

UTEP MINERS FOOTBALL

UTEP at LA Tech | 6 p.m. MDT | Tuesday, Oct. 22, 2024 | Joe Aillet Stadium (28,562) | Ruston, La.

POSTGAME NOTES

GAME NOTES

FINAL: UTEP 10, LA Tech 14

- Announced attendance was 15,168

QUICK HITS

- UTEP was penalized two times, making it only eight penalties in its last four road games and only 11 in the Miners' last five games overall.
- UTEP finished 2-of-4 on fourth-down conversions.

BLUE BLAZE OFFENSE

- RB **Jevon Jackson** rushed for 112 yards on 22 rushes, his second consecutive 100-yard game.
- **Jevon Jackson's** 100-yard game was the third straight game in which a UTEP player hit the century mark in rushing, which hadn't happened since the 2014 season when RB **Aaron Jones** opened the campaign with three straight games of 100+ rushing yards.
- MB **Kam Thomas** took a pass 47 yards to the house, making it his second touchdown this season. Thomas led the Miners with 67 yards on five receptions.
- QB **JP Pickles**, a true freshman, played in his first collegiate game, rushing for 53 yards on 12 attempts (4.4 avg.).

ORANGE SWARM DEFENSE

- UTEP's "Orange Swarm" allowed only seven yards rushing. It was the lowest total allowed since yielding seven yards at ULM in 2020. It's tied for the seventh-lowest rushing yards allowed in school history.
- Bandit **Maurice Westmoreland** tallied a season-high 2.0 sacks, making it four consecutive games in which he recorded at least a half sack. Westmoreland has registered 4.5 sacks the last four games. It's the first time in his career Westmoreland has tallied sacks in four consecutive games.
- Westmoreland is the first Miner to tally at least a half sack in four straight games since DE **Jadrian Taylor** did so in 2022.
- Spur **Kory Chapman** led the Miners with eight tackles, collected a career-high 3.5 tackles for loss and added a sack. Chapman now has 2.5 sacks in 2024.
- DL **Kyran Duhon** recorded his second of the season during the season quarter.

WEFENSE

- K **Buzz Flabiano** connected on a 44-yard field goal. Flabiano has connected on five FGs of 40+ yards in 2024 and six in his career.
- P **Adam Jacklin** booted a 58-yard punt.
- MB **Kam Thomas** tallied a 19-yard punt return.