

# UC DAVIS

## 2025 FOOTBALL GAME NOTES GAME 2 - SATURDAY, SEPT. 6

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### AGGIEHITS

1. The Aggies mounted their biggest comeback since 2018 with their win at Utah Tech, coming back from 17-points down late in the third quarter to win 31-24
2. Caden Pinnick, who threw for 253 yards and three touchdowns at Utah Tech, was named the Stats Perform FCS National Freshman Player of the Week
3. Preseason All-American Rex Connors finished with a game high 15 total tackles in the win at Utah Tech, earning him Big Sky Defensive Player of the Week honors
4. Rex Connors enters Saturday's game within reach of setting an Aggie program record for total career tackles. Currently at 279 total career tackles, Connors' 12th tackle on Saturday would be the record breaking 291st of his career.

### QUICKFACTS

Location..... Davis, Calif.  
Founded..... 1905  
Enrollment..... 40,848  
Nickname..... Aggies  
Colors..... Blue & Gold  
Conference..... Big Sky  
Affiliation..... NCAA Division I FCS  
Chancellor..... Dr. Gary S. May  
Dir. of Ath..... Rocko DeLuca (Colorado '99)  
Home Field..... UC Davis Health Stadium  
Capacity..... 10,743  
Surface..... Shaw Sports Turf  
First Year..... 1915  
All-Time Record..... 560-442-33  
All-Time Big Sky Record..... 51-50  
Big Sky Championships (last)..... 1 (2018)  
UC Davis Health Stadium Record..... 54-38

### UCDAVISCOACHES

#### ON THE FIELD

Tim Plough..... Head Coach  
Paul Shelton..... Offensive Coordinator  
Matt Coombs..... Defensive Coordinator  
Taylor Chapatte..... Special Teams Coordinator (TE)  
Mike Cody..... Assistant Coach (OL)  
Jerry Brady..... Jane and Fred Arp Defensive Line Coach  
Evan Hicks..... Assistant Coach (S)  
DuMaurier Jordan..... Assistant Coach (CB)  
Kevin Burke..... Assistant Coach (RB)

#### IN THE BOX

Austin Taylor..... Assistant Coach (ILB)  
Stiles Satterlee..... Assistant Coach (Offense)  
Trey Shimabukuro..... Assistant Coach (WR)  
Nick Murray..... Quality Control  
Steven Wynn..... Quality Control  
Jackson Cloyd..... Quality Control  
Chad Larkin..... Quality Control



### NO. 8 UC DAVIS **AGGIES** (1-0, 0-0 BIG SKY)

Head Coach: Tim Plough (UC Davis '08) | @vintageplough

Record at UC Davis: 12-3 (second season) | Career Record: Same

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### WASHINGTON **HUSKIES** (1-0, 0-0 BIG TEN)

Head Coach: Jedd Fisch (Florida, '98)

Record at Washington: 7-7 (second season) | Career Record: 24-29 (sixth season)

SEPT. 6, 2025 | 8 P.M. | SEATTLE, WASH. | ALASKA AIRLINES FIELD AT HUSKY STADIUM (70,138)

Series History: 0-0 (1st meeting)

In Davis: 0-0 | In Seattle: 0-0 | Plough vs. Washington: 0-0

First Meeting: N/A | Last Meeting: N/A

BIG TEN NETWORK: AJ Kanell (PxP) | Marcel Reese (analyst)

KHTK 1140 AM (FLAGSHIP): Scott Marsh (PxP) | Scott Gordon (analyst)

### 2025 STATISTICAL LEADERS

RUSHING	GP	ATT	NET	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Jordan Fisher	1	16	105	6.6	1	66	105.0
Matteo Perez	1	7	49	7.0	0	15	49.0
Caden Pinnick	1	14	14	1.0	0	10	14.0

PASSING	GP	C-A-I	PCT	YDS	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Caden Pinnick	1	21-31-1	67.7	253	3	60	253.0

RECEIVING	GP	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	1	4	93	23.3	2	60	93.0
Stacy Dobbins	1	6	71	11.8	0	31	71.0
Zach Jones	1	3	34	11.3	1	14	34.0

TACKLES	GP	UT	AT	TT	TFL/YDS	SACKS/YDS	INT
Rex Connors	1	8	7	15.0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0
Porter Connors	1	3	7	10.0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0
Khalani Riddick	1	5	2	7.0	0.0/0	0.0/0	0
Nate Rutchena	1	3	3	6.0	1.0/5	0.0/0	1

### 2025 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	NOTES
Aug. 23	vs. No. 11 Mercer <sup>^</sup> ESPN	NO CONTEST	UC Davis led 23-17 with 7:46 to go in the game when weather hit
Aug. 30	at Utah Tech <sup>BIG10 NETWORK</sup>	W, 31-24	The Aggies rallied from 17-points down, scoring 24 unanswered points to win
Sept. 6	at Washington <sup>BIG10 NETWORK</sup>	8:00 p.m. UC Davis will face off with the Huskies for the first time in program history	
SEPT. 21	SOUTHERN UTAH <sup>ESPN</sup>	7:00 P.M.	The Aggies are 46-24-2 all-time in home openers
SEPT. 27	WEBER STATE <sup>ESPN</sup>	7:00 P.M.	UC Davis hosts Weber State for the first time since 2022
Oct. 4	at Cal Poly <sup>ESPN</sup>	5:00 p.m.	The Aggies have won the past eight-straight matchups with Cal Poly
OCT. 11	NO. 19 N. ARIZONA <sup>HC   ESPN</sup>	4:00 P.M.	UC Davis is 4-1 in its last five homecoming games
Oct. 25	at Northern Colo. <sup>ESPN</sup>	12:00 p.m. PT	The Aggies are 8-2 in their past 10 matchups against the Bears
NOV. 1	IDAHO STATE <sup>ESPN</sup>	1:00 P.M.	UC Davis is 4-0 all-time at home against Idaho State
Nov. 8	at No. 12 Idaho <sup>ESPN</sup>	4:00 p.m.	UC Davis has a five-game winning streak over Idaho
Nov. 15	at No. 2 Montana State <sup>ESPN2</sup>	7:15 p.m. PT	For the second-straight season the Aggies will be on ESPN2
NOV. 22	NO. 15 SACRAMENTO STATE <sup>ESPN</sup>	1:00 P.M.	The Aggies have won the past two Causeway Classics

Home Game in **BOLD CAPS** | <sup>1</sup> - Big Sky Conference Game; <sup>HC</sup> - Homecoming; <sup>^</sup> - Montgomery, Ala. (FCS Kickoff Classic) | All times listed are Pacific and subject to change

## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES - HEAD COACH TIM PLOUGH

### TIM PLOUGH VS. ALL OPPONENTS

California	0-1
<b>Cal Poly</b>	<b>1-0</b>
Eastern Washington	1-0
<b>Idaho</b>	<b>1-0</b>
<b>Idaho State</b>	<b>0-0</b>
Illinois State	1-0
Portland State	1-0
<b>Mercer</b>	<b>0-0</b>
Montana	1-0
<b>Montana State</b>	<b>0-1</b>
<b>Northern Arizona</b>	<b>0-0</b>
<b>Northern Colorado</b>	<b>1-0</b>
<b>Sacramento State</b>	<b>1-0</b>
South Dakota	0-1
<b>Southern Utah</b>	<b>1-0</b>
East Texas A&M	1-0
<b>Utah Tech</b>	<b>2-0</b>
<b>Washington</b>	<b>0-0</b>
<b>Weber State</b>	<b>0-0</b>

\*Bolted teams indicate 2025 opponents

### TEAM INFORMATION

Offensive Coordinator	Paul Shelton
Defensive Coordinator	Matt Coombs
Special Teams Coord. (Tight Ends)	Taylor Chapatte
Assistant Coach (Offensive Line)	Mike Cody
Assistant Coach (Safeties)	Evan Hicks
Assistant Coach (Inside Linebackers)	Austin Taylor
Jane and Fred Arp Defensive Line Coach	Jerry Brady
Assistant Coach (Cornerbacks)	DuMaurier Jordan
Assistant Coach (Running Backs)	Kevin Burke
Assistant Coach (Wide Receivers)	Trey Shimabukuro
Assistant Coach (Offense)	Stiles Satterlee
Director of Football Operations	Matt Kitchen
Assistant Director of Football Ops.	Alex Agnew
Offensive Quality Control (Offensive Line)	Jackson Cloyd
Defensive Quality Control	Chad Larkin
Defense Quality Control	Nick Murray
Special Teams Quality Control	Steven Wynn
Video Coordinator	Ryan Springer
2024 Record	11-3
2024 Big Sky Record	7-1
2024 Postseason	1-1
Primary Offense	Pro Style
Primary Defense	3-4
First Year	1915
All-Time Record	560-442-33
All-Time Big Sky Record	51-50
Big Sky Championships (Last)	1 (2018)
NCAA Tournament Appearances (Last)	24 (2024)
Division I Appearances (Record)	3 (2-3)
Division II Appearances (Record)	21 (15-21)
Lettermen Returning (O/D/ST)	26/15/3
Lettermen Lost (O/D/ST)	15/24/4
Offensive Starters Returning	8
Defensive Starters Returning	5
Specialists Returning	3
Offensive Two-Deep Players Returning	13
Defensive Two-Deep Players Returning	7

### STADIUM INFORMATION

First Game	Sept. 1, 2007 (21-28 vs. Western Wash.)
Largest Crowd	Sept. 21, 2024 (32-14 vs. Utah Tech)

### COACHING EXPERIENCE

#### Head Coach

#### UC Davis, 2024-Pres.

2024 Eddie Robinson Award Finalist  
2024 AFCA Region Five Coach of the Year  
2024 NCAA Division I FCS Playoffs Second Round  
2024 NCAA Division I FCS Playoffs Quarterfinals

#### Assistant Coach

#### California, 2023

Tight Ends

#### Assistant Coach

#### Boise State, 2021-22

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks

#### Associate Head Coach

#### UC Davis, 2019-20

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks

#### Assistant Coach

#### UC Davis, 2017-18

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks

2018 FCS Playoffs (Quarterfinals)

#### Northern Arizona, 2013-16

2013 FCS Playoffs (First Round)

Wide Receivers (2013-14)

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks (2015-16)

#### UC Davis, 2009-12

Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks (2010-12)

#### UC Davis, 2008

#### Assistant Coach

#### Assistant Coach

#### Student Assistant

### PLAYING EXPERIENCE

#### UC Davis, 2004-07

Four-year letter winner (2004-07)

Played quarterback, started 2007

Tim Plough returned to his alma mater to become the 18th head coach in UC Davis football history in December of 2023. During 2024, the Aggies set a new bar for excellence and under the first year tutelage of Plough UC Davis won a school record 11 games, going 11-3 to finish No. 5 in the nation, the highest in the program's FCS history. UC Davis would go on to reach the quarterfinals of the NCAA FCS Playoffs, getting a second round home game win over No. 12 Illinois State after earning a first round bye as one of the best programs in the nation. Plough's 11-3 record was the best for a first-year head coach in the nation during the 2024 season and his 11 wins are the most by an Aggie first year head coach, passing legendary Aggie head coach Bob Biggs. Plough was honored for his first year successes by being named the AFCA Region Five Coach of the Year and an Eddie Robinson Award finalist. Individually, under Plough UC Davis produced several All-Americans as Miles Hastings, David Meyer, Lan Larison and Rex Connors all earned All-American honors to give UC Davis the most All-Americans in one season in program history. UC Davis also set 19 individual records and six team records during a record setting year. The former Aggie quarterback brings a wealth of coaching experience and his brilliant offensive mind to UC Davis with 11 campaigns as an offensive coordinator under his belt. Plough came to Davis after his most recent stint as an assistant coach at Cal, where he spent the 2023 season. Prior to his time in the Bay Area, he served as the offensive coordinator and leader of the quarterback room at Boise State. He was a part of the coaching staff that recruited the highest-ranked recruiting class in program history in 2021, a group that ranked second in the Mountain West. His expertise was immediately put on display when he spearheaded the conference's top offense that ranked seventh nationally in red zone offense, scoring on 92.5% of its trips to the red zone. Under Plough's mentorship, Broncos' quarterback Hank Bachmeier reached career-high numbers in completions (252), passing yards (3,079), touchdowns (20), and passing yards-per-game (256.6). Plough oversaw the development of First Team All-MWC receiver Khalil Shakir who notched career highs of 77 catches, 1,117 receiving yards, and seven touchdowns. Plough had two separate stints at UC Davis, the most recent being his 2017-2020 stretch. He began his collegiate coaching career with the Aggies in 2008 as a student assistant and quickly climbed the ranks, becoming the offensive coordinator in 2010. He became the youngest offensive coordinator in the nation (FBS and FCS) when he was elevated into that role at the age of 25. Plough held that position through the 2012 season before moving on to Northern Arizona in 2013. Plough returned to his alma mater to become the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach for the 2017 and 2018 seasons before he was elevated to Associate Head Coach for the next two seasons while maintaining his oversight of the Aggie offense. The San Diego native orchestrated one of the top passing offenses in all of the FCS, ranking sixth nationally in passing yards-per-game (309.2) in 2019. He led the squad to Division I era records in overall (10) and (7) conference victories and grabbed a share of the Big Sky title and the program's first FCS playoff appearance in 2018. Plough was a four-year letterwinner as a quarterback for UC Davis from 2004-2007. He became the starter in 2007 for his senior season. In that season, he completed better than 64 percent of his passes for 1,355 yards and 11 touchdowns.



## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

## UC DAVIS WINS VS. FBS OPPONENTS

UC Davis all-time vs. FBS opponents, 17-82-6

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	HOME/AWAY
1926	BYU	17-0	----
1929	BYU	19-0	----
1925	Fresno State	6-0	----
1927	Fresno State	13-7	----
1928	Fresno State	13-0	----
1929	Fresno State	22-0	----
1932	Fresno State	3-0	----
1915	Nevada	14-10	----
1916	Nevada	26-7	----
1916	Nevada	24-6	----
1917	Nevada	27-7	----
1928	Nevada	6-0	----
1929	Nevada	19-0	----
1931	Nevada	12-0	----
1937	Nevada	12-0	----
1955	Nevada	26-7	A
1956	Nevada	27-19	A
1958	Nevada	14-2	H
1961	Nevada	36-12	A
10/12/62	Nevada	8-6	H
11/9/63	Nevada	14-8	A
11/6/64	Nevada	21-6	H
11/18/67	Nevada	28-20	A
11/9/68	Nevada	25-24	H
10/31/70	Nevada	35-17	H
10/23/71	Nevada	14-13	A
11/17/73	Nevada	17-6	H
11/12/77	Nevada	37-21	H
9/16/89	Nevada	24-17	A
11/11/922	San Jose State	58-0	H
10/12/29	San Jose State	13-0	A
11/14/31	San Jose State	13-0	H
8/30/18	San Jose State	44-38	A
10/2/10	San Jose State	14-13	A
9/15/05	Stanford	20-17	A
10/15/11	UTSA	38-17	H
9/2/21	TULSA	19-17	A

- Game in **BOLD** designates last win over FBS opponent

## TOP ROAD CROWDS IN PROGRAM HISTORY

1. at California, 9/4/10 .....	58,040
2. at Oregon, 9/03/16 .....	53,817
3. at Stanford, 8/30/14 .....	49,509
4. at San Diego State, 9/2/17.....	46,132
5. at Arizona State, 9/1/11 .....	45,671
6. at California, 8/31/19 .....	44,168
7. at Fresno State, 9/5/09 .....	37,267
8. at Oregon State, 9/9/23 .....	35,728
9. at California, 9/3/22 .....	34,984
10. at Boise State, 10/3/09 .....	32,497

## THE SERIES

For the first time in program history, UC Davis and Washington will meet on the gridiron in a match up set to be played in Seattle, Washington.

