

WICHITA STATE

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KANSAS STATE (6-4, 0-0) at WICHITA STATE (8-3, 0-0)

Saturday, Dec. 21, 2024 • 6:00 P.M.

Wichita, Kan. • Charles Koch Arena (10,506)

TV: ESPN+ Shane Dennis (pbp) & Bob Hull (analyst)

Radio: KEYN (103.7 FM) Mike Kennedy (pbp) & Dave Dahl (analyst)



Record 6-4
Big 12 0-0
Home 4-2, Lost 1
Away 0-1, Lost 1
Neutral 2-1
Streak L2
AP / Coaches -/-
NCAA NET 105
KenPom 75

VS

8-3 Record
0-0 American
5-1, Lost 1 Home
1-1, Lost 1 Away
2-1 Neutral
L2 Streak
-/- AP / Coaches
124 NCAA NET
113 KenPom



Series: KSU leads 23-11 **Last Meeting:** Kansas State won 69-60 on Dec. 21, 2023 in Kansas City, Mo.

Jerome Tang: 3rd Season at KSU (51-29), 3rd Overall (51-29) // **Paul Mills:** 2nd Season at WSU (23-22), 8th Overall (129-106)

- » An in-state showdown comes to the Roundhouse Saturday night when Wichita State and Kansas State square off at 6 p.m.
- » Wichita State suffered its second straight loss, falling 74-64 on Tuesday at home vs. Kansas City. The loss snapped a six-game home win streak.
- » For the first time this season Wichita State's opponents have shot better than 50% from the field in back-to-back games (DePaul - 51.6%; Kansas City - 52.8%).
- » **Xavier Bell** scored a season and game-high 21 points in the loss to Kansas City. He's averaging 16.0 ppg over his last three games.
- » Bell reached 1,000 career points on Dec. 17 vs. Kansas City. He's one of two 1,000-point scorers on the roster along with **Justin Hill**.
- » K-State enters the matchup at 6-4, but also riding a two-game losing streak. **David N'Guessan** ranks 7th nationally in field goal percentage (68.7%).
- » Wichita State finished the month of November 6-1. In his two seasons, the Shockers are 13-2 under Mills in November games.
- » Wichita State is 18-9 all time on Dec. 21.
- » Wichita State ranks 26th nationally in defensive rebounds per game (28.36).

- » **Quincy Ballard** leads the American Athletic Conference in blocks per game (1.90) and ranks 42nd nationally. His 19 total blocks also lead the league, while ranking 53rd in the NCAA.
- » At No. 113 in the KenPom rankings, Wichita State ranks 4th out of the 13 teams in the American.
- » Senior forward **Ronnie DeGray III** will be sidelined for the next several weeks after suffering a fractured wrist vs. Monmouth on Nov. 18.
- » Wichita State returns three starters and seven letterwinners from the 2023-24 roster, including three of its top five scorers.
- » **Quincy Ballard** shattered the single season school record for field goal percentage and also had top five marks in blocks per game and total blocks in 2023-24.
- » Ballard moved into 5th on the Wichita State career blocks list vs. ETSU with 107. He's on pace to shatter the WSU career record for blocks per game at 1.98.
- » Eight student-athletes on Wichita State's roster have NCAA Tournament experience: **Quincy Ballard** (Florida St.), **Xavier Bell** (Drexel), **Harland Beverly** (Miami), **Ronnie DeGray III** (Missouri), **Justin Hill** (Longwood), **AJ McGinnis** (UNCG), **Zane Meeks** (San Francisco) and **Corey Washington** (St. Peter's).

WICHITA STATE LINEUP

POSSIBLE STARTERS	POS	HT	CL-EXP	HOMETOWN	G-GS	MIN	RPG	APG	PPG	NOTES
6 Corey Washington	F	6-5	Jr.-TR	Little Rock, Ark.	11-11	25.5	6.6	0.6	12.2	8 pts, 7 reb, 3 stl on 2-14 FG vs. Kansas City
11 Justin Hill	G	5-11	5th*-TR	Houston, Texas	11-11	30.5	3.6	3.3	14.1	12 points on 4-10 FG vs. Kansas City
15 Quincy Ballard	C	6-11	Sr.*-2L	Syracuse, N.Y.	10-10	23.4	6.7	0.2	9.1	Shooting 78.0% from the field through 10 GM
20 Harland Beverly	G	6-5	Sr.*-1L	Detroit, Mich.	11-11	27.2	3.5	2.9	10.2	7 points and 3 assists vs. Kansas City
55 Bijan Cortes	G	6-2	Sr.-1L	Kingfisher, Okla.	11-11	22.2	2.3	3.0	4.6	0 points, 0 assists vs. Kansas City

KEY RESERVES

0 AJ McGinnis	G	6-3	5th*-TR	Huntsville, Ala.	11-0	13.4	0.6	0.2	4.6	4-6 from 3-point range over last 3 games
1 Xavier Bell	G	6-2	Sr.*-2L	Wichita, Kan.	11-0	24.4	2.9	1.2	11.4	Averaging 16.0 ppg over last 3 games
2 Zion Pipkin	G	6-0	Fr.-HS	Houston, Texas	4-0	6.8	1.3	1.5	2.5	Season-high 3 assists vs. Alcorn
3 Ronnie DeGray III	F	6-6	Sr.*-1L	Parker, Colo.	4-0	20.6	5.3	0.3	7.3	21 total rebounds (11 off./10 def.)
12 Joy Ighovodja	G	6-4	So.-1L	Abeokuta, Nigeria	9-0	7.6	2.6	0.1	1.9	Played only 5 combined min last 2 games
17 Matej Bošnjak	C	6-9	Sr.-TR	Zagreb, Croatia	11-1	19.6	3.5	0.9	6.1	4 points, 4 rebounds vs. Kansas City

Classes based on eligibility remaining and do not necessarily reflect academic standing or experience. * = Received extra year due to COVID-19

KANSAS STATE

D-I Rank	Total	Team Stats	Total	D-I Rank
98	79.4	Scoring Offense	76.9	156
140	69.7	Scoring Defense	74.1	255
92	9.7	Scoring Margin	2.8	217
148	60.0	Winning %	72.7	75
79	47.4	Field Goal %	44.9	194
267	68.1	Free Throw %	72.3	152
64	37.2	3-Point %	30.2	312
241	12.8	FT Made	17.1	48
60	9.4	3-Point FG Made	5.8	334
212	18.8	FT Attempts	23.6	49
103	25.3	3-Point Attempts	19.3	317
161	42.6	FG% Defense	42.7	164
255	34.4	3pt FG% Defense	32.6	175
58	15.1	Fouls	15.0	48
181	2.3	Rebound Margin	-1.3	273
143	11.5	Offensive Rebounds	9.2	284
276	23.8	Defensive Rebounds	28.4	26
240	35.3	Total Rebounds	37.5	125
74	1.39	A:TO Ratio	1.27	125
84	14.3	TO Forced	11.5	258
61	.552	Effective FG %	.497	255

WICHITA STATE

*As of Friday, Dec. 20, 2024 (out of 355 teams, NET/KP out of 362)

SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Date	Opponent	TV	Result/Time (CT)
Nov. 4	at WKU	CBSSN	W, 91-84
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	ESPN+	W, 89-69
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	ESPN+	W, 79-73
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	ESPN+	W, 70-66
Nov. 22	vs Saint Louis!	Peacock	W, 88-63

ESPN Events Invitational (Kissimmee, Fla. / State Farm Field House)

Nov. 28	vs Minnesota	ESPN2	W (ot), 68-66
Nov. 29	vs #18/16 Florida	ESPN	L, 51-88

Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	ESPN+	W, 78-54
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE STATE	ESPN+	W, 96-87
Dec. 14	at DePaul	FS1	L, 72-91
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	ESPN+	L, 64-74
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE	ESPN+	6:00 PM
Dec. 29	FRIENDS	ESPN+	5:00 PM
Jan. 3	at Temple*	ESPN2	6:00 PM
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*	ESPN2	6:00 PM
Jan. 11	at UTSA*	ESPN+	3:00 PM
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*	ESPN+	6:30 PM
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*	ESPN+	6:00 PM
Jan. 23	at Memphis*	ESPN2	6:00 PM
Jan. 26	at Tulsa*	ESPN+	2:00 PM
Jan. 29	NORTH TEXAS*	ESPN+	6:30 PM
Feb. 4	at Charlotte*	ESPN2/U^	6:00 PM
Feb. 9	at South Florida*	ESPN+	1:00 PM
Feb. 12	UTSA*	ESPN+	6:30 PM
Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*	ESPN/2/U^	11:00 AM
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*	ESPN2	8:00 PM
Feb. 23	TULANE*	ESPN+	1:00 PM
Feb. 27	UAB*	ESPN2/U^	TBA
Mar. 3	at North Texas*	ESPN2	8:00 PM
Mar. 6	at Rice*	ESPN+	7:00 PM
Mar. 9	TULSA*	ESPN+	1:00 PM

American Championship (Ft. Worth, Texas/ Dickies Arena)

Mar. 13	First Round	ESPN+	TBA
Mar. 14	Second Round	ESPN+/U	TBA
Mar. 15	Quarterfinals	ESPN2	TBA
Mar. 16	Semifinals	ESPN2	TBA
Mar. 17	Championship	ESPN	TBA

Opponent prefixes: Associated Press Poll / USA Today Coaches Poll rankings

* = American Athletic Conference game

! = HOF Classic at T-Mobile Center (Kansas City, Mo.)

^ = Flex game. ESPN will announce network decision at least one week in advance.

QUICK FACTS

Name	Wichita State University
Location	Wichita, Kan.
Enrollment	17,700 (Fall 2024)
Founded	1895
Arena	Charles Koch Arena
Capacity	10,506
Colors	Yellow (Pantone 116) & Black
Nickname	Shockers
Mascot	WuShock
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
League	American Athletic Conference
Joined	July 1, 2017
President:	Richard D. Muma, PhD, MPH, PA-C Univ. of Texas Medical Branch-Galveston
Athletic Director	Kevin Saal
Alma Mater (Year)	TCU ('99)
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ALL-TIME RECORDS

First Year	1905-06
Total Seasons	118 th
Overall Record	1,680-1,267
AAC Record (2017-Present)	66-52 , 8 th Year
AAC Reg. Season Titles	1 (2021)
MVC Record (1945-2017)	574-501
MVC Reg. Season Titles	11 (1964, '65, '76, '81, '83, 2006, '12, '14, '15, '16, '17)
MVC Tournament Titles	4 (1985, '87, 2014, '17)

POSTSEASON

NCAA Appearances (16)	1964, '65, '76, '81, '85, '87, '88, 2006, '12, '13, '14, '15, '16, '17, '18, '21
NCAA Record	18-17
Final Fours (2)	1965, 2013
Regional Finals (4)	1964, '65, '81, 2013
Sweet 16s (4)	1981, 2006, '13, '15
NIT Appearances (13)	1954, '62, '63, '66, '80, '84, '89, 2003, '04, '05, '10, '11, '19
NIT Record	11-12 (2011 Champions)
NIT Championships	1 (2011)
CBI Appearances (Last)	1 (2009)

THE PAUL MILLS RADIO SHOW

» Join Mike Kennedy and Paul Mills LIVE from 7-8 p.m. Mondays throughout the season at Deano's Grill & Tapworks, or listen on KFH (97.5 FM/1240 AM).

Upcoming Show Dates:

December: 16
January: 13, 20, 27 February: 10, 17, 24 March: TBA

WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE

» Coach Mills' weekly press conference generally takes place at 11 a.m. depending on the practice schedule. Contact the Wichita State Communications office for more information.

Upcoming Dates:

December: 19
January: TBA February: TBA March: TBA

WICHITA STATE NUMERICAL ROSTER

Note -- Classes listed on the WSU roster are based on years of eligibility remaining and do not necessarily reflect years of experience.
* = Player competed in 2020-21 but was not charged with a year of eligibility.

#	Name	Po.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown / Previous School
0	AJ McGinnis	G	6-3	178	5th*	TR	Huntsville, Ala. / Lipscomb
1	Xavier Bell	G	6-2	192	Sr.*	1L	Wichita, Kan. / Drexel
2	Zion Pipkin	G	6-0	180	Fr.	HS	Houston, Texas / Legacy School of Sport Sciences
3	Ronnie DeGray III	F	6-6	233	Sr.	1L	Parker, Colo. / Missouri
4	TJ Williams	G	6-5	202	Fr.	HS	Wichita, Kan. / Wichita Heights HS
5	Zane Meeks	F	6-9	231	Gr.*	TR	Prairie Village, Kan. / Arizona State
6	Corey Washington	F	6-5	188	Jr.	TR	Little Rock, Ark. / Saint Peter's
8	Yanis Bamba	G	6-5	212	R-Fr.	RS	Quebec, Canada / Jean-de-Brébeuf
11	Justin Hill	G	5-11	191	5th*	TR	Houston, Texas / Georgia
12	Joy Ighovodja	G	6-4	212	So.	1L	Abeokuta, Nigeria / NBA Academy Africa
15	Quincy Ballard	C	6-11	253	Sr.*	2L	Syracuse, N.Y. / Florida State
17	Matej Bošnjak	C	6-9	240	Sr.	TR	Zagreb, Croatia / Sedma Gimnazija
20	Harlond Beverly	G	6-5	194	R-Sr.*	1L	Detroit, Mich. / Miami (FL)
21	Henry Thengvall	F	6-6	204	R-So.	1L	Wichita, Kan. / Kapaun Mt. Carmel HS
55	Bijan Cortes	G	6-2	187	Sr.	1L	Kingfisher, Okla. / Oklahoma

Head Coach: Paul Mills (Texas A&M '96), 2nd season at WSU

Associate Head Coach: Kenton Paulino (Texas '06), 2nd season

Assistant Coach: TJ Cleveland (Arkansas '02), 2nd season

Assistant Coach: Quincy Acy (Baylor '12), 2nd season

Assistant Coach: Iain Laymon (Indiana '17), 2nd season

Assistant Coach: Xavier Holland (Truett-McConnell '16), 2nd season

Director of Operations: Nolan Magee (Iowa State '22), 1st season

Chief of Staff: Ryan Hillard (Wichita State '11), 12th season

Director of International Recruiting: Ognjen Stranjina (University of Belgrade '21), 2nd season

Director of Sports Performance: Ashtin Meerpohl (Kansas '15), 2nd season

Athletic Trainer: Todd Fagan (Southwestern College '01), 19th season

Yanis Bamba (YAWN-Is BOMB-Buh) • **Xavier Bell** (Ex-ZAY-vee-er) • **Matej Bošnjak** (MAH-Tay BOSH-Niak)
Bijan Cortes (BEE-Jahn Cor-tez) • **Joy Ighovodja** (EE-go-VO-Juh) • **Henry Thengvall** (Thing-AVWL)

2024-25 WICHITA STATE ROSTER INFORMATION

By State/Country

Alabama	AJ McGinnis
Arkansas	Corey Washington
Colorado	Ronnie DeGray III
Kansas	(4) Xavier Bell Zane Meeks Henry Thengvall TJ Williams
Michigan	Harlond Beverly
New York	Quincy Ballard
Oklahoma	Bijan Cortes
Texas	(2) Hill Pipkin
Canada	Yanis Bamba
Croatia	Matej Bošnjak
Nigeria	Joy Ighovodja

By Class

Freshmen	Zion Pipkin TJ Williams
R-Freshmen	Yanis Bamba
Sophomores	Joy Ighovodja
R-Sophomores	Henry Thengvall
Juniors	Corey Washington
Seniors	(4) Quincy Ballard Xavier Bell Matej Bošnjak Bijan Cortes Ronnie DeGray III
R-Seniors	Harlond Beverly
5th Year Seniors	(2) Justin Hill AJ McGinnis
Graduate Student	Zane Meeks

By Height

6-11	Quincy Ballard
6-9	(2) Matej Bošnjak Zane Meeks
6-6	(2) Ronnie DeGray III Henry Thengvall
6-5	(4) Yanis Bamba Harlond Beverly Corey Washington TJ Williams
6-4	Joy Ighovodja
6-3	AJ McGinnis
6-2	(2) Xavier Bell Bijan Cortes
6-0	Zion Pipkin
5-11	Justin Hill

WEEKLY MEDIA CALENDAR (Practices are closed to media) All Times Central

16 MONDAY	17 TUESDAY	18 WEDNESDAY	19 THURSDAY	20 FRIDAY	21 SATURDAY	22 SUNDAY
Practice (Main) 12:00-2:00 p.m.	Shootaround 1:00-2:30 p.m. KC vs. WSU 6:30 p.m.	OFF DAY	Practice (Main) 10:00-1:00 p.m. Weekly Presser 2:00 p.m.	Practice (Main) 10:00 a.m.-12:30 pm	Shootaround 12:45-2:00 p.m. KSU vs. WSU 6:00 p.m.	OFF DAY

TICKETS

» Fans can purchase tickets online at gshockers.com/Tickets, by phone at 316-978-FANS (3267), or in person at the Shocker Ticket Office, open weekdays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on game days beginning 90 minutes before tipoff.

UPCOMING PROMOTIONS

» **Dec. 21 vs. K-State | Yellow Out The Roundhouse: WEAR YELLOW** for a massive in-state showdown with Kansas State that hasn't happened in The Roundhouse since 2000!

SHOCKER RADIO

» Listen live on KEYN 103.7 FM and online at GoShockers.com/Listen as college basketball's longest-tenured tandem, **Mike Kennedy** (pbp) and **Dave Dahl** (analyst). Kennedy and Dahl have been calling games together since the 1980-81 season. Pregame coverage begins one hour before tipoff.

TELECAST

» The game will air on ESPN+ with **Shane Dennis** (PxP) and **Bob Hull** (Analyst) on the call.
» ESPN+ subscribers can stream live and on demand via the ESPN App.
» Subscriptions for the ESPN+ app are \$9.99 monthly or \$99.99 annually and can be packaged with Hulu and Disney+ streaming services. Visit plus.espn.com for more information.

A SHOCKER WIN WOULD...

» Make them 9-3 this season.
» Snap a two-game losing streak.
» Up their record to 6-1 at home this season.
» Move them to 12-23 all time vs. Kansas State.
» Snap a 5-game losing streak vs. the Wildcats.
» Make Paul Mills 24-22 as Wichita State head coach.
» Give Mills 130 career coaching victories.
» Run their record to 1,681-1,267 all time.

A SHOCKER LOSS WOULD...

» Make them 8-4 this season.
» Be their second straight home loss and third straight loss overall.
» Drop them to 11-24 all time vs. Kansas State.
» Be their sixth straight loss to the Wildcats.
» Make Paul Mills 23-23 as Wichita State head coach.
» Lower Mills' career record to 129-107.
» Drop their record to 1,680-1,268 all time.

GAME 13: FRIENDS

» Wichita State is 40-11 all-time vs. Friends with wins in each of the last seven meetings.
» The Falcons are 8-4 to begin the 2024-25 season, having lost their last two games.
» Friends is led by second-year head coach Phil McClintock.

THE SHOCKS, IN SHORT

» Wichita State returns 51.0 percent of its scoring from a season ago, including three of its top five scorers. The Shockers are one of the nation's most experienced teams entering 2024-25 despite losing six players from the 2023-24 roster. **Jacob Germany** and **Dalen Ridgnal** exhausted their eligibility, and three others exited via the transfer portal.
» Wichita State has only two true freshmen on the roster in **TJ Williams** (Wichita, Kan.) and **Zion Pipkin** (Houston, Texas).

ACTIVE STREAKS

» 333 straight games with a made three-pointer.
» 221 straight games with at least one steal.
» 21 straight games with at least one block.
» 11 straight games with at least 10 made free throws.
» 9 straight wins when making 20 or more free throws.
» 6 straight wins in season openers.
» 6 straight wins in home openers.
» **Quincy Ballard** - 13 straight games with a dunk (when he plays)... 4 straight games with 5 or more rebounds...
» **Xavier Bell** - 3 straight games with 10 or more points...
» **Harlond Beverly** - 21 straight games with at least one assist...
» **Justin Hill** - 20 straight games with at least one assist... 3 straight games with 10 or more points...
» **Cory Washington** - 9 straight games with at least three rebounds... 5 straight games with at least one block... 4 straight games with seven or more rebounds...

EYES ON 1700

» With 1,680 all-time wins in program history, Wichita State is just 20 wins away from 1,700. As it stands now, 51 programs have more than 1,700 victories all time. Wichita State's 1,680 all time wins rank 57th in NCAA history.
» The Shockers would become just the second American Athletic Conference school, joining Temple, to eclipse the 1,700-win mark.

Teams Approaching 1700 Wins

School	Wins
Washington State	1,697
Vanderbilt	1,689
Butler	1,686
Minnesota	1,686
Memphis	1,682
Wichita State	1,680
Maryland	1,673

ON THIS DATE: DEC. 21

» **1954** - **Cleo Littleton** scored 33 points to help 14th-ranked Wichita defeat Houston, 86-80, in the All-College Tournament at Oklahoma City's Municipal Auditorium.
» **2010** - In the first college basketball game played at the new INTRUST Bank Arena, Wichita State downed its old rival Tulsa, 82-79.
» **2019** - Wichita State knocked off No. 25 VCU in Charles Koch Arena, 73-63. Four Shockers reached double figures, including **Jaime Echenique** with 14 points, 6 rebounds and 3 blocks.
» **2024** - Wichita State and Kansas State are squaring off for the second straight season on Dec. 21. The teams met exactly one year ago at the T-Mobile Center in Kansas City.

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Dec. 17, 2024 | Wichita, Kan. / Charles Koch Arena

KANSAS CITY.....	38	36	74
WICHITA STATE.....	24	40	64

» Wichita State (8-3) trailed by 14 at halftime and as many as 23 in the second half to the 6-7 Roos out of the Summit League. This is the second straight season Wichita State has suffered a loss to a program out of the Summit League (South Dakota State in 2023).
» **Xavier Bell** scored a season and game-high 21 points on a night when he reached 1,000 career points. He was 9-for-15 from the floor. **Justin Hill** added 12 points.
» Wichita State suffered its worst shooting performance of the season from three-point range, missing 16-of-19 attempts (15.8 percent). For the second straight game the free throw line haunted the Shockers, going 13-for-24 (54.2 percent). Over the last two games Wichita State is 26-for-46 from the line (56.5 percent).
» Wichita State committed only six turnovers compared to Kansas City's 14 and outscored the Roos off turnovers, 21-4. Most of those came late in the second half when the Shockers started pressing to get back into the game.
» The Shockers took a 7-5 lead with 13:47 left in the first half, but would not lead again. One of Kansas City's eight three-pointers on the night put the Roos in front with 13:15 remaining in the half and would not look back.
» Their lead grew to double digits for the first time with 10:23 to go in the first half. The Shockers pulled back within three behind a 9-2 spurt, but a 17-6 run sent the Roos into the locker room with a 38-24 cushion.
» The Roos pushed the margin to 23 with 5:39 to go, seemingly putting the game away, but Wichita State wouldn't pack it in. A frantic final push saw the Shockers trim the deficit to nine in the blink of an eye.
» With the crowd finally involved Wichita State couldn't get out of its own way, missing free throws and giving up key offensive rebounds.

