%	4-12 33.3%	1-5 20.0%	8-10 80%	3-15 20.0%	16-53 30.2%
GM 3P%	0-0 0%	0-0 0%	5-12 41.7%	3-15 20.0%	8-27 29.6%
GM FT%	2-2 100%	5-8 62.5%	3-6 50%	1-7 14.3%	11-23 47.8%

Dead Ball Rebounds: 2, 0

Mississippi St. - 106

Record: 2-0

NO. Name	Min	FG M-A	3P M-A	FT M-A	Rebounds OR DR TOT	Fouls PF FD	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks BS BA	++
4 Jessica Carter	F 21:55	9-12	0-0	5-7	2 8 10	1 5 23	3	2	0 0	0 30		
5 Rickea Jackson	F 27:10	7-16	1-4	1-2	2 3 5	3 2 16	0	2	0 0	0 36		
10 Sidney Cooks	F 18:02	4-7	1-3	0-0	2 1 3	0 0 9	4	1	0 0	0 13		
0 JalMya Mingo-Young	G 24:56	6-9	0-0	2-2	3 5 8	2 4 18	5	0	2 0	0 32		
1 Myah Taylor	G 29:04	2-4	1-3	0-0	0 3 3	0 3 5	5	1	2 0	0 41		
20 Yemiyah Morris	16:29	6-8	0-0	2-2	2 4 6	1 1 14	0	1	0 1	0 39		
21 Madison Hayes	17:36	2-5	0-2	3-5	3 5 8	4 4 7	2	0	0 0	1 29		
23 Caterion Thompson	20:38	2-3	2-3	0-0	0 3 3	1 1 6	1	0	1 0	0 33		
3 Aliyah Matharu	18:34	4-6	0-0	0-0	2 2 4	4 0 8	2	2	2 1	0 20		
22 Charlotte Kohl	05:36	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	1 0 1	0	0	2 0	0 0	2	
Team					0 1 1		0	0				
Totals		44-70	5-15	13-18	16 35 51	17 20 106	22	11	7 2 1	55		

Technical Fouls: NONE

	UNO	MSU
Biggest lead	1 (1 st 7:47)	55 (4 th 0:49)
Best Scoring Run	6 (4 th 8:58)	15 (3 rd 1:24)
Lead Changes	2	
Times Tied	1	
Time with Lead	00:18	38:10

Points from	UNO	MSU
Turnovers	10	23
Paint	12	72
Second Chance	2	23
Fast Breaks	2	14
Bench	13	35

Period by Period Scoring	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	TOT
UNO	9	19	14	9	51
MSU	25	32	26	23	106

GAME 3

MISSISSIPPI ST.
SOUTH FLORIDA

DECEMBER 5, 2020 • TAMPA, FLA.

GAME 4

TROY
MISSISSIPPI ST.

DECEMBER 14, 2020 • STARKVILLE, MISS.



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MISSISSIPPI STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



2020-21 Mississippi St. Women's Basketball Combined Team Statistics All games

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Game Records

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

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Mississippi St.	39	58	60	37	0	194
Opponents	13	34	28	34	0	109

Team Box Score

No. Player					Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds													
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG		
4	CARTER, Jessika	2-2	44:36	22.3	15-20	.750	0-0	.000	7-11	.636	3	10	13	6.5	2	0	3	4	5	0	37	18.5		
5	JACKSON, Rickea	2-2	55:24	27.7	15-34	.441	4-10	.400	1-4	.250	4	8	12	6.0	4	0	4	4	2	0	35	17.5		
0	MINGO-YOUNG, JaMya	2-2	48:58	24.5	11-13	.846	2-2	1.000	7-7	1.000	4	13	17	8.5	5	0	10	2	0	4	31	15.5		
20	MORRIS, Yemiyah	2-0	30:09	15.1	8-18	.444	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	5	6	11	5.5	5	0	0	2	2	0	18	9.0		
10	COOKS, Sidney	2-2	35:14	17.6	7-15	.467	3-8	.375	0-0	.000	3	4	7	3.5	1	0	6	2	1	0	17	8.5		
1	TAYLOR, Myah	2-2	53:02	26.5	6-12	.500	4-7	.571	0-0	.000	0	8	8	4.0	3	0	12	1	0	6	16	8.0		
21	HAYES, Madison	2-0	39:29	19.7	5-10	.500	1-4	.250	4-7	.571	7	10	17	8.5	5	0	5	2	0	1	15	7.5		
23	THOMPSON, Caterion	2-0	39:15	19.6	4-10	.400	3-9	.333	1-2	.500	0	5	5	2.5	4	0	1	1	0	2	12	6.0		
3	MATHARU, Aliyah	2-0	41:00	20.5	5-14	.357	0-3	.000	1-3	.333	6	2	8	4.0	7	0	4	5	1	4	11	5.5		
22	KOHL, Charlotte	2-0	12:53	6.4	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	2	1	3	1.5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	1.0		
Team											3	2	5											
Total		2	400		76-148	.514	17-44	.386	25-38	.658	37	69	106	53.0	40	0	45	25	11	17	194	97.0		
Opponents		2	400		35-111	.315	10-35	.286	29-44	.659	15	42	57	28.5	38	0	16	35	3	10	109	54.5		