Saturday's game is also the first time the Aggies will face a current member of the Big Ten conference, and the second time they will see a Big Ten foe. The Aggies faced Oregon in 2016 when they were still a member of the PAC-12 conference.

## AN AGGIE WIN WOULD ...

Give UC Davis a win over a Football Bowl Subdivision opponent for the first time since 2021 when the Aggies knocked off Tulsa and it would be their 18th win all-time against an FBS foe. It would also be the first win over a Big Ten foe for the Aggies and their first win over a Power Four program since beating Stanford in 2005.

## 24 UNANSWERED IN THE HIGH DESERT

In the Aggie's second shot at getting 2025 started, UC Davis traveled to St. George, Utah and late in the third quarter they were trailing by 17 points. It was there they got rolling, scoring back-to-back touchdowns while holding Utah Tech to a three-and-out sandwiched in-between to get within three points late in the third quarter. A Hunter Ridley field goal near the end of the quarter tied things up and set UC Davis up to finish off its biggest comeback since 2018. Pinnick then hit Samuel Gbatu Jr., for a 60-yard touchdown that put the Aggies ahead for good. Nate Rutchena then sealed the game with an interception to lock up a win that featured 24-unanswered points.

## CONNORS EYES AN CAL AGGIE HALL OF FAMER

Rex Connors will enter Saturday's game sitting just 12 tackles away from setting the program record for total tackles passing Cal Aggie Hall of Famer Kris Spraker who sits at 290 career tackles during his career from 1997-2000. Connors moved into second-place at Utah Tech, passing Jason Hairston who sits at 271 total tackles from 1992-94 and he enters the game at Washington with 279 total tackles.

## PINNICK EARNS NATIONAL FRESHMAN HONORS

Part of the reason the Aggies came back from 17 down at Utah Tech was because of the second half performance by redshirt freshman quarterback Caden Pinnick and he was named the Stats Perform FCS National Freshman Player of the Week. Pinnick went 21-for-31, finishing with 253 total passing yards, three passing touchdowns and 14 yards rushing. In the second half Pinnick threw for 159 yards and three touchdowns to power the Aggies to 24 second half points. He became the first Aggie to earn national freshman honors since Nick Eaton earned the nod during the 2019 season.

## BIG SKY GIVES REX WEEKLY FLOWERS

With 15 tackles at Utah Tech, Rex Connors was named the Big Sky Defensive Player of the Week. Connors finished with eight solo tackles and seven assisted tackles to lead the defense in St. George. The Aggie defensive back also makes it two-straight season an Aggie has won the first week's edition of the Big Sky Defensive Player of the Week, joining his brother Porter after his standout performance at California in the 2024 season opener.

## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

### HOME AND HOME WITH NORTH DAKOTA STATE

UC Davis and North Dakota State announced on Sept. 1, 2025 a home and home series starting in 2028. The Aggies will head to Fargo, N.D. to face the Bison in 2028 before the series moves to Davis, Calif., in 2029. It is a rematch of former Great West Conference foes and when they meet in 2028 it will be the 12th time in history and the first since 2019.

### MOTHER NATURE WINS THE DAY

UC Davis and No. 11 Mercer met for the first time in program history at the historic Cramton Bowl, taking part in the 2025 FCS Kickoff Classic. With 7:46 to go in the game a storm rolled through Montgomery, Alabama sending the game into a weather delay that would eventually end in the game being considered a "No Contest". With time rolling on, both sides agreed that finishing the game was not possible due to the weather. All the stats for that game will not count for either team, it will be as if the game never happened.

### ADDING TO THE HISTORY AT THE CRAMTON BOWL

UC Davis headed to Montgomery to play in the historic Cramton Bowl, first opening in 1922 and the bowl has played host to many football and baseball games in its decorated history. For this game, the Aggies entered as the highest ranked FCS team to ever play on the historic patch of grass, sitting behind Alabama who lost a 1953 game to Southern Miss., when ranked No. 5 in the nation. It is also the first time a pair of top-20 teams met in the Cramton Bowl.

### AGS ON ESPN

For the first time in program history UC Davis finds itself on the linear flagship network ESPN, thanks to the Kickoff Classic being broadcast on the network.

### TAKING THE WEEK 0 STAGE

The game between the Aggies and Bears was unique since it was played on Week 0. Among FCS games the Kickoff Classic was one of five games being played across the nation. On the FBS side, only five games were going with three happening during the Kickoff Classic. Meaning that across the nation UC Davis were one of only five games playing at the same time.

### RANKED AMONG THE BEST

UC Davis enters the season ranked inside the top 10 in both the Stats Perform and AFCA Preseason polls. The Aggies come in at No. 8 in the Stats Perform poll and No. 7 in the AFCA poll. Its the highest preseason ranking the Aggies have earned since the 2019 preseason.

### NATIONAL DAVIS

UC Davis finds itself on a program record three nationally broadcast games. Starting with the season opener on ESPN, the Aggies will be on the Big 10 Network at Washington and on ESPN2 when they head to No. 2 Montana State in November.

### EARLY START

The Aug. 23 kickoff date marks the earliest kickoff in program history. Besting four games played on August 30. It also marks the ninth time in history and third straight season the Aggies will have at least one game in August.

### STATS PERFORM FCS TOP 25 (WEEK ONE)

RK	TEAM	REC	PTS	LW
1	North Dakota State (53)	1-0	1397	1
2	South Dakota State (2)	1-0	1333	3
3	Montana State (1)	0-1	1274	2
4	South Dakota	0-1	1171	4
5	Tarleton State	1-0	1164	10
6	Montana	0-0	1027	7
7	Illinois State	0-1	961	6
8	<b>UC DAVIS</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>8</b>
9	Rhode Island	1-0	953	9
10	Idaho	0-1	879	12
11	Lehigh	1-0	745	14
12	UIW	1-1	730	5
13	Villanova	0-0	718	13
14	Southern Illinois	1-0	423	20
15	Jackson State	1-0	422	17
16	Abilene Christian	0-1	396	16
17	Tennessee Tech	1-0	371	21
18	Sacramento State	0-1	351	15
19	Northern Arizona	0-1	349	19
20	North Dakota	0-1	325	NR
21	Monmouth	1-0	323	22
22	Nicholls	1-1	265	NR
23	Mercer	0-1	229	11
24	Southern Utah	1-0	226	NR
25	Stephen F. Austin	0-1	146	23

### AFCA FCS COACHES POLL (WEEK ONE)

RK	TEAM	REC	PTS	LW
1	North Dakota State (25)	1-0	649	1
2	South Dakota State	1-0	586	3
13	Montana State	0-1	567	2
13	Tarleton State (1)	2-0	567	8
5	<b>UC DAVIS</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>7</b>
6	South Dakota	0-1	465	5
7	Illinois State	0-1	446	6
8	Rhode Island	1-0	440	10
9	UIW	1-1	412	4
10	Montana	0-0	402	9
11	Idaho	0-1	384	12
12	Villanova	0-0	338	13
13	Lehigh	1-0	291	15
14	Jackson State	1-0	268	17
15	Southern Illinois	1-0	239	20
16	Sacramento State	0-1	213	14
17	Abilene Christian	0-1	211	16
18	Monmouth	1-0	184	21
19	Northern Arizona	0-1	167	19
20	Tennessee Tech	1-0	159	122
21	Mercer	0-1	156	11
22	North Dakota	0-1	95	NR
23	Stephen F. Austin	0-1	60	NR
24	East Tennessee State	1-0	58	NR
125	Nicholls	1-1	57	NR
125	Western Carolina	0-1	57	19

## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

## CAREER RECORD WATCH

## Career Field Goals Made

	FG	FGA	PCT	LG
1. Brady Stuart (2012-15)	51	74	68.9	52
2. Eddie Loretto (1985-88)	47	72	65.3	50
3. Sean Kelley (2008-11)	44	60	73.3	54
4. Isaiah Gomez (2020-22)	41	54	75.9	46
t5. Max O'Rourke (2017-19)	32	42	76.1	48
t5. Rafael Fernandez (1989-93)	32	52	61.5	45
7. Ray Sullivan (1981-84)	31	51	60.8	49
<b>t8. Hunter Ridley (2023-Pres.)</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>81.1</b>	<b>46</b>
t8. Emmanuel Benjamin (2004-07)	30	54	55.6	44
10. Rolf Benirschke (1974-76)	29	43	67.4	52

## Career PAT Made

1. Eric Friend (1997-2000)	171
2. Max O'Rourke (2017-19)	141
3. Rafael Fernandez (1989-93)	140
4. Eddie Loretto (1985-88)	130
5. Sean Kelley (2008-11)	124
6. Emmanuel Benjamin (2004-07)	122
7. Brady Stuart (2012-15)	121
8. Ray Sullivan (1981-84)	115
9. Isaiah Gomez (2020-22)	94
<b>10. Hunter Ridley (2023-Pres.)</b>	<b>92</b>

## Career PAT Attempts

1. Eric Friend (1997-2000)	189
2. Rafael Fernandez (1989-93)	153
3. Max O'Rourke (2017-19)	141
4. Eddie Loretto (1985-88)	142
5. Emmanuel Benjamin (2004-07)	136
6. Ray Sullivan (1981-84)	129
7. Sean Kelley (2008-11)	127
8. Brady Stuart (2012-15)	125
9. Isaiah Gomez (2020-22)	98
<b>10. Hunter Ridley (2023-Pres.)</b>	<b>96</b>

## Career Total Tackles

1. Kris Spraker (1997-2000)	290
<b>2. Rex Connors (2021-Pres.)</b>	<b>279</b>
3. Jason Hairston (1992-94)	271

## ROAD WARRIORS

UC Davis, for the first time since 2006, opens its first three games away from Davis, California. After the Aggies visit Montgomery, they will travel to St. George, Utah to face Utah Tech before heading to Seattle, Washington to face the Washington Huskies. This year marks the third time in program history the Aggies have begun their season away from home for so long, spending the opening three weekends away in 2006 and 1978.

## TEAMS PLAYING AT LEAST FIRST THREE GAMES ON ROAD SINCE 2006

## - UC Davis (2025)

- East Texas A&M (2025)
- Southeastern Louisiana (2021; 2023)
- Duquesne (2017)
- Tarleton State (2013)
- Charleston Southern (2008; 2009; 2011)

## REX IS BACK ... THE NATION HAS TAKEN NOTICE

Returning for 2025 is talented safety Rex Connors, and he brings with him a collection of 2024 honors that have evolved into 2025 preseason accolades. Connors ended 2024 as a four-time All-American, first team All-Big Sky Conference honors and his 74 solo tackles set a program record. This season he comes in ranked as the No. 1 returning safety by HERO Sports and he has already earned multiple preseason All-American honors. Connors also became the first Aggie to be named the Big Sky Preseason Defensive Player of the Year to go along with Preseason All-Conference honors.

## WATCHING REX

Entering the season, Rex Connors has found himself on a pair of prestigious watch lists. He was named to the Buck Buchanan Award Preseason Watchlist, a place he has found himself on for two-straight seasons. Connors was also named to the East-West Shrine Bowl 1000 Watchlist, placing him among some of the best NFL prospects in the nation.

## ALL-AMERICAN AGGIES

the Aggies have been finding themselves individually on several All-American lists, with five Aggies earning honors. Rex Connors (first team), Winston Williams (second team), Hunter Ridley (second team) and Porter Connors (third team) earned the honor from Stats Perform. While FCS Football Central added Jacob Psyk (second team) to a collection that saw Connors and Ridley earn first team honors, Williams earn second team honors and Porter bring home third team honors. It's the most preseason All-Americans in program history.

## RUNNING THE CONFERENCE

During the preseason awards given out by the Big Sky Conference, the Aggies brought home the most awards in the league. Earning seven All-Conference honors while boasting the Preseason Defensive MVP in Rex Connors. Rex was joined by Porter, Samuel Gbatu Jr., Winston Williams, Ernesto Nava, Eli Simonson and Hunter Ridley on the list of honorees.



## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

### STRONG UP FRONT

UC Davis returns all its starting offensive linemen from the 2024 team, making them one of three teams in the nation that can make that claim. The Ags return tackles Eli Simonson and Ernesto Nava to go along with interior starters Zaire Collier (center), Jace Rodriguez and David Porotesano. David Main, once back from injury, will make the Ags six deep on the offensive line. The collection of talent meant that HERO Sports named the Aggie offensive line as the fourth best returning line in the nation.

### WILLIAMS NAMED AMONG THE BEST

HERO Sports named Aggie tight end Winston Williams as the second-best returning tight end in the nation. The preseason All-American finished 2024 with 265 receiving yards, six receiving touchdowns on 34 receptions and he enters the season with a career total of 326 receiving yards.

### IVY AGS

The Aggies brought in a pair of All-Ivy graduate transfers to increase the physicality of the defensive front. Jacob Psyk (Harvard) and Derrell Porter (Dartmouth) each come with accolades. Porter racked up 52 tackles in 26 games and Psyk finishing 29th in the nation in sacks (6.5).

### IMMEDIATE IMPACT

The Aggies brought in a large collection of freshman and transfers, with several of those incomers already finding themselves either on the field or near the top of the depth chart. On the offensive side of the ball, freshman wide receiver Tyler Hennessy impressed during camp. Defensively transfers Jacob Psyk (DL), Derrell Porter (DL), Cole Batson (DB), Nate Rutchena (LB), Trey Carr (DB) and Ty Richardson (DB) all find themselves near the top of the depth chart entering the season opener.

### GOOD WORKS RIDLEY

Hunter Ridley earned the honor of being among 197 nominees named to the 2025 Allstate AFCA Good Works Team, recognizing his commitment to community service and leadership beyond the gridiron.