Kansas City - 74		Record: 7-7												
NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	BA	+
20	Mekyn Ebokoll	F 29:51	2-4	0-0	2-5	1 4 5	4 3	6	3	1	0	0	0	9
1	Jayson Petty	G 28:43	3-8	1-6	2-4	1 8 9	3 3	9	2	2	2	0	1	2
2	Babacar Diallo	G 36:04	7-11	0-1	4-6	3 3 6	4 6	18	3	6	0	0	0	7
5	Jamar Brown	G 35:29	7-11	3-4	0-0	1 4 5	3 2	17	6	2	1	1	1	7
30	Cameron Faas	G 33:55	2-8	0-5	2-3	2 6 8	1 2	6	1	0	2	0	0	9
3	Davontae Hall	08:39	2-4	0-1	0-0	1 0 1	1 1	4	1	0	0	0	1	1
12	Ring Nyeri	17:12	4-6	4-5	0-0	1 2 3	0 1	12	0	0	0	0	1	16
21	Joshi Ijeh	09:03	1-1	0-0	0-0	0 1 1	0 0	2	0	0	0	1	0	-2
44	Blake Ammons	01:04	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Team						0 2 2		0	3					
Totals			28-53	8-22	10-18	10 30 40	16 18	74	16	14	5	3	3	10

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	15-27	55.6%	7-15	46.7%	1-3	33.3%
2nd Half	13-26	50.0%	1-7	14.3%	9-15	60.0%
Game	28-53	52.8%	8-22	36.4%	10-18	55.6%

Wichita St. - 64		Record: 8-3												
NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	BA	+
6	Corey Washington	F 29:20	2-14	0-4	4-9	6 1 7	5 6	8	2	0	3	1	0	2
15	Quincy Ballard	C 23:34	3-3	0-0	1-2	3 8 11	2 1	7	0	1	0	0	0	9
11	Justin Hill	G 33:19	4-10	2-5	2-4	0 1 1	3 2	12	2	3	1	0	1	-2
20	Harlond Beverly	G 26:25	2-7	0-2	3-4	0 0 0	3 2	7	3	2	1	0	1	-2
55	Bijan Cortes	G 19:07	0-5	0-2	0-1	0 1 1	1 1	0	0	0	2	0	0	-19
1	Xavier Bell	32:52	9-15	0-1	3-5	0 5 5	3 4	21	0	1	1	1	2	-10
17	Melvin Bonjak	16:26	2-5	0-3	0-0	3 1 4	0 0	4	0	0	0	0	0	-19
0	AJ McGinnis	15:44	2-3	1-2	0-0	0 0 0	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1
12	Joy Ighovodja	03:13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-8
Team						1 3 4		0	0					
Totals			24-62	3-19	13-24	13 20 33	18 18	64	7	6	9	3	3	-10

		KC	WSU	Points from		KC	WSU	Period by Period Scoring		
Biggest lead		23 (2 nd 5:50)	2 (1 st 19:04)	Turnovers		4	21			
Best Scoring Run		11 (2 nd 19:44)	11 (2 nd 4:23)	Paint		30	40			
Lead Changes		3		Second Chance		11	11			
Times Tied		2		Fast Breaks		0	17			
Time with Lead		33:39	02:09	Bench		18	30			

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	10-30	33.3%	0-8	0.0%	4-6	66.7%
2nd Half	14-32	43.8%	3-11	27.3%	9-18	50.0%
Game	24-62	38.7%	3-19	15.8%	13-24	54.2%

UP NEXT



vs. Friends
Dec. 29 | 5:00 PM
Wichita, Kan. | Charles Koch Arena



KANSAS STATE QUICK FACTS



Location	Manhattan, Kan.	Series	KSU leads 23-11
Enrollment	19,745	In Wichita	WSU, 9-7
President	Dr. Richard H. Linton	Last Meeting	12/21/2023 in Kansas
A.D.	Gene Taylor		KSU, 69-60
Arena	Bramlage Coliseum (11,010)	Head Coach	Jerome Tang
Colors	Purple & White	at School	51-29, 3 rd
Nickname	Wildcats	Overall	Same
Conference	Big 12	vs. WSU	2-0

2023-24	19-15
Big 12	8-10 (10 th /14)
Conf. Tourney	1-1, Quarterfinals
Postseason	0-1, NIT First Round
NET	71
KenPom	70
Starters R/L	1 / 4

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ALL TIME VS KSU

OVERALL: 11-23 | HOME: 9-7 | AWAY: 2-16 | NEUTRAL: 0-0 | STREAK: Lost 5

Date	Location (Arena)	Result	AP Rank WSU KSU	WSU Coach	Top Scorer	KSU Coach	Top Scorer	
12/17/1932	Wichita (Henrion Gymnasium)	W 29-27		Gene Johnson	--	Charles Corsaut	--	
1/8/1935	Wichita (Henrion Gymnasium)	W 50-34		Lindsay Austin	--	Frank Root	--	
12/26/1946	Wichita (The Forum)	L 41-48		Mel Binford	10 -- Bud Weaver	Jack Gardner	10 -- John Dean	
2/24/1947	Manhattan (Nichols Hall)	L 41-60		Mel Binford	17 -- Jim Nebergall	Jack Gardner	13 -- Clarence Brannum	
12/12/1950	Manhattan (Ahearn Fieldhouse)	L 42-73		Ken Gunning	--	Jack Gardner	--	
3/14/1964	Wichita (WU Fieldhouse^)	L 86-94	5 -	Ralph Miller	37 -- Dave Stallworth	Tex Winter	28 -- Willie Murrell	
12/12/1969	Manhattan (Ahearn Fieldhouse)	L 69-81	- -	Gary Thompson	--	Cotton Fitzsimmons	--	12,000
12/13/1969	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	W 77-73	- -	Gary Thompson	--	Cotton Fitzsimmons	--	11,017
12/11/1970	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	W 64-51	- -	Gary Thompson	15 -- Ron Harris	Jack Hartman	16 -- David Hall	10,438
12/12/1970	Manhattan (Ahearn Fieldhouse)	L 74-75	- -	Gary Thompson	27 -- Terry Benton	Jack Hartman	25 -- Mitchell	10,000
12/11/1971	Manhattan (Ahearn Fieldhouse)	L 73-89	- -	Harry Miller	18 -- Terry Benton	Jack Hartman	22 -- David Hall	12,200
12/22/1971	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	W 69-66 ot	- -	Harry Miller	20 -- Ron Harris	Jack Hartman	21 -- David Hall	11,017
1/6/1986	Manhattan (Ahearn Field House)	L 60-77	- -	Gene Smithson	18 -- Gus Santos	Jack Hartman	31 -- Joe Wright	9,500
12/13/1986	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	W 63-60	- -	Eddie Fogler	12 -- Henry Carr / Sasha Radunovich	Lon Kruger	17 -- William Scott	10,666
1/12/1987	Manhattan (Ahearn Field House)	L 67-79	- -	Eddie Fogler	13 -- Sasha Radunovich	Lon Kruger	24 -- Norris Coleman	11,011
1/19/1988	Manhattan (Ahearn Field House)	L 47-58	- -	Eddie Fogler	9 -- Joe Griffin	Lon Kruger	24 -- Mitch Richmond	11,220
2/19/1989	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	L 71-73 ot	- -	Eddie Fogler	18 -- Fred McCoy	Lon Kruger	17 -- Paul Guffrovich	10,575
1/20/1990	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	L 62-83	- -	Mike Cohen	19 -- John Cooper	Lon Kruger	21 -- J. Derouillere	13,488
1/7/1991	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	L 66-67	- -	Mike Cohen	16 -- Paul Guffrovich / Calvin Thomas	Dana Altman	17 -- Jeff Wires	10,656
1/15/1992	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	L 50-72	- -	Mike Cohen	18 -- John Smith	Dana Altman	17 -- W. Howard	8,569
12/21/1992	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	W 74-61	- -	Scott Thompson	21 -- Jimmy Bolden	Dana Altman	14 -- Aaron Collier / Askia Jones	10,656
1/12/1994	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	L 55-71	- -	Scott Thompson	18 -- Jamie Arnold	Dana Altman	22 -- Askia Jones	9,748
1/3/1995	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	W 75-51	- -	Scott Thompson	24 -- Terrance Flowers	Tom Asbury	19 -- Tyrone Davis	10,450
1/2/1996	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	L 64-70	- -	Scott Thompson	26 -- Marvin Hill	Tom Asbury	18 -- Elliott Hatcher	2,777
12/3/1996	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	W 74-59	- -	Randy Smithson	20 -- Jason Perez	Tom Asbury	15 -- Mark Young	9,346
12/10/1997	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	L 83-90 ot	- -	Randy Smithson	23 -- Maurice Evans	Tom Asbury	25 -- Manny Dies	10,529
12/8/1998	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	L 47-64	- -	Randy Smithson	23 -- Maurice Evans	Tom Asbury	17 -- Josh Reid	10,541
11/21/2000	Wichita (Levitt Arena^)	W 76-66	- -	Mark Turgeon	23 -- Terrell Benton	Jim Wooldridge	24 -- Matt Siebrandt	10,559
12/5/2001	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	W 65-56	- -	Mark Turgeon	20 -- Troy Mack	Jim Wooldridge	21 -- Gilson DeJesus	6,405
12/14/2002	Wichita (Kansas Coliseum)	L 66-79	- -	Mark Turgeon	25 -- Randy Burns	Jim Wooldridge	20 -- Frank Richards	10,323
12/10/2003	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	L 50-54	- -	Mark Turgeon	12 -- Randy Burns	Jim Wooldridge	23 -- Jeremiah Massey	7,113
12/5/2021	Wichita (INTRUST Bank Arena)	L 59-65	- -	Isaac Brown	19 -- Morris Udeze	Bruce Weber	16 -- Markquis Nowell	14,488
12/3/2022	Manhattan (Bramlage Coliseum)	L 50-55	- rv	Isaac Brown	11 -- Craig Porter Jr.	Jerome Tang	17 -- Keyontae Johnson	8,957
12/21/2023	Kansas City, Mo. (T-Mobile Center)	L 60-69	- -	Paul Mills	13 -- Quincy Ballard	Jerome Tang	17 -- Tylor Perry	18,660
12/21/2024	Wichita (Charles Koch Arena)		- -	Paul Mills		Jerome Tang		

^ = Renamed Charles Koch Arena following 2003 renovation r = NCAA Midwest Regional Final

WICHITA STATE ALL-TIME vs. KANSAS STATE

	All-Time	Mills Era	vs. Tang
Overall	11-23	0-1	0-2
Wichita	9-7	-	-
INTRUST Bank Arena	0-1	-	-
Roundhouse (1955-)	7-4	-	-
Kansas Coliseum	0-1	-	-
Henrion (Pre-1955)	2-1	-	-
Manhattan, Kan.	2-15	-	0-1
Bramlage (1988-Pr.)	2-7	-	0-1
Ahearn (1950-88)	0-7	-	-
Nichols (1910-50)	0-1	-	-
Kansas City, Mo.	0-1	0-1	0-1

SCOUTING KANSAS STATE

- » **Jerome Tang** is in his third year at the helm of the Kansas State men's basketball program.
- » Tang was the 2023 Big 12 Coach of the Year and Werner Ladder Naismith Men's College Coach of the Year after leading the Wildcats to an Elite Eight berth in his inaugural season.
- » Among his 51 wins at K-State are 11 against teams ranked in the Top 25, including 6 Top 10 opponents. The 11 career Top 25 wins are the fifth-most in school

history, while the 6 against Top 10 competition tie for the fourth-most. Nine of the 11 ranked wins have come in the friendly confines of Bramlage Coliseum, where Tang is 29-4 (.879) overall, including 15-3 (.833) in Big 12 play and 9-2 (.818) against ranked foes.

- » The Wildcats were picked to finish eighth in the Big 12 Preseason Poll. Illinois transfer **Coleman Hawkins** was a Preseason All-Big 12 Second Team pick and the Preseason Co-Newcomer of the Year.
- » K-State brought in one of the top transfer classes with 10 newcomers, including eight Division I transfers, one NJCAA Division II All-American, a Division II walk-on and one high school prospect.
- » Among the 11 newcomers are seven Division I transfers, including **Baye Fall** (Arkansas), **Brendan Hausen** (Villanova), **Coleman Hawkins** (Illinois), **C.J. Jones** (UIC), **Max Jones** (Cal State Fullerton) and **Ugonna Onyenso** (Kentucky).
- » Fresh off a season-high 27 points at St. John's, **Brendan Hausen** ranks second on the Wildcats in scoring at 14.0 points per game. He's connecting on 43.9% of his three-point attempts.

» One of the few holdovers from last year's squad, **David N'Guessan** puts up 14.1 points and 7.0 rebounds per game on 68.7% shooting. He has scored 10 or more points in every game this season, including a season-high 21 in the season opener. He also had 15 rebounds - 10 of them on the offensive end.

- » **Dug McDaniel** is the third Cat in double figures at 10.7 points per game, while leading the team in assists (41). McDaniel is shooting just 26.5% from beyond the arc. After dishing out a season-high 10 assists vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff, McDaniel failed to record an assist in the loss at St. John's.
- » Hawkins pulls down a team-high 7.0 rebounds to go with 9.5 points. He also leads the team in steals (26) and blocks (13). Hawkins has one double-double this season, but is shooting only 38.9% from the field and 29.7% from long range.
- » As a team, K-State averages 79.4 points on 47.4% shooting and 37.2% from three-point range. They are converting on 68.1% of their free throw attempts.
- » K-State dishes out 14.0 assists to 12.5 turnovers.

2023-24 | KANSAS STATE

Dec. 17, 2023 | Kansas City, Mo. / T-Mobile Center

WICHITA STATE	29	31	60
KANSAS STATE	33	36	69

- » Wichita State went more than 4:00 minutes without a field goal late in the game, as Kansas State turned a close game into a nine-point win over Wichita State, 69-60, inside the T-Mobile Center.
- » **Quincy Ballard** tied a career high with 13 points on 5-of-6 shooting and seven rebounds. **Colby Rogers** and **Xavier Bell** both added 12 points, respectively.
- » **Bijan Cortes** made his Wichita State debut, finishing with three assists and two rebounds in 24 minutes off the bench.
- » **Tyler Perry** was held to just two points in the first half but finished with 17 to lead four Wildcats in double figures.
- » The first half was played within a nine-point margin with Wichita State leading by as many as three and K-State's largest lead was six. K-State took a 33-29 lead into halftime, despite shooting 38 percent and committing nine turnovers.
- » The difference in the game came in the foul department and at the free throw line. Wichita State was whistled for 11 fouls to only six for K-State, and the Shockers attempted zero free throws compared to 18 opportunities for the Wildcats.
- » Rogers buried a three-pointer to open the second half, pulling Wichita State within a point. A few minutes later that one-point margin turned into 10 after a K-State 7-0 run.
- » With the game threatening to get away from the Shockers, a 7-0 spurt pulled them back within four, 51-47, and still 10:04 remaining.
- » K-State came right back in less than two minutes to make it a double digit deficit. A pair of Perry free throws with 3:00 minutes left made it 67-53, a deficit too much to overcome.

Wichita St. - 60		Record: 8-4												
NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	BS	BA
11	Kenny Ponto	18:27	3-7	1-4	2-3	3 2 5	2 3	9	0	3	1	0	0	-2
15	Quincy Ballard	C 33:33	5-6	0-0	3-4	2 5 7	3 6	13	0	3	0	1	0	-12
1	Xavier Bell	G 19:46	6-14	0-2	0-0	0 0 0	4 1	12	1	1	1	0	2	1
4	Colby Rogers	G 34:49	5-12	2-6	0-2	0 3 3	2 3	12	0	0	1	1	0	-11
20	Harlond Beverly	G 25:26	4-10	0-2	0-0	0 3 3	5 1	8	3	1	1	0	2	-6
5	Isaac Abidde	11:01	0-1	0-1	0-0	0 1 1	2 0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-1
10	Dalen Ridginal	13:39	1-3	0-2	0-0	1 2 3	0 1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
55	Bijan Cortes	23:35	0-5	0-1	0-0	0 2 2	1 2	0	3	4	2	0	0	-12
3	Ronnie DeGray III	17:57	2-5	0-1	0-0	1 5 6	1 0	4	0	0	3	0	0	-3
24	Jacob Germany	01:47	0-0	0-0	0-0	0 0 0	0 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Team						2 1 3		0		0				
Totals			26-63	3-19	5-9	13 20 33	21 17	60	7	13	9	2	4	-9

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%	Technical Fouls:Bench 2 nd 16:24
1st Half	14-34	41.2%	1-12	8.3%	0-0	0.0%	
2nd Half	12-29	41.4%	2-7	28.6%	5-9	55.6%	
Game	26-63	41.3%	3-19	15.8%	5-9	55.6%	

Kansas St. - 69		Record: 9-3												
NO.	Name	Min	FG	3P	FT	Rebounds	Fouls	TP	AS	TO	ST	Blocks	BS	BA
1	David N'Guessan	F 34:04	5-8	0-0	3-5	4 5 9	2 4	13	0	0	0	3	0	3
24	Arthur Kaluma	F 34:38	3-9	2-3	3-4	3 3 6	3 2	11	1	2	2	0	1	9
13	Will McNair Jr.	C 23:34	3-6	0-0	1-1	2 5 7	3 1	7	0	1	1	1	0	12
2	Tyler Perry	G 32:43	4-13	3-11	6-6	0 3 3	2 4	17	5	4	4	0	0	7
5	Cam Carter	G 36:03	3-9	1-4	8-9	1 4 5	2 6	15	5	6	1	0	1	7
4	Dai Dai Ames	20:03	0-2	0-0	0-2	0 1 1	3 2	0	1	2	0	0	0	4
23	Macaleah Rich	09:22	2-2	0-0	2-2	2 1 3	0 1	6	1	0	1	0	0	5
3	Dorian Finister	09:33	0-1	0-0	0-0	1 1 2	2 0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-2
Team						0 1 1		0		1				
Totals			20-50	6-18	23-29	13 24 37	17 20	69	13	17	9	4	2	9

		WSU	KState	Points from Turnovers	WSU/KState	Paint	Second Chance	Fast Breaks	Bench
Biggest lead		3 (1 st 16:23)	14 (2 nd 3:00)	18	10	38	26		
Best Scoring Run		7 (2 nd 10:04)	8 (1 st 10:52)	15	9				
Lead Changes		3							
Times Tied		2							
Time with Lead		05:39	32:14						

	FG	FG%	3FG	3FG%	FT	FT%
1st Half	9-24	37.5%	2-5	40.0%	13-18	72.2%
2nd Half	11-26	42.3%	4-13	30.8%	10-11	90.9%
Game	20-50	40.0%	6-18	33.3%	23-29	79.3%

ALL-TIME SERIES VS. KANSAS STATE

- » K-State leads the all-time series, 23-11, including winners of the last five meetings.
- » The two schools reignited the series in 2021 after an 18-year hiatus.
- » Dating back to 2003, the last four games have been decided by a total of 24 points: 4 (50-54), 6 (59-65), 5 (50-55) and 9 (60-69).
- » The most notable series meeting came in the 1964 Midwest Regional Final, played inside the Roundhouse. **Dave Stallworth** (37 points, 16 rebounds) outdueled fellow All-American **Willie Murrell** (28 pts, 10 reb), but the Wildcats escaped Wichita with a 94-86 win.
- » A year later, Wichita State again advanced to the regional final round, this time defeating Oklahoma State to punch its first Final Four ticket. That game was played at K-State's Ahearn Fieldhouse.
- » For years it was Wichita State's lone bright spot in Manhattan. The Shockers lost its first 12 road games at K-State before finally breaking through in 1996 and again in 2001.

CONNECT THE DOTS

- » Wichita State head coach **Paul Mills** and Kansas State head coach **Jerome Tang** have a well-documented history that traces back to their years at Baylor under head coach **Scott Drew**. For 14 years, Mills and Tang were on the staff together at Baylor, helping turn the Bears from a laughingstock into a perennial power. The two remain very close friends and talk almost daily.
- » Current assistant coach **Quincy Acy** played for both Mills and Tang from 2008-12, earning All-Big 12 honors multiple times in his career.
- » Wichita State Athletic Director **Kevin Saal** is a Manhattan native and former K-State staffer (2000-05). He spent a year as administrative assistant for the K-State men's and women's golf and rowing programs before transitioning into an event management role.
- » K-State Executive Associate A.D. **Casey Scott** began his career in 1985 as Wichita State's Sports Information Director. A native of Wichita, Scott spent 12 years at Wichita State before departing for Colorado State in 1998.

X1K

- » Senior guard **Xavier Bell** became the second active Shocker to reach 1,000 career points, joining **Justin Hill**. Bell recorded his 1,000th career point on Dec. 17 vs. Kansas City where he finished with a game and season-high 21 points. Of his now 1,020 career points, 632 have come in his three seasons at Wichita State.

MILESTONE WATCH

- » **Quincy Ballard** is 18 blocks away from 125 in his Wichita State career.
- » **Harlond Beverly** is 37 points shy of 1,000 career points.
- » **Bijan Cortes** is 49 assists away from 250 for his career.
- » **Justin Hill** is 39 assists shy of 500 for his career.
- » **AJ McGinnis** is 110 points away from reaching 1,000 for his career.

KANSAS CITY LEFTOVERS

- » Wichita State dropped to 7-4 vs. Kansas City.
- » The Shockers are now 14-12 when playing on Dec. 17. Wichita State has lost three in a row on the date.
- » Wichita State allowed a season high in field goal percentage for the second straight game. After allowing DePaul to shoot 51.6%, the Roos upped it to 52.8%.
- » Wichita State's 15.8% shooting from beyond the arc was its second worst of the season.
- » Wichita State shot a season-worst 54.2% at the free throw line. Over the last two games Wichita State is just 26-for-46 (56.5%) from the charity stripe.
- » The Shockers were outrebounded for the sixth time this season.
- » Wichita State's six turnovers tied a season low.
- » Wichita State's seven assists also tied a season low.
- » **Xavier Bell** scored a game and season-high 21 points. It was his seventh game in double figures this season and 31st of his career at Wichita State.
- » It marked his fifth career 20-point game as a Shocker.
- » **Justin Hill** recorded his team-leading ninth game in double figures behind 12 points on 4-of-10 shooting.
- » **Quincy Ballard** posted his second game with 10 or more rebounds.
- » **Bijan Cortes** finished without an assist for the first time this season. It snapped a streak of 24 straight games with at least one assist.
- » **Corey Washington** grabbed seven rebounds. He's averaging 8.8 rebounds over his last four games.

Q-TIPS

- » **Quincy Ballard** logged his first double-double of the season on Dec. 4 vs. Alcorn State and third of his career with 14 points and 14 rebounds. His 14 rebounds set a new career high. It also marked his sixth career game with 10 or more rebounds.