Team Statistics

	MSU	OPP
Scoring	194	109
Points per game	97.0	54.5
Scoring margin	+42.5	-
Field goals-att	76-148	35-111
Field goal pct	.514	.315
3 point fg-att	17-44	10-35
3-point FG pct	.386	.286
3-pt FG made per game	8.5	5.0
Free throws-att	25-38	29-44
Free throw pct	.658	.659
F-Throws made per game	12.5	14.5
Rebounds	106	57
Rebounds per game	53.0	28.5
Rebounding margin	+24.5	-
Assists	45	16
Assists per game	22.5	8.0
Turnovers	25	35
Turnovers per game	12.5	17.5
Turnover margin	+5.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.8	0.5
Steals	17	10
Steals per game	8.5	5.0
Blocks	11	3
Blocks per game	5.5	1.5
Winning streak	2	-
Home win streak	2	-
Attendance	1782	0
Home games-Avg/Game	2-891	0-0
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/29/2020	Jackson St.	W	88-58	0
12/02/2020	New Orleans	W	106-51	1782



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JaMya Mingo-Young 0

Guard | 5-8
Sophomore
Bogalusa, La. (Loranger)
Major: Kinesiology (Clinical Exercise Physiology)

» HIGHLIGHTS

- One of the most improved players on the roster.
- Set career highs in points (18), rebounds (9) and assists (5) during the first two games of the season.
- Best performance last season was at No. 1 South Carolina, where she posted 14 points on 6-of-10 shooting.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	15.5	8.5	5.0	.846	1.000	1.000
CAREER	5.1	2.6	1.7	.459	.368	.865



Myah Taylor 1

Guard | 5-7
Redshirt Junior
Olive Branch, Miss. (Olive Branch)
Major: Accounting

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Named to the Nancy Lieberman Award preseason watch list.
- Will look to be more of a scoring threat for the Bulldogs this season; Knocked down a career-best three 3-pointers in season opener.
- Leads all players in Division I with a 12.00 assist/turnover ratio; Ranked eighth in the country in the category last season.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	8.0	4.0	6.0	.500	.571	.000
CAREER	4.4	1.2	3.2	.427	.288	.664



Aliyah Matharu 3

uh-LEE-yuh muh-THAR-oo
Guard | 5-7 | Sophomore
Washington, D.C. (Bishop McNamara)
Major: Undeclared

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Posted 11 double-digit scoring efforts as a freshman.
- Ranked second on team in threes made (33) last year.
- 2x SEC Freshman of the Week selection.
- Started two games during her freshman campaign.

	PPG	RPG	SPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	5.5	4.0	2.0	.357	.000	.333
CAREER	7.0	1.9	0.9	.446	.367	.611



Jessika Carter 4

Forward | 6-5
Junior
Waverly Hall, Ga. (Harris County)
Major: Kinesiology (Physical Ed & Coaching)

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Named to the Naismith Trophy, Wade Trophy and Katrina McClain Award preseason watch lists.
- Ranks fourth in career blocks per game (1.4) and sixth in total blocks (97) in MSU history; Second in career field goal percentage (.572).
- Owns 12 career double-doubles.
- Ranked 13th in the country and 2nd in the SEC in FG% (.585) last year.