### DRAFTED TEDDY

Former Aggie linebacker Teddy Buchanan heard his name called during the 2025 NFL Draft, becoming the first Aggie drafted since J.T. O'Sullivan (2002) when he went to the Baltimore Ravens in the fourth round with the 129th overall pick.

### CLUB FRED IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS

During the offseason, UC Davis athletics proudly announced that thanks to the contributions from The Arp Family Foundation that the UC Davis football defensive line coaching position was renamed the Jane and Fred Arp Defensive Line Coach. Fred was a former Aggie and is a member of the Cal Aggie Athletics Hall of Fame. He spent 41 seasons on the coaching staff at Davis.

### CHARTING THE AGGIES

Current Streak.....	W1
Current Home Streak.....	W1
Current Road Streak.....	W1
Last Win.....	31-24 at Utah Tech (8/30/25)
Last Loss ..	21-35 at No. 4 South Dakota (12/14/24)
Overall .....	1-0
Big Sky .....	0-0
Non-Conference .....	1-0
Home .....	0-0
Away .....	1-0
In August .....	1-0
In September .....	0-0
In October .....	0-0
In November .....	0-0
In December .....	0-0
vs. Ranked Opponents .....	0-0
vs. FBS .....	0-0
Scoring First .....	0-0
Coming-from-behind .....	1-0
Leading after 1st quarter .....	1-0
Trailing after 1st quarter .....	0-0
Tied after 1st quarter .....	0-0
Leading at halftime .....	0-0
Trailing at halftime .....	1-0
Tied at halftime .....	0-0
Leading after 3rd quarter .....	0-0
Trailing after 3rd quarter .....	1-0
Tied after 3rd quarter .....	0-0
Overtime .....	0-0
Scoring <20 points .....	0-0
Scoring 20 or > points .....	0-0
Scoring 30 or > points .....	1-0
Allowing < 20 or points .....	0-0
Allowing 10 points or less .....	0-0
Allowing 20 or > points .....	1-0
With 70-yard rusher .....	0-0
With 100-yard rusher .....	1-0
Allow 100-yard rusher .....	0-0
With 300-yard passer .....	0-0
Allow 300-yard passer .....	0-0
Outgain opponent .....	1-0
Gain 300+ yards total offense .....	1-0
Allow 300+ yards total offense .....	1-0
No turnovers .....	0-0
Less than three turnovers .....	1-0
Three or more turnovers .....	0-0
No takeaways .....	0-0
Three or more takeaways .....	1-0
Fewer turnovers .....	1-0
Equal turnovers .....	0-0
More turnovers .....	0-0
Control time of possession .....	0-0
Opponent controls TOP .....	1-0
Possession time equal .....	0-0

## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

## AGGIE FOOTBALL BY THE NUMBERS

**3** individuals associated with UC Davis football are enshrined in the College Football Hall of Fame. Ken O'Brien entered in 1997 for his outstanding playing career. Two years later, Jim Sochor earned induction for his coaching career. Most recently, Mike Bellotti entered the CFB Hall in 2014 in honor of his coaching accomplishments at Oregon.

**5** The number of conference affiliations UC Davis football has held, namely the Far Western Conference (1925-81), the Northern California Athletic Conference (1982-92), the American West Conference (1993), the Great West Conference (2004-11) and the Big Sky Conference (2012-present).

**12** UC Davis players have earned NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship Award winners, an honor roll that includes Arena Football Hall of Famer Mark Grieb and San Diego Chargers Hall of Famer Rolf Benirschke.

**14** Aggies have won CoSIDA Academic All-America honors (now sponsored by Google Cloud), with Ryan Parenteau and Tiger Garcia being the most recent recipients.

**21** The Aggies made their first-ever appearance in the FCS playoffs in 2018, and returned in 2021, making it the 21st overall NCAA postseason berth through all divisions – not counting a pair of College Division bowl games in the 1940s.

**22** program alumni have appeared in at least one regular-season NFL game, with four players – Ken O'Brien (1983), Tom Williams (1970), Bo Eason (1984) and Mike Wise (1986) – drafted in one of the top two rounds.

**24** Aggie quarterback Ken O'Brien was chosen as the 24th overall pick of the 1983 NFL Draft (a.k.a. the Year of the Quarterback), making him the highest UC Davis selection in history. O'Brien passed for 25,094 yards and 128 touchdowns in the NFL, mostly with the New York Jets.

**25** The only retired number in program history belonged to Sam Paneno, who suffered a severe knee injury during overtime of a September 11, 1999 game at Western Oregon. Due to complications with circulation, Paneno had the lower portion of his right leg amputated nine days later. His positive attitude throughout the ordeal earned national attention. Paneno was bestowed with the NCAA's inaugural Inspiration Award in 2001. Paneno graduated from UC Davis' King Hall School of Law in 2005, later established a nonprofit to protect abused and impoverished children and ran a law practice specializing in special education.

**31** The 2018 Big Sky Conference title marked the 31st league championship in history, a list that included 20 straight crowns from 1971-90.

**37** The number of consecutive winning seasons UC Davis enjoyed (1972-2008) under the guidance of head coaches Jim Sochor (1970-88), Bob Foster (1989-92) and Bob Biggs (1993-2012).

## NAMESAKES

Two landmarks stand near the main entrance of UC Davis Health Stadium, both named after key university figures... The victory bell is named for Thomas Tavernetti, a university faculty member from 1913 to 1930... The bell is mentioned in the school fight song, "Aggie Fight," and rung after each home win... Across the plaza is a statue of Jim Sochor, who served as UC Davis head football coach from 1970-88... Sochor won 156 games and 17 conference titles in his career, and instilled a belief system later known as "Aggie Pride" (see below).

## THE TOOM

Before moving to Aggie Stadium (now known as UC Davis Health Stadium) in 2007, UC Davis football played almost six decades worth of its home games at the corner of Russell Boulevard and A Street in a venue opened in 1949 and named for athletics director Crip Toomey in 1962... Toomey Field, or "The Toom" as it is known to many an alum, hosted a total of 286 Aggie home football contests, including nationally televised NCAA semifinal games in 1977 (Lehigh), 1982 (North Dakota State) and 1983 (North Dakota State).

## AGGIE PRIDE

The term has since been appropriated by various entities on the Davis campus, but Aggie Pride belief system has its roots with the football program. After taking the helm in 1970, head coach Jim Sochor instilled a new culture: "We knew that everybody we played would be bigger, stronger and faster than we were. We had to find a way. And that way was that no one would be closer as a football team than we would be. Our central values became trust, unity and togetherness." Bob Foster, the long-time Sochor assistant and is credited for giving Aggie Pride its name.

## QUARTERBACK NOTEBOOK

- After going 21-for-31 with 253 passing yards and three passing touchdowns at Utah Tech, Caden Pinnick was named the Stats Perform National Freshman Player of the Week. The Aggie QB threw for 159 second-half yards to help the Aggies come back from 17 points down at Utah Tech
- During camp the Aggies went about replacing 4,000-yard passer Miles Hastings and did so with a competitive quarterback competition
- Redshirt freshman Caden Pinnick won the starting job, beating out fifth-year senior Grant Harper in an extremely close battle

## RUNNING BACK NOTEBOOK

- Jordan Fisher was a force in the Aggie comeback win at Utah Tech, rushing for 105 yards and one touchdown on 16 carries. It was his first career 100-yard rushing game
- Between returners Jordan Fisher, Matteo Perez, Carter Vargas and Kai Acia the Aggies bring back a combined 528 rushing yards from the 2024 season

## OFFENSIVE LINE NOTEBOOK

## TEAMS RETURNING ALL FIVE STARTING OFFENSIVE LINEMEN IN FCS

- UC Davis (Big Sky)
- Charleston Southern (Big South)
- North Carolina Central (MEAC)

## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

### TIGHT END NOTEBOOK

- Winston Williams comes into the season ranked as the No. 2 returning tight end in the country by HERO Sports
- The Aggie tight end room is one of the more experienced on the team, boasting returning seniors Ian Simpson, Williams and Mitchell Dixon

### WIDE RECIEVERS NOTEBOOK

- Samuel Gbatu Jr., led the way for the Aggie receivers at Utah Tech, making four catches for 93 yards and two receiving touchdowns, including a go-ahead 60-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter
- Zach Jones made his first career touchdown reception at Utah Tech
- Preseason All-Conference honoree Samuel Gbatu Jr., leads the Aggie receivers, bringing 779 receiving yards and seven receiving touchdowns from his 2024 campaign

### DEFENSE LINE NOTEBOOK

- Jacob Psyk led the Aggies up front, finishing with three total tackles, recording 1.0 tackles for loss and recovering a fumble in the Aggie comeback win at Utah Tech
- Transfers Jacob Psyk (Harvard) and Derrell Porter (Dartmouth) highlight a strong and physical defensive line
- Returners Trent Carrade, Joey Carrilo and Rayne Mayo Jr., are also in position to make an impact up front for the Aggies

### LINEBACKER NOTEBOOK

- Porter Connors was nearly unstoppable in the Aggies win at Utah Tech, making 10 tackles, three solo and seven assisted, including recovering a fumble
- Nate Rutchena sealed the Aggie win in St. George with a fourth quarter interception, and he finished the game at Utah Tech with six tackles, 1.0 tackles for loss and one forced fumble
- All-American Porter Connors returns along with 2024 sack leader Sam Goligoski, Nick Afato and Macray Madruga
- Graduate transfer Nate Rutchena brings power four experience having

### DEFENSIVE BACK NOTEBOOK

- Rex Connors led the Aggies with 15 tackles in the win at Utah Tech
- Drew Cofield snagged his first career interception in the win at Utah Tech, finishing with three tackles
- Khalani Riddick forced a fumble and made seven stops in the Aggie victory at Utah Tech
- Rex Connors is set to anchor a defensive backfield ripe with returning and incoming talent
- Connors was named to the Buck Buchanan Award Preseason Watchlist and the East-West Shrine Bowl 1000 Watchlist. He was also named a multi-pre-season All-American, the Big Sky Preseason Defensive Player of the Year and he earned preseason All-Big Sky honors
- Cole Batson, Khalani Riddick, Ty Richardson and Josiah Allen make up an experienced collection of transfers to strength the Aggie secondary

### SPECIAL TEAMS NOTEBOOK

- All-American kicker and 2024 Fred Mitchell Award Finalist Hunter Ridley leads the Aggie special teams unit into the 2025 season

### CAREER 100-YRD RUSHING GAMES

<b>Jordan Fisher (1)</b>	<b>Att-Yds-TDs</b>
<b>UTAH TECH (2025)</b> .....	<b>16-105-1</b>

### CAREER 100-YRD RECEIVING GAMES

<b>Samuel Gbatu Jr. (2)</b>	<b>Rec-Yds-TDs</b>
Eastern Washington (2024).....	4-134-2
Sacramento State (2024).....	4-143-1

### UC DAVIS IN THE DEEP SOUTH

UC Davis in games south of the Mason-Dixon line: 0-2

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	SITE
12/7/1996	Carson-Newman	L, 26-29	Kingsville, Tenn.
9/6/2008	Central Arkansas	L, 21-24	Conway, Ark.
8/23/2025	No. 11 Mercer	N/A	Montgomery, Ala.*

### UC DAVIS EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER

UC Davis in games east of the Mississippi River: 3-6

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	SITE
12/9/1972	UMASS	L, 14-35	Atlantic City, N.J.
12/7/1996	Carson-Newman	L, 26-29	Kingsville, Tenn.
9/7/1996	Clarion	W, 35-28 (ot)	Clarion, Pa.
12/6/1997	New Haven	L, 25-27	New Haven, Conn.
9/25/1999	New Haven	W, 42-16	New Haven, Conn.
9/16/2000	West Chester	W, 45-0	West Chester, Pa.
9/23/2006	Youngstown State	L, 24-38	Youngstown, Ohio
9/6/2008	Central Arkansas	L, 21-24	Conway, Ark.
9/27/2008	Northeastern	L, 10-27	Boston, Mass.
8/23/2025	No. 11 Mercer	N/A	Montgomery, Ala.*

\* - Game declared a "No Contest"

### FIRST YEAR BIG SKY COACHING RECORDS

#### BEST RECORDS BY 1ST-YEAR BIG SKY COACHES

RECORD	NAME	SCHOOL	YEAR
14-1	Mick Dennehy	Montana	1996
13-2	Joe Glenn	Montana	2000
12-3	Brent Vigen	Montana State	2021
<b>11-3</b>	<b>TIM PLOUGH</b>	<b>UC DAVIS</b>	<b>2024</b>
9-3	John L. Smith	Idaho	1989

#### BEST CONFERENCE RECORDS BY 1ST-YEAR BIG SKY COACHES

RECORD	NAME	SCHOOL	YEAR
8-0	John L. Smith	Idaho	1989
8-0	Mick Dennehy	Montana	1996
8-0	Joe Glenn	Montana	2000
<b>7-1</b>	<b>TIM PLOUGH</b>	<b>UC DAVIS</b>	<b>2024</b>
7-1	Brent Vigen	Montana State	2021
7-1	Troy Taylor	Sacramento State	2019

UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES - LAST GAME RECAP

NO. 8 UC DAVIS 31, UTAH TECH 24

Aug. 30, 2025 | St. George, Utah | Greater Zion Stadium | 4,629

After tailing as much as 24-7 early in the second half No. 8 UC Davis used quick scores and a Drew Coefield momentum flipping interception to power back at Utah Tech to win the 2025 season opener on the road in thrilling fashion. The Aggies scored 24 unanswered points in the second half, capped off by Samuel Gbatu Jr. scoring on a 60-yard touchdown reception from Caden Pinnick. UC Davis then held off a late drive by Utah Tech, sealing the win with an interception by Nate Rutchena. Utah Tech scored on its second drive of the game, capping off a six play 15-yard drive with a 33-yard field goal. But the Aggies had a quick answer to the Utah Tech score on their next drive, needing just two plays to take the lead. On the second play of the Aggie drive, Fisher took a handoff up the middle and scampered past the entire Trailblazer defense for 66 yards and the first UC Davis touchdown putting the Aggies up 7-3. During the opening 15 minutes the Aggies went 2-for-3 on third downs while holding the Trailblazers to just 1-for-4 on third downs. In the second quarter, the Aggies struggled offensively turning it over on downs twice in the quarter. But the defense was there to keep things in check, giving up just one touchdown off a short field. Unfortunately, that touchdown would give Utah Tech a 10-7 lead into the half. The Trailblazers came out of the break and immediately scored 14 points on their first and third drives of the quarter to jump ahead of the Aggies 24-7. While UC Davis found itself in an 17-point hole, at no point did they stop thinking they would come back and win the game. Starting the drive on the Aggie 25-yard line at 8:01 in the third quarter, UC Davis would go on to drive eight plays for 75 yards highlighted by a Stacey Dobbins catch and run down the sideline. The Aggie sophomore tip-toed the line to stay in-bounds for a 31-yard reception that got the Aggies deep into Utah Tech territory. Pinnick capped off the 75-yard scoring drive with a 14-yard touchdown pass to Jones, making it 24-14. The comeback was definitely on. Fueling the comeback was the face that on the next possession the Aggie defense forced a three-and-out by Utah Tech to get the now streaking Aggie offense the ball back. Using just three plays, having started on their own 49-yard line, the Aggies went 51 yards to pull within one score of Utah Tech, finishing off the drive on a 20-yard pitch and catch between Gbatu Jr., and Pinnick to make it 24-21. The Ags were getting closer. On the next Utah Tech drive, UC Davis secured the momentum when the Trailblazer quarterback let one float out to the left side just enough for Coefield to run into the pass, snagging his first career interception putting the Aggies inside the Utah Tech 30-yard line after a 31-yard return. It was the final big moment of the quarter as two plays later the whistle blew to take things into the fourth quarter, much different than they were just 15 minutes prior. The final quarter started with the Aggies driving deep in Utah Tech territory, sitting at the 25-yard line after the Coefield interception. While the Aggies wouldn't punch one into the endzone, they did finish off the comeback with a 29-yard field goal sent through by Hunter Ridley, tying the game at 24-24 having erased the 17-point deficit. UC Davis was almost foaming at the mouth wanting to get the ball back, and in just six plays the Aggie defense did just that allowing just one first down on the next Utah Tech drive to quickly return the ball to the offense. Needing to go 81 yards to score a go-ahead touchdown the Aggies began to work their way down the field collecting three first downs while getting the ball to their own 40-yard line. Taking a Pinnick pass in full stride down the right side Gbatu Jr., showed his speed outrunning a defender who had the angle, before breaking a tackle while cutting back inside to put the cherry on top of a 60-yard go-ahead touchdown reception. The impressive catch and run by Gbatu Jr., put the Aggies ahead for the first time since the first quarter placing the score at 31-24. Gbatu Jr.'s, touchdown also capped off 24-unanswered points, putting the Aggies back in front. UC Davis held ground on the next Utah Tech possession, forcing a turnover on downs to get the ball back with 3:12 left. The Aggies chewed some clock in the next possession before giving the ball back just under two minutes. Looking to make their own comeback Utah Tech converted two first downs, moving across the 50 and getting as far as the Aggie 39-yard line. It was here the defense slammed the door shut as Rutchena intercepted a Utah Tech pass to end any chances Utah Tech might have had to comeback. The Aggies then ran three plays to end the game and lock up a season opening 31-24 comeback win on the road.

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	Total
No. 8 UC Davis (1-0)	7	0	14	10	31
Utah Tech (0-1)	3	7	14	0	24

SCORING SUMMARY

Qrt	Time	Team	Scoring Play	Drive	Time
1st	9:06	UTU	Uvaydov 33-yard field goal	6-15	2:53
1st	8:32	UCD	Fisher 66-yard run (Ridley kick)	2-75	0:34
2nd	0:31	UTU	Olsen 1-yard pass from Graff (Uvaydov kick)	13-47	5:36
3rd	14:06	UTU	Tanner 45-yard pass from Graff (Uvaydov kick)	1-45	0:07
3rd	8:01	UTU	Street 1-yard run (Uvaydov kick)	5-50	2:32
3rd	5:04	UCD	Jones 14-yard pass from Pinnick (Ridley kick)	8-75	2:57
3rd	2:02	UCD	Gbatu Jr. 20-yard pass from Pinnick (Ridley kick)	3-51	1:11
4th	12:42	UCD	Ridley 29-yard field goal	7-14	2:45
4th	6:17	UCD	Gabtu Jr. 60-yard pass from Pinnick (Ridley kick)	8-81	3:52

TEAM STATISTICS

	UC Davis	Utah Tech
First Downs (R-P-Penalty)	31 (10-10-1)	18 (4-12-2)
Rushes-Yards (Net)	43-164	30-81
Passing Yards (Net)	253	272
Passes Comp-Att-Int.	21-31-1	28-44-2
Total Offense Plays-Yards (Avg.)	74-417 (5.6)	74-353 (4.8)
Punt Returns-Yards-TD	3-47-0	3-1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-23-0	1-13-0
Interception Returns-Yards-TD	2-31-0	1-0-0
Punts (Number-Avg.)	4-38.2	5-46.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	6-63	3-30
Possession Time	27:45	32:15
Third Down Conversions	6-15	7-16
Fourth Down Conversions	0-2	0-2
Red Zone Scores-Chances	3-5	3-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	6-27

GAME CAPTAINS

Aggie game captains for the 2025 season are listed below.

NO. 11 MERCER\*

SEASON - Samuel Gbatu Jr., Mitchell Dixon, Rex Connors

GAME - Porter Connors

UTAH TECH

SEASON - Samuel Gbatu Jr., Mitchell Dixon, Rex Connors

GAME - Matteo Perez

\* - Game declared a "No Contest"

2025 WEEKLY HONORS

Caden Pinnick, QB, R-Fr.

- Stats Perform FCS National Freshman Player of the Week
- Week One

Rex Connors, DB, Sr.

- Stats Perform FCS National Defensive Player of the Week
- Week One (Honorable Mention)
- Big Sky Defensive Player of the Week
- Week One



# GAME TWO | NO. 8 UC DAVIS AT WASHINGTON | SEPT. 6, 2025

## 2025 UC DAVIS GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

GAME	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	WR (H)	WR	WR	RB	QB
Mercer*	Simonson	Rodriguez	Collier	Nava	Portoesano	Williams	Simpson (TE)	Dobbins	Gbatu Jr.	Fisher	Pinnick
Utah Tech	Simonson	Rodriguez	Collier	Nava	Portoesano	Williams	Simpson (TE)	Dobbins	Gbatu Jr.	Fisher	Pinnick
Washington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern Utah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weber State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cal Poly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Colorado	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montana State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sacramento State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

GAME	DE	DT	DE	LB (S)	LB	LB	N	CB	CB	S	S
Mercer*	Carrade	Mayo Jr.	Psyk	Rutchena	Goligoski	Connors, P	Stanley	Richardson	Cofield	Riddick	Connors, R
Utah Tech	Carrade	Mayo Jr.	Psyk	Rutchena	Goligoski	Connors, P	Stanley	Richardson	Cofield	Riddick	Connors, R
Washington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern Utah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weber State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cal Poly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Colorado	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montana State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sacramento State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

\* - Game declared a "No Contest"

## TRACKING THE AGGIES IN 2025

GAME	TIME (LOCAL)	LENGTH	ATT.	HALFTIME	FINAL	COIN TOSS	KICKOFF/ RECEIVE	1ST UCD POSS.	1ST OPP POSS.	GAME PANTS	GAME JERSEY	GAME HELMET
Mercer*	6:04 p.m. (CT)	N/A	N/A	21-3	N/A	Won	Kick (defer)	Downs	Punt	Gold	White	Gold
Utah Tech	8:03 (MT)	3:26	4,629	3-10	31-24	Won	Kick (defer)	Fumble	Punt	Blue	White	White
Washington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern Utah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weber State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cal Poly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Colorado	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montana State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sacramento State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

\* - Game declared a "No Contest"



## THE LAST TIME THE AGGIES ...

## INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

30+ Rushing Attempts .....	30 by Ulonzo Gilliam, Jr., at Idaho, 11/12/22
<b>100-199 RUSHING YARDS.....</b>	<b>105 BY JORDAN FISHER AT UTAH TECH, 8/30/25</b>
200-299 Rushing Yards .....	255 by Lan Larison vs. Eastern Washington, 9/23/23
300+ Rushing Yards .....	305 by Mike Ichiyama at San Francisco State, 1994
75-Yard Run (no TD).....	77 by Ulonzo Gilliam, Jr., Northern Arizona, 10/15/22
75-Yard TD Run .....	78 by Lan Larison vs. Eastern Washington, 9/23/23
50-74 Yard Run (no TD).....	50 by Lan Larison, at Portland State, 10/5/24
<b>50-74 YARD TD RUN.....</b>	<b>66 BY JORDAN FISHER AT UTAH TECH, 8/30/25</b>
3 Rushing Touchdowns .....	Lan Larison, at Sacramento State, 11/23/24
4+ Rushing Touchdowns.....	5 by Matt Brown at Cal Poly, 10/21/00
2 Players Rush for 100 Yards .....	120 by Colton Silveria & 105 by Marquis Nicolis at Idaho State, 10/13/12
100 Yds Rush/100 Yds Rec. In Same Game.....	112 (rush)/109 (rec.) by Lan Larison, No. 2 Montana State, 11/16/24

## INDIVIDUAL PASSING

40-49 Completions .....	40 by Jake Maier vs. Idaho State, 10/13/18
50+ Completions .....	50 by Jake Maier vs. Montana State, 11/16/19
<b>3 TOUCHDOWN PASSES .....</b>	<b>CADEN PINNICK AT UTAH TECH, 8/30/25</b>
4 Touchdown Passes .....	Miles Hastings, at Eastern Washington, 10/19/24
5+ Touchdown Passes.....	5 (2x) by Jake Maier, last at Cal Poly, 10/20/18
TD Pass By Non-QB .....	14 yards by Lan Larison to Miles Hastings, Northern Arizona, 10/15/22
100 Yards Rushing & Passing .....	Khari Jones (102 & 328) at Sonoma State, 10/16/93
300-399 Yards Passing.....	345 by Miles Hastings (39-for-52), at No. 4 South Dakota, 12/14/24
400+ Yards Passing .....	403 by Miles Hastings (25-for-33), No. 12 Illinois State, 12/7/24
80%+ Completion Percentage.....	90% (27-for-30) By Miles Hastings, Cal Poly, 10/12/24

## INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING

10 Receptions .....	11 by Trent Tompkins, at No. 4 South Dakota, 12/14/24
Two Players w/ 10 rec. ....	Keelan Doss (19) & Jared Harrell (10) at Montana, 10/27/18
3 Touchdown Receptions .....	3 by Lance Babb II at Portland State, 11/9/19
200 Yards Receiving .....	205 by Keelan Doss vs. Sacramento State, 11/17/18
100 Yards Receiving .....	110 by Trent Tompkins, at No. 4 South Dakota, 12/14/24
Two Players With 100 Yards Receiving.....	109 by Lan Larison and 128 by Chaz Davis, No. 2 Montana State, 11/16/24
50-74-Yard Touchdown Reception .....	60 Yards By Lan Larison at Southern Utah, 9/14/24
50-74-Yard Non-Scoring Reception .....	64 yards by Lan Larison, No. 12 Illinois state, 12/7/24
75-Yard Touchdown Reception .....	90 yds by Samuel Gbatu, Jr. (from Miles Hastings), at Eastern Washington, 10/19/24
75-Yard Non-Scoring Reception .....	79 yds by Marcus Nolan (from Jon Grant) at South Dakota State, 10/28/06

## SPECIAL TEAMS &amp; DEFENSE

Kickoff Return for Touchdown.....	97 by Lan Larison, Eastern Washington, 11/13/21
Punt Returned for Touchdown .....	85 yds by Trent Tompkins at San Diego, 9/11/21
Interception Return for Touchdown.....	35 yards by Rex Connors, Cal Poly, 10/12/24
Fumble Return for Touchdown .....	6 yards by Porter Connors at California, 8/31/24
2 Interceptions Returned for Touchdown.....	Carnell Green (46) & Justin Patterson (66) at W. Oregon, 9/28/02
2 Interceptions .....	Teddye Buchanan, Cal Poly, 10/29/22
50-Yard Field Goal .....	51, by Matt Blair at Eastern Washington, 11/10 /18
3 Field Goals.....	Hunter Ridley (42, 41, 40), at No. 7 Montana, 11/13/24
4 Field Goals .....	Hunter Ridley (19, 27, 34, 25), Utah Tech, 9/21/24
Blocked Punt .....	Evan Bearden at Southern Utah, 9/14/24
Two Blocked Punts .....	Ryan Parenteau at Portland State, 9/16/17
Blocked Punt for Touchdown .....	9 yds: blocked by Ryan Parenteau, returned by Darryl Graham at Portland State, 9/16/17
Field Goal Blocked .....	47 yds; blocked by Eli simonson, No. 12 Illinois State, 12/7/24
Blocked FG for Touchdown .....	54 yds: blocked by John Faletoesee, returned by Joshua Edwards vs. Southern Utah, 10/15/05
Two-Point Conversion by Rush .....	Winston Williams vs. No. 2 Montana State, 11/16/24
Two-Point Conversion by Pass .....	Lan Larison at Southern Utah, 9/14/24



## THE LAST TIME THE AGGIES ...

### SPECIAL TEAMS & DEFENSE (cont.)

Two Two-Point Conversions ..... Trent Tompkins run (1st) and Trent Tompkins pass to Garren O'Keefe (1st) at San Diego, 9/11/21  
 Extra Point Blocked ..... Trent Carrade, No. 2 Montana State, 11/16/24  
 Punt Blocked for Safety ..... Jeff Allen vs. Cal State Hayward, 10/16/77  
 Scored a safety ..... at San José State (quarterback fumbled, then threw ball past end line), 8/30/18

### TEAM TOTALS

Team Gained 200-299 Yards Rushing ..... 220, at Eastern Washington, 10/19/24  
 Team Gained 300+ Yards Rushing ..... 314, Northern Colorado, 11/2/24  
 Team Failed to Gain 100 Yards Rushing ..... 88, at No. 4 South Dakota, 12/14/24  
 Team Gained 300+ Yards Passing ..... 345, at No. 4 South Dakota, 12/14/24  
 Team Gained 500+ Yards Passing ..... 500, Cal Poly, 10/12/24  
 Team Failed to Gain 100 Yards Passing ..... 96 vs. San Diego, 9/8/18  
 At Least 10 Aggies With At Least One Reception In The Same Game ..... 10, Northern Colorado, 11/2/24  
 Team Gained 500-599 Yards Total Offense ..... 558, No. 12 Illinois State, 12/7/24  
 Team Gained 600+ Yards Total Offense ..... 622, Northern Colorado, 11/2/24  
 Team Failed to Gain 200 Yards Total Offense ..... 166, at Oregon State, 9/9/23  
 Held Team Under 100 Yards In Total Offense ..... 97 (7 rush, 90 pass) vs. Western Oregon, 10/11/03  
 Held Team Under 200 Yards in Total Offense ..... 150 (70 rush, 80 pass), Idaho State, 11/5/22  
 Held Team to negative Yards Rushing ..... -9, East Texas A&M, 9/7/24

**HELD TEAM UNDER 100 YARDS RUSHING ..... 81 AT UTAH TECH, 8/30/25**

Held team under 100 yards passing ..... 77, at No. 7 montana, 11/9/24  
 Fake Punt ..... run by Evan Tattersall vs. Montana, 10/7/23  
 Fake Field Goal ..... 15-yard gain by Nolan de Graaff at Sac State, 10/4/03