WORLD BASKETBALL DAY

- » Join the NBA and NCAA Family in celebrating the 2nd annual World Basketball Day, as we honor the game and its ability to bring people together from around the world. Last year, the United Nations formally recognized that World Basketball Day will be observed annually on Dec. 21 – the day Dr. James Naismith first introduced the game of basketball at the Springfield YMCA in 1891.
- » World Basketball Day is a day to celebrate the game we all love. More than 450M people around the world play the game and 1.2B are fans highlighting the increasingly global reach of basketball. Fans everywhere are invited to take part in this celebration of the game.

WORLD BASKETBALL DAY

OLD TIMERS

» With COVID still impacting eligibility, several schools around the country have multiple student-athletes on their rosters playing in their fifth, sixth and even seventh seasons. Wichita State is tied for second in the country with seven student-athletes in their fifth year or higher of collegiate basketball.

► Teams with multiple athletes in their 5th season+ of CBB

School	Total	5th Year	6th Year	7th Year+
1. Oklahoma State	8	7	1	0
2. Louisville	7	6	1	0
Charlotte	7	5	1	1
Wichita State	7	5	2	0
5. Auburn	6	6	0	0
Illinois State	6	6	0	0
Kentucky	6	6	0	0
Missouri	6	4	2	0
Nebraska	6	3	3	0
Texas State	6	4	2	0
11. Alabama	5	5	0	0
Arkansas State	5	2	2	1
IU Indy	5	5	0	0
Liberty	5	3	2	0
Ole Miss	5	5	0	0
Texas	5	4	1	0
Wright State	5	5	0	0
VCU	5	4	0	1

OLD TIMERS PART II

» According to KenPom, Wichita State is the 24th-most experienced team in the NCAA this season and 3rd-most in the American behind Memphis and North Texas.

► 2024-25 KenPom Experience

School	Exp.		
1. Kansas	3.53	14. North Texas	2.91
2. Xavier	3.45	15. Saint Louis	2.90
3. Ole Miss	3.37	16. Alabama	2.89
4. Kentucky	3.28	17. Murray State	2.87
5. Memphis	3.16	18. Miami (FL)	2.86
6. Louisville	3.11	19. Butler	2.86
7. Nevada	3.08	20. McNeese	2.84
8. Dayton	3.05	21. Texas	2.84
9. Texas A&M	3.00	22. Arizona	2.83
10. Minnesota	2.99	23. Wichita State	2.82
11. Clemson	2.97	24. Tennessee	2.81
12. Oklahoma State	2.96	25. Auburn	2.80
13. Gonzaga	2.96		

2024-25 Wichita State opponent

Data Source: KenPom; As of 12/20/2024

MONDAY MADNESS

» Wichita State has won 13 straight games that happen to fall on a Monday. The Shockers were 1-0 on Mondays a season ago and haven't lost on a Monday since Nov. 22, 2010 against UConn in the Maui Invitational.

» Since 2017, Wichita State has played just six games on a Monday.

» Wichita State is already 2-0 on Mondays in 2024 and still have two more games this season on a Monday.

NOVEMBER SUCCESS

» Wichita State has experienced early season success over the last two seasons since **Paul Mills** arrived on campus. The Shockers were 7-1 during the month of November in 2023 and are off to a 6-1 start this season in college basketball's opening month.

» Under Mills, Wichita State is 8-0 at home, 2-0 on the road and 3-2 in neutral site games in November.

NON-NEGOTIABLES

» Wichita State head coach **Paul Mills** has three areas that are non-negotiables with his team this season. For the Shockers to be successful, they have to rebound the ball, take care of the ball and share the ball. Wichita State was a decent rebounding team a year ago, but struggled taking care of the ball and sharing it. The Shockers ranked 228th nationally in turnover percentage and 319th in assist rate.

» Mills on turnovers: "We're going to take care of the ball, that plays into defense in my mind. If you're playing a lot of disadvantaged basketball because you have a lot of live ball turnovers, you're going to be on the wrong end. I go back to something **Stan Van Gundy** told me a long time ago. He says if you if you want a team that doesn't turn the ball over, play guys that don't turn the ball over, so let let's not make this harder than it needs to be. We have guys who have done a good job with ball security."

» Mills on assists: "There are things that we need to do in order to just move the ball from a shot quality standpoint. I thought there was just too many times maybe where we settled for an ISO situation and there was a better shot somewhere. Offensively, when we go back and look at it, we need to share the ball. Now the assist rates aren't going to be great night in and night out because of what teams do. Some people don't want assisted buckets so they really fan out and allow you to play one-on-one. So it is going to differ every night but I can tell you your better teams do a great job of passing the basketball."

ACCESS DENIED

» Wichita State has an elite rim protector in **Quincy Ballard**. His season was cut short in 2022-23 due to injuries, so he's only played 54 total games in his Shocker career. In those 54 games he has 107 blocked shots. Seventy-four of those came in the 2023-24 season where he produced one of the most prolific shot blocking seasons in program history.

» Ballard finished the 2023-24 season 14th nationally with 74 blocks and 21st nationally in blocks per game at 2.18. Through 10 games in 2024-25 Ballard leads the American in blocks per game (2.11).

AROUND THE AMERICAN

» Per KenPom, the American Athletic Conference ranks 10th out of all conferences in net rating. Four teams currently sit inside the Top 100, while nine of the 13 programs are in the Top 200.

► KenPom American Standings

School	Record	Conf.	Proj.	Net Rank	ORTg
1. Memphis	9-2	0-0	15-3	34	29
2. North Texas	7-3	0-0	13-5	66	151
3. Florida Atlantic	7-5	0-0	11-7	92	46
4. Wichita State	8-3	0-0	10-8	113	138
5. Temple	7-4	0-0	10-8	118	152
6. UAB	6-6	0-0	9-9	142	83
7. East Carolina	8-4	0-0	9-9	157	176
8. South Florida	5-6	0-0	7-11	192	165
9. Rice	8-4	0-0	7-11	193	229
10. Charlotte	6-4	0-0	7-11	200	150
11. Tulane	5-7	0-0	7-11	205	201
12. UTSA	6-5	0-0	6-12	231	192
13. Tulsa	4-7	0-0	6-12	261	247

WORKING OVERTIME

» Wichita State's 68-66 overtime win vs. Minnesota in the opener of the ESPN Events Invitational on Thanksgiving made the Shockers 1-0 in OT this season and 64-79 all time.

» Wichita State is 4-5 all time in overtime games on a neutral court, snapping a three-game losing streak. Wichita State's last overtime game on a neutral court came against Arizona in the 2021 Roman Main Event. Arizona won that game, 82-78.

» Over the last three seasons Wichita State is 2-4 in overtime games.

» The Shockers are 1-2 in overtime under head coach **Paul Mills**.

SECOND YEAR JUMP

» Prior to **Paul Mills**, three of Wichita State's last four head coaches (**Gregg Marshall** and **Mark Turgeon**) experienced a jump from Year 1 to Year 2. Mills' second Wichita State team is trending in that direction in 2024-25.

► Wichita State Head Coaches from Year 1 to Year 2

Head Coach	1st Year Record	2nd Year Record	W/L Increase
Ralph Miller	11-19	16-11	+5
Gene Smithson	14-14	17-12	+3
Mike Cohen	10-19	14-17	+4
Randy Smithson	14-13	16-15	+2
Mark Turgeon	9-19	15-15	+6
Gregg Marshall	11-20	17-17	+6
Paul Mills	15-19	8-3	TBD

OF MICS AND MEN

» Play-by-play voice **Mike Kennedy** is in his 45th season with the team. The 75-year-old began calling Shocker hoops full time during the 1980-81 Elite Eight season. On Nov. 17, 2023 he was on hand for his 1,400th consecutive game for the Shockers.

» Kennedy and his home broadcast partner **Dave Dahl**, are now in their 44th year together and are Division I college basketball's longest-tenured duo. Dahl, a three-year varsity letterman at WSU from 1968-71, missed the 2011-12 season during a successful campaign for district court judge, but the tandem has otherwise been in place since 1980-81.

► ACTIVE DI MBB ANNOUNCERS WITH 40+ YEARS AT THEIR CURRENT SCHOOL

Seasons	Announcer	School
57th	Ray Goss	Duquesne
56th	Bill Hillgrove	Pittsburgh
52nd	Matt Dillon	Memphis
52nd	Don Fischer	Indiana
52nd	Kevin McKinney	Wyoming
51st	Rich Chvotkin	Georgetown
47th	John Cox	Southern Miss
46th	Eric Heft	Iowa State
46th	Johnny Holliday	Maryland
46th	Dave Snell	Bradley
45th	Mike Kennedy	Wichita State
45th	Tim Bourret	Clemson
45th	Jack Nixon	New Mexico State
45th	Jim Reynolds	Chattanooga
45th	Joe Sunderman	Xavier
44th	Dave Dahl	Wichita State
44th	Art Hains	Missouri State
44th	Jon Teicher	UTEP
43rd	Jay Colley	William & Mary
43rd	Pat Nunley	Baylor
42nd	Bob Black	Richmond
42nd	Larry Hansgen	Dayton
42nd	Dave Cohen	Georgia State
41st	Dave Cohen	Baylor

Longest-Tenured Radio Duos:

45th	Mike Kennedy	Dave Dahl	Wichita State
41st	Dave Cohen	Pat Nunley	Baylor

HILL'S HOT START

» In Wichita State's first two games senior guard **Justin Hill** scored 48 points, the most by a Shocker since **Jason Perez** scored 54 against McNeese State and Prairie View A&M in 1999. Hill is just the third Shocker to score 40 over the first two games since 2000, joining **Markis McDuffie** (40, 2018) and **Tyson Etienne** (40, 2020).

KING OF THE HILL

» Senior guard **Justin Hill** had a debut for the record books. In the Shockers' season opener at Western Kentucky on Nov. 4, Hill dropped a career-high 31 points on the Hilltoppers. The Houston native was efficient at all three levels, going 9-for-14 from the field, 4-for-7 from three and 9-for-11 at the free throw line.

» His 31 points were the most ever by a Shocker in a debut and tied for the 4th most in a season opener. He's the first Shocker to top 30 points since Ricky Council IV scored 31 vs. UCF in 2022.

TOP VARSITY DEBUTS

Points			
31	Justin Hill (Sr)	at Western Kentucky	11/4/2024
29	Bob Wilson (Jr)	at Oregon State	12/1/1972
26	John Freidersdorf (So)	Phillips	12/3/1949
26	Terry Benton (So)	Oregon	12/2/1969
21	Lanny Van Eman (So)	at #5 Cincinnati	1/31/1959
20	Evan Wessel (So)	Missouri State	12/1/1956

MOST POINTS // SEASON OPENER

37	Dave Stallworth	Long Beach St.	12/5/1964
36	Dave Stallworth	Wyoming	11/30/1963
35	Ron Washington	Mississippi St.	12/5/1967
31	Jamie Thompson	New Mexico St.	12/4/1965
31	Justin Hill	at Western Kentucky	11/4/2024
30	Jason Perez	McNeese St.	11/19/1999

UPHILL CLIMB

» According to Stathead.com (formerly basketball reference), **Justin Hill** is only the fifth player in American Athletic Conference history to put up 30 points, 8 rebounds and 6 assists in a game. He's the first Shocker since **Samajae Haynes-Jones** to record a 30-5-5 game. Haynes-Jones had 31 points, 5 rebounds and 5 assists on Nov. 28, 2017 vs. Savannah State.

30-8-6 GAMES IN AAC HISTORY

P-R-A			
35-9-6	Shaq Goodwin (Memphis)	at UCF	1/26/2016
32-12-8	Daniel Hamilton (UConn)	vs. Cincinnati	3/11/2016
31-8-6	Justin Hill (Wichita State)	at Western Kentucky	11/4/2024
31-9-6	Kevin Cross (Tulane)	vs. Wichita State	3/8/2024
30-10-6	PJ Haggerty (Tulsa)	vs. Rice	2/17/2024

INTERNATIONAL FLAVOR

» Three of Wichita State's 15 players on the roster this season hail from international countries. That ties for the second-most on a season roster in school history. Only the 2012-13 team had more (4 - **Chadrack Lufie**, **Nick Wiggins**, **Kadeem Coleby**, **Ehimen Orukpe**).

» **Yanis Bamba** (Canada), **Matej Bošnjak** (Croatia) and **Joy Ighovodja** (Nigeria) are the foreign Shockers on the team. Bošnjak is the first Shocker from the country of Croatia.

15 PIECES OF FLAIR

» For the second straight season the Wichita State men's basketball uniforms will feature a unique patch. In an effort to strengthen ties with the university community, student-athletes are sporting jersey patches representing the academic college in which their major resides.

MILLS SIGNS TWO DURING FALL SIGNING PERIOD

» Head Coach **Paul Mills** announced his 2025 signing class on Nov. 14. **Keandre Kindell** and **Tyrus Rathan-Mayes** put pen to paper, making their commitment to Wichita State basketball official.

Keandre Kindell | 6-0 | Guard | Cincinnati, Ohio | Barton Community College

» Kindell was a key member of Barton's 2024 National Championship team. He came off the bench in all 36 games and averaged 9.7 points, 1.8 rebounds, 2.6 assists and 1.2 steals in 20.1 minutes per game.

» He reached double figures 16 times, including a season-long six straight to begin the month of January. Kindell scored a season-high 22 in a 102-80 win over Hutch on Jan. 17.

» Through the first three games of the season in 2024-25, Kindell has been inserted into the starting lineup and is off to a fast start. He's averaging 19.0 points, 3.7 rebounds, 4.0 assists and 3.0 steals per game on 51.4 percent shooting.

» "Keandre 'Dre' Kindell is a blur. There are very few players in the country who possess his speed and ability to push the ball in the open court like Dre. He also has great feel for the game and knows when to push the pace and when to be organized. He has won a National Championship as a JUCO player and is extremely motivated to continue to win at the highest level in college. What I love most about Dre is that he is committed to getting better. His hunger to improve and contribute to winning are attributes that Shocker fans will appreciate." - Paul Mills

Tyrus Rathan-Mayes | 6-6 | Forward | Houston, Texas | Legacy School of Sport Sciences

» Tyrus Rathan-Mayes is the second Shocker to sign with Paul Mills out of Legacy School of Sport Sciences, joining current Wichita State freshman **Zion Pipkin**. It marks the second straight recruiting class, Mills has landed a highly-rated prospect from former Shocker standout **P.J. Cousnard's** AAU program (Cooz Elite) in Houston.

» He's listed as a 3-star recruit according to 247Sports and the 13th-ranked player in the state of Texas.

» Rathan-Mayes is coming off a season averaging 20.0 points, 7.0 rebounds and 5.0 assists, earning first team all-state and first team all-district honors.

» He's the son of Tharon Mayes and Marilyn Rathan, and has two brothers Xavier and Shemar. His father, Tharon, was a standout on the basketball team at Florida State. Xavier followed in their father's footsteps starring at Florida State for three seasons and had a brief stint in the NBA with the Memphis Grizzlies. Shemar played basketball in college for Youngstown State, UNC Wilmington and Mercyhurst.

» "Tyrus is as a productive high school player as there is in the entire country. He is very proficient with his skills to score and facilitate. He's an excellent rebounder and makes contributions to the game in a variety of ways. I refer to him as 'stat sheet stuffer' because he can impact the game in different and significant ways. I'm glad Tyrus will be a Shocker." - Paul Mills

THE ROUNDHOUSE

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Shocker Basketball Started Its Upward Trajectory in 2000

Wichita State men's basketball opened a new decade in a serious slump in 2000. New athletic director **Jim Schaus** needed a coach who could revive the school's most prominent program and boost the entire department.

On March 11, 2000, he hired 35-year-old **Mark Turgeon**. In the previous 11 seasons, the Shockers enjoyed two winning seasons and did not play in either the NIT or NCAA tournaments. In 10 of those seasons, the Shockers finished with a losing record in the Missouri Valley Conference.

Turgeon delivered, helped by the renovation of Levitt Arena and its accompanying facilities into Charles Koch Arena for the 2003-04 season. He compiled a 128-90 record in seven seasons (2000-07) with three trips to the NIT and the 2006 MVC title and a trip to the NCAA Tournament's Sweet 16.

Turgeon began reviving the Shockers with a recruiting class headlined by forwards **Jamar Howard** and **Rob Kampman**, center **Paul Miller** and guard **Randy Burns**. Those four set the pace for the improvement to follow. Turgeon and his coaching staff added in transfers such as forwards **Aaron Hogg**, **Ryan Martin** and **Kyle Wilson** and guard **Karon Bradley** later in his tenure. High school recruits **P.J. Cousnard** and **Matt Braeuer** played large roles in the coming seasons.

Howard, Burns, Miller, Wilson and Cousnard all reached 1,000 points as Shockers (as did Turgeon recruit **J.T. Durley**, who played his career under coach **Gregg Marshall**).

Turgeon's teams played solid defense and rebounded better than most. His style created an unselfish offense and the Shockers usually shot well. His 2004 and 2005 teams ranked first in the MVC in offensive efficiency and the 2006 team ranked third. That Sweet 16 team finished in the top 50 nationally, according to Ken Pomeroy, in offensive and defensive efficiency.

Turgeon was honored at last Thursday's Northern Iowa-Wichita State game in recognition of his induction into the Kansas Sports Hall of Fame.

CHARLES KOCH ARENA

Arena Name	Charles Koch Arena
Pronunciation	Sounds like "Coke"
Court Name	Devlin Court
Opened	December, 1955
Previous Names	WU Fieldhouse (1955-64) WSU Fieldhouse (1964-68) Henry Levitt Arena (1969-2003)
Renovated/Rededicated as CKA	Fall, 2003
Nickname	"The Roundhouse"
Varsity Games Played	1,018
All-Time Record	773-245 (.760)
All-Time Attendance	8,798,777
CKA Era Record ('03-Pr.)	270-62 (.813)
Total Attendance	3,180,450

- » Wichita State's Charles Koch Arena, is often referred to as "the Roundhouse" for its unique circular shape. The building opened in December, 1955 and the 2024-25 season marks its 69th season of use. The Shockers have won over three-quarters of their games there all-time.
- » If visiting teams feel like the fans are right on top of them, it's because they pretty much are. Every seat is within 140 (horizontal) feet of center court, and in recent years just about all of them have been full. Since the start of the 2013-14 season, the Shockers have played in front of **83** capacity crowds and put together an incredible **139-29** record.
- » In summary: Large groups of loud people packed into a little space with a lot to cheer about. But don't forget the fifth "L." --- the lid. The arena's circular and highly-reflective dome roof amplifies sound and funnels it downward toward center court, raising the volume from ear-splitting to deafening with readings as high as 120 db.
- » WSU's rise to national relevance began in 2003 with the completion of the Roundhouse Renaissance. A \$25 million dollar construction project turned an aging Henry Levitt Arena into one of college basketball's best and most-intimidating venues. The building reopened as Charles Koch Arena for the start of the 2003-04 season.
- » In the 20 seasons since the renovation, the Shockers are **270-62** on campus.
- » A streak of **244**-consecutive regular season crowds of 10,000+ ended during COVID when local health restrictions forced the Shockers to cap capacity. The streak lasted just shy of 16 years (Dec. 2004 to Dec. 2020).

► WSU vs. AMERICAN OPPONENTS inside the ROUNDHOUSE

	In Wichita (All-Time)	Roundhouse (1955-Pr.)	CKA Era (2003-Pr.)	AAC Era (2017-Pr.)
vs. UAB	3-0	2-0	1-0	0-0
vs. Charlotte	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
vs. Florida Atlantic	1-1	1-1	1-1	0-1
vs. East Carolina	3-2	3-2	3-2	3-2
vs. Memphis	8-7	8-7	1-4	1-4
vs. North Texas	16-5	16-5	1-1	0-1
vs. Rice	2-0	2-0	2-0	1-0
vs. South Florida	5-0	5-0	5-0	5-0
vs. Temple	3-4	3-4	3-2	3-2
vs. Tulane	4-2	4-2	4-2	4-2
vs. UTSA	3-0	3-0	2-0	1-0
vs. Tulsa	44-23	39-16	11-0	7-0
vs. UCF	5-1	5-1	5-1	5-1
vs. Cincinnati	9-12	9-12	1-5	1-5
vs. Houston	13-5	8-4	3-3	2-3
vs. SMU	7-2	7-2	4-1	4-1
vs. UConn	2-0	2-0	2-0	2-0
				39-22

SHOCKER PROS

- » **23** former Shocker alumni are active in the professional ranks, including **two** in the NBA.
- » **Fred VanVleet** is in his first season with the Houston Rockets and seventh overall. He signed the largest contract in NBA history for a player who went undrafted out of college this past summer. VanVleet helped lead the Raptors to the 2019 NBA title.
- » Entering his sixth season in the league, guard **Landry Shamet** found himself on a new team once again. The sharp-shooter and former first round pick signed with the New York Knicks over the summer. This marks his sixth team after being drafted by the 76ers. He has also played for the Clippers, Nets, Suns and Wizards.
- » After going undrafted in the 2023 NBA Draft, **Craig Porter Jr.** is making a strong case for a roster spot with the Cleveland Cavaliers. Porter helped the Cavs to the NBA Summer League title and has been turning heads since signing a two-way contract in July.
- » 2020 graduate **Jaime Echenique** became the NBA's first Colombian-born player on Dec. 29, 2021 when he made his debut with the Washington Wizards and represented his home country in this summer FIBA World Cup qualifying. He is in his first season overseas, playing in Greece.
- » After a strong showing in the Vegas Summer League, rookie guard **Tyson Etienne** made the Atlanta Hawks' 2022 preseason roster and opens his second season with the G-League's College Park Skyhawks.
- » Since 2013, eight different Shockers have appeared in an NBA regular season game. In addition to Echenique, VanVleet and Shamet, **Ron Baker** played parts of three seasons with the Knicks and Wizards (2016-19) before retiring due to mounting injuries. **Toure' Murry** saw time with the Knicks, Jazz and Wizards from 2013-15, **Cleanthony Early** was drafted by the Knicks and played for two years in New York (2014-16) and **Gal Mekel** did tours with the Mavericks and Pelicans (2013-15).