	PPG	RPG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	18.5	6.5	2.5	.750	.000	.636
CAREER	8.2	5.8	1.4	.572	.000	.663



Rickea Jackson 5

Ri-KEY-uh
Forward | 6-2 | Sophomore
Detroit, Mich. (Detroit Edison PSA)
Major: Communication (Broadcasting)

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Named to the Naismith Trophy, Wade Trophy, Wooden Award and Cheryl Miller Award preseason watch lists; Also tabbed to the coaches preseason All-SEC first team and the preseason All-SEC team by the media.
- Owns eight performances with 20-plus points and one 30-point game.
- Team leader in scoring (15.1 ppg) last year, scoring double digits 23 times.
- Second Team All-SEC selection as a freshman after ranking fifth among all players in scoring (16.5 ppg) and eighth in FG% (.480) during SEC play.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	17.5	6.0	2.0	.441	.400	.250
CAREER	15.2	5.2	1.3	.480	.415	.706



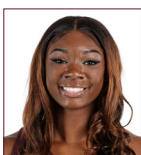
Sidney Cooks 10

Center | 6-4
Redshirt Junior
Kenosha, Wis. (Michigan State)
Major: Kinesiology (Political Science)

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Sat out the 2019-20 season due to transfer rules.
- One of three former McDonald's All-Americans on the roster (Madison Hayes, Rickea Jackson).
- Plays center but is very efficient from beyond the arc, knocking down 54 3-pointers at a 38-percent clip for her career.
- Averaged 9.5 ppg and 4.7 rpg during her two seasons at Michigan State.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	8.5	3.5	3.0	.467	.375	.000
CAREER	9.5	4.5	1.2	.485	.375	.783



Xaria Wiggins 11

ZAR-ee-ah
Guard | 6-1 | Junior
Virginia Beach, Va. (Princess Anne HS)
Major: Psychology

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Athletic guard that can drive the ball or shoot from the perimeter and is an all-around player.
- Solid role player off the bench that has shown ability to be a great defender; can guard 1-4 positions.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	3.6	1.5	1.0	.344	.315	.638



Yemiyah Morris 20

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Center | 6-6 | Senior
San Bernardino, Calif. (Cochise College [Ariz.])
Major: Interdisciplinary Studies

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Went off against Kentucky in the semifinals of the SEC Tournament last season, dropping 11 points, 10 rebounds and 5 blocks.
- Posted five games of three or more blocks last season.
- Ranked second on the team in blocks (31) in 2019-20.

	PPG	RPG	BPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	9.0	5.5	1.0	.444	.000	1.0
CAREER	3.7	2.6	1.1	.602	.000	.533



Madison Hayes 21

Guard | 6-0
Freshman
Chattanooga, Tenn. (East Hamilton)
Major: Communication (Broadcasting)

» HIGHLIGHTS

- One of three former McDonald's All-Americans on the roster (Sidney Cooks, Rickea Jackson).
- Rated as a five star and No. 28 player in the country by ESPNW, ranked No. 7 guard in the class of 2020.
- Named the 2020 Tennessee Gatorade Player of the Year.
- Helped Team USA win the 2019 FIBA 3x3 U18 World Cup, where she was teammates with current Bulldog Rickea Jackson.
- Amassed 3,055 points, 1,583 rebounds, 459 assists, 457 steals and 241 blocks during her four-year prep career.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	7.5	8.5	2.5	.500	.250	.571
CAREER	7.5	8.5	2.5	.500	.250	.571



Charlotte Kohl 22

Center | 6-5
Freshman
Giessen, Germany (Theo Koch Schule)
Major: Psychology

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Member of the German National U16 and U18 Teams as well as the 3X3 U18 National Team.
- Participated in the German National U18 League at 14 years old.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	1.0	1.5	0.0	.000	.000	1.000
CAREER	1.0	1.5	0.0	.000	.000	1.000



Caterion Thompson 23

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Guard | 5-11 | Graduate
Lima, Ohio (Bowling Green)
Major: Workforce Education Leadership

» HIGHLIGHTS

- Provides a three-point threat for State off the bench; Knocked down 118 career 3-pointers.
- Ranked second in scoring for Bowling Green with 13.7 ppg and averaged 5.3 rebounds, 1.9 assists and 1.0 steals per game last year.
- Scored in double digits a team-high 23 times, including eight games of 20 points or more, as a redshirt junior.

	PPG	RPG	APG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2020-21	6.0	2.5	0.5	.400	.333	.500
CAREER	8.2	3.2	1.0	.378	.359	.700



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