**SCORED 30-39 POINTS ..... 31 AT UTAH TECH, 8/30/25**

Scored 40-49 Points ..... 42, No. 12 Illinois State, 12/7/24  
 Scored At Least 50 Points ..... 59, Northern Colorado, 11/2/24  
 Won By Shutout ..... 45-0 at Montana State, 9/16/06  
 Won on Last-Minute Field Goal ..... 32 yds by Mark Rovetti with 0:08 left vs. San Francisco State, 10/27/90  
 Won on Last-Minute Touchdown ..... 11-yd reception by Trent Tompkins from Miles Hastings, at PSU, 10/5/24  
 Played an Overtime Game ..... 44-37 win vs. Idaho State, 10/13/18  
 Played a Double-OT Game ..... Never happened  
 Played a Triple-OT Game ..... Win at Sacramento State, 36-28, 9/20/97  
 Played a Tied Game ..... vs. Humboldt State, 31-31, 9/16/95

**CAME BACK FROM AT LEAST 17-POINTS DOWN ..... AT UTAH TECH, 8/30/25**

### BY OPPONENTS

Team Gained 500 Yards Total Offense ..... 552, at Montana State, 10/1/22  
 Kickoff Returned for Touchdown ..... 80 yds by Nohl Williams at California, 8/31/24  
 Punt Returned for Touchdown ..... 79 yds by Taco Dowler vs. No. 2 Montana State, 11/16/24  
 Interception Returned for Touchdown ..... Lacarea Pleasant-Johnson at Southern Utah, 9/14/24  
 Two Interceptions Returned for Touchdowns ..... Lucky Dozier (78) and Marcus Alford (47) at Northern Arizona, 9/14/13  
 Fumble Returned for Touchdown ..... 90 yds by George Steele at NAU, 10/28/23  
 Blocked Punt Returned for Touchdown ..... by Tyler Meteer (43), at Sacramento State, 11/21/15  
 Punt Blocked ..... Mayson Hitchens at Weber State, 10/14/23

**FIELD GOAL BLOCKED ..... BRANDON JACKSON AT UTAH TECH, 8/30/25**

Extra Point Blocked ..... Jarod DePriest at South Dakota State, 9/10/22  
 Scored a Safety ..... Jamond Dubose at Northern Colorado, 10/6/18  
 Shutout Recorded ..... 45-0 at Stanford, 8/30/14

**2025 EVENTS IN BOLD**



## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES - WHERE THE AGGIES RANK

AGGIES IN THE BIG SKY  
(AS OF AUG. 30)

STATISTIC	RANK	AVG.
Scoring Offense	2	31.0
Scoring Defense	5	24.0
Total Offense	3	417.0
Total Defense	3	353.0
Rushing Offense	2	164.0
Rushing Defense	2	81.0
Pass Offense	3	253.0
Pass Defense	10	272.0
Pass Efficiency	2	161.8
Pass Efficiency Defense	2	121.5
Kickoff Returns	3	23.0
Punt Returns	2	15.7
Interceptions (Total/Yrds.)	1	2/31
Net Punting	6	38.0
Kick Coverage	4	13.0
Sacks By		N/A
Sacks Against	11	6.0
First Downs	3	21
First Downs Against	3	18
3rd-Down Conversions	4	40.0
Opp. 3rd-Down Conversions	8	46.7
4th-Down Conversions	6	0.0
Opp. 4th-Down Conversions	1	0.0
Penalties (YPG.)	10	63.0
Time of Possession	7	27:45
Turnovers Lost	5	2
Turnovers Gained	1	4
Turnover Margin	1	2.0
Redzone Offense	10	60.0
Redzone Defense	2	81.0

AGGIES IN THE NCAA  
(AS OF AUG. 30)

STATISTIC	RANK	AVG.
Scoring Offense	26	31.0
Scoring Defense	51	24.0
Total Offense	26	417.0
Total Defense	49	353.0
Rushing Offense	37	164.0
Rushing Defense	24	81.0
Pass Offense	24	253.0
Pass Defense	85	272.0
Pass Efficiency	20	161.8
Pass Efficiency Defense	46	121.5
Kickoff Returns	25	23.0
Punt Returns	10	15.7
Interceptions (Total/Yrds.)	5	2/31
Net Punting	43	38.0
Kick Coverage	26	13.0
Sacks By		N/A
Sacks Against	114	6.0
First Downs	32	21
First Downs Against	34	18
3rd-Down Conversions	37	40.0
Opp. 3rd-Down Conversions	78	46.7
4th-Down Conversions	70	0.0
Opp. 4th-Down Conversions	1	0.0
Penalties (YPG.)	82	63.0
Time of Possession	80	27:45
Turnovers Lost	70	2
Turnovers Gained	4	4
Turnover Margin	9	2.0
Redzone Offense	80	60.0
Redzone Defense	65	81.0

BIG SKY INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS  
(AS OF AUG. 30; TOP 3)

<b>COMPLETION PERCENTAGE</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	2	67.7
<b>FORCED FUMBLES</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Khalani Riddick	1	1.0
Nate Rutचना	1	1.0
<b>FIELD GOALS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Hunter Ridley	4	1.2
<b>FUMBLES RECOVERED</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Porter Connors	1	1
Jacob Psyk	1	1
<b>INTERCEPTIONS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Drew Corfield	1	1.0
Nate Rutचना	1	1.0
<b>PASSES DEFENDED</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Drew Coefield	1	2.0
<b>PASSING EFFICIENCY</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	2	161.8
<b>PASSING YARDS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Caden Pinnick	3	253
<b>PASSING YARDS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	3	253.0
<b>PASSING YARDS PER COMP.</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	3	12.1
<b>POINTS RESPONSIBLE FOR</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Caden Pinnick	1	18
<b>PTS RESPONSIBLE FOR PER GM</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	1	18.0
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	3	12.0
<b>PUNT RETURNS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Khalani Riddick	1	15.7
<b>RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	1	2
<b>RUSHING YARDS PER CARRY</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Jordan Fisher	2	6.6
<b>RUSHING YARDS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Jordan Fisher	2	105
<b>RUSHING YARDS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Jordan Fisher	1	105.0
<b>SCORING</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	1	12.0
<b>SOLO TACKLES</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Rex Connors	2	8.0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Caden Pinnick	3	267.0
<b>TOTAL TACKLES</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Rex Connors	2	15.0
<b>TOTAL TOUCHDOWNS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	1	2
<b>YARDS PER PASS ATTEMPT</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	2	8.2
<b>YARDS PER RECEPTION</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	2	23.3

NCAA INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS  
(AS OF AUG. 30; TOP 50)

<b>COMBINED KICK RETURNS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Khalani Riddick	50	47
<b>COMPLETION PERCENTAGE</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	25	67.7
<b>COMPLETIONS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	17	21.0
<b>FIELD GOALS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Hunter Ridley	25	1.0
<b>FORCED FUMBLES</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Khalani Riddick	1	1.0
Nate Rutचना	1	1.0
<b>FUMBLES RECOVERED</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Porter Connors	3	1
Jacob Psyk	3	1
<b>INTERCEPTIONS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Drew Corfield	3	1.0
Nate Rutचना	3	1.0
<b>PASSES DEFENDED</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Drew Coefield	10	2.0
<b>PASSING EFFICIENCY</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	19	161.8
<b>PASSING YARDS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Caden Pinnick	18	253
<b>PASSING YARDS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	15	253.0
<b>PASSING YARDS PER COMP.</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	37	12.1
<b>POINTS RESPONSIBLE FOR</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Caden Pinnick	11	18
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	31	12
<b>PTS RESPONSIBLE FOR PER GM</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	11	18.0
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	24	12.0
<b>PUNT RETURNS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Khalani Riddick	7	15.7
<b>RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	2	2
<b>RECEIVING YARDS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	33	93
<b>RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS PER GM</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Stacy Dobbins	22	6.0
<b>RUSHING YARDS PER CARRY</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Jordan Fisher	28	6.6
<b>RUSHING YARDS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Jordan Fisher	29	105
<b>RUSHING YARDS PER GAME</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Jordan Fisher	25	105.0
<b>SCORING</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	8	12.0
<b>SOLO TACKLES</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Rex Connors	9	8.0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Caden Pinnick	20	267.0
<b>TOTAL TACKLES</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Rex Connors	4	15.0
Porter Connors	33	10.0
<b>TOTAL TOUCHDOWNS</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Samuel Gbatu Jr.	9	2
Jordan Fisher	45	1
Zach Jones	45	1
<b>YARDS PER PASS ATTEMPT</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Caden Pinnick	26	8.2
<b>YARDS PER RECEPTION</b>	<b>RANK</b>	<b>AVG.</b>
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	28	23.3

UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES - 2025 SCORING DRIVES

UC DAVIS SCORING DRIVES

Total Scoring Drives: 5

Qtr.	Opp.	Scoring Play	Plays	Yards	TOP
1st	UTU	Fisher 66-yrd run (Ridley kick)	2	75	0:34
3rd	UTU	Jones, Z 14-yrd pass from Pinnick (Ridley kick)	8	75	2:57
3rd	UTU	Gbatu Jr., 20-yrd pass from Pinnick (Ridley kick)	3	51	1:11
3rd	UTU	Ridley 29-yrd field goal	7	14	2:45
4th	UTU	Gbatu Jr., 60-yrd pass from Pinnick (Ridley kick)	8	81	3:52

OPPONENT SCORING DRIVES

Total Scoring Drives: 4

Qtr.	Opp.	Scoring Play	Plays	Yards	TOP
1st	UTU	Uvaydov 33-yrd field goal	6	15	2:53
2nd	UTU	Olsen 1-yrd pass from Graff (Uvaydov kick)	13	47	5:36
3rd	UTU	Tanner 45-yrd pass from Graff (Uvaydov kick)	1	45	0:07
3rd	UTU	Street 1-yrd run (Uvaydov kick)	5	50	2:32

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Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	W	31-24	4629

Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jordan Fisher	1	16	110	5	105	6.6	1	66	105.0
Matteo Perez	1	7	49	0	49	7.0	0	15	49.0
Caden Pinnick	1	14	41	27	14	1.0	0	10	14.0
Carter Vargas	1	3	4	0	4	1.3	0	2	4.0
Team	1	3	0	8	-8	-2.7	0	0	-8.0
Total	1	43	204	40	164	3.8	1	66	164.0
Opponents	1	30	94	13	81	2.7	1	10	81.0

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Caden Pinnick	1	161.8	21-31-1	67.7	253	3	60	253.0
Total	1	161.8	21-31-1	67.7	253	3	60	253.0
Opponents	1	121.5	28-44-2	63.6	272	2	45	272.0

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Stacy Dobbins	1	6	71	11.8	0	31	71.0
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	1	4	93	23.3	2	60	93.0
Zach Jones	1	3	34	11.3	1	14	34.0
Tyler Hennessy	1	3	11	3.7	0	9	11.0
Matteo Perez	1	1	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
Winston Williams	1	1	4	4.0	0	4	4.0
Ian Simpson	1	1	19	19.0	0	19	19.0
Zaire Collier	1	1	3	3.0	0	3	3.0
Carter Vargas	1	1	19	19.0	0	19	19.0
Total	1	21	256	12.2	3	60	256.0
Opponents	1	28	272	9.7	2	45	272.0

Game Records

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

Team Statistics

	UCD	OPP
First Downs	21	18
Rushing	10	4
Passing	10	12
Penalty	1	2
Rushing Yardage	164	81
Rushing attempts	43	30
Average per rush	3.8	2.7
Average per game	164.0	81.0
TDs Rushing	1	1
Passing Yardage	253	272
Comp-Att-Int	21-31-1	28-44-2
Average per pass	8.2	6.2
Average per catch	12.0	9.7
Average per game	253.0	272.0
TDs Passing	3	2
Total offense	417	353
Average per play	5.6	4.8
Average per game	417.0	353.0
Kick returns: #-Yards	1-23	1-13
Punt returns: #-Yards	3-47	3-1
Int returns: #-Yards	2-31	1-0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	6-68	3-30
Punts-Avg	4-39.5	5-46.8
Time of possession / game	27:45	32:15
3rd-down conversion	6/15	7/15
4th-down conversion	0/2	0/2
PAT-attempts	(4-4) 100%	(3-3) 100%
2-point conversion-attempts	(0-0) 0%	(0-0) 0%

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Nate Rutचना	1	0	0.0	0	0
Drew Cofield	1	31	31.0	0	31
Total	2	31	15.5	0	31
Opponents	1	0	0.0	0	0

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### Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Hunter Ridley	1-2	50.0	0-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	29	1
Opponents	1-1	100.0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	33	0

### Scoring

Player	td	fg	PAT					dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass				
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Hunter Ridley	-	1-2	4-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Jordan Fisher	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Zach Jones	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>

### Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
UC Davis	7	0	14	10	0	31
Opponents	3	7	14	0	0	24

### Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Dylan Mauro	4	158	39.5	43	0	1	2	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>39.5</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>46.8</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>

### Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Khalani Riddick	3	47	15.7	0	28
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>

### Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	1	23	23.0	0	23
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>

### All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	1	0	93	0	23	0	116	116.0
Jordan Fisher	1	105	0	0	0	0	105	105.0
Stacy Dobbins	1	0	71	0	0	0	71	71.0
Matteo Perez	1	49	2	0	0	0	51	51.0
Khalani Riddick	1	0	0	47	0	0	47	47.0
Zach Jones	1	0	34	0	0	0	34	34.0
Drew Cofield	1	0	0	0	0	31	31	31.0
Carter Vargas	1	4	19	0	0	0	23	23.0
Ian Simpson	1	0	19	0	0	0	19	19.0
Caden Pinnick	1	14	0	0	0	0	14	14.0
Tyler Hennessy	1	0	11	0	0	0	11	11.0
Winston Williams	1	0	4	0	0	0	4	4.0
Zaire Collier	1	0	3	0	0	0	3	3.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>521.0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>367.0</b>

### Total Offense

Player	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Caden Pinnick	1	45	14	253	267	267.0
Jordan Fisher	1	16	105	0	105	105.0
Matteo Perez	1	7	49	0	49	49.0
Carter Vargas	1	3	4	0	4	4.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>417.0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>353.0</b>

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## Team Defense

##	Player	gp	Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
4	Rex Connors	1	8	7	15	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
39	Porter Connors	1	3	7	10	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
1	Khalani Riddick	1	5	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
8	Nate Rutchena	1	3	3	6	1-5	.	1-0	.	.	.	1	.	.
10	Jayden Stanley	1	4	1	5	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	Grant Garretson	1	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	Ty Richardson	1	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Jacob Psyk	1	1	2	3	1-1	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
11	Drew Cofield	1	3	.	3	.	.	1-31	1	.	.	.	.	.
8	Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	Trent Carrade	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	Sam Goligoski	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
92	Rayne Mayo Jr.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Jackson Sievers	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	Derrell Smith-Porter	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	Cole Batson	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Josiah Allen	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	Winston Williams	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	William Fowler	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
65	David Porotesano	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
43	Hunter Ridley	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Totals</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>3-8</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-31</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Opponents		1	32	50	82	8-32	6-27	1-0	3	1	1-3	1	1	0