► ACTIVE SHOCKER PROS (as of December 11, 2024)

Player	Class of	Team / League
Malcolm Armstead	2013	Golden Eagle Ylli (Kosovo; Superleague)
Zach Brown	2018	Falco Szombathely (Hungary; A Division)
Ramon Clemente	2009	Santurce (Puerto Rico; BSN)
Tekele Cotton	2015	M Basket-Delamode Mazeikiai (Lithuania; LKL)
Cleanthony Early	2014	Sagesse-Al Hekme Beirut (Lebanon; LBL)
Jaime Echenique	2020	Aliaga Petkimspor Izmir (Turkey; BSL)
Tyson Etienne	2022	Long Island Nets (G-League; Nets)
Conner Frankamp	2018	New Taipei CTBC DEA (Taiwan; TPBL)
Alterique Gilbert	2021	Gornik Zamek Ksiadz Walbrzych (Poland; OBL)
Clevin Hannah	2010	Halcones UV Xalapa (Mexico; LNBP)
Samajae Haynes-Jones	2019	SCM CSU Craiova (Romania; Liga Nationala)
Rashard Kelly	2018	Aomori Watts (Japan; B2 League)
Markis McDuffie	2019	JDA Dijon Bourgogne (France; Elite Pro A)
Rauno Nurger	2018	Tartu Ulikool Maks & Moorits (Estonia; KML)
Gus Okafor	2023	ALM Evreux Basket (France; ProB)
Craig Porter Jr.	2023	Cleveland Cavaliers (NBA)
Joe Ragland	2012	Hapoel Shlomo Tel-Aviv (Israel; Winner League)
Dalen Ridginal	2024	BC Beroe (Bulgaria; Bulgarian NBL)
James Rojas	2023	Kipina Aaneoski (Finland; 1st Division A)
Landry Shamet	2018	Westchester Knicks (G-League; Knicks)
Fred VanVleet	2016	Houston Rockets (NBA)
Bush Wamukota	2016	APR Basketball Club (Rwanda; Rwanda BL)
Darral Willis Jr.	2018	Aris Midea Thessaloniki (Greece; GBL)

THE SHOCKER ROAD SHOW

- » Over the last 11 seasons, the Shockers' **.653** road winning percentage (**79-42**) is third-best in the NCAA behind Gonzaga and Saint Mary's.

► TOP TRUE ROAD RECORDS (Last 11 Seasons; 2013-14 to Pr.)

School	W-L	Pct.	Next Road Game:
1. Gonzaga	94-15	.862	at Pepperdine (Dec. 30)
2. Saint Mary's	76-33	.697	at Portland (Jan. 4)
3. Wichita State	79-42	.653	at Temple (Jan. 3)
4. Virginia	81-44	.648	at Cal (Jan. 8)
5. Villanova	82-48	.631	at Creighton (Dec. 21)
6. Vermont	105-64	.621	at Dartmouth (Dec. 21)
7. Arizona	73-45	.619	at Cincinnati (Jan. 4)
8. VCU	74-47	.612	at New Mexico (Dec. 18)
9. Belmont	104-67	.608	at Drake (Dec. 29)
10. Kentucky	69-45	.605	at Georgia (Jan. 7)

Data Source: Sports-Reference Play Index; As of 12/16/2024

- » Wichita State is the AAC's second most western outfit after the addition of UTSA. Average distance to the other 14 venues is **665** miles, as the crow flies.

► 2024-25 SHOCKER ROAD TRIPS (# = Neutral Site, * = AAC game)

School	Location	Miles (arena to arena; straight line)	
WKU	Bowling Green, Ky.	598	Nov. 4
# Saint Louis	Kansas City, Mo.	176	Nov. 22
# ESPN Events Invite	Kissimmee, Fla.	1,106	Nov. 28-29
DePaul	Chicago, Ill.	588	Dec. 14
Temple *	Philadelphia, Pa.	1,201	Jan. 3
UTSA *	San Antonio, Texas	568	Jan. 11
Memphis *	Memphis, Tenn.	440	Jan. 23
Tulsa *	Tulsa, Okla.	132	Jan. 26
Charlotte *	Charlotte, N.C.	934	Feb. 4
South Florida *	Tampa, Fla.	1,090	Feb. 9
Florida Atlantic *	Boca Raton, Fla.	1,274	Feb. 20
North Texas *	Denton, Texas	312	Mar. 3
Rice *	Houston, Texas	564	Mar. 6
# AAC Tournament	Fort Worth, Texas	346	Mar. 12-16

YEAR EIGHT IN THE AMERICAN

- » Wichita State is **66-52** in eight seasons since joining the AAC.
- » Over that span, the Shockers are one of only two programs with a better-than-.500 winning percentage.

► RECORDS IN AMERICAN ATHLETIC CONFERENCE PLAY (2017-24):

	W-L	Pct.
Memphis	79-44	.642
Wichita State	66-52	.559
Temple	55-65	.458
Tulsa	52-72	.419
South Florida	47-74	.388
Tulane	40-83	.325
East Carolina	33-85	.280

WHAT'S A WUSHOCK?

Legend has it, the name "Shockers" first appeared in 1904 on a poster advertising a football game between Wichita State (then known as Fairmount College -- and the Chilocco Indians. The team's manager chose the name because many of the players earned money during the off-season harvesting (or "shocking") wheat in the surrounding fields. When it came time to bring the name to life, student's created WuShock, a big, bad, muscle-bound bundle of wheat whose name is derived from a period in time when the school was simply Wichita University or "WU".

RECORD BOOK WATCH

SINGLE SEASON DUNKS

The NCAA banned dunking from 1967-76. Records prior to 1967 are unavailable. Records since 1976 were compiled using box score play-by-play data.

Total Dunks (since 1976-77)	Cl.	GP	Season
58 Quincy Ballard	Jr.	34	2023-24
54 Antoine Carr	Fr.	29	1979-80
47 Antoine Carr	So.	33	1980-81
42 Shaquille Morris	Sr.	33	2017-18
37 Xavier McDaniel	So.	28	1982-83
36 Xavier McDaniel	Sr.	31	1984-85
33 Antoine Carr	Jr.	28	1981-82
32 Antoine Carr	Sr.	22	1982-83
31 Jamar Howard	Sr.	32	2004-05
30 Xavier McDaniel	Jr.	30	1983-84
29 Claudius Johnson	So.	31	1990-91
28 Robert Elmore	Sr.	28	1976-77
Jamar Howard	So.	30	2002-03
Jaime Echenique	Sr.	27	2019-20
27 John Smith	Fr.	23	1991-92
Cliff Levingston	So.	33	1980-81

Consecutive Games with a Dunk (All-Time)

11 Quincy Ballard	Jr.	2023-24
9 Antoine Carr	So.	1980-81
Jaime Echenique	Sr.	2019-20
Quincy Ballard	Jr.	2023-24
8 Antoine Carr	Sr.	1982-83
Jaime Echenique	Sr.	2019-20
7 Cliff Levingston	So.	1980-81
Antoine Carr	So.	1980-81
Claudius Johnson	So.	1990-91
Cleanthony Early	Sr.	2013-14
6 Six Players, Last: Shaquille Morris (2017-18)		

SINGLE SEASON BLOCKS

Total Blocks	Cl.	GP	Season
80 Gene Wiley	Sr.	25	1961-62
74 Quincy Ballard	Jr.	34	2023-24
69 Robert Elmore	Sr.	28	1976-77
65 Antoine Carr	So.	33	1980-81
56 Robert Elmore	So.	26	1974-75
Ehimen Orukpe	Sr.	36	2012-13
55 Carl Hall	Sr.	32	2012-13
Terry Benton	Jr.	26	1970-71
54 Antoine Carr	Jr.	28	1981-82
51 Shaquille Morris	Sr.	33	2017-18
Jaime Echenique	Jr.	37	2018-19
50 Antoine Carr	Sr.	22	1982-83
46 Craig Porter Jr.	Sr.	31	2022-23
45 Kadeem Coleby	Sr.	36	2013-14
43 Jaime Echenique	Sr.	27	2019-20
40 Antoine Carr	Fr.	29	1979-80

Blocks/Game (Min. 15 GP)	Cl.	GP	Season
3.20 Gene Wiley	Sr.	25	1961-62
2.46 Robert Elmore	Sr.	28	1976-77
2.27 Antoine Carr	Sr.	22	1982-83
2.18 Quincy Ballard	Jr.	34	2023-24
2.15 Robert Elmore	So.	26	1974-75
2.12 Terry Benton	Jr.	26	1970-71
1.97 Antoine Carr	So.	33	1980-81
1.93 Antoine Carr	Jr.	28	1981-82
1.72 Carl Hall	Sr.	32	2012-13
1.59 Jaime Echenique	Sr.	27	2019-20
1.56 Ehimen Orukpe	Sr.	36	2012-13

SINGLE SEASON FIELD GOAL PCT.

Field Goal % (Min. 3 FGM/Game)

	Quincy Ballard	39-50	2024-25
.780 Quincy Ballard		110-153	2023-24
.719 Quincy Ballard		110-153	2023-24
.616 Steve Grayer		133-216	1987-88
.605 Claudius Johnson		89-147	1991-92
.604 Morris Udeze		88-146	2020-21
.595 Henry Carr		131-220	1986-87
.593 Xavier McDaniel		223-376	1982-83
.590 Neil Strom		102-173	1974-75
.588 Ryan Martin		94-160	2006-07
.586 Antoine Carr		211-360	1980-81
.581 Carl Williams		79-136	1967-68
.577 Karl Papke		86-149	1982-83
.576 Ramon Clemente		102-177	2008-09
.575 Antoine Carr		195-339	1982-83
Dwayne Praylow		88-153	1988-89
.572 Carl Hall		107-187	2011-12
.568 Joe Ragland		150-264	2011-12
.566 Antoine Carr		179-316	1981-82
.564 Xavier McDaniel		251-445	1983-84
.562 Neil Strom		68-121	1973-74
.559 Xavier McDaniel		351-628	1984-85
Jamar Howard		138-247	2003-04

CAREER BLOCKS

Total Blocks	GP	Years
209 Antoine Carr	112	1979-83
147 Shaquille Morris	134	2014-18
132 Robert Elmore	84	1973-77
109 Claudius Johnson	114	1989-93
107 Quincy Ballard	54	2022-Pr.
105 Gene Wiley	70	1959-62
103 Xavier McDaniel	117	1981-85
101 Garrett Stutz	138	2008-12
98 PJ Cousnard	126	2004-08
94 Jaime Echenique	64	2019-20
Ehimen Orukpe	86	2010-13
91 JT Durley	137	2007-11
88 Jamar Howard	124	2001-05
82 Terry Benton	76	1969-72
81 Carl Hall	65	2011-13
Craig Porter Jr.	75	2020-23
76 Ron Baker	124	2012-16
73 Larry Callis	99	1992-96
70 Dexter Dennis	112	2018-22
64 Darrin Williams	110	1996-00
63 Troy Mack	114	1998-02
Jamie Arnold	87	1993-97
Paul Miller	132	2001-06
Cleanthony Early	75	2012-14
Gus Santos	111	1983-87
62 Cliff Levingston	91	1979-82

Blocks/Game (Min. 3 Seasons)	GP	Years
1.98 Quincy Ballard	54	2022-Pr.
1.87 Antoine Carr	112	1979-83
1.75 Robert Elmore	84	1973-77
1.50 Gene Wiley	70	1959-62
1.10 Shaquille Morris	134	2014-18
1.09 Ehimen Orukpe	86	2010-13
1.08 Craig Porter Jr.	75	2022-23
1.08 Terry Benton	76	1969-72
0.96 Claudius Johnson	114	1989-93
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CAREER DUNKS

Note -- Dunking was banned by the NCAA from 1967-76. The following list was compiled using play-by-play data from the WSU archive. Games are missing from the following seasons: Pre-1967, 1976-77 & 1977-78 (All), 1978-79 (1 Game), 1981-82 (6), 1982-83 (4), 1984-85 (3), 1985-86 (1), 1986-87 (3), 1987-88 (1), 1988-89 (1)

Total Dunks (Since 1976-77)	GP	Years
163 Antoine Carr	112	1979-83
107 Xavier McDaniel	114	1981-85
104 Shaquille Morris	134	2014-18
101 Jamar Howard	124	2001-05
78 Quincy Ballard	54	2022-Pr.
72 Cliff Levingston	91	1979-82
Claudius Johnson	114	1989-93
54 Morris Udeze	93	2018-22
52 Rashard Kelly	139	2014-18
51 John Smith	50	1991-93
48 Garrett Stutz	138	2008-12
44 Jaime Echenique	64	2018-20
43 Tekele Cotton	141	2011-15
40 Darius Carter	70	2013-15
Cleanthony Early	75	2012-14

WSU ON THE LEADERBOARDS -- AS OF DECEMBER 20

Category	Nat'l	AAC	Value	AAC Leader	National Leader
Rebounds (Defensive) Per Game (355 ranked)	26	1	28.36	Wichita State	28.36
Turnovers Per Game (355 ranked)	37	3	10.1	Charlotte	8.7
Fouls Per Game (355 ranked)	48	2	15	North Texas	14.9
Free Throws Made Per Game (355 ranked)	48	5	17.1	Rice	19.5
Free Throw Attempts Per Game (355 ranked)	49	7	23.6	Rice	28
Blocks Per Game (355 ranked)	63	2	4.5	Tulane	5.7
Winning Percentage (351 ranked)	75	2	72.7	Memphis	81.8
Bench Points per game (355 ranked)	89	4	26.45	Fla. Atlantic	35.92
Fastbreak Points (355 ranked)	120	7	12	UAB	21.58
Assist/Turnover Ratio (355 ranked)	125	5	1.27	Charlotte	1.62
Rebounds Per Game (355 ranked)	125	6	37.55	UAB	41.92
Turnover Margin (355 ranked)	141	7	1.5	North Texas	5
Free Throw Percentage (355 ranked)	152	7	72.3	UTSA	82
Scoring Offense (355 ranked)	156	7	76.9	Fla. Atlantic	86.1
Field Goal Percentage Defense (355 ranked)	164	6	42.7	Tulane	38.9
Three Point Percentage Defense (355 ranked)	175	8	32.6	Rice	29.2
Steals Per Game (355 ranked)	183	8	7.1	UTSA	10.5
Field Goal Percentage (355 ranked)	194	4	44.9	Fla. Atlantic	47.9
Scoring Margin (355 ranked)	217	10	2.8	North Texas	11.7
Scoring Defense (355 ranked)	255	7	74.1	North Texas	56.8
Effective FG pct (355 ranked)	255	8	0.497	Fla. Atlantic	0.559
Assists Per Game (355 ranked)	258	7	12.8	Fla. Atlantic	17.8
Turnovers Forced Per Game (355 ranked)	258	10	11.55	UTSA	16.09
Rebound Margin (355 ranked)	273	11	-1.3	UAB	6.5
Rebounds (Offensive) Per Game (355 ranked)	284	13	9.18	UAB	15.25
Three Point Percentage (355 ranked)	312	12	30.2	Memphis	41.9
Three Point Attempts Per Game (355 ranked)	317	13	19.3	UTSA	28.5
Three Pointers Per Game (355 ranked)	334	13	5.8	Fla. Atlantic	10

WSU ON THE LEADERBOARDS -- AS OF DECEMBER 20

Category	Player	Nat'l	AAC	Value	AAC Leader
Assist/Turnover Ratio (349 ranked)	Justin Hill	195	8	1.89	Niccolo Moretti, Fla. Atlantic
	Bijan Cortes	237	10	1.74	
Assists (333 ranked)	Justin Hill	299	14	36	Leland Walker, Fla. Atlantic
Assists Per Game (348 ranked)	Justin Hill	294	12	3.3	Leland Walker, Fla. Atlantic
Blocks (338 ranked)	Quincy Ballard	53	1	19	Quincy Ballard, Wichita State
	Corey Washington	243	11	11	Jonnivius Smith, UTSA
Blocks Per Game (345 ranked)	Quincy Ballard	42	1	1.9	Quincy Ballard, Wichita State
	Corey Washington	241	11	1	Jonnivius Smith, UTSA
Double Doubles (256 ranked)	Corey Washington	256	12	1	Yaxel Lendeborg, UAB
	Quincy Ballard	256	12	1	
Field Goal Attempts (349 ranked)	Justin Hill	281	11	125	Primo Spears, UTSA
Free Throw Attempts (349 ranked)	Justin Hill	154	11	56	PJ Haggerty, Memphis
	Corey Washington	154	11	56	
Free Throw Percentage (350 ranked)	Xavier Bell	176	10	82.5	Atin Wright, North Texas
	Justin Hill	303	15	76.8	
Free Throws (324 ranked)	Justin Hill	145	10	43	PJ Haggerty, Memphis
	Corey Washington	201	12	39	
Points Per Game (345 ranked)	Justin Hill	339	12	14.1	PJ Haggerty, Memphis
Rebounds (329 ranked)	Corey Washington	222	11	73	Yaxel Lendeborg, UAB
	Quincy Ballard	329	15	67	
Rebounds (Defensive) Per Game (350 ranked)	Quincy Ballard	154	6	5	Jonnivius Smith, UTSA
	Corey Washington	326	13	4.27	
Rebounds (Offensive) Per Game (350 ranked)	Corey Washington	173	11	2.36	Christian Coleman, UAB
Rebounds Per Game (340 ranked)	Quincy Ballard	197	10	6.7	Yaxel Lendeborg, UAB
	Corey Washington	204	11	6.6	
Steals (306 ranked)	Harlond Beverly	245	9	17	Kam Williams, Tulane
Steals Per Game (345 ranked)	Harlond Beverly	248	10	1.55	PJ Haggerty, Memphis

Leaderboards are updated daily. For the latest, visit stats.ncaa.org.

= For averages, player must have competed in at least 75% of his team's games.

Other minimums may also apply:

Field Goal Percentage -- Minimum 5.0 FGM/game (national)

3-Point Percentage -- Minimum 2.5 3FGM/game

Free Throw Percentage -- Minimum 2.5 FTM/game

A:TO Ratio -- Minimum 3.0 APG



BY THE NUMBERS

2

Final Fours (1965, 2013)

2

Shockers in the NBA (**Fred VanVleet, Craig Porter Jr.**)

5

Retired jerseys (**13** - Cleo Littleton, **34** - Xavier McDaniel, **35** Antoine Carr, **42** - Dave Stallworth, **54** - Cliff Levingston)

9

Seniors on the 2024-25 roster

12

Regular Season Conference Championships (1 - AAC, 11 - MVC)

13

All-Americans in school history

16

NCAA Tournament Appearances

48

1,000 point scorers in school history - the most recent **Tyson Etienne** in 2022

107

Career blocks for **Quincy Ballard**, 5th most in school history

118

Seasons of Wichita State Men's Basketball

129

Career wins for head coach **Paul Mills**

270

All-time wins in Charles Koch Arena (2003-Pr.)

408

Career starts on this year's roster

1,680

All-time victories

AMERICAN

ATHLETIC CONFERENCE

Overall	Conf.	Pct.	Overall	Pct.	Home	Away	Neutral	Streak	NET	NCSOS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Memphis	0-0	.000	9-2	.818	3-1	3-0	3-1	Won 2	34	6	3-1	3-0	2-1	1-0
Wichita State	0-0	.000	8-3	.727	5-1	1-1	2-1	Lost 2	124	192	0-1	2-1	3-0	3-1
North Texas	0-0	.000	7-3	.700	5-0	1-2	1-1	Won 1	61	97	0-1	2-1	1-1	2-0
East Carolina	0-0	.000	8-4	.667	6-2	0-1	2-1	Won 1	190	349	0-0	0-1	1-3	5-0
Rice	0-0	.000	8-4	.667	4-1	2-1	2-2	Lost 1	157	346	0-0	0-2	1-1	7-0
Temple	0-0	.000	7-4	.636	4-0	1-2	2-2	Won 3	125	302	0-0	0-2	3-2	3-0
Charlotte	0-0	.000	6-4	.600	5-2	1-2	0-0	Won 2	248	287	0-1	0-1	0-1	5-1
Florida Atlantic	0-0	.000	7-5	.583	3-1	3-2	1-2	Won 3	87	206	0-1	1-1	3-2	2-1
UTSA	0-0	.000	6-5	.545	4-1	1-4	1-0	Won 3	220	93	0-3	0-1	1-0	3-1
UAB	0-0	.000	6-6	.500	5-3	0-1	1-2	Won 1	215	360	0-0	0-0	0-4	5-2
South Florida	0-0	.000	5-6	.455	3-1	0-3	2-2	Lost 3	240	126	0-2	0-1	1-2	4-1
Tulane	0-0	.000	5-7	.417	5-2	0-2	0-3	Lost 1	221	306	0-0	0-3	0-2	4-2
Tulsa	0-0	.000	4-7	.364	3-3	0-2	1-2	Lost 4	319	345	0-0	0-2	0-2	3-3

ASSOCIATED PRESS POLL -- DEC. 16

Rk	School	W-L	Pts	LW
1	Tennessee (50)	10-0	1,537	1
2	Auburn (12)	9-1	1,483	2
3	Iowa State	9-1	1,416	3
4	Kentucky	10-1	1,325	5
5	Duke	8-2	1,324	4
6	Alabama	8-2	1,210	7
7	Florida	10-0	1,169	9
8	Kansas	8-2	1,056	10
9	Marquette	9-2	926	6
10	Oregon	10-1	903	12
11	UConn	8-3	808	18
12	Texas A&M	9-2	758	17
13	Gonzaga	7-3	737	8
14	Oklahoma	10-0	732	13
15	Houston	6-3	582	15
16	Purdue	8-3	498	11
17	Ole Miss	9-1	459	19
18	UCLA	9-1	436	24
19	Cincinnati	8-1	325	22
20	Michigan State	8-2	322	21
21	Memphis	8-2	287	NR
22	Dayton	9-2	281	NR
23	San Diego State	7-2	250	23
24	Michigan	8-2	209	14
25	Clemson	9-2	175	16

Others: Mississippi State 158, Arkansas 151, Missouri 120, Baylor 115, Illinois 70, Drake 52, St. John's 50, Utah State 48, Pittsburgh 28, Maryland 24, West Virginia 19, Wisconsin 18, Georgia 18, Oklahoma State 16, Arizona St 14, Creighton 12, North Carolina 9, Penn State 8, Indiana 7, Texas 3, St. Bonaventure 2.

USA TODAY COACHES POLL -- DEC. 16

Rk	School	W-L	Pts	LW
1	Tennessee (22)	10-0	765	1
2	Auburn (9)	9-1	744	2
3	Iowa State	9-1	708	3
4	Kentucky	10-1	664	5
5	Duke	8-2	638	6
6	Florida	10-0	610	7
7	Alabama	8-2	601	8
8	Kansas	8-2	518	10
9	Marquette	9-2	496	4
10	Oregon	10-1	454	12
11	Texas A&M	9-2	368	18
12	Houston	6-3	363	13
13	UConn	8-3	337	20
14	Gonzaga	7-3	328	9
15	Oklahoma	10-0	308	17
16	Ole Miss	9-1	282	15
17	Purdue	8-3	264	11
18	UCLA	9-1	263	21
19	Michigan State	8-2	178	19
20	Cincinnati	8-1	146	23
21	Michigan	8-2	113	14
22	Memphis	8-2	111	NR
23	San Diego State	7-2	110	24
24	Dayton	9-2	98	NR
25	Mississippi State	9-1	92	NR

Others: Clemson 87; Baylor 79; Illinois 50; St. John's 48; Drake 44; Utah State 40; Arkansas 31; Maryland 29; Georgia 23; Wisconsin 22; Pittsburgh 21; Missouri 18; North Carolina 9; West Virginia 5; Creighton 5; Texas Tech 3; Penn State 2.

