

Boeing Apple Cup: Washington vs. Washington State
Husky Stadium, Sunday, September 6, 2026
UW Postgame Notes

Washington's defense did not allow an third-down conversion today, as the Cougars were 0-for-11 on third down (WSU did convert its lone fourth-down conversion attempt).

The last time that Washington kept a team from converting a single third-down attempt came in the Huskies' historic 16-13 win over USC in 2009, the game won on a last-second field goal from Erik Folk at Husky Stadium. The Trojans were 0-for-10 on third down that day and, incidentally, 0-for-1 on fourth-down attempts.

UW quarterback Demond Williams surpassed 5,000 career yards of total offense and finished the game with 5,231 yards. He needs just 17 more yards to reach the UW's career top-10 list. He also currently has 954 career rushing yards, just 46 shy of 1,000. Only two Husky QBs have rushed for 1,000 career yards: Jake Locker (1,939) and Marques Tuiasosopo (1,495).

Three first-year players started on defense for the Huskies: edge Ramzak Fruean, defensive tackle Derek Colman-Brusa and nickelback Jeron Jones. UW also had a first-year start on offense, as Kodi Greene made his debut as the left tackle.

Another 16 (so, 20 in total, counting the four freshman starters) saw their first action as Huskies: Emmanuel Karney, Christian Moss, Jordan Clay, Logan George, Trez Davis, Jayden Limar, Kai McClendon, Gavin Day, Trey Cooley, Julian McMahan, Darin Conley, Hunter McKee, Kolt Dieterich, DeSean Watts, Hunter Green, and Tyler Robles.

Hunter Green's 64-yard punt in the third quarter was the longest by a Husky since 2021. Green averaged 50.8 yards per punt, on four attempts.

Washington won its 11th straight non-conference home game today. Overall, Washington has won 26 of its last 28 home games (both conference and non-conference)

Today's game was the first-ever UW-WSU football game that was played as a season opener.

Washington now boasts a record of 78-34-6 vs. the Cougars, in a series that dates back to 1900.