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Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	43	164	1	66	21	256	3	60	21	31	1	253	3	60	1	23	0	23	3	47	0	28	417
UC Davis		43	164	1	66	21	256	3	60	21	31	1	253	3	60	1	23	0	23	3	47	0	28	417
Opponents		30	81	1	10	28	272	2	45	28	44	2	272	2	45	1	13	0	13	3	1	0	5	353

### UC Davis Averages

Games	Avg/ rush	Avg/ catch	Pass effic	KR avg	PR avg	All purpose avg/game	Total offense avg/game
1	3.8	12.2	161.8	23.0	15.7	521.0	417.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks		Fumble		Pass Defense				blkd	PAT attempts				off	
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts		
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	38	36	74	3.0-8	0-0	2	2-0	2-31	0	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	3	31		
UC Davis		38	36	74	3.0-8	0-0	2	2-0	2-31	0	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	3	31		
Opponents		32	50	82	8.0-32	6-27	1	1-3	1-0	1	3	1	3-3	0	0	0	7	24		

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	4	158	39.5	43	0	0	1	0	2	1-2	29	1	6	378	63.0	3	0	
UC Davis		4	158	39.5	43	0	0	1	0	2	1-2	29	1	6	378	63.0	3	0	
Opponents		5	234	46.8	56	0	0	2	2	1	1-1	33	0	5	319	63.8	1	0	

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Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conf	Time	Attend
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	W	31-24	1-0	0-0	3:26	4629

Opponent	Score	First Downs				Rushing Number-Yards	Passing		Total Offense Plays-Yards	Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass	Pen		Comp-Att.-Int	Yards			
Utah Tech	31-24	21 / 18	10 / 4	10 / 12	1 / 2	43-164 / 30-81	21-31-1 / 28-44-2	253 / 272	74-417 / 74-353	101 / 17	2 / 4
Totals	31-24	21 / 18	10 / 4	10 / 12	1 / 2	43-164 / 30-81	21-31-1 / 28-44-2	253 / 272	74-417 / 74-353	101 / 17	2 / 4



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### 3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	W 31-24	6-15 40.0	2-3 66.7	1-4 25.0	2-4 50.0	1-4 25.0	0-0 0.0
UC Davis			6-15 40.0	2-3 66.7	1-4 25.0	2-4 50.0	1-4 25.0	0-0 0.0
Opponents			7-15 46.7	1-4 25.0	4-5 80.0	1-3 33.3	1-3 33.3	0-0 0.0

### 4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	W 31-24	0-2 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-2 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0
UC Davis			0-2 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-2 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0
Opponents			0-2 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0

### Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	W 31-24	27:45	04:39	06:43	07:30	08:53	00:00
UC Davis			Total	27:45	04:39	06:43	07:30	08:53
			Avg.	27:45	04:39	06:43	07:30	08:53
Opponents			Total	32:15	09:58	08:40	07:03	06:34
			Avg.	32:15	09:58	08:40	07:03	06:34

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UC Davis Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total					FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
08/30/2025	at Utah Tech	W 31-24	5	3	17	2	0	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals 3 of 5 (60.0%)			5	3	17	2	0	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0

Opponents Inside UC Davis Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total					FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
08/30/2025	Utah Tech	W 31-24	3	3	17	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals 3 of 3 (100.0%)			3	3	17	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0



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### UC Davis - Game Highs

RUSHES	43	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS RUSHING	164	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS PER RUSH	3.8	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TD RUSHES	1	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PASS ATTEMPTS	31	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PASS COMPLETIONS	21	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS PASSING	253	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS PER PASS	8.2	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TD PASSES	3	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TOTAL PLAYS	74	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TOTAL OFFENSE	417	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS PER PLAY	5.6	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
POINTS	31	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
SACKS BY	0	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
FIRST DOWNS	21	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PENALTIES	6	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PENALTY YARDS	68	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TURNOVERS	2	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PUNTS	4	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PUNTING AVG	39.5	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG PUNT	43	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	2	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG PUNT RETURN	28	at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)

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## UC Davis - Individual Game Highs

RUSHES	16	Jordan Fisher at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS RUSHING	105	Jordan Fisher at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TD RUSHES	1	Jordan Fisher at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG RUSH	66	Jordan Fisher at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PASS ATTEMPTS	31	Caden Pinnick at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PASS COMPLETIONS	21	Caden Pinnick at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS PASSING	253	Caden Pinnick at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TD PASSES	3	Caden Pinnick at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG PASS	60	Caden Pinnick at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
RECEPTIONS	6	Stacy Dobbins at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
YARDS RECEIVING	93	Samuel Gbatu, Jr. at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TD RECEPTIONS	2	Samuel Gbatu, Jr. at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG RECEPTION	60	Samuel Gbatu, Jr. at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PUNTS	4	Dylan Mauro at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PUNTING AVG	39.5	Dylan Mauro at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG PUNT	43	Dylan Mauro at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
PUNTS INSIDE 20	2	Dylan Mauro at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG PUNT RETURN	28	Khalani Riddick at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
LONG KICKOFF RETURN	23	Samuel Gbatu, Jr. at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
TACKLES	15	Rex Connors at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
SACKS	none	
TACKLES FOR LOSS	1	Nate Rutchena at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
	1	Jayden Stanley at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)
	1	Jacob Psyk at Utah Tech (08/30/2025)

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Player	Total	UTTECH
Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	116	116
Jordan Fisher	105	105
Stacy Dobbins	71	71
Matteo Perez	51	51
Khalani Riddick	47	47
Zach Jones	34	34
Drew Cofield	31	31
Carter Vargas	23	23
Ian Simpson	19	19
Caden Pinnick	14	14
Tyler Hennessy	11	11
Winston Williams	4	4
Zaire Collier	3	3

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2025 BIG SKY STANDINGS

SCHOOL	BIG SKY	PF	PA	OVERALL	PF	PA	H	A	STR	STATS PERFORM	AFCA
Cal Poly	0-0	0	0	1-0	41	17	0-0	1-0	W1	NR	NR
Northern Colo.	0-0	0	0	1-0	17	3	1-0	0-0	W1	NR	NR
UC DAVIS	0-0	0	0	1-0	31	24	0-0	1-0	W1	8	7
Montana	0-0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	6	6
Eastern Wash.	0-0	0	0	0-1	21	31	0-0	0-1	L1	NR	NR
Idaho	0-0	0	0	0-1	10	13	0-0	0-1	L1	10	10
Montana State	0-0	0	0	0-1	13	59	0-0	0-1	L1	3	3
Northern Ariz.	0-0	0	0	0-1	19	38	0-0	0-1	L1	19	19
Sacramento St.	0-0	0	0	0-1	3	20	0-0	0-1	L1	18	18
Weber State	0-0	0	0	0-1	10	45	0-0	0-1	L1	NR	NR
Idaho State	0-0	0	0	0-2	55	84	0-0	0-2	L2	NR	NR
Portland State	0-0	0	0	0-2	0	111	0-1	0-1	L2	NR	NR

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Eastern Washington at Boise State - 6 p.m. (FSI)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

Idaho State at New Mexico - 12 p.m.

St. Thomas-Minnesota at No. 10 Idaho - 1 p.m. (ESPN+)

No. 18 Sacramento State at Nevada - 2 p.m.

Utah Tech at No. 19 Northern Arizona - 2 p.m. (ESPN+)

Cal Poly at Utah - 3 p.m. (ESPN+)

Northern Colorado at Colorado State - 4 p.m.

Portland State at North Dakota - 4 p.m. (ESPN+)

Central Washington at No. 6 Montana - 5 p.m. (ESPN+)

No. 2 South Dakota State at No. 3 Montana State - 5 p.m. (ESPN+)

Weber State at Arizona - 7 p.m. (ESPN+)

NO. 8 UC DAVIS at Washington - 8 p.m. (BTN)

RECENT RESULTS

(Saturday, Aug. 30) OREGON 59, No. 2 Montana State 13

(Saturday, Aug. 30) ARIZONA STATE 38, No. 19 Arizona State 19

(Saturday, Aug. 30) NORTHERN COLORADO 17, Chadron State 3

(Saturday, Aug. 30) JAMES MADISON 45, Weber State 10

(Saturday, Aug. 30) NO. 5 INCARNATE WORD 31, Eastern Washington 21

(Saturday, Aug. 30) NO. 3 SOUTH DAKOTA STATE 20, No. 15 Sacramento State 3

(Saturday, Aug. 30) BYU 69, Portland State 0

(Saturday, Aug. 30) Cal Poly 41, SAN DIEGO 17

(Saturday, Aug. 30) SOUTHERN UTAH 46, Idaho State 24

(Saturday, Aug. 30) WASHINGTON STATE 13, No. 12 Idaho 10

(Saturday, Aug. 30) NO. 8 UC DAVIS 31, UTAH TECH 24

All times Pacific (PT) and subject to change  
Home Teams in BOLD

2025 BIG SKY PRESEASON MEDIA POLL

(First place votes in parentheses)

1. Montana State (30).....	448
2. Montana (6).....	434
3. UC DAVIS (4).....	399
4. Idaho (1).....	364
5. Northern Arizona.....	354
6. Sacramento State (1).....	282
7. Idaho State.....	247
8. Eastern Washington.....	225
9. Weber State.....	192
10. Portland State.....	140
11. Cal Poly.....	94
12. Northern Colorado.....	57

2025 BIG SKY PRESEASON COACHES POLL

(First place votes in parentheses)

1. Montana State (7).....	117
2. UC DAVIS (1).....	100
3. Montana (2).....	96
4. Northern Arizona (1).....	94
5. Idaho.....	81
6. Sacramento State (1).....	73
7. Idaho State.....	56
8. Weber State.....	55
9. Eastern Washington.....	48
10. Portland State.....	32
11. Cal Poly.....	25
12. Northern Colorado.....	15



## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL GAME NOTES

### 2025 PRESEASON HONORS

#### Rex Connors, DB, Sr.

- Buck Buchanan Award Preseason Watchlist
- East-West Shrine Bowl 1000 Watchlist
- Stats Perform FCS Preseason All-American
- FCS Football Central Preseason All-American
- Phil Steele FCS Preseason All-American
- Big Sky Preseason Defensive Player of the Year
- Preseason Big Sky All-Conference
- No. 1 rated returning safety in the nation (HERO Sports)

#### Hunter Ridley, K, Sr.

- Stats Perform FCS Preseason All-American
- FCS Football Central Preseason All-American
- Phil Steele FCS Preseason All-American
- Preseason Big Sky All-Conference
- Allstate AFCA Good Works Team (nominee)

#### Winston Williams, TE, Sr.

- Stats Perform FCS Preseason All-American
- FCS Football Central Preseason All-American
- Phil Steele FCS Preseason All-American
- Preseason Big Sky All-Conference
- No. 2 rated returning tight end in the nation (HERO Sports)

#### Porter Connors, LB, Sr.

- Stats Perform FCS Preseason All-American
- FCS Football Central Preseason All-American
- Phil Steele FCS Preseason All-American
- Preseason Big Sky All-Conference

#### Jacob Psyk, DL, Gr.

- FCS Football Central Preseason All-American

#### Samuel Gbatu Jr., WR, Sr.

- Preseason Big Sky All-Conference

#### Ernesto Nava, OL, Sr.

- Preseason Big Sky All-Conference

#### Eli Simonson, OL, Sr.

- Preseason Big Sky All-Conference

### AGGIES IN THE NFL

#### ACTIVE ROSTER

ACTIVE ROSTER	YEAR	TEAM
Daniel Whelan (P)	3rd	Green Bay
Teddy Buchanan (LB)	1st	Baltimore
Lan Larison (RB)	1st	New England

### AGGIES IN THE CFL

#### ACTIVE ROSTER

ACTIVE ROSTER	YEAR	TEAM
Jake Maier (QB)	5th	Saskatchewan



### WHAT IS SHREDDVILLE

**SHRED:** To perform your craft in a highly skilled, aggressive, and spectacular manner

**-VILLE:** a suffix added to a special quality to describe a particular place where people embody that quality

### SHREDDVILLE

A particular, unique place where people perform their craft in a highly skilled, aggressive, and spectacular manner

### JUST CALL US UC DAVIS

Despite being a nationally ranked institution of higher learning – including No. 5 on the Wall Street Journal’s list of public universities – UC Davis’ exact name is often cited incorrectly... The full name is the University of California, Davis... The correct athletics appellation is UC Davis: no hyphens, periods or any other forms of punctuation... Common incorrect references have included “Cal Davis,” “U.C. Davis,” “UC-Davis” and even “University of Davis.”... “UCD” is acceptable for agate but should not be used in a story, even in second reference... Please note also that the Aggies’ home field is now UC Davis Health Stadium in all references.



## UC DAVIS ALL-TIME COACHING RECORDS

Coach	Years	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
R.E. Harmon	1915-16	10	3	0	.769
Jack Glascock	1917	1	2	0	.333
Reverend Bobbitt	1919	2	5	0	.286
C.E. Van Gent	1920	3	4	0	.429
W.D. Elfrink	1921	3	4	0	.429
Chester L. Brewer	1922	3	4	2	.444
W.L. Driver	1923-27	18	23	3	.443
Irv F. “Crip” Toomey	1928-36	24	42	8	.378
Vern B. Hickey	1937-42, ’46-48	23	42	8	.370
Ted W. Forbes	1949-53, ’55	21	29	2	.423
Will Lotter	1954, ’56-57, ’59-63	26	42	3	.379
Herb Schmalenberger	1958, ’64-69	28	38	0	.424
Jim Sochor	1970-88	156	41	5	.785
Bob Foster	1989-92	30	11	1	.726
Bob Biggs	1993-2012	144	85	1	.628
Ron Gould	2013-2016	12	33	0	.267
Dan Hawkins	2017-2023	44	31	0	.587
<b>TIM PLOUGH</b>	<b>2024-pres.</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.800</b>
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>102 Seasons</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>.557</b>



## 2025 OPPONENT SCHEDULES

## NO. 23 MERCER (0-1, 0-0 SOCON)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
<b>AUG. 23</b>	<b>VS. NO. 8 UC DAVIS</b>	<b>NO CONTEST</b>
Aug. 30	PRESBYTERIAN	L, 10-15
Sept. 13	WOFFORD*	3 p.m.
Sept. 20	at The Citadel*	11 a.m.
Sept. 27	at East Tennessee State*	2:30 p.m.
Oct. 4	SAMFORD*	1 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Princeton	9 a.m.
Oct. 25	VMI*	12 p.m.
Nov. 1	at Furman*	11 a.m.
Nov. 8	at Western Carolina*	11:30 a.m.
Nov. 15	CHATTANOOGA*	12 p.m.
Nov. 22	at Auburn	11 a.m.