WICHITA STATE'S TEAM SHEET -- DEC. 20

QUADRANT-1 0-1

Home vs. 1-30

Away vs. 1-75

Neutral vs. 1-50

Date	Opponent	NET	Result
Nov. 29	vs. Florida	6	L 51-88

QUADRANT-2 2-1

Home vs. 31-75

Away vs. 76-135

Neutral vs. 51-100

Date	Opponent	NET	Result
Nov. 4	at Western Kentucky	110	W 91-84
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	73	W 79-73
Dec. 14	at DePaul	82	L 72-91

QUADRANT-3 3-0

Home vs. 76-160

Away vs. 136-240

Neutral vs. 101-200

Date	Opponent	NET	Result
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	140	W 89-69
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota	172	W (OT) 68-66
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	117	W 96-87
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE	105	

QUADRANT-4 3-1

Home vs. 161+

Away vs. 241+

Neutral vs. 201+

Date	Opponent	NET	Result
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	303	W 70-66
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	203	W 88-63
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	349	W 78-54
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	269	L 64-74

AMERICAN PRESEASON POLL

Coaches Poll

1.	UAB (9)	141
2.	Memphis (4)	136
3.	South Florida	108
4.	Wichita State	102
5.	Florida Atlantic	97
6.	Temple	86
7.	North Texas	83
8.	Charlotte	65
9.	East Carolina	63
10.	Tulsa	44
11.	UTSA	35
	Tulane	35
13.	Rice	18

2024-25 AAC PRESEASON

FIRST TEAM *==unanimous

Yaxel Lendeberg*	Sr.	F	UAB
RJ Felton	Sr.	G	East Carolina
PJ Haggerty	So.	G	Memphis
Tyrese Hunter	Sr.	G	Memphis
Jamal Mashburn Jr.	Gr.	G	Temple

SECOND TEAM

Efrem "Butta" Johnson	Jr.	G	UAB
Alejandro Vasquez	Sr.	G	UAB
KyKy Tandy	Gr.	G	Florida Atlantic
Colby Rogers	R-Sr.	G	Memphis
Jayden Reid	So.	G	South Florida

PLAYER OF THE YEAR Yaxel Lendeberg, UAB

FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR Jared Harris, Memphis

2024-25 SHOCKER ACCOLADES

Harland Beverly (Sr. | G)

• ESPN Events Invitational All-Tournament Team

Justin Hill (5th | G)

• American Athletic Conference Weekly Honorable Mention (Nov. 11)

Corey Washington (Jr. | F)

• American Athletic Conference Weekly Honorable Mention (Nov. 25)

• American Athletic Conference Weekly Honorable Mention (Dec. 9)



Wichita State announced Paul Mills as its 27th head men's basketball coach on March 22, 2023 and formally introduced him the following day.

"My family and I are extremely excited about being a part of Wichita State University," Mills said. "The rich history, winning tradition and unbelievable community support will keep us working on behalf of the GREATEST fans in all of college basketball. We can't wait!"

A longtime Baylor assistant under Scott Drew, Mills took his first head coaching job at Oral Roberts and ran with it, transforming the Golden Eagles from Summit League bottom dwellers to undefeated champions over a six-year span (2017-23) with NCAA tournament bids in two of the last three years.

In 2021 Mills became just the second coach to guide a No. 15 seed to Sweet 16, upsetting Ohio State and Florida in the first two rebounds before losing a heartbreaker to Arkansas in the South Regional Semifinal.

Mills raised the bar again in 2023 when he led ORU to a 30-5 record and swept the Summit's regular season and tournament crowns. The Golden Eagles became just the second team in conference history to go 18-0 and their No. 12 seed in the Big Dance was the program's best in nearly four decades.

Mills was a finalist for the Jim Phelan National Coach of the Year award as well as the NABC's Skip Prosser Man of the Year honor, presented annually to a coach who achieves success on the basketball court and displays moral integrity off the floor."

Mills' teams are fast-paced, yet efficient, annually ranking among the NCAA leaders in tempo, scoring and three-point field goals while playing tough, gritty defense.

Over the years Mills has also demonstrated a knack for finding and developing talent. His greatest success story is 6-foot guard Max Abmas, an overlooked recruit, turned NBA prospect who scored more than 2,500 career points in Mills' system and was twice named Summit League Player of the Year.

Mills spent six seasons on the south side of Tulsa, Okla. rebuilding the program at Oral Roberts. He was 106-84, including 67-28 over the final three years.

ORU finished 30-5 during the 2022-23 season, including 21-0 against Summit League foes, becoming just the second team in conference history to run the table. The 12-seeded Eagles entered the NCAA tournament on a nation-best 17-game winning streak but fell to No. 5 Duke in the Round of 64.

Abmas earned Summit League Player of the Year for the second time and was a third team NABC All-American after ranking among the NCAA leaders in scoring (9th, 21.9 points), threes (6th, 3.50) and free throw percentage (5th, 91.9%).

Mills was named Summit League Coach of the Year for the first time after guiding ORU to its

first 30-win season at the Division I level. He was also a finalist for the NABC's Jim Phelan National Coach of the Year award, as well as the Hugh Durham Award (mid-major coach of the year) and the Skip Prosser Man of the Year honor, presented annually to a coach who achieves success on the basketball court and displays moral integrity off of it.

Mills and his 2020-21 team were an overnight sensation, four years in the making, bursting onto the national scene with a run to the NCAA Sweet 16.

With the foundation of Mills rebuild firmly in place, the Eagles played some of their best basketball down the stretch, winning the Summit League tournament as the No. 4 seed to secure the program's first NCAA tournament appearance since 2008.

Before making the trip to south Tulsa, Mills was at Baylor under Head Coach Scott Drew for 14 seasons -- six as a staffer (2003-09) and the last eight as assistant coach (2009-17) -- helping the Bears graduate 36 of 38 seniors.

From 2003-17 Baylor played in seven NCAA tournaments, including a pair of NCAA Elite Eights and four Sweet 16s. The Bears were nationally-ranked for 10 straight seasons and reached No. 1 in the polls for the first time since school history during Mills' final year (2016-17).

Mills was on the Rice staff from 2002-03 and, before that, was head coach at Fort Bend Christian Academy from 1998-2002. He led the school to its first-ever TAPPS 4A Final Four and was the South Region Coach of the Year and a four-time District Coach of the Year. Prior to his time in Sugar Land, Texas, Mills won three straight district championships as the head coach at North Belt Christian.

He is a 1996 graduate of Texas A&M with a degree in finance and completed a Master of Biblical and Theological Studies from Dallas Theological Seminary in the summer of 2020. He and his wife, Wendy Scott-Mills, have two daughters, Audrey and Abbey.

MILLS FILE

Season	School	Record	Conf.	Place	Postseason
2017-18	Oral Roberts	11-21	5-9	6th	
2018-19	Oral Roberts	11-21	7-9	6th	
2019-20	Oral Roberts	17-14	9-7	4th	CIT (Invited; Canceled due to COVID-19)
2020-21	Oral Roberts	18-11	10-5	4th	NCAA Sweet 16
2021-22	Oral Roberts	19-12	12-6	4th	
2022-23	Oral Roberts	30-5	18-0	1st	NCAA Round of 64
2023-24	Wichita State	15-19	5-13	12th	
2024-25	Wichita State	8-3	0-0		
TOTAL	8th Season	129-106	66-49	1 Title	2 NCAA Appearances

Coaching Experience:

2023-Present	Wichita State	Head Coach	
2017-23	Oral Roberts	Head Coach	
2009-17	Baylor	Assistant Coach	(Scott Drew)
2003-09	Baylor	Coordinator of Operations	(Scott Drew)
2002-03	Rice	Operations	(Willis Wilson)
1998-02	Fort Bend Baptist Academy	Head Coach	
1995-98	North Belt Christian Academy	Head Coach	

Coaching Accolades:

Summit League Coach of the Year (2023), Hugh Durham Award Finalist (2023), Jim Phelan Award Finalist (2023), Skip Prosser Man of the Year Finalist (2023).

NCAA Tournament Appearances: 2 -- 2021 (Sweet 16), 2023 (Round of 64)

Conference Titles: 1 -- 2023 (Summit League)

Education: Texas A&M ('96); Master's: Dallas Theological Seminary ('20)

Birthdate: April 4, 1972



KENTON PAULINO
Associate Head Coach



TJ CLEVELAND
Assistant Coach



QUINCY ACY
Assistant Coach



IAIN LAYMON
Assistant Coach



XAVIER HOLLAND
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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
4.6	0.6	44.7%	40.0%	100%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
IS	S	0	0	0

2024-25 (Senior):

Splashed in four three-pointers to finish with 14 points vs. Alcorn State (Dec. 4)... Recorded his first game in double figures, scoring 12 points in 17 minutes off the bench vs. Saint Louis (Nov. 22).

2023-24 (Junior / Lipscomb):

Started and played in all 32 games during the season... Averaged 13.2 PPG and 14.3 PPG in ASUN play... Seventh in the ASUN in 3-PT percentage (39.3%)... Top-10 in the ASUN in total 3-PT made per game... Shot 41.6% from three-point range in ASUN play... Had a career-high 26 points at Drake (11/8/23).

2022-23 (Sophomore / Lipscomb):

Competed in all 33 games and earned six starts this season for a total of 688 minutes on the court... Fourth on the team in total points for 231 total points at a 7.0 points per game clip... Sunk 81 field goals while landing 43 on target from deep for a .375 field goal percentage and a .366 3-point percentage... Went 16-for-24 from the free throw line for a .667 free throw percentage... Pulled down 69 total rebounds including 63 defensive rebounds... Recorded 37 assists, 14 steals, and three blocks over the course of the season... Logged 10 double-digit point performances with a season-high 16 points against Central Arkansas (2/9)... Put 5+ rebounds on the stat books three times with a season-high seven rebounds against Central Arkansas (2/9).

2021-22 (Freshman / Cincinnati):

Appeared in eight games, averaging 2.3 ppg, 0.5 rpg and 5.0 mpg... Also suffered an ankle injury in November and illness in January to miss other games... Had season-highs of seven points and 12 minutes in the Florida A&M win while making triples in four minutes of action against Evansville (season opener) and Alabama A&M a week later... Also played 11 minutes against Tennessee Tech, scoring five points.

2020-21 (Freshman / UNCG):

Averaged 6.1 points per game in helping lead UNCG to a Southern Conference regular season title, a tournament championship and a berth into the NCAA Tournament... One of three Spartans to make at least 40 3-pointers... He made a career best four 3-pointers in his collegiate debut against Duquesne, before adding four more in a road win over The Citadel... Scored in double figures seven times, including a career-high 14 points in 19 minutes on 4-of-6 shooting against The Citadel... Grabbed five of UNCG's school record 63 rebounds in a win over North Carolina A&T... Scored 13 points at Samford and against Duquesne... Had his only blocked shot of the season in a game against The Citadel on Jan. 18.

High School:

Averaged 22 points and 3.7 rebounds per game at Link Year Prep under head coach Adam Donyes... Was lethal from long range during his career, shooting 53 percent from three-point distance... During his senior year at James Clemens (Ala.) High School, the 6-foot-4 guard was named to the All-Area Team as he averaged 17.5 points, five rebounds and four assists per game.

MCGINNIS' CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	14 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Rebounds	2 2x, last: vs. Saint Louis	11/22/24
Field Goals	5 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
FG Attempts	9 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
3-Pointers	4 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
3-Pt Attempts	8 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Free Throws	3 NORTHERN IOWA	11/14/24
FT Attempts	3 NORTHERN IOWA	11/14/24
Assists	1 2x, last: vs. Saint Louis	11/22/24
Steals	1 2x, last: ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Blocks	1 2x, last: vs. Minnesota	11/28/24
Minutes	21 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	2	2
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	-
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	1	1
Leading Rebounder	-	-
Assist Leader	-	-

2024-25 | SENIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU		11:47	1-4	1-4	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE		19:34	0-3	0-2	0-0	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA		16:19	2-3	1-1	3-3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH		08:33	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis		17:03	4-6	2-4	2-2	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	1	12
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #		10:18	0-3	0-3	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #		10:05	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE		21:04	5-9	4-8	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	14
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST		08:33	2-3	2-3	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
Dec. 14	at DePaul		08:24	1-2	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY		15:44	2-3	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
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Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*														
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

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SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	UNCG	28-0	425/15.2	60-156	.385	41-122	.336	8-14	.571	4	30	34	1.2	28-0	13	17	1	12	169	6.0
2021-22	UC	8-0	40/5.0	7-22	.318	4-17	.235	0-0	.000	0	4	4	0.5	3-0	1	3	0	1	18	2.3
2022-23	Lips	33-6	689/20.9	81-216	.375	53-145	.366	16-24	.667	6	63	69	2.1	51-0	37	34	3	14	231	7.0
2023-24	Lips	32-32	958/29.9	152-330	.461	77-194	.397	40-48	.833	11	61	72	2.3	52-0	28	42	5	15	421	13.2
2024-25	WSU	11-0	147/13.4	17-38	.447	12-30	.400	5-5	1.000	2	5	7	0.6	6-0	2	2	2	2	51	4.6
TOTAL FOR WSU		11-0	147/13.4	17-38	.447	12-30	.400	5-5	1.000	2	5	7	0.6	6-0	2	2	2	2	51	4.6
TOTAL		112-38	2259/20.2	317-762	.416	187-508	.368	69-91	.758	23	163	186	1.7	140-0	81	98	11	44	890	7.9



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
11.4	2.9	42.9%	30.8%	82.5%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	BLK
32	21	5	0	2

Individual Honors/Accolades:

Myrtle Beach Invitational All-Tournament Team (2023-24)

Summary:

- » Wichita native and Andover Central product returns after two seasons at Drexel.
- » Son of former Shocker football player Wayne Bell.
- » Named after his father's former WSU classmate, Xavier McDaniel.
- » The third former Kansas Mr. Basketball to play for WSU (Gaylon Nickerson, 1988 & Ryan Herrs, 1992).

2024-25 (Senior):

Scored his 1,000th career point vs. Kansas City on Dec. 17... Game and season-high 21 points vs. Kansas City on 9-of-15 shooting... Second straight game in double figures after scoring a team-high tying 14 points at DePaul (Dec. 14)... Added 13 points and 5 rebounds in a win vs. ETSU (Dec. 7)... Perfect 8-for-8 at the free throw line, finishing with 12 points, 5 rebounds and a career-high tying 4 steals... Scored 17 points on a career-high tying three 3-pointers at WKU (Nov. 4).

2023-24 (Junior):

Scored all 14 of his points in the second half vs. UAB in the AAC quarterfinals (Mar. 15)... Dished out a career-high 6 assists vs. Rice (Mar. 13) in the first round of the AAC Championship... Chipped in 12 points, 4 rebounds, 2 assists and 2 steals in a road win at UAB (Feb. 28)... Scored 13 of his game-high 17 points after halftime vs. Temple (Feb. 25)... Career high four steals vs. Tulsa (Feb. 21)... Team-high 16 points at Charlotte (Feb. 18)... Poured in a career-high 25 points vs. #20 Florida Atlantic on 10-of-18 shooting... Tied a season high with 3 steals at Memphis (Feb. 3)... Finished with 10 points and 4 rebounds at Tulsa (Jan. 31)... Dished out a season-high tying 5 assists to go with 9 points in a win over SMU (Jan. 28)... Came in off the bench and finished with 14 points and 8 rebounds at USF (Jan. 21)... Dropped 20 points in a thrilling win over SIU (Dec. 16)... Scored 17 points on 6-of-9 shooting vs. Richmond (Nov. 29)... AAC Weekly Honor Roll on Nov. 20... Named to the Myrtle Beach Invitational All-Tournament Team... Finished the Myrtle Beach Invitational with 14 points vs. Saint Louis... Second straight game with a career high, dropping 24 points vs. Liberty (Nov. 17)... Poured in 20 points, 7 rebounds, 5 assists and 3 steals on Coastal Carolina (Nov. 16) in the Myrtle Beach Invitational opener... Set a then career high with 15 points on 7-of-8 shooting vs. Friends (Nov. 12)... Tied a then career high with 14 points vs. WKU (Nov. 9) and set career highs in free throws made (8) and attempted (10)... Dished out a career-high five assists in the season opener vs. Lipscomb (Nov. 6) to go with 12 points.

2022-23 (Sophomore):

Shooting guard saw time in 31 games and logged nine starts in his first season as a Shocker... Averaged 4.0 points in 14.6 minutes... Shot 50% from inside the arc (35/70) and 75% from the free throw line (15/20)... Made just 22.8% of his threes (13/57) but regained his stroke over the final month of the season, connecting on 6-of-12 in the last 10 games... Scored in double-figures four times, including a season-high 14 in a Hall of Fame Classic semifinal win over Grand Canyon in Kansas City (Nov. 21)... Scored 12 points in 19 minutes during an overtime game against Missouri (Nov. 29)... Scored all 10 of his points in the second half to help the Shockers erase a 14-point halftime deficit against Tulsa (Nov. 14)... Made both of his three-point attempts and was 3-of-3 from the field in an eight-point performance at No. 1-ranked Houston (Mar. 2)... Closed out the regular season with 11 points on 2-of-3 three-point shooting in a win over South Florida (Mar. 5).

At Drexel (2020-22):

Played two seasons at Drexel University in Philadelphia and helped the Dragons to a 2021 NCAA tournament appearance... Was the team's second-leading scorer in 2021-22, averaging 11.0 points in 26.1 minutes while starting 25 of the 28 games... Shot over 49% from the field... Career 37.5% three-point shooter, knocked down 20-of-47 attempts (.426) against conference foes in 2022... Posted 20 double-figure scoring games as a Dragon, highlighted by a career-high 30-point performance against Hofstra on Jan. 17, 2022 in which he made 13-of-17 field goal attempts... Was voted the program's "Most Improved Player" as a true freshman in 2020-21, after sparking the Dragons to the CAA tournament title as a No. 6 seed.

High School:

Two-sport standout at Andover Central High was first team all-state in both football and basketball as a senior in 2019-20... Named "Mr. Basketball" by the Kansas Basketball Coaches Association and "Kansas Player of the Year" by MaxPreps... Tallied 1,710 career points for the Jaguars and led them to the 2019 Class 5A state title as a junior... Logged another state tournament trip as a senior when he averaged 24.6 points, 7.3 rebounds and 2.3 assists along with first team All-Class 5A status... Named Top-33 in Kansas by the Topeka Capital Journal, All-Metro Top-11 by the Wichita Eagle and AVCTL-II Offensive Player of the Year.

Personal:

Son of Wayne Bell and Stephanie Mitchell... Youngest of six children... Studying Business Administration at WSU.

BELL'S CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	25 #20 FLORIDA ATLANTIC	2/11/24
Rebounds	9 vs. Liberty	11/17/23
Field Goals	10 #20 FLORIDA ATLANTIC	2/11/24
FG Attempts	18 #20 FLORIDA ATLANTIC	2/11/24
3-Pointers	3 2x, last: at WKU	11/4/24
3-Pt Attempts	7 at WKU	11/4/24
Free Throws	8 3x, last: MONMOUTH	11/18/24
FT Attempts	10 2x, last: vs. Liberty	11/17/23
Assists	6 vs. Rice	3/13/24
Steals	4 2x, last: MONMOUTH	11/18/24
Blocks	2 2x, last: KANSAS CITY	12/17/24
Minutes	41 #20 FLORIDA ATLANTIC	11/25/23

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	7	31
20+ Points	1	5
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	-
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	2	10
Leading Rebounder	-	4
Assist Leader	-	9

2024-25 | SENIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU		21:11	6-14	3-7	2-2	0	2	2	4	2	0	0	2	17
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE		15:09	3-8	0-0	2-2	0	3	3	4	0	0	0	1	8
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA		23:37	1-6	0-3	6-8	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	8
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH		29:02	2-6	0-0	8-8	1	4	5	4	2	0	0	4	12
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis		17:51	2-7	0-2	1-2	0	2	2	4	2	0	0	2	5
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #		34:05	5-12	1-2	0-0	1	1	2	2	0	2	0	1	11
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #		25:08	3-10	2-5	2-2	0	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	10
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE		16:42	3-7	0-3	0-0	1	3	4	2	3	0	2	0	6
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST		22:50	4-6	2-2	3-3	1	4	5	3	1	3	0	1	13
Dec. 14	at DePaul		29:42	4-7	0-1	6-8	0	1	1	3	1	2	0	1	14
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY		32:52	9-15	0-1	3-5	0	5	5	3	0	1	2	1	21
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
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Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

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SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	Drexel	20-7	231/11.5	30-70	.429	11-26	.423	9-12	.750	4	11	15	0.8	20-0	20	14	1	5	80	4.0
2021-22	Drexel	28-25	727/26.0	126-256	.492	25-70	.357	31-41	.756	11	27	38	1.4	62-0	45	40	3	11	308	11.0
2022-23	WSU	31-9	451/14.6	48-127	.378	13-57	.228	15-20	.750	5	24	29	0.9	28-0	18	19	2	8	124	4.0
2023-24	WSU	34-16	1028/30.2	151-346	.436	18-62	.290	63-86	.733	14	94	108	3.2	71-0	83	81	6	36	383	11.3
2024-25	WSU	11-0	268/24.4	42-98	.429	8-26	.308	33-40	.825	4	28	32	2.9	30-0	13	11	4	13	125	11.4
TOTAL FOR WSU		76-25	1747/23.0	241-571	.422	39-145	.269	111-146	.760	23	146	169	2.2	129-0	114	111	12	57	632	8.3
TOTAL		124-57	2705/21.8	397-897	.443	75-241	.311	151-199	.759	38	184	222	1.8	211-0	179	165	16	73	1020	8.2



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
2.5	1.3	42.9%	0.0%	44.4%

LAST GAME vs. Alcorn State (12.4.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
11	1	2	3	0

2024-25 (Freshman):

Scored eight points and dished out two assists in just 9:43 vs. No. 18 Florida (Nov. 29) in the ESPN Events Invitational Championship game... Made his collegiate debut on Nov. 9 vs. Montana State, recording an assist.

High School:

A 6-foot-1 combo guard from Houston, Texas, Pipkin was rated a 3-star recruit by 247Sports and the 10th-rated player in the state of Texas (No. 148 overall)... Pipkin closed his prep career playing for former Shocker P.J. Couisnard at the Legacy School of Sport Sciences in the Houston area... He committed to the Shockers over programs Colorado, Houston, TCU and others... Pipkin is a tough-minded lead guard and is an elite disruptor on defense... He has a strong build to guard with physicality and take contact initiated through penetration to the chest... Offensively, he is a threat as a three-level scorer, great at negotiating ball screens to make the right basketball play... With his length, budding skill, and instincts as a decision maker, Pipkin's game oozes with two-way upside.

Personal:

He is the son of Myra, and has eight brothers and sisters: Kayla, Kenya, Kuppido, Justin, Christian, Jaylon, Derrick and Michael.

Paul Mills on Pipkin:

"Zion was a player we targeted early in this process due to his competitiveness, play-making and scoring. He is a complete package at the guard position. He can defend the entire court and he has the playmaking ability to score on any matchup he is faced with during the course of the game. Shocker fans will love all that Zion brings to the court and his teammates will love the value he provides on both sides of the ball. Please join me in welcoming Zion to Wichita State."

PIPKIN'S CAREER HIGHS

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	8 vs. Florida	11/29/24
Rebounds	2 2x, last: ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Field Goals	3 vs. Florida	11/29/24
FG Attempts	4 vs. Florida	11/29/24
3-Pointers	-	-
3-Pt Attempts	1 3x, last: ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Free Throws	2 vs. Florida	11/29/24
FT Attempts	5 vs. Florida	11/29/24
Assists	3 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Steals	1 vs. Florida	11/29/24
Blocks	-	-
Minutes	11 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	-	-
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	-
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	-	-
Leading Rebounder	-	-
Assist Leader	-	-

2024-25 | FRESHMAN

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	DNP													
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	02:28		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	DNP													
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	DNP													
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	03:21		0-1	0-1	1-2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	DNP													
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	09:43		3-4	0-1	2-5	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	1	8
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	11:42		0-2	0-1	1-2	0	2	2	2	3	0	0	0	1
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	DNP													
Dec. 14	at DePaul	DNP													
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	DNP													
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
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Jan. 26	at Tulsa*														
Jan. 29	NORTH TEXAS*														
Feb. 4	at Charlotte*														
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Feb. 12	UTSA*														
Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*														
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2024-25	WSU	4-0	27/6.8	3-7	.429	0-3	.000	4-9	.444	0	5	5	1.3	2-0	6	0	0	1	10	2.5
TOTAL		4-0	27/6.8	3-7	.429	0-3	.000	4-9	.444	0	5	5	1.3	2-0	6	0	0	1	10	2.5



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
7.3	5.3	36.8%	30.0%	57.1%

LAST GAME vs. Monmouth (11.18.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
9	0	1	0	0

2024-25 (Senior):

Expected to miss several weeks with a broken hand suffered vs. Monmouth on Nov. 18... Team-high 7 rebounds to go with 9 points vs. UNI (Nov. 14)... 11 points, 6 rebounds and 4-4 from the free throw line vs. Montana State (Nov. 9)... Totaled 9 points and 7 rebounds at WKU (Nov. 4), while setting career highs at the free throw line (6-for-12).

2023-24 (Junior):

Saved his best game as a Shocker for the first round of the American Championship vs. Rice (March 13), finishing with 15 points, 8 rebounds and 4 assists... Set new season highs at Memphis (Feb. 3) with 12 points and 7 rebounds in 28 minutes off the bench... Scored all 11 of his points in the second half to help Wichita State snap an 8-game losing streak in a win over SMU (Jan. 28)... Finished with 9 points and a 4 steals at Temple (Jan. 7)... Swiped three steals to go with six rebounds vs. K-State (Dec. 21)... Made his Wichita State debut on Dec. 16 vs. Southern Illinois and finished with two points and four rebounds, all offensive... Sat out the first semester due to NCAA transfer rules.

2022-23 (Junior / Missouri):

Appeared in 17 games, making eight starts... Averaged 2.1 points and 1.8 rebounds on 42.9 percent shooting... Made 80 percent of his free throw attempts... Scored a season-high 10 points vs. Illinois on Dec. 22.

2021-22 (Sophomore / Missouri):

One of two Mizzou players to appear in all 33 games last season... Made four starts, as one of the Tigers' top players off the bench... Averaged 8.3 points and 4.6 rebounds per game on 44.7 percent field goal shooting... Shot above 60 percent in nine different games... Ranked 14th in the SEC with 1.97 offensive rebounds per game... Was the first Missouri Tiger to score a double-double in his debut since 2018, recording 13 points, 12 rebounds and three blocks against Central Michigan (11/9)... Scored in double-figures in his first four games at Mizzou, topped by 18 against SMU (11/21)... Totaled 12 games with 10 or more points and led the Tigers in scoring three times.

2020-21 (Freshman / UMass):

Had a standout season for the Minutemen in 2020-21, starting 14 of 15 games as a freshman while playing 27.4 minutes per game... Averaged 8.7 points and 4.6 rebounds while shooting 54.3 percent from the field and 37 percent from beyond the arc.

High School:

Played two seasons of prep school hoops at Woodstock Academy in Woodstock, Conn. ... At Woodstock, played on a team that went 36-2 and earned the top seed at the National Prep Championship... A three-star recruit and the No. 8 player overall in the state of Colorado out of high school.

Personal:

Father, Ronnie DeGray II, played college basketball at the University of Colorado before signing professionally overseas.

DEGRAY'S CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	15 vs. Rice	3/13/24
Rebounds	8 vs. Rice	3/13/24
Field Goals	6 vs. Rice	3/13/24
FG Attempts	11 vs. Rice	3/13/24
3-Pointers	3 vs. Rice	3/13/24
3-Pt Attempts	5 vs. Rice	3/13/24
Free Throws	6 at WKU	11/4/24
FT Attempts	12 at WKU	11/4/24
Assists	4 vs. Rice	3/13/24
Steals	4 at Temple	1/7/24
Blocks	2 3x, last: at WKU	11/4/24
Minutes	35 TEMPLE	2/25/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	1	3
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	-
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	-	-
Leading Rebounder	2	4
Assist Leader	-	-

2024-25 | SENIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU		27:01	1-3	1-2	6-12	3	4	7	4	1	2	2	2	9
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE		21:25	3-6	1-2	4-4	3	3	6	2	0	0	1	0	11
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA		24:57	3-8	1-4	2-3	4	3	7	3	0	1	0	1	9
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH		08:54	0-2	0-2	0-2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis		DNP												
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #		DNP												
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #		DNP												
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE		DNP												
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST		DNP												
Dec. 14	at DePaul		DNP												
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Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring						
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2020-21	UMass	15-14	409/27.3	51-94	.543	10-27	.370	19-31	.613	20	49	69	4.6	35-2	21	22	4	5	131	8.7
2021-22	MO	33-4	837/25.4	93-208	.447	23-81	.284	64-84	.762	65	86	151	4.6	76-0	33	37	22	29	273	8.3
2022-23	MO	17-8	166/9.8	12-28	.429	3-11	.273	8-10	.800	15	15	30	1.8	17-0	4	4	7	8	35	2.1
2023-24	WSU	24-0	509/21.2	49-108	.454	12-37	.324	28-42	.667	42	43	85	3.5	54-1	14	20	7	20	138	5.8
2024-25	WSU	4-0	82/20.6	7-19	.368	3-10	.300	12-21	.571	11	10	21	5.3	9-0	1	3	3	3	29	7.3
TOTAL FOR WSU		28-0	592/21.1	56-127	.441	15-47	.319	40-63	.635	53	53	106	3.8	63-1	15	23	10	23	167	6.0
TOTAL		93-26	2004/21.6	212-457	.464	51-166	.307	131-188	.697	153	203	356	3.8	191-3	73	86	43	65	606	6.5



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
12.2	6.6	40.4%	37.9%	69.6%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
29	8	7	2	3

2024-25 (Junior):

Named American Weekly Honorable Mention for second time (Dec. 9)... First double-double with 17 points and a career-high 13 rebounds vs. ETSU (Dec. 7)... Bounced back from an off game vs. Florida to finish with 10 points and 7 rebounds vs. Alcorn State (Dec. 4)... Scored 13 points and grabbed 7 rebounds before fouling out vs. Minnesota (Nov. 28), while also holding Minnesota's leading scorer to just 1-of-7 from the field... Named American Weekly Honorable Mention on Nov. 25... Poured in 10 of his 13 points vs. Saint Louis (Nov. 22) in the second half to go with a team-high 8 rebounds... Game-high 20 points and 8 rebounds to lead a comeback win over Monmouth (Nov. 18)... Scored all 19 of his team-high 19 points in the second half vs. Northern Iowa (Nov. 14)... First game in double figures as a Shocker, tallying 14 points vs. Montana State (Nov. 9)... Finished with 6 points, 5 rebounds and 2 blocks in his Wichita State debut at WKU (Nov. 4).

2022-24 (Saint Peters):

In his two years at Saint Peter's he appeared in 54 total games, making 47 starts. As a freshman he earned All-MAAC Rookie Team honors after averaging 6.8 points and 4.9 rebounds per game... This past season his numbers increased in every category, including 15.9 points and 6.3 rebounds per game on 45.5 percent shooting and 30.8 percent from three-point range, earning All-MAAC First Team honors... He didn't attempt a single three-pointer as a freshman, but made a big jump as a sophomore going 24-for-78... He scored 24 points with nine rebounds and four blocks in the MAAC tournament championship game, earning tournament MVP honors... Washington had 10 games of 20 or more points, including a career-high 29 points vs. Siena on Feb. 16... After his career night vs. Siena, he was named the MAAC Player of the Week... He recorded four double-doubles and started all but three games in 2023-24... Washington was also named to the All-Met Second Team by the Metropolitan Basketball Writers Association.

Paul Mills on Washington:

"I'm ecstatic to have Corey as a member of Shocker basketball. He is a dynamic player who can defend multiple positions, rebound at a high rate and play in a manner where he is ultra aggressive in transition and in the half court. Corey has met every challenge in front of him as a collegiate player and thrived. He led a good Saint Peter's team to the NCAA Tournament this past season and I'm confident he will be a valuable addition to do the same thing for the Shockers moving forward."

WASHINGTON'S CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	20 MONMOUTH	11/18/24
Rebounds	13 ETSU	12/7/24
Field Goals	7 MONMOUTH	11/18/24
FG Attempts	15 MONMOUTH	11/18/24
3-Pointers	3 ETSU	12/7/24
3-Pt Attempts	5 ETSU	12/7/24
Free Throws	7 vs. Saint Louis	11/22/24
FT Attempts	9 2x, last: KANSAS CITY	12/17/24
Assists	2 2x, last: KANSAS CITY	12/17/24
Steals	3 KANSAS CITY	12/17/24
Blocks	2 2x, last: at DePaul	12/14/24
Minutes	34 at DePaul	12/14/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	7	7
20+ Points	1	1
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	1	1
Dunks	8	8
P-R Double-Doubles	1	1
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	2	2
Leading Rebounder	5	5
Assist Leader	-	-

2024-25 | JUNIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	*	13:40	2-4	0-0	2-2	1	4	5	2	0	3	2	0	6
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	*	19:56	5-7	1-2	3-4	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	14
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	*	23:37	6-13	2-2	5-6	3	3	6	3	1	2	0	0	19
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	*	31:08	7-15	2-4	4-8	3	5	8	4	0	5	1	1	20
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	*	28:49	3-9	0-3	7-9	2	6	8	1	0	1	1	1	13
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	*	29:18	5-11	0-1	3-4	4	3	7	5	0	2	0	1	13
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	*	17:07	2-9	1-3	0-0	1	2	3	2	0	0	1	0	5
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	*	22:01	2-5	0-2	6-6	2	5	7	3	2	2	1	0	10
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	*	31:14	6-11	3-5	2-4	2	11	13	3	0	1	1	1	17
Dec. 14	at DePaul	*	34:46	2-6	2-3	3-4	2	6	8	1	1	3	2	0	9
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	*	29:20	2-14	0-4	4-9	6	1	7	5	2	0	1	3	8
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
Jan. 23	at Memphis*														
Jan. 26	at Tulsa*														
Jan. 29	NORTH TEXAS*														
Feb. 4	at Charlotte*														
Feb. 9	at South Florida*														
Feb. 12	UTSA*														
Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*														
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds								Scoring		
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2022-23	SP	28-24	566/20.2	77-109	.706	0-0	.000	36-60	.600	57	81	138	4.9	81-4	8	26	26	17	190	6.8
2023-24	SP	26-23	736/28.3	137-301	.455	24-78	.308	116-150	.773	51	114	165	6.3	71-1	13	29	20	32	414	15.9
2024-25	WSU	11-11	281/25.5	42-104	.404	11-29	.379	39-56	.696	26	47	73	6.6	29-2	6	20	11	7	134	12.2
TOTAL FOR WSU		11-11	281/25.5	42-104	.404	11-29	.379	39-56	.696	26	47	73	6.6	29-2	6	20	11	7	134	12.2
TOTAL		65-58	1583/24.4	256-514	.498	35-107	.327	191-266	.718	134	242	376	5.8	181-7	27	75	57	56	738	11.4



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
0.5	0.8	50.0%	0.0%	-

LAST GAME vs. Alcorn State (12.4.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	BLK	STL
3	2	2	0	0

2024-25 (R-Freshman):

Scored his first career points vs. Alcorn State on Dec. 4... Made his collegiate debut vs. Montana State on Nov. 9.

2023-24 (Freshman):

Redshirted as a true freshman.

High School:

A 6-foot-6 combo guard... Bamba earned second team all-conference honors as a senior after averaging 13.5 points, 5.4 rebounds, 3.7 assists and 1.8 steals per game... He helped lead Jean de Brebeuf to an 18-4 record and a third place finish in the RSEQ Provincial Championship.

Personal:

He is the son of Amara and Christelle Bamba, and has one brother, Malik... He plans to major in business at Wichita State.

BAMBA'S CAREER HIGHS

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	2 ALCON STATE	12/4/24
Rebounds	2 ALCON STATE	12/4/24
Field Goals	1 ALCON STATE	12/4/24
FG Attempts	2 ALCON STATE	12/4/24
3-Pointers	-	-
3-Pt Attempts	1 ALCON STATE	12/4/24
Free Throws	-	-
FT Attempts	-	-
Assists	-	-
Steals	-	-
Blocks	-	-
Minutes	5 vs. Florida	11/29/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	-	-
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	-
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	-	-
Leading Rebounder	-	-
Assist Leader	-	-

2023-24 | REDSHIRT FRESHMAN

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	DNP													
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	01:59		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	DNP													
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	DNP													
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	01:26		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	DNP													
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	05:37		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec. 4	ALCON STATE	03:03		1-2	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	2
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	DNP													
Dec. 14	at DePaul	DNP													
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	DNP													
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
Jan. 23	at Memphis*														
Jan. 26	at Tulsa*														
Jan. 29	NORTH TEXAS*														
Feb. 4	at Charlotte*														
Feb. 9	at South Florida*														
Feb. 12	UTSA*														
Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*														
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2024-25	WSU	4-0	12/3.0	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	0.8	1-0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5
TOTAL		4-0	12/3.0	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	0.8	1-0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
14.1	3.6	39.2%	27.5%	76.8%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
33	12	1	2	1

2024-25 (Senior):

Tallied consecutive 12-point games on 4-of-10 shooting at DePaul (Dec. 14) and vs. Kansas City (Dec. 17)... Second 20-point game of the season came vs. ETSU (Dec. 7) when he finished with a team-high 20 points... Fifth straight game in double figures to start the season following a 17-point outing vs. Saint Louis (Nov. 22)... Back-to-back 11-point games vs. Northern Iowa (Nov. 14) and Monmouth (Nov. 18)... Named to the American Athletic Conference Weekly Honorable Mention on Nov. 11... His 48 points through the first two games were the most by a Shocker since 1999... Wrapped up opening week with a 17-point, 5-rebound, 5-assist night vs. Montana State (Nov. 9)... Dropped 31 points on WKU (Nov. 4) in the season opener, while also leading the team in rebounds (8) and assists (6).

2022-24 (Georgia):

Hill started appeared in 37 games, making three starts for Georgia in 2023-24 and posted 9.5 points and 3.2 assists per game on 37.9 percent shooting... He had 17 games of 10 or more points, including a season-high 21 vs. Wake Forest in the second round of the NIT... Hill helped lead the Bulldogs the NIT Semifinals before falling to the eventual champions, Seton Hall... As a junior he averaged 8.6 points and 2.7 assists in all 32 games... He's scored more than 1,000 career points after averaging 12.7 per game in two seasons at Longwood... Hill was named to the All-Big South First Team in 2022 and the Big South All-Freshman Team in 2021.

2020-22 (Longwood):

Logged action in 58 games over two seasons, averaging 12.7 points, 4.5 rebounds, 3.7 assists and 1.2 steals... Tallied 738 points, 262 boards, 214 assists and 71 steals for the Lancers... Produced career highs of 29 points, 10 rebounds (twice), 11 assists, four steals (twice) and 41 minutes... Posted 36 double-figure scoring outputs, including eight 20-point performances... Notched a pair of double-digit rebound counts – resulting in one double-double – and one double-figure assist output... Earned Big South accolades during both seasons, securing a spot of the All-Freshman team in 2021 and following that with first-team All-Big South honors in 2022... Twice tabbed Big South Player of the Week as a sophomore after securing Freshman of the Week accolades three times.

High School:

Coached by Craig Brownson at Fort Bend Travis High School... Tabbed as the state's No. 21 prospect by the Texas Basketball Review and a finalist for the 2020 Guy Lewis Award as the Greater Houston Area Boys Player of the Year... Tabbed 6A All-State by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches (TABC) as a senior... A three-time all-district selection and the 2020 District 20-6A Player of the Year... As a senior, averaged 24.0 points, 7.0 boards, 4.0 assists and 3.0 steals per game for Fort Bend Travis, which finished 31-7, claimed the district title and won two playoff games before the season was cancelled... Helped Fort Bend Travis go 20-14 as a junior and 20-13 and reach the second round of the 6A state playoffs as a sophomore.

Personal:

Born October 19, 2001, Justin is the son of Keith and Donna Hill.. Both of Justin's parents were standout college basketball players.

HILL'S CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	31 at WKU	11/4/24
Rebounds	8 at WKU	11/4/24
Field Goals	9 at WKU	11/4/24
FG Attempts	15 ETSU	12/7/24
3-Pointers	4 at WKU	11/4/24
3-Pt Attempts	7 at WKU	11/4/24
Free Throws	9 at WKU	11/4/24
FT Attempts	11 at WKU	11/4/24
Assists	6 at WKU	11/4/24
Steals	3 2x, last: NORTHERN IOWA	11/14/24
Blocks	1 ETSU	12/7/24
Minutes	34 MONMOUTH	11/18/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	9	9
20+ Points	2	2
30+ Points	1	1
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	-
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	4	4
Leading Rebounder	2	2
Assist Leader	5	5

2024-25 | SENIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	*	32:46	9-14	4-7	9-11	0	8	8	2	6	2	0	3	31
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	*	28:29	5-11	1-5	6-8	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	1	17
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	*	33:29	4-11	1-2	2-2	1	3	4	0	4	1	0	3	11
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	*	34:06	4-12	0-4	3-6	0	5	5	1	5	1	0	1	11
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	*	26:33	5-16	1-6	6-6	0	2	2	2	4	2	0	1	17
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	*	33:52	3-10	2-5	3-4	0	5	5	4	2	3	0	0	11
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	*	24:06	2-12	0-4	0-0	0	4	4	1	2	0	0	1	4
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	*	23:05	2-4	1-3	4-4	0	2	2	1	1	1	0	1	9
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	*	33:06	7-15	1-5	5-6	1	1	2	0	3	2	1	1	20
Dec. 14	at DePaul	*	32:06	4-10	1-5	3-5	0	2	2	2	2	4	0	0	12
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	*	33:19	4-10	2-5	2-4	0	1	1	3	2	3	0	1	12
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
Jan. 23	at Memphis*														
Jan. 26	at Tulsa*														
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Feb. 4	at Charlotte*														
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Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*														
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring				
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL
2020-21	LWU	27-10	720/26.7	108-251	.430	24-73	.329	58-80	.725	13	100	113	4.2	42-0	83	64	1	23
2021-22	LWU	31-30	963/31.1	148-355	.417	34-101	.337	110-138	.797	24	125	149	4.8	44-0	131	82	4	48
2022-23	UG	32-10	713/22.3	79-208	.380	22-74	.297	96-121	.793	16	69	85	2.7	37-0	93	62	3	22
2023-24	UG	37-3	887/24.0	116-306	.379	39-117	.333	82-117	.701	6	58	64	1.7	34-0	118	55	0	19
2024-25	WSU	11-11	335/30.5	49-125	.392	14-51	.275	43-56	.768	2	38	40	3.6	16-0	36	19	1	13
TOTAL FOR WSU		11-11	335/30.5	49-125	.392	14-51	.275	43-56	.768	2	38	40	3.6	16-0	36	19	1	13
TOTAL		138-64	3618/26.2	500-1245	.402	133-416	.320	389-512	.760	61	390	451	3.3	173-0	461	282	9	125



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
1.9	2.6	41.2%	20.0%	50.0%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
3	0	0	0	0

2024-25 (Sophomore):

Provided key minutes off the bench in a win vs. Saint Louis (Nov. 22), finishing with 6 points, 5 rebounds and 2 steals in 12 minutes.

2023-24 (Freshman):

Had a breakout game vs. Saint Louis, tallying 7 points, 5 rebounds and 4 steals in 25 minutes... His 4 steals tied the Wichita State freshman record... Scored his first career points vs. Friends (Nov. 12), finishing with 8 points and 9 rebounds in 11 minutes... Made his collegiate debut in the season opener vs. Lipscomb (Nov. 6).

NBA Academy Africa:

Ighovodja, who began playing competitive basketball just four years ago at age 14, has the physical tools to be a force in college basketball with a wingspan measured at 6-foot-10 and a 39-inch vertical... Ighovodja was one of the 12 original prospects selected for BAL Elevate's 2022 launch, competing last spring with REG (Rwanda), and is in the midst of a second go-around (March-May, 2023) with Côte d'Ivoire's ABC Fighters... In July, 2022, Ighovodja helped NBA Academy Africa to a first-place finish at the annual NBA Academy Games -- a series of exhibitions featuring top prospects from outside the U.S. Teams from each of the four NBA academies in Australia, India, Mexico and Senegal compete against each other and other elite select teams under the watchful eyes of NCAA coaches and NBA scouts... Ighovodja has also been involved with the Nigerian Basketball Federation... In the summer of 2019, he helped his home country to a bronze medal at the FIBA U16 African Championship, averaging 8.3 points and 7.7 rebounds in seven tournament games.

IGHODVODJA'S CAREER HIGHS

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	8 FRIENDS	11/12/23
Rebounds	9 FRIENDS	11/12/23
Field Goals	3 FRIENDS	11/12/23
FG Attempts	9 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
3-Pointers	1 3x, last: vs. Florida	11/29/24
3-Pt Attempts	4 vs. Saint Louis	11/19/23
Free Throws	2 3x, last: vs. Saint Louis	11/22/24
FT Attempts	2 5x, last: vs. Florida	11/29/24
Assists	1 vs. Saint Louis	11/19/23
Steals	4 vs. Saint Louis	11/19/23
Blocks	-	
Minutes	25 vs. Saint Louis	11/19/23

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	-	-
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	1
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	-	-
Leading Rebounder	1	1
Assist Leader	-	-

2023-24 | FRESHMAN

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	DNP													
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	02:28		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	DNP													
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	07:25		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	12:37		2-3	0-1	2-2	2	3	5	2	0	0	0	2	6
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	05:42		0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	0
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	09:43		1-2	1-1	0-2	1	3	4	2	0	0	0	0	3
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	17:59		2-9	0-3	0-0	2	6	8	2	0	1	0	2	4
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	07:01		1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	2
Dec. 14	at DePaul	02:40		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	03:13		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
Jan. 23	at Memphis*														
Jan. 26	at Tulsa*														
Jan. 29	NORTH TEXAS*														
Feb. 4	at Charlotte*														
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Mar. 9	TULSA*														

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2023-24	WSU	13-0	59/4.5	6-16	.375	2-9	.222	5-6	.833	1	16	17	1.3	7-0	2	3	0	5	19	1.5
2024-25	WSU	9-0	69/7.6	7-17	.412	1-5	.200	2-4	.500	6	17	23	2.6	11-0	1	2	0	4	17	1.9
TOTAL		22-0	128/5.8	13-33	.394	3-14	.214	7-10	.700	7	33	40	1.8	18-0	3	5	0	9	36	1.6



IS QUINCY BALLARD

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2024-25 (Senior): Recorded his second game with 10 or more rebounds vs. Kansas City (Dec. 17), finishing with a game-high 11... First double-double of the season came against Alcorn State (Dec. 4) behind 14 points and a career-high 14 rebounds... Returned to the lineup vs. Saint Louis (Nov. 22) and finished with 8 points and 7 rebounds in 16 minutes... Missed the Monmouth game with a sprained ankle... Tallied 13 points, 6 rebounds and 4 blocks in the home opener vs. Montana State (Nov. 9).