## UTAH TECH (0-1, 0-0 UAC)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
<b>AUG. 30</b>	<b>NO. 8 UC DAVIS</b>	<b>L, 24-31</b>
Sept. 6	at No. 19 Northern Arizona	2 p.m.
Sept. 13	at No. 10 Idaho	1 p.m.
Sept. 20	NORTHERN IOWA	5 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Austin Peay*	11 a.m.
Oct. 4	at Central Arkansas*	2 p.m.
Oct. 11	NO. 5 TARLETON STATE*	5 p.m.
Oct. 25	No. 24 SOUTHERN UTAH*	5 p.m.
Nov. 1	NORTH ALABAMA*	1 p.m.
Nov. 8	at No. 16 Abilene Christian*	12 p.m.
Nov. 15	at West Georgia*	11 a.m.
Nov. 22	EASTERN KENTUCKY*	1 p.m.

## WASHINGTON (1-0, 0-0 BIG TEN)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	COLORADO STATE	W, 38-21
<b>SEPT. 6</b>	<b>UC DAVIS</b>	<b>8 P.M.</b>
Sept. 20	at Washington State	4:30 p.m.
Sept. 27	OHIO STATE*	TBA
Oct. 4	at Maryland*	TBA
Oct. 10	RUTGERS*	6 p.m.
Oct. 18	at Michigan*	TBA
Oct. 25	ILLINOIS*	TBA
Nov. 8	at Wisconsin*	TBA
Nov. 15	PURDUE*	TBA
Nov. 22	at UCLA*	TBA
Nov. 29	OREGON*	TBA

## SOUTHERN UTAH (1-0, 0-0 UAC)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	IDAHO STATE	W, 46-24
Sept. 6	at San Diego	6 p.m.
Sept. 13	at No. 19 Northern Arizona	5:30 p.m.
<b>SEPT. 20</b>	<b>AT NO. 8 UC DAVIS</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>
Sept. 27	WEST GEORGIA*	5:30 p.m.
Oct. 4	at No. 5 Tarleton State*	4 p.m.
Oct. 18	No. 16 ABILENE CHRISTIAN*	5:30 p.m.
Oct. 25	at Utah Tech*	5 p.m.
Nov. 1	AUSTIN PEAY	5:30 p.m.
Nov. 8	at Eastern Kentucky*	12 p.m.
Nov. 15	CENTRAL ARKANSAS*	5:30 p.m.
Nov. 22	at North Alabama*	11 a.m.

## WEBER STATE (0-1, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	at James Madison	L, 10-45
Sept. 6	at Arizona	7 p.m.
Sept. 13	at McNeese	4 p.m.
Sept. 20	BUTLER	5 p.m.
<b>SEPT. 27</b>	<b>AT NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>7 P.M.</b>
Oct. 11	NO. 18 SACRAMENTO STATE*	5 p.m.
Oct. 18	at Portland State*	2 p.m.
Oct. 25	EASTERN WASHINGTON*	12 p.m.
Nov. 1	NO. 6 MONTANA*	12 p.m.
Nov. 8	at No. 3 Montana State*	12 p.m.
Nov. 15	at Idaho State*	3 p.m.
Nov. 22	NO. 19 NORTHERN ARIZONA*	12 p.m.

## CAL POLY (1-0, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	at San Diego	W, 41-17
Sept. 6	at Utah	3 p.m.
Sept. 13	WESTERN OREGON	5 p.m.
Sept. 20	at No. 25 Stephen F. Austin	5 p.m.
Sept. 27	at No. 18 Sacramento State*	6 p.m.
<b>OCT. 4</b>	<b>NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>5 P.M.</b>
Oct. 11	at No. 6 Montana*	1 p.m.
Oct. 25	NO. 3 MONTANA STATE*	5 p.m.
Nov. 1	PORTLAND STATE*	2 p.m.
Nov. 8	at Idaho State*	3 p.m.
Nov. 15	at No. 19 Northern Arizona*	1 p.m.
Nov. 22	EASTERN WASHINGTON*	2 p.m.

## NO. 19 NORTHERN ARIZONA (0-1, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	at Arizona State	L, 19-38
Sept. 6	UTAH TECH	2 p.m.
Sept. 13	at No. 24 Southern Utah	5:30 p.m.
Sept. 20	NO. 12 INCARNATE WORD	2 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Portland State*	2 p.m.
Oct. 4	NO. 3 MONTANA STATE*	2 p.m.
<b>OCT. 11</b>	<b>AT NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>4 P.M.</b>
Oct. 25	at Idaho State*	3 p.m.
Oct. 31	NO. 10 IDAHO*	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 8	NORTHERN COLORADO*	3 p.m.
Nov. 15	CAL POLY*	1 p.m.
Nov. 22	at Weber State*	12 p.m.

## NORTHERN COLORADO (1-0, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	CHADRON STATE	W, 17-3
Sept. 6	COLOADO STATE	4 p.m.
Sept. 13	at No. 4 South Dakota	11 a.m.
Sept. 20	at Houston Christian	4 p.m.
Sept. 27	IDAHO STATE*	12 p.m.
Oct. 11	at No. 10 Idaho*	2 p.m.
Oct. 18	at No. 18 Sacramento State*	6 p.m.
<b>OCT. 25</b>	<b>NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>12 P.M.</b>
Nov. 1	NO. 3 MONTANA STATE*	11 a.m.
Nov. 8	at No. 19 Northern Arizona*	3 p.m.
Nov. 15	at Eastern Washington*	1 p.m.
Nov. 22	PORTLAND STATE*	11 a.m.

## 2025 OPPONENT SCHEDULES

### IDAHO STATE (0-2, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 23	at UNLV	L, 31-38
Aug. 30	at Southern Utah	L, 24-46
Sept. 6	at New Mexico	12 p.m.
Sept. 20	LINCOLN (CA)	3 p.m.
Sept. 27	at Northern Colorado*	12 p.m.
Oct. 4	NO. 6 MONTANA*	5 p.m.
Oct. 11	at No. 3 Montana State*	12 p.m.
Oct. 25	NO. 19 NORTHERN ARIZONA*	3 p.m.
<b>NOV. 1</b>	<b>AT NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>1 P.M.</b>
Nov. 8	CAL POLY*	3 p.m.
Nov. 15	WEBER STATE*	3 p.m.
Nov. 22	No. 10 Idaho*	1 p.m.

### NO. 10 IDAHO (0-1, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	at Washington State	L, 10-13
Sept. 6	ST. THOMAS	12 p.m.
Sept. 13	UTAH TECH	12 p.m.
Sept. 20	at San Jose State	1 p.m.
Sept. 27	at No. 6 Montana*	6:15 p.m.
Oct. 11	NORTHERN COLORADO*	1 p.m.
Oct. 18	at Eastern Washington*	3 p.m.
Oct. 25	PORTLAND STATE*	12 p.m.
Oct. 31	at No. 19 Northern Arizona*	6:30 p.m.
<b>NOV. 8</b>	<b>NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>3 P.M.</b>
Nov. 15	at No. 18 Sacramento State*	5 p.m.
Nov. 22	IDAHO STATE*	12 p.m.

### NO. 3 MONTANA STATE (0-1, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	at Oregon	L, 13-59
Sept. 6	NO. 2 SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	5 p.m.
Sept. 13	SAN DIEGO	12 p.m.
Sept. 20	MERCYHURST	12 p.m.
Sept. 27	EASTERN WASHINGTON*	1 p.m.
Oct. 4	No. 19 Northern Arizona*	3 p.m.
Oct. 11	IDAHO STATE*	12 p.m.
Oct. 25	at Cal Poly*	5 p.m.
Nov. 1	at Northern Colorado*	11 a.m.
Nov. 8	WEBER STATE*	12 p.m.
<b>NOV. 15</b>	<b>NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>7:15 P.M.</b>
Nov. 22	at No. 6 Montana*	11 a.m.

### NO. 18 SACRAMENTO STATE (0-1, 0-0 BIG SKY)

DATE	TEAM	TIME/RESULT
Aug. 30	at No. 3 South Dakota State	L, 3-20
Sept. 6	at Nevada	2 p.m.
Sept. 13	MERCYHURST	6 p.m.
Sept. 20	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	6 p.m.
Sept. 27	CAL POLY*	6 p.m.
Oct. 11	at Weber State*	5 p.m.
Oct. 18	NORTHERN COLORADO*	6 p.m.
Oct. 24	NO. 6 MONTANA*	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 1	at Eastern Washington*	1 p.m.
Nov. 8	at Portland State*	2 p.m.
Nov. 15	NO. 10 IDAHO*	6 p.m.
<b>NOV. 22</b>	<b>AT NO. 8 UC DAVIS*</b>	<b>1 P.M.</b>

COMBINED OPPONENTS RECORD: 4-9

COMBINED OPPONENTS CONFERENCE RECORD: 0-0

# UC DAVIS



## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown/H.S./Previous School	No.	Name	Pos.
0	Ian Simpson	TE	6-3	235	Sr.	Rocklin, Calif. / Whitney / American River College	34	Kai Acia	RB
1	Khalani Riddick	DB	6-0	200	Gr.	Elk Grove, Calif. / Elk Grove / SEMO	48	Joseph Adema	LS
1	Carter Vargas	RB	6-0	205	So.	Santa Maria, Calif. / St. Joseph	44	Nick Afato	LB
2	Macray Madruga	LB	6-3	235	Sr.	San Ramon, Calif. / California	22	Charlie Allen	LB
2	David Rasor	QB	6-0	205	Jr.	Newport Beach, Calif. / Corona Del Mar	9	Josiah Allen	DB
3	Zach Jones	WR	5-9	180	Jr.	Daly City, Calif. / Archbishop Riordan	71	Aziz Altugajiri	OL
3	Ty Richardson	DB	6-0	190	Gr.	Menlo, Calif. / Menlo School / Tufts	88	Greer Arthur	WR
4	Rex Connors	DB	6-1	210	Sr.	Pleasant Grove, Utah / Pleasant Grove	23	Cole Batson	DB
5	Treyner Cleeland	QB	6-1	225	Fr.	Vancouver, Wash. / Jesuit (Portland, Ore.)	18	Marquis Bell	DB
5	Grant Garretson	LB	6-4	235	Sr.	Chico, Calif. / Pleasant Valley / Butte College	16	Jordan Black-Glass	DB
6	Trey Carr	DB	5-10	155	Jr.	Fresno, Calif. / Clovis West / Fresno CC	15	Connor Bonesio	TE
6	Michael Ingrassia	RB	6-0	190	Sr.	Novato, Calif. / Marin Catholic	89	Marquis Bradley	WR
7	Stacy Dobbins	WR	5-7	165	So.	Compton, Calif. / St. John Bosco	6	Trey Carr	DB
8	Samuel Gbatu, Jr.	WR	5-10	185	Sr.	Temecula, Calif. / Temecula Valley	90	Trent Carrade	DL
8	Nate Rutcheda	LB	6-4	240	Gr.	Danville, Calif. / Monte Vista / California	91	Joey Carrillo	DL
9	Josiah Allen	DB	5-8	190	Gr.	Elk Grove, Calif. / Franklin (Elk Grove) / UTEP	63	Roice Cleeland	OL
10	Grant Harper	QB	6-2	205	Sr.	Moraga, Calif. / Campolindo	5	Treyner Cleeland	QB
10	Jayden Stanley	DB	6-0	195	Sr.	Atherton, Calif. / Menlo-Atherton	11	Drew Cofield	DB
11	Drew Cofield	DB	6-1	170	Fr.	Thousand Oaks, Calif. / Newbury Park	52	Zaire Collier	OL
11	Mitchell Dixon	TE	6-4	255	Sr.	Sacramento, Calif. / Rio Americano	39	Porter Connors	LB
12	William Fowler	DB	6-1	190	Jr.	Fresno, Calif. / Washington Union	4	Rex Connors	DB
12	Caden Pinnick	QB	6-0	200	R-Fr.	Loomis, Calif. / Del Oro	83	Cade Cox	K
13	Tyler Hennessy	WR	5-10	185	Fr.	Garden Grove, Calif. / Orange Lutheran	28	JJ Cravin Jr.	DB
13	Thomas McCormick	LB	5-10	190	So.	Encinitas, Calif. / Carlsbad	62	Jace Denning	OL
14	Axel Eason	QB	6-3	215	Fr.	Agoura Hills, Calif. / Oaks Christian	11	Mitchell Dixon	TE
14	Scott Nixon	WR	6-2	200	Jr.	Sacramento, Calif. / Sheldon / Sacramento City College	7	Stacy Dobbins	WR
15	Connor Bonesio	TE	6-6	245	Jr.	Hamilton City, Calif. / Hamilton	14	Axel Eason	QB
15	Jackson Sievers	LB	6-0	220	So.	Mission Viejo, Calif. / Capistrano Valley	75	Henry Fanua	OL
16	Jordan Black-Glass	DB	6-0	180	So.	Hanford, Calif. / Hanford / Fresno City College	93	Julian Fernandez	DL
16	Owen Scott	WR	5-10	175	Fr.	Danville, Calif. / Sam Ramon Valley	68	Mike Fesili	OL
17	Kyle Hill	LB	6-5	220	So.	Palm Desert, Calif. / Xavier College Prep	96	Jaden Few	DL
17	Damon Wrihster	QB	6-3	185	So.	Granada Hills, Calif. / Inglewood	20	Jordan Fisher	RB
18	Marquis Bell	DB	6-0	205	Jr.	Oceanside, Calif. / El Camino / Liberty / Palomar College	47	Jordan Garcia	LB
18	Xzavior Guess	QB	5-9	185	Fr.	Huntington Beach, Calif. / El Modena	5	Grant Garretson	LB
19	Matteo Perez	RB	5-8	185	Sr.	Novato, Calif. / Marin Catholic	8	Samuel Gbatu Jr.	WR
19	Boston Stovall	DB	5-8	160	Jr.	Inglewood, Calif. / Lawndale	57	Luke Givens	LB
20	Jordan Fisher	RB	5-8	180	Jr.	Portland, Ore. / Westview	31	Sam Goligoski	LB
21	Teeg Slone	DB	6-1	190	R-So.	Rocklin, Calif. / Rocklin / Utah State / American River College	18	Xzavior Guess	QB
22	Charlie Allen	LB	6-2	200	Sr.	Novato, Calif. / Marin Catholic / Arizona State	10	Grant Harper	QB
22	Lavel Pickett	WR	6-4	205	Sr.	Redlands, Calif. / Redlands East Valley	60	AJ Hasson	OL
23	Cole Batson	DB	6-5	200	Gr.	San Clemente, Calif. / San Clemente / Boston College	13	Tyler Hennessy	WR
23	Winston Williams	TE	6-4	245	Sr.	Lemoore, Calif. / Immanuel	33	Conner Hergert	LS
24	Kameron Totton	DB	5-10	180	Fr.	Sacramento, Calif. / Folsom	17	Kyle Hill	LB
26	Aden Jackson	RB	5-10	210	Fr.	El Cajon, Calif. / Lincoln (San Diego)	95	Devin Huegel	DL
27	Fernando Morales	WR	5-9	185	Sr.	Mexicali, B.C., Mexico / Central Union	30	Tyler Hughes	K/P
28	JJ Cravin Jr.	DB	5-10	170	Fr.	Murrieta, Calif. / Chapparal	98	Ike Ikegbu	DL
30	Tyler Hughes	K/P	6-2	185	Fr.	Poway, Calif. / Poway	6	Michael Ingrassia	RB
31	Sam Goligoski	LB	6-3	225	R-So.	San Mateo, Calif. / Serra	26	Aden Jackson	RB
32	Albert Richardson	DB	5-10	190	Fr.	Hanford, Calif. / Hanford	3	Zach Jones	WR
33	Conner Hergert	LS	6-1	235	Fr.	Sacramento, Calif. / Rio Americano	72	Tyler Keehn	OL
34	Kai Acia	RB	5-10	195	Jr.	Loomis, Calif. / Del Oro	85	Edward Khutishvili	TE
35	Derrell Porter	DL	6-2	285	Gr.	Pittsburgh, Pa. / Penn Hills / Dartmouth	49	Christian Knoos	LB
36	Dylan Mauro	P	6-1	195	So.	Allen, Texas / Allen / SW Oklahoma State / UTEP	97	Clayton Lynam	DL
37	Brayden Rosa	DB	5-8	180	Fr.	Santa Clara, Calif. / Wilcox	2	Macray Madruga	LB
38	Mason Walsh	RB	5-10	200	Fr.	Carlsbad, Calif. / Carlsbad	55	David Main	OL
39	Porter Connors	LB	6-1	220	Sr.	Pleasant Grove, Utah / Pleasant Grove	41	Isaac Mancera	K
40	Isaiah Sanders	LB	6-3	215	So.	Ladera Heights, Calif. / Loyola	36	Dylan Mauro	P
41	Isaac Mancera	K	6-1	225	R-Fr.	Salinas, Calif. / Salinas / UNLV	92	Rayne Mayo Jr.	DL
43	Hunter Ridley	K	6-1	205	Sr.	Lafayette, Calif. / Acalanes / UNLV	77	Ty Mazakas	OL
44	Nick Afato	LB	6-1	220	Jr.	Marysville, Calif. / Yuba City	13	Thomas McCormick	LB
45	Cory McEnroe	LB	6-1	225	Fr.	Thousand Oaks, Calif. / Thousand Oaks	76	Tristan McLoughlin	OL
46	Tristan McMurry	LB	6-0	225	Sr.	Murrieta, Calif. / Murrieta Mesa	46	Tristan McMurry	LB
47	Jordan Garcia	LB	6-1	230	Jr.	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. / Los Osos / Citrus College	67	Jayden Montanez	OL
48	Joseph Adema	LS	6-2	180	Jr.	San Diego, Calif. / St. Augustine	27	Fernando Morales	WR
49	Christian Knoos	LB	5-10	230	Fr.	Thousand Oaks, Calif. / Oaks Christian	79	Ernesto Nava	OL
51	Tom Sackinsky	DL	6-2	255	Jr.	Rocklin, Calif. / Rocklin / USMMA / Sierra College	14	Scott Nixon	WR