2023-24 (Junior): Season-high 12 rebounds in the AAC quarterfinals vs. UAB (March 15)... Was a perfect 5-for-5 with 10 points and 6 rebounds vs. Rice in the first round of the AAC Championship... Recorded his second double-double at Tulane (Mar. 8) with 13 points and a career-high 11 rebounds... Scored 11 points behind four dunks at Charlotte (Feb. 18)... Finished with 11 points, 6 rebounds and 3 blocks vs. UTSA (Feb. 7)... Tied a career high with seven blocks vs. East Carolina (Jan. 24)... Set career highs in points (18), field goals made (8) and field goal attempts (10) at #23 Florida Atlantic (Jan. 18)... Added 11 points and 7 rebounds vs. North Texas (Jan. 4)... Second straight game in double figures with 10 points vs. #2 Kansas (Dec. 30)... Tied a then career high with 13 points vs. K-State (Dec. 21) to go with 7 rebounds... Scored 10 points and grabbed eight boards vs. Richmond (Nov. 29)... Registered a career-high seven blocks to go with 13 points vs. Norfolk State (Nov. 25)... Grabbed 10 rebounds for the third straight game and swatted three shots vs. Friends (Nov. 12)... Blocked four shots and grabbed 10 rebounds vs. WKU (Nov. 9)... Made his first career start and notched his first career double-double vs. Lipscomb (Nov. 6).

2022-23 (Sophomore): Appeared in nine of the first 11 games but missed the final 17 due to a lingering back injury... Totaled 21 points, 21 rebounds in 101 minutes... Did not clock enough minutes to qualify for KenPom rankings but would have otherwise led the nation in block percentage... He swatted 15.8% of enemy field goal attempts while he was on the floor... Averaged an eye-popping 5.5 blocks-per-40-minutes... Had as many total blocks (14) as field goal attempts (14) but converted 50% of his looks... Made his Shocker debut against Central Arkansas (Nov. 7) and finished with season-highs for points (10), field goals (4-of-5) and rebounds (5) in 12 minutes of action... Played a career-high 21 minutes at Kansas State (Dec. 3) and hit a game-tying free throw with just over 2:00 remaining as part of a 4-of-6 performance from the foul line... Did not attempt a shot in 18 minutes against Longwood (Dec. 10) but swatted five on the opposite end... Matched his personal-best with five rebounds against Oklahoma State at INTRUST Bank Arena (Dec. 17)... Missed the next three games while battling a back injury... Returned for a three-minute cameo against Cincinnati (Jan. 5) before shutting it down for the remainder of the season.

At Florida State (2020-22): Logged 36 games over two seasons at FSU as part of a deep Seminole front court that included three other 7-footers... Was productive in limited playing time, shooting 70.8% from the field and averaging 4.6 blocks-per-40-minutes... Career totals included 38 points, 33 rebounds and 17 blocks over 147 minutes... Helped FSU to the 2021 Sweet 16 as a true freshman... Set career-highs with eight points, four rebounds and three blocks in 11 minutes at Miami on Feb. 24, 2021.

High School/Prep School: Played his senior season (2018-19) plus another post-graduate year (2019-20) at Quality Education Academy in Winston-Salem, N.C... Ranked 336th among 2020 prospects... Signed with FSU in April, 2020 over Syracuse, Cincinnati, NC State and Maryland... Averaged 14.0 points, 11.0 rebounds and 6.0 blocks in his final year... Prior to that played a season at Henninger High in Syracuse, N.Y. and helped the Black Knights reach the sectional round... Played for Gym Ratz AAU on the summer circuit.

Personal: Born July 28, 2001... Son of Regina and Luevell Ballard... Credits his mother for helping motivate him to improve his game throughout high school... Hobbies include drawing, editing videos and spending time with family and friends... Has an older brother, Kay'ron, and a younger brother, Jordan... General Studies Communications major.

SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
9.1	6.7	78.0%	-	65.0%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	BLK	STL
23	7	11	0	1

BALLARD'S CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	18 at Florida Atlantic	1/18/24
Rebounds	14 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Field Goals	8 at Florida Atlantic	1/18/24
FG Attempts	10 at Florida Atlantic	1/18/24
3-Pointers	-	-
3-Pt Attempts	1 at Coastal Carolina	11/16/23
Free Throws	4 at Kansas State	12/3/22
FT Attempts	6 3x, last: at Tulane	3/8/24
Assists	3 WKU	11/9/23
Steals	2 ETSU	12/7/24
Blocks	7 2x, last: EAST CAROLINA	1/24/24
Minutes	34 vs. Kansas State	12/21/23

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	4	17
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	2	7
Dunks	17	78
P-R Double-Doubles	1	3
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	1	3
Leading Rebounder	4	14
Assist Leader	-	1

2024-25 | SENIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	*	18:43	4-4	0-0	2-4	2	2	4	3	1	0	1	1	10
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	*	22:07	5-6	0-0	3-3	2	4	6	3	0	0	4	0	13
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	*	17:05	3-5	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	4	0	1	1	0	6
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	DNP													
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	*	16:11	4-6	0-0	0-0	2	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	8
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	*	30:06	2-3	0-0	3-4	0	7	7	0	0	1	3	1	7
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	*	27:42	2-3	0-0	1-2	1	2	3	1	0	0	1	0	5
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	*	24:40	6-6	0-0	2-2	2	12	14	2	0	2	3	0	14
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	*	25:03	4-6	0-0	1-1	1	5	6	0	0	0	5	2	9
Dec. 14	at DePaul	*	29:18	6-8	0-0	0-2	3	2	5	0	1	0	1	1	12
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	*	23:34	3-3	0-0	1-2	3	8	11	2	0	0	0	1	7
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
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Feb. 27	UAB*														
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Mar. 9	TULSA*														

SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds				Scoring				
				FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL
2020-21	FSU	18-0	63/3.5	10-14	.714	0-0	.000	2-7	.286	5	7	12	0.7	13-0	1	6	6	0
2021-22	FSU	18-0	86/4.8	7-10	.700	0-0	.000	2-6	.333	9	12	21	1.2	7-0	1	4	11	2
2022-23	WSU	10-0	101/10.1	7-14	.500	0-0	.000	7-14	.500	7	14	21	2.1	6-0	1	2	14	2
2023-24	WSU	34-34	748/22.0	110-153	.719	0-1	.000	32-55	.582	63	140	203	6.0	66-1	13	28	74	4
2024-25	WSU	10-10	234/23.4	39-50	.780	0-0	.000	13-20	.650	17	50	67	6.7	15-0	2	4	19	6
TOTAL FOR WSU		54-44	1083/20.1	156-217	.719	0-1	.000	52-89	.584	87	204	291	5.4	87-1	16	34	107	12
TOTAL		90-44	1232/13.7	173-241	.718	0-1	.000	56-102	.549	101	223	324	3.6	107-1	18	44	124	14



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
6.1	3.5	54.8%	25.0%	86.4%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
16	4	4	0	0

2024-25 (Senior):

Led Wichita State with 11 points on 7-of-8 free throws vs. No. 18 Florida (Nov. 29)... Made his first career start vs. Monmouth (Nov. 18), totaling 12 points, 3 rebounds and 2 steals... Finished with 9 points and 6 rebounds vs. Northern Iowa (Nov. 14)... Tallied 3 points, 7 rebounds, 3 assists and 2 blocks in his Wichita State debut at Western Kentucky (Nov. 4).

Croatia:

Bošnjak averaged 7.8 points, 4.1 rebounds and 2.3 assists while playing 21.6 minutes per game this past season for Cibona in the Adriatic Basketball Association... He also has experience playing for the Croatian Youth National Team... He averaged 12.6 points and 6.0 rebounds at the FIBA U-20 European Championships in 2022... During the 2022-23 season he posted 15.7 points and 6.6 rebounds for Dubrava Furnir, Croatia's home league.

Personal:

He is the son of Mario and Katarina, and has one sister Tonka.

BOŠNJAK'S CAREER HIGHS

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	12 MONMOUTH	11/18/24
Rebounds	7 at WKU	11/4/24
Field Goals	4 2x, last: MONMOUTH	11/18/24
FG Attempts	8 NORTHERN IOWA	11/14/24
3-Pointers	1 2x, last: at DePaul	12/14/24
3-Pt Attempts	3 KANSAS CITY	12/17/24
Free Throws	7 vs. Florida	11/29/24
FT Attempts	8 vs. Florida	11/29/24
Assists	3 at WKU	11/4/24
Steals	2 MONMOUTH	11/18/24
Blocks	2 at WKU	11/4/24
Minutes	34 MONMOUTH	11/18/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	2	2
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	1	1
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	1	1
Leading Rebounder	-	-
Assist Leader	-	-

2024-25 | JUNIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU		20:30	1-3	0-0	1-1	2	5	7	2	3	1	2	0	3
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE		17:53	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	0	2
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA		21:41	4-8	0-1	1-2	2	4	6	2	1	1	0	0	9
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	*	34:00	4-4	0-0	4-5	1	2	3	2	2	1	1	2	12
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis		22:23	3-4	0-0	2-2	1	5	6	4	0	1	0	0	8
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #		16:59	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	4
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #		24:54	2-6	0-1	7-8	1	2	3	1	1	2	0	0	11
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE		15:20	1-2	1-1	2-2	1	1	2	2	1	0	1	0	5
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST		14:57	2-3	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	2	0	1	0	1	6
Dec. 14	at DePaul		10:42	1-3	1-2	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	1	3
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY		16:26	2-5	0-3	0-0	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
Jan. 23	at Memphis*														
Jan. 26	at Tulsa*														
Jan. 29	NORTH TEXAS*														
Feb. 4	at Charlotte*														
Feb. 9	at South Florida*														
Feb. 12	UTSA*														
Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*														
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2024-25	WSU	11-1	216/19.6	23-42	.548	2-8	.250	19-22	.864	14	24	38	3.5	18-0	9	10	6	4	67	6.1
TOTAL		11-1	216/19.6	23-42	.548	2-8	.250	19-22	.864	14	24	38	3.5	18-0	9	10	6	4	67	6.1



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
10.2	3.5	45.0%	26.1%	66.7%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
26	7	0	3	1

2024-25 (Senior): Second straight game with 14 points, tying a team high with 14 at DePaul (Dec. 14)... Posted 14 points and 4 assists in a win over ETSU (Dec. 7)... Tied a career high with 8 assists vs. Alcorn State (Dec. 4)... Named to the ESPN Events Invitational All-Tournament Team... Hit the game-tying three-pointer with 1.2 seconds left in regulation vs. Minnesota (Nov. 28)... Finished with 16 points to help the Shockers defeat the Gophers in the opening game of the ESPN Events Invitational... Did a little of everything vs. Monmouth (Nov. 18), finishing with 15 points, 6 rebounds, 4 assists and 4 steals... 14 points, 4 rebounds, 3 assists and 2 steals in the home opener vs. Montana State (Nov. 9).

2023-24 (Junior): Nearly recorded a 5-by-5 statline vs. Memphis (Mar. 14) with 17 points, 6 rebounds, 5 steals, 5 blocks and 3 assists... Fifth straight game in double figures with 11 points in the first round of the AAC Championship vs. Rice (March 13)... Added 13 points - 11 after halftime - at Tulane (Mar. 8)... Scored 19 of his career-high 23 points after halftime in the home finale vs. Rice (March 2)... Was a perfect 3-for-3 from beyond the arc vs. the Owls... Did a little of everything in a road win at UAB, finishing with 12 points, 8 rebounds and 5 assists... Scored 12 of his 16 points in the first half vs. UTSA (Feb. 7) to go with 6 rebounds and 5 assists... Game-high 10 rebounds at Memphis (Feb. 3) to go with 7 points... Stuffed the stat sheet at Tulsa (Jan. 31) with 12 points, 6 rebounds, 5 assists, 2 steals and a block... Third straight game in double figures with 14 in a win over SMU (Jan. 28)... Tied a season high with 18 points to go with 6 rebounds and 3 assists vs. East Carolina (Jan. 24)... Led Wichita State with 15 points on 6-of-9 shooting at USF (Jan. 21) to go with 6 rebounds... Finished with 17 points and 6 assists vs. #13 Memphis (Jan. 14)... Was a perfect 8-for-8 at the free throw line, finishing with 18 points, 6 rebounds, 4 assists and 2 steals vs. SDSU (Dec. 9)... First double-double behind a career-high 17 rebounds and 12 points at Missouri (Dec. 3)... Second straight game with 13 points to go with 7 assists and 5 rebounds vs. Richmond (Nov. 29)... Handed out a career-high eight assists with zero turnovers and 13 points vs. Norfolk State (Nov. 25)... Scored 10 points on a pair of three-pointers at Coastal Carolina (Nov. 16)... Dished out six assists to go with six rebounds vs. Friends (Nov. 12)... Scored all 13 of his points after halftime vs. WKU (Nov. 9) to go with 5 rebounds, 3 assists and 4 steals... Made his Wichita State debut vs. Lipscomb (Nov. 6) and tallied 5 points, 4 rebounds, 2 assists and 2 steals.

2022-23 (Junior / Miami): Appeared in all 37 contests, starting one ... Averaged 3.5 points, 1.2 rebounds and 1.2 assists in 12.2 minutes per game ... Shot 46.5 percent from the field, fourth-best on the team, and 80.0 percent at the line ... Scored 15-plus points twice, dished out multiple assists 10 times and snatched two-plus steals six times ... Returned to action for the first time in 347 days.

2020-21 (Freshman / Miami): Season did not count towards eligibility due to COVID-19 pandemic ... Played in 19 games, starting 15, before missing the final eight contests due to a lingering back injury ... Averaged 6.7 points, 4.5 rebounds, 3.3 assists and 1.5 steals per game ... One of four Power Five players in the nation to average 4.5 rebounds, 3.3 assists and 1.5 steals per game.

2019-20 (Freshman / Miami): One of three Hurricanes to play in all 31 games, earning five starts ... Averaged 7.2 points, 2.3 rebounds and 2.3 assists, second on the team, across 19.9 minutes per game.

High School: Graduated from Montverde Academy (Fla.) ... Consensus four-star recruit ... Tabbed as the No. 42 prospect nationally by Rivals, including ninth among shooting guards ... Ranked No. 69 in the country by 247Sports and No. 55 by ESPN ... Averaged 14.0 points per game in his lone year at Montverde, aiding the team to a 22-3 record and a No. 4 spot in the USA TODAY Super 25 Expert Rankings ... Scored a team-high 23 points in the GEICO Nationals semifinals against national champion IMG Academy ... Roommate of Precious Achiuwa, now with the Toronto Raptors, during their year together at Montverde.

Personal: Born May 31, 2001... Parents are Clayton and Rebecca Holmes... Has a younger sister, Madison... First cousin once removed is Jon Berti of the Miami Marlins... Favorite athlete is CJ McCollum... Best sports memory is playing in the 2019 GEICO Nationals.

BEVERLY'S CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	23 RICE	3/2/24
Rebounds	17 at Missouri	12/3/23
Field Goals	8 2x, last: UTSA	2/7/24
FG Attempts	17 at Tulsa	1/31/24
3-Pointers	3 RICE	3/2/24
3-Pt Attempts	6 at WKU	11/4/24
Free Throws	8 vs. South Dakota State	12/9/23
FT Attempts	8 vs. South Dakota State	12/9/23
Assists	8 2x, last: ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Steals	5 vs. Memphis	3/14/24
Blocks	5 vs. Memphis	3/14/24
Minutes	40 TEMPLE	2/25/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	6	26
20+ Points	-	1
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	2
Dunks	9	24
P-R Double-Doubles	-	1
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	2	7
Leading Rebounder	-	4
Assist Leader	2	15

2024-25 | SENIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	*	30:04	2-11	2-6	4-4	0	2	2	2	2	2	0	3	10
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	*	27:15	5-10	0-0	4-5	0	4	4	1	3	4	0	2	14
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	*	23:06	2-6	0-1	0-0	0	6	6	1	1	0	1	2	4
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	*	32:39	7-11	0-2	1-2	0	6	6	2	4	1	0	4	15
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	*	28:49	4-9	0-2	0-0	0	6	6	0	2	1	0	2	8
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	*	34:42	7-13	1-2	1-2	1	3	4	2	2	2	0	1	16
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	*	21:54	1-4	1-2	0-0	0	3	3	1	1	1	2	0	3
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	*	20:06	3-7	1-2	0-2	0	2	2	2	8	2	0	0	7
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	*	27:59	6-12	0-2	2-2	0	2	2	1	4	2	0	1	14
Dec. 14	at DePaul	*	26:41	6-10	1-2	1-3	0	3	3	2	2	2	0	1	14
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	*	26:25	2-7	0-2	3-4	0	0	0	3	3	2	0	1	7
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
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SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	Field Goals	3-Point	F-Throws	Rebounds	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2019-20	UM	31-5	621/20.0	85-210 .405	14-64 .219	40-54 .741	11 60 71 2.3	48-0	71	69	6	21	224	7.2
2020-21	UM	19-15	545/28.7	51-154 .331	7-47 .149	19-47 .404	6 80 86 4.5	32-0	62	52	6	29	128	6.7
2021-22	UM	4-0	37/9.3	1-7 .143	0-2 .000	0-0 .000	1 6 7 1.8	5-0	5	2	0	2	2	0.5
2022-23	UM	37-1	451/12.2	46-99 .465	13-41 .317	24-30 .800	4 41 45 1.2	24-0	44	30	2	20	129	3.5
2023-24	WSU	33-33	1003/30.4	147-332 .443	17-66 .258	57-87 .655	27 140 167 5.1	73-1	102	86	12	47	368	11.2
2024-25	WSU	11-11	300/27.2	45-100 .450	6-23 .261	16-24 .667	1 37 38 3.5	17-0	32	19	3	17	112	10.2
TOTAL FOR WSU		44-44	1303/29.6	192-432 .444	23-89 .258	73-111 .658	28 177 205 4.7	90-1	134	105	15	64	480	10.9
TOTAL		135-65	2958/21.9	375-902 .416	57-243 .235	156-242 .645	50 364 414 3.1	199-1	316	258	29	136	963	7.1



21 HENRY THENGVALL

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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
0.5	0.0	50.0%	-	-

LAST GAME vs. Alcorn State (12.4.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
2	0	0	0	0

2024-25 (Redshirt Sophomore):

Scored a basket in the home opener vs. Montana State (Nov. 9).

2023-24 (Redshirt Freshman):

In two minutes of action vs. UTSA (Feb. 7), he dished out an assist, blocked a shot and grabbed a rebound... Made his collegiate debut vs. Lipscomb on Nov. 6 and scored his first career points... Preferred walk-on was a three-sport standout at Wichita's Kapaun Mt. Carmel but will focus exclusively on hoops for the first time at WSU... Deadly shooter... One of the five best basketball players in the state of Kansas as a senior in 2021-22, per both the Wichita Eagle and KSHSAA Covered.

2022-23 (Freshman):

Opted for a redshirt year while acclimating to Division I basketball... Qualified for the Fall 2022 Athletic Director's Honor Roll (3.0+ semester GPA).

High School:

Wichita Eagle Top-5 selection (first team all-state, all classes)... Consensus first team All-Class 5A... First Team All-City League... Was one of the state's most-improved seniors in 2022, averaging 20.1 points (up from 7.9 as a junior) along with 6.5 rebounds and 3.1 steals... Led Kapaun-Mt. Carmel to a 21-2 record (16-0 in City League play) and the No. 1 seed in the Class 5A state tournament... Shot 45 percent from deep and 84 percent at the foul line... Coached by Steve Eck... Also played football and was a three-time state medalist in track and field... Took third in the 800-meter run as a junior... As a senior placed third in the 1600-meters and fifth in the 800... A member of Kapaun's National Honor Society and Cum Laude honors program... Player of the Year at the El Dorado Bluestem Classic.

Personal:

Born June 19... Son of Andrew and Emily Thengvall... Has a sister, Ellie, and two brothers, William and Nathan... Plans to major in finance at WSU.

THENGVALL'S CAREER HIGHS

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	2 2x, last: MONTANA STATE	11/9/24
Rebounds	1 3x, last: UTSA	2/7/24
Field Goals	1 2x, last: MONTANA STATE	11/9/24
FG Attempts	1 3x, last: MONTANA STATE	11/9/24
3-Pointers	-	-
3-Pt Attempts	1 FRIENDS	11/12/23
Free Throws	-	-
FT Attempts	-	-
Assists	1 UTSA	2/7/24
Steals	-	-
Blocks	1 UTSA	2/7/24
Minutes	8 FRIENDS	11/12/23

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	-	-
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Rebounds	-	-
Dunks	-	-
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	-	-
Leading Rebounder	-	-
Assist Leader	-	-

2024-25 | R-SOPHOMORE

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	DNP													
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	01:59		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	DNP													
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	DNP													
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	02:14		0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	DNP													
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	02:18		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	02:18		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	DNP													
Dec. 14	at DePaul	DNP													
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	DNP													
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
Jan. 23	at Memphis*														
Jan. 26	at Tulsa*														
Jan. 29	NORTH TEXAS*														
Feb. 4	at Charlotte*														
Feb. 9	at South Florida*														
Feb. 12	UTSA*														
Feb. 16	MEMPHIS*														
Feb. 20	at Florida Atlantic*														
Feb. 23	TULANE*														
Feb. 27	UAB*														
Mar. 3	at North Texas*														
Mar. 6	at Rice*														
Mar. 9	TULSA*														

				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2023-24	WSU	7-0	18/2.5	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2	1	3	0.4	1-0	1	0	1	0	2	0.3
2024-25	WSU	4-0	9/2.2	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5
TOTAL		11-0	26/2.4	2-4	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2	1	3	0.3	1-0	1	0	1	0	4	0.4



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SEASON STATS

PPG	RPG	FG%	3FG%	FT%
4.6	2.3	36.2%	26.9%	66.7%

LAST GAME vs. Kansas City (12.17.24)

MIN	PTS	REB	AST	STL
19	0	1	0	2

2024-25 (Senior):

Dished out a career-high 10 assists to go with 9 points and 4 rebounds in the win over ETSU (Dec. 7)... Snapped out of a funk with 10 points on 4-of-6 shooting and a pair of three-pointers in a win vs. Saint Louis (Nov. 22).