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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown/H.S./Previous School	No.	Name	Pos.
52	Zaire Collier	OL	6-4	320	Jr.	Antelope, Calif. / Granite Bay	87	Mason Norberg	TE
54	Jake Williams	DL	6-3	300	So.	Temecula, Calif. / Chaparra	80	Cole Owens	WR
55	David Main	OL	6-4	295	Sr.	Los Alamitos, Calif. / Los Alamitos	99	Tyler Parker	DL
56	Julius Ray	DL	6-2	250	Jr.	Palmdale, Calif. / Inglewood / Pasadena City College	19	Matteo Perez	RB
57	Luke Givens	LB	6-2	215	Fr.	San Diego, Calif. / La Jolla Country Day	22	Laviel Pickett	WR
60	AJ Hasson	OL	6-5	310	R-Fr.	Davis, Calif. / Davis Senior / Washington State	12	Caden Pinnick	QB
62	Jace Denning	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	San Francisco, Calif. / Archbishop Riordan	86	Franz Pohlman	TE
63	Roice Cleeland	OL	6-3	300	R-Fr.	Vancouver, Wash. / Jesuit (Portland, Ore.) / Washington	65	David Porotesano	OL
64	Jace Rodriguez	OL	6-5	305	R-Jr.	Los Alamitos, Calif. / Orange Lutheran / Stony Brook	35	Derrell Porter	DL
65	David Porotesano	OL	6-3	300	So.	Oceanside, Calif. / Oceanside	94	Jacob Psyk	DL
66	Jezniah Thurston	OL	6-3	290	So.	Beaumont, Calif. / Citrus Valley	2	David Rasor	QB
67	Jayden Montanez	OL	6-4	290	So.	Los Angeles, Calif. / Santa Monica	56	Julius Ray	DL
68	Mike Fesili	OL	6-3	310	Sr.	Long Beach, Calif. / Long Beach Poly	32	Albert Richardson	DB
70	Eli Simonson	OL	6-6	295	Sr.	Fremont, Neb. / Fremont Archbishop Bergan / Nebraska	3	Ty Richardson	DB
71	Aziz Altuwaijri	OL	6-3	265	Fr.	Newport Beach, Calif. / Corona del Mar	1	Khalani Riddick	DB
72	Tyler Keehn	OL	6-3	285	Fr.	Novato, Calif. / San Marin	43	Hunter Ridley	K
75	Henry Fanua	OL	6-5	340	Jr.	San Jose, Calif. / Milpitas / Foothill Junior College	64	Jace Rodriguez	OL
76	Tristan McLoughlin	OL	6-4	275	Fr.	Carmichael, Calif. / Jesuit	82	Jordan Rogers	TE
77	Ty Mazakas	OL	6-6	290	Jr.	Villa Park, Calif. / Sage	37	Brayden Rosa	DB
79	Ernesto Nava	OL	6-4	300	Gr.	Orange, Calif. / Tustin / Golden West College	8	Nate Rutchena	LB
80	Cole Owens	WR	6-0	185	So.	Granite Bay, Calif. / Casa Roble	51	Tom Sackinsky	DL
81	LaDanian Streets	WR	6-0	190	So.	Fresno, Calif. / Central East / Reedley College	40	Isaiah Sanders	LB
82	Jordan Rogers	TE	6-3	220	Fr.	Kentfield, Calif. / Marin Catholic	16	Owen Scott	WR
83	Cade Cox	K	6-0	175	Sr.	Redding, Calif. / Foothill	15	Jackson Sievers	LB
84	Ethan Woodmansee	WR	5-10	180	Fr.	Modesto, Calif. / Downey	70	Eli Simonson	OL
85	Edwards Khutsishvili	TE	6-4	225	Fr.	Anaheim, Calif. / Esperanza	0	Ian Simpson	TE
86	Franz Pohlman	TE	6-6	235	Jr.	Santa Cruz, Calif. / Santa Cruz	21	Teeg Slone	DB
87	Mason Norberg	TE	6-2	230	Jr.	Folsom, Calif. / Folsom	10	Jayden Stanley	DB
88	Greer Arthur	WR	5-11	195	So.	Tiburon, Calif. / Marin Catholic	19	Boston Stovall	DB
89	Marquis Bradley	WR	5-11	170	Fr.	Glendora, Calif. / Charter Oak	81	LaDanian Streets	WR
90	Trent Carrade	DL	6-3	280	Jr.	San Rafael, Calif. / Marin Catholic	66	Jezniah Thurston	OL
91	Joey Carrillo	DL	6-4	250	Sr.	Lafayette, Calif. / Acalanes	24	Kameron Totton	DB
92	Rayne Mayo Jr.	DL	6-2	320	So.	San Jose, Calif. / Valley Christian	1	Carter Vargas	RB
93	Julian Fernandez	DL	6-6	295	Fr.	Corcoran, Calif. / Corcoran	38	Mason Walsh	RB
94	Jacob Psyk	DL	6-3	265	Gr.	Sugarland, Texas / Strake Jesuit College Prep / Harvard	54	Jake Williams	DL
95	Devin Huegel	DL	6-4	275	Fr.	Redding, Calif. / University Prep	23	Winston Williams	TE
96	Jaden Few	DL	6-5	250	Fr.	Ventura, Calif. / St. Bonaventure	84	Ethan Woodmansee	WR
97	Clayton Lynam	DL	6-4	245	Sr.	Mountain View, Calif. / St. Francis	17	Damon Wrighster	QB
98	Ike Ikegbu	DL	6-2	295	Jr.	Sacramento, Calif. / Jesuit / American River College			
99	Tyler Parker	DL	5-11	380	Fr.	Lake Forest, Calif. / Crean Lutheran			

### PRONUNCIATIONS

KAI ACIA: "kye" "uh-SEE-uh"  
 Aziz ALTUWAIJRI: "Uh-zece" "AL-tu-AGE-eree"  
 Joesph CARILLO: "Ca-RIO"  
 Trent CARRADE: "CAR-rod"  
 ZAIRE COLLIER: "ZI-aear" "CALL-yur"  
 Mike FESILI: "fuh-SEE-lee"  
 Samuel GBATU: "Bot-too"  
 AJ HASSON: "HA-sin"  
 Ike IKEGBU: "ICK-a-BOO"  
 Edward KHUTSISHVILI: "KOOT-sish-villie"  
 Dylan MAURO: "MAR-row"  
 Ty MAZAKAS: "MA-zay-KIS"  
 Clayton LYNAM: "Lie-NUMB"  
 MACRAY MADRUGA: "Muh-CRAY" "Mud-DRUE-guh"  
 MATTEO Perez: "mah-TAY-oh"  
 LAVIEL Pickett: "lay-VEE-el"  
 Tom SACKINSKY: "SA-kin-SKI"  
 JEZNIAH Thurston: "JEZ-nia"



## UC DAVIS FOOTBALL DEPTH CHART

### OFFENSE

<b>QB</b>	12	Caden Pinnick (R-Fr., 6-0, 200)
	10	Grant Harper (Sr., 6-2, 205)
<b>RB</b>	20	Jordan Fisher (Jr., 5-8, 180)
	19	Matteo Perez (Sr., 5-8, 180)
	-or-	
	1	Carter Vargas (So., 6-0, 205)
<b>WR</b>	8	Samuel Gbatu Jr. (Sr., 5-10, 185)
	27	Fernando Morales (Sr., 5-9, 185)
<b>WR</b>	7	Stacey Dobbins (So., 5-7, 165)
	13	Tyler Hennessy (Fr., 5-10, 185)
<b>WR (H)</b>	3	Zach Zones (Jr., 5-9, 180)
	14	Scott Nixon (Jr., 6-2, 200)
<b>TE</b>	23	Winston Williams (Sr., 6-4, 245)
	-or-	
	0	Ian Simpson (Sr., 6-3, 235)
	11	Mitchell Dixon (Sr., 6-4, 255)
<b>LT</b>	70	Eli Simonson (Sr., 6-6, 295)
	66	Jezniah Thurston (So., 6-3, 290)
<b>LG</b>	64	Jace Rodriguez (R-Jr., 6-5, 305)
	63	Roice Cleeland (R-Fr., 6-3, 300)
<b>C</b>	52	Zaire Collier (Jr., 6-4, 320)
	60	AJ Hasson (R-Fr., 6-5, 310)
<b>RG</b>	79	Ernesto Nava (Sr., 6-4, 300)
	67	Jayden Montanez (So., 6-4, 290)
<b>RT</b>	65	David Porotesano (So., 6-3, 300)
	77	Ty Mazakas (Jr., 6-6, 290)

### DEFENSE

<b>DT</b>	90	Trent Carrade (Jr., 6-3, 280)
	95	Devin Huegel (Fr., 6-4, 275)
<b>NT</b>	92	Rayne Mayo Jr. (So., 6-2, 320)
	35	Derrell Porter (Gr., 6-2, 285)
<b>DE</b>	94	Jacob Psyk (Gr., 6-3, 265)
	96	Jaden Few (Fr., 6-5, 250)
<b>\$ (LB)</b>	31	Sam Goligoski (R-So., 6-3, 225)
	5	Grant Garretson (Sr., 6-4, 235)
<b>W (LB)</b>	39	Porter Connors (Sr., 6-1, 220)
	44	Nick Afato (Jr., 6-1, 220))
<b>M (LB)</b>	8	Nate Rutchena (Gr., 6-4, 240)
	45	Cory McEnroe (Fr., 6-1, 225)
<b>N</b>	10	Jayden Stanley (Sr., 6-0, 195)
	9	Josiah Allen (Gr., 5-8, 190)
	24	Kameron Totton (Fr., 5-10, 180)
<b>CB</b>	3	Ty Richardson (Gr., 6-0, 190)
	19	Boston Stovall (Jr., 5-8, 160)
<b>S</b>	4	Rex Connors (Sr., 6-1, 210)
	23	Cole Batson (Gr., 6-5, 200)
<b>S</b>	1	Khalani Riddick (Gr., 6-0, 200)
	23	Cole Batson (Gr., 6-5, 200)
<b>CB</b>	11	Drew Cofield (Fr., 6-1, 170)
	6	Trey Carr (Jr., 5-10, 155)

### SPECIAL TEAMS

<b>KO</b>	41	Isaac Mancera (R-Fr., 6-1, 225)
	30	Tyler Hughes (Fr., 6-2, 185)
<b>P</b>	36	Dylan Mauro (So., 6-1, 195)
	83	Cade Cox (Sr., 6-0, 175)
<b>PK</b>	43	Hunter Ridley (Sr., 6-1, 205)
<b>LS</b>	48	Joseph Adema (Jr., 6-2, 180)
<b>H</b>	36	Dylan Mauro (So., 6-1, 195)
<b>KR</b>	4	Rex Connors (Sr., 6-1, 210)
	-or-	
	8	Samuel Gbatu, Jr., (Sr., 5-10, 185)
	1	Khalani Riddick (Gr., 6-0, 200)
<b>PR</b>	8	Samuel Gbatu, Jr., (Sr., 5-10, 185)
	-or-	
	19	Matteo Perez (Sr., 5-8, 180)
	-or-	
	1	Khalani Riddick (Gr., 6-0, 200)