2023-24 (Junior):

Finished with 11 points, a season-high six rebounds and five assists in the second round win vs. Memphis (Mar. 14)... Scored all of his season-high 12 points in the first half of Wichita State's first round AAC Championship win vs. Rice (March 13)... Tied a season high with five assists in the home finale vs. Rice (March 2)... Scored a season-high 11 points and handed out four assists in a win vs. Tulsa (Feb. 21)... Dished out five assists and added seven points and three rebounds vs. UTSA (Feb. 7)... Made his first start at #23 Florida Atlantic (Jan. 18) and registered eight points, four rebounds and two steals... Added nine points and four assists vs. #13 Memphis (Jan 14)... Tallied nine points and two steals vs. North Texas (Jan. 4)... Scored his first points as a Shocker vs. #2 Kansas (Dec. 30)... Made his Wichita State debut vs. K-State on Dec. 21 and finished with two rebounds and three assists in 24 minutes off the bench... Sat out the first semester due to academics.

2022-23 (Sophomore / Oklahoma):

Appeared in 29 games (one start) ... Averaged 3.2 points, 2.0 assists and 1.6 rebounds per contest ... Recorded two 10-plus point contests ... Tallied a pair of assists against UNC Wilmington (11/15/22) ... Enjoyed a career-high 10 points and four steals against Ole Miss in the ESPN Events Invitational championship game (11/27/22) ... Matched his career high in points (10) against No. 25/25 Iowa State (1/4/22) ... Dished out a career-high six assists at No. 11/11 TCU (1/24/23) ... Made first career start at West Virginia (2/4/23) and tallied six points, three assists and two rebounds.

2021-22 (Freshman / Oklahoma):

Appeared in 30 games ... Averaged 2.0 points, 1.4 assists and 1.4 rebounds per game ... Recorded 12 multiple-assist games ... Matched his season high of six points on 3-for-3 shooting at Baylor (1/4) ... Recorded four points and three assists against West Virginia (3/1) ... Tallied another four-point outing at Kansas State (3/5) in the regular-season finale.

High School:

A four-star recruit on ESPN.com ... Three-start prospect according to Rivals and 247Sports ... A top-25 point guard on 247Sports ... 2020 First Team 4A All-State selection ... Named player of the year in the Western Athletic Conference, Oklahoma Basketball Coaches Association Region 1 and Northwest Oklahoma ... Oklahoma MaxPreps Player of the Year ... Helped lead Kingfisher to state titles in both 2019 and 2021 ... Averaged 21.9 points per game, 5.8 assists, 5.6 rebounds and 2.6 steals for Kingfisher as a junior ... Shot 58% from the field, 51% from 3-point range and 82% from the foul line ... As a member of Team Griffin, Cortes helped lead his AAU squad to the illustrious 2019 Peach Jam title.

Personal:

Born in Kingfisher, Okla. ... Son of Mariana and Yobany Cortes ... Has one sister – Jaelin Cortes.

CORTES' CAREER HIGHS (WSU)

Category	Opponent	Date
Points	12 vs. Rice	3/13/24
Rebounds	6 vs. Memphis	3/14/24
Field Goals	5 vs. Rice	3/13/24
FG Attempts	9 2x, last: at Charlotte	2/18/24
3-Pointers	2 5x, last: ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
3-Pt Attempts	6 ALCORN STATE	12/4/24
Free Throws	4 TULSA	2/21/24
FT Attempts	5 TULSA	2/21/24
Assists	10 ETSU	12/7/24
Steals	2 6x, last: KANSAS CITY	12/17/24
Blocks	1 NORTH TEXAS	1/4/24
Minutes	31 vs. Memphis	3/14/24

MISCELLANEOUS

Category	24-25	Career
10+ Points	1	4
20+ Points	-	-
30+ Points	-	-
10+ Assists	1	1
Dunks	-	1
P-R Double-Doubles	-	-
P-A Double-Doubles	-	-
Leading Scorer	-	-
Leading Rebounder	-	-
Assist Leader	4	15

2024-25 | SENIOR

Date	Opponent	gs	min	fg	3pt	ft	o	d	tr	pf	ast	to	blk	stl	pts
Nov. 4	at WKU	*	24:18	1-4	0-1	0-0	0	4	4	1	2	4	0	0	2
Nov. 9	MONTANA STATE	*	19:18	3-6	0-1	0-0	1	3	4	0	2	0	0	2	6
Nov. 14	NORTHERN IOWA	*	16:09	2-3	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	5
Nov. 18	MONMOUTH	*	14:13	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	0
Nov. 22	vs. Saint Louis	*	22:43	4-6	2-3	0-0	0	1	1	4	3	2	0	1	10
Nov. 28	vs. Minnesota #	*	29:58	3-5	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	0	3	0	0	1	6
Nov. 29	vs. Florida #	*	21:43	1-6	0-4	0-0	0	3	3	0	3	2	0	0	2
Dec. 4	ALCORN STATE	*	22:00	2-8	2-6	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	6
Dec. 7	EAST TENNESSEE ST	*	29:17	3-7	1-4	2-3	0	4	4	2	10	2	0	1	9
Dec. 14	at DePaul	*	25:41	2-5	1-1	0-0	0	4	4	1	7	4	0	0	5
Dec. 17	KANSAS CITY	*	19:07	0-5	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	0
Dec. 21	KANSAS STATE														
Dec. 29	FRIENDS														
Jan. 3	at Temple*														
Jan. 6	SOUTH FLORIDA*														
Jan. 11	at UTSA*														
Jan. 14	CHARLOTTE*														
Jan. 18	EAST CAROLINA*														
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				Field Goals		3-Point		F-Throws		Rebounds									Scoring	
SEASON	TEAM	GP-GS	MIN/AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF-FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
2021-22	OK	30-0	346/11.5	24-45	.533	4-7	.571	9-10	.900	5	36	41	1.4	19-0	42	50	2	13	61	2.0
2022-23	OK	29-1	498/17.2	34-77	.442	13-27	.481	11-18	.611	3	42	45	1.6	32-0	58	42	3	16	92	3.2
2023-24	WSU	23-18	435/18.9	37-109	.339	12-42	.286	14-20	.700	6	33	39	1.7	27-0	68	51	1	15	100	4.3
2024-25	WSU	11-11	244/22.2	21-58	.362	7-26	.269	2-3	.667	1	24	25	2.3	11-0	33	19	0	8	51	4.6
TOTAL FOR WSU		34-29	679/20.0	58-167	.347	19-68	.279	16-23	.696	7	57	64	1.9	38-0	101	70	1	23	151	4.4
TOTAL		93-30	1523/16.4	116-289	.401	36-102	.353	36-51	.706	15	135	150	1.6	89-0	201	162	6	52	304	3.3

THE LAST TIME....

* = School Record ** = Tied School Record

Scoring

30+ Points:

11/4/2024 -- Justin Hill -- at WKU (31)

40+ Points:

1/26/1985 -- Xavier McDaniel at West Texas St. (44)

Two Shockers w/ 20+ Points:

3/2/2024 -- Colby Rogers (25), Harlond Beverly (23)

Three Shockers w/ 20+ Points:

2/12/2023 -- K. Pohto (28), C. Porter (22), J. Walton (20)

Two Shockers w/ 30+ Points:

2/18/1980 -- Cliff Livingston (34) / Antoine Carr (32) at Drake

True Freshman Scored 20+ Points:

1/10/2021 -- Ricky Council IV -- Cincinnati (23)

True Freshman Scored 25+ Points:

12/21/2001 -- Randy Burns -- Western Carolina (27)

True Freshman Scored 30+ Points:

2/18/2021 -- Cliff Livingston (34) / Antoine Carr (32) at Drake

20+ Points in a Half:

11/19/2023 -- Colby Rogers -- vs. Saint Louis (21 in 2nd Half)

23+ Points in a Half:

11/21/2021 -- Tyson Etienne vs. UNLV (23 in 2nd Half)

25+ Points in a Half:

11/27/1998 -- Maurice Evans at Hawaii (25 in 2nd Half)

Six Shockers in Double-Figures:

12/22/2021 -- Etienne (20), Udeze (16), Jackson (15), Dennis (14), Pohto (12), Jenkins (11) -- PRAIRIE VIEW A&M

Rebounds

15+ Rebounds:

1/7/2024 -- Dalen Ridginal -- at Temple (16)

20+ Rebounds:

1/18/1999 -- Troy Mack -- Missouri St. (22)

10+ Rebounds in One Half:

1/7/2024 -- Dalen Ridginal -- at Temple (10 in 1st Half)

11+ Rebounds in One Half:

12/20/2012 -- Chadrack Lufle - Charleston So. (11 in 2nd Half)

12+ Rebounds in One Half:

2/4/2012 -- Garrett Stutz -- Indiana St. (12 in 2nd Half)

Combos

20 Points & 20 Rebounds:

1/18/1999 -- Troy Mack -- Missouri St. (23 pts, 22 reb)

Double-Double (Points & Rebounds):

12/7/2024 -- Corey Washington -- ETSU (17 pts, 13 reb)

Double-Double (Points & Assists):

3/10/2023 -- Craig Porter Jr. -- vs. Tulane (22 pts, 11 ast)

Two Shockers w/ Double-Doubles:

3/3/2021 -- Dennis (20p, 13r) & Udeze (12p, 10r) at Tulane

Triple-Double:

2/26/2023 -- Craig Porter Jr. -- at Tulane (15p, 10r, 10a)

Assists

10+ Assists:

12/7/2024 -- Bijan Cortes vs. ETSU (10)

12+ Assists:

3/3/2021 -- Alterique Gilbert at Tulane (12)

13+ Assists:

1/6/1988 -- Joe Griffin -- Oral Roberts (16*)

Steals

5+ Steals:

3/14/2024 -- Harlond Beverly -- vs. Memphis (5)

6+ Steals:

2/27/2022 -- Craig Porter Jr. -- at Memphis (7**)

7+ Steals:

2/27/2022 -- Craig Porter Jr. -- at Memphis (7**)

Blocks

5+ Blocks:

12/7/2024 -- Quincy Ballard -- ETSU (5)

6+ Blocks:

1/24/2024 -- Quincy Ballard -- EAST CAROLINA (7)

7+ Blocks:

1/24/2024 -- Quincy Ballard -- EAST CAROLINA (7)

10+ Blocks:

1/27/1962 -- Gene Wiley -- Louisville (12)

Field Goals

10+ Field Goals Made:

2/28/2024 -- Colby Rogers -- at UAB (10)

12+ Field Goals Made:

11/9/2018 -- Markis McDuffie vs. Providence (12)

13+ Field Goals Made:

1/9/2013 -- Cleanthony Early -- Southern Illinois (13)

14+ Field Goals Made:

1/7/1999 -- Maurice Evans at Indiana St. (14)

5-for-5 or Better:

12/4/2024 -- Quincy Ballard -- ALCORN STATE (6-for-6)

8-for-8 or Better:

12/17/2006 -- P.J. Couisnard -- UMES (8-for-8)

9-for-9 or Better:

1/26/2005 -- Jamar Howard -- Drake (9-for-9)

20+ Attempts:

3/8/2024 -- Colby Rogers -- at Tulane (9-for-22)

3-Point Field Goals

Made 6+ Threes:

3/8/2024 -- Colby Rogers -- at Tulane (6-13)

Made 8+ Threes:

12/4/2011 -- Joe Ragland -- UNLV (8-9)

Made 9+ Threes:

2/2/2000 -- Jason Perez -- Missouri St. (9*)

Attempted 12+ Threes:

3/8/2024 -- Colby Rogers -- at Tulane (6-13)

Attempted 15+ Threes:

1/29/2022 -- Tyson Etienne at Tulane (7-15)

4-for-4 or Better:

11/20/2017 -- Landry Shamet vs. California (4/4)

5-for-5 or Better:

1/11/2009 -- Clevin Hannah -- Drake (6/6**)

Free Throws

Made 10+

1/29/2023 -- James Rojas -- at East Carolina (11-14)

Made 15+

1/26/2022 -- Ricky Council IV -- UCF (16-20)

Made 16+

1/26/2022 -- Ricky Council IV -- UCF (16-20)

Attempted 10+

11/4/2024 -- Ronnie DeGray III -- at WKU (6-12)

Attempted 15+

1/26/2022 -- Ricky Council IV -- UCF (16-20)

Attempted 20+

1/26/2022 -- Ricky Council IV -- UCF (16-20)

10-for-10 or Better:

12/19/2018 -- Markis McDuffie -- Oral Roberts (10/10)

11-for-11 or Better:

3/5/2017 -- Markis McDuffie vs. Illinois St. (11/11)

12-for-12 or Better:

1/31/2016 -- Fred VanVleet at Evansville (15/15**)

Dunks

4+ Dunks:

3/14/2024 -- Quincy Ballard -- vs. Memphis (4)

6+ Dunks:

12/18/1979 -- Antoine Carr -- Samford (6)

SHOCKERS vs. AP RANKED OPPONENTS

vs. AP Top-25 Teams

Date	All-Time	Streak
Overall	58-147	L9
Home	39-47	L4
Roundhouse*	32-36	L4
Away	13-71	L6
Neutral	6-29	L6
Regular Season	50-135	L9
Conf. Tournament	1-4	L3
NCAA Tournament	7-8	L2

Both Teams AP Ranked

Date	All-Time	Streak
Overall	14-15	W1
Home	6-3	W1
Roundhouse*	4-2	W1
Away	7-5	W2
Neutral	1-7	L4
Regular Season	13-12	W1
Conf. Tournament	0-1	L1
NCAA Tournament	1-2	L2

* = WSU's circular home venue, built in 1955, has gone by a number of names over the years, most recently "Charles Koch Arena" following its 2003 renovation. "The Roundhouse" is used as a catch-all term.

vs. AP Top-10 Teams

Date	All-Time	AAC Era	Streak
Overall	23-69	2-4	L3
Home	14-23	1-2	L1
Roundhouse*	13-14	1-2	L1
Away	6-33	1-1	L1
Neutral	3-13	0-1	L5
Regular Season	20-64	2-4	L3
Conf. Tournament	-	-	-
NCAA Tournament	3-5	-	L2

► RECENT HISTORY vs. AP RANKED OPPONENTS

Date	WSU	Opponent	Result
12/4/2011	-	18 UNLV	W 89-70
12/31/2011	rv	21 CREIGHTON**	L 61-68
2/11/2012	rv	17 at Creighton**	W 89-68
1/18/2013	rv	12 CREIGHTON**	W 67-64
3/21/2013	rv	20 vs. Pittsburgh NCAA 64	W 73-55
3/23/2013	rv	1 vs. Gonzaga NCAA 32	W 76-70
3/30/2013	rv	7 vs. Ohio State NCAA E8	W 70-66
4/6/2013	rv	2 vs. Louisville NCAA F4	L 68-72
12/3/2014	8	25 at Utah	L 68-69 ot
1/31/2015	12	18 at Northern Iowa**	L 54-70
2/28/2015	11	10 NORTHERN IOWA**	W 74-60
3/22/2015	12	10 vs. Kansas NCAA 32	W 78-65
3/26/2015	12	8 vs. Notre Dame NCAA 16	L 70-81
12/12/2015	-	25 UTAH ^	W 67-50
3/17/2016	rv	17 vs. Arizona NCAA 64	W 65-55
3/19/2016	rv	10 vs. Miami NCAA 32	L 57-65
11/24/2016	rv	10 vs. Louisville mte	L 52-62
11/25/2016	rv	24 vs. Michigan St. mte	L 72-77
3/17/2017	19	5 vs. Kentucky NCAA 32	L 62-65
11/22/2017	6	13 vs. Notre Dame mte	L 66-67
12/2/2017	8	16 at Baylor	W 69-62
2/18/2018	19	5 at Cincinnati *	W 76-72
3/4/2018	11	10 CINCINNATI *	L 61-62
3/10/2018	11	21 vs. Houston %	L 74-77
1/12/2019	-	17 at Houston *	L 70-79
3/16/2019	-	24 vs. Cincinnati % AAC SF	L 63-66
1/9/2020	23	21 MEMPHIS *	W 76-67
2/9/2020	rv	25 at Houston *	L 43-76
1/6/2021	-	11 at Houston *	L 63-70
2/18/2021	-	6 HOUSTON *	W 68-63
1/8/2022	-	12 at Houston *	L 66-76
2/20/2022	-	14 HOUSTON *	L 74-76 2ot
2/2/2023	-	3 HOUSTON *	L 61-70
3/2/2023	-	1 at Houston *	L 66-83
12/30/2023	-	2 vs. Kansas	L 67-86
1/14/2024	-	13 MEMPHIS*	L 86-112
1/18/2024	-	23 at Florida Atlantic*	L 77-86
2/11/2024	-	20 FLORIDA ATLANTIC*	L 82-95
11/29/2024	-	18 vs. Florida	L 51-88

^ = at INTRUST Bank Arena (Wichita) ** = MVC game

* = AAC game % = AAC Tournament mte = multi-team event

TEAM/INDIVIDUAL -- ALL GAMES

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	8-3	5-1	1-1	2-1
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	8-3	5-1	1-1	2-1

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Wichita St.	400	435	11	846
Opponents	373	433	9	815

Team Box Score

No.	Player				Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds													
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG		
11	HILL, Justin	11-11	334:57	30.5	49-125	.392	14-51	.275	43-56	.768	2	38	40	3.6	16	0	36	19	1	13	155	14.1		
6	WASHINGTON, Corey	11-11	280:56	25.5	42-104	.404	11-29	.379	39-56	.696	26	47	73	6.6	29	2	6	20	11	7	134	12.2		
1	BELL, Xavier	11-0	268:09	24.4	42-98	.429	8-26	.308	33-40	.825	4	28	32	2.9	30	0	13	11	4	13	125	11.4		
20	BEVERLY, Harlond	11-11	299:40	27.2	45-100	.450	6-23	.261	16-24	.667	1	37	38	3.5	17	0	32	19	3	17	112	10.2		
15	BALLARD, Quincy	10-10	234:29	23.4	39-50	.780	0-0	.000	13-20	.650	17	50	67	6.7	15	0	2	4	19	6	91	9.1		
3	DEGRAY III, Ronnie	4-0	82:17	20.6	7-19	.368	3-10	.300	12-21	.571	11	10	21	5.3	9	0	1	3	3	3	29	7.3		
17	BOSNJAK, Matej	11-1	215:45	19.6	23-42	.548	2-8	.250	19-22	.864	14	24	38	3.5	18	0	9	10	6	4	67	6.1		
0	MCGINNIS, AJ	11-0	147:24	13.4	17-38	.447	12-30	.400	5-5	1.000	2	5	7	0.6	6	0	2	2	2	2	51	4.6		
55	CORTES, Bijan	11-11	244:26	22.2	21-58	.362	7-26	.269	2-3	.667	1	24	25	2.3	11	0	33	19	0	8	51	4.6		
2	PIPKIN, Zion	4-0	27:14	6.8	3-7	.429	0-3	.000	4-9	.444	0	5	5	1.3	2	0	6	0	0	1	10	2.5		
12	IGHOVODJA, Joy	9-0	68:48	7.6	7-17	.412	1-5	.200	2-4	.500	6	17	23	2.6	11	0	1	2	0	4	17	1.9		
21	THENGVALL, Henry	4-0	08:49	2.2	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5		
8	BAMBA, Yanis	4-0	12:05	3.0	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	0.8	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5		
Team											17	24	41					2						
Total		11	2225		297-662	.449	64-212	.302	188-260	.723	101	312	413	37.5	165	2	141	111	49	78	846	76.9		
Opponents		11	2225		304-712	.427	99-304	.326	108-181	.597	131	296	427	38.8	196	4	177	127	45	67	815	74.1		

Team Statistics

	WSU	OPP
Scoring		
Points per game	846	815
Scoring margin	76.9	74.1
	+2.8	-
Field goals-att		
Field goal pct	297-662	304-712
	.449	.427
3 point fg-att		
3-point FG pct	64-212	99-304
	.302	.326
3-pt FG made per game	5.8	9.0
Free throws-att		
Free throw pct	188-260	108-181
	.723	.597
F-Throws made per game	17.1	9.8
Rebounds		
Rebounds per game	413	427
	37.5	38.8
Rebounding margin	-1.3	-
Assists		
Assists per game	141	177
	12.8	16.1
Turnovers		
Turnovers per game	111	127
	10.1	11.5
Turnover margin	+1.5	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.3	1.4
Steals		
Steals per game	78	67
	7.1	6.1
Blocks		
Blocks per game	49	45
	4.5	4.1
Winning streak		
Home win streak	0	-
	0	-
Attendance		
Home games-Avg/Game	34654	8408
	6-5776	2-4204
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	3-3986

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/04/2024	at Western Ky.	W	91-84	4547
11/09/2024	Montana St.	W	89-69	6179
11/14/2024	UNI	W	79-73	5927
11/18/2024	Monmouth	W	70-66	5582
11/22/2024	vs Saint Louis	W	88-63	4892
11/28/2024	vs Minnesota	Wot	68-66	3191
11/29/2024	vs Florida	L	51-88	3875
12/04/2024	Alcorn	W	78-54	5642
12/07/2024	ETSU	W	96-87	5602
12/14/2024	at DePaul	L	72-91	3861
12/17/2024	Kansas City	L	64-74	5722

SCHEDULE & RESULTS

DATE	AP/CO	OPPONENT	RESULT	STRK	RECORD	CONF	HI SCORER	HI REBOUNDER	HI ASSISTS	ATTEND.
Nov. 4	/	at WKU	W 91-84	Won 1	1-0		31 -- Hill	8 -- Hill	6 -- Hill	4,547
Nov. 9	/	MONTANA STATE	W 89-69	Won 2	2-0		17 -- Hill	6 -- Ballard, DeGray III	5 -- Hill	6,179
Nov. 14	/	NORTHERN IOWA	W 79-73	Won 3	3-0		19 -- Washington	7 -- DeGray III	4 -- Hill	5,927
Nov. 18	/	MONMOUTH	W 70-66	Won 4	4-0		20 -- Washington	8 -- Washington	5 -- Hill	5,582
Nov. 22	/	vs. Saint Louis ^[HOFC]	W 88-63	Won 5	5-0		17 -- Hill	8 -- Washington	4 -- Hill	4,892
Nov. 28	/	vs. Minnesota ^[EEI]	W 68-66	Won 6	6-0		16 -- Beverly	7 -- Ballard, Washington	3 -- Cortes	3,191
Nov. 29	18/16	vs. Florida ^[EEI]	L 51-88	Lost 1	6-1		11 -- Bosnjak	4 -- Hill, Ighovodja	3 -- Cortes	3,875
Dec. 4	/	ALCORN STATE	W 78-54	Won 1	7-1		14 -- Ballard, McGinnis	14 -- Ballard	8 -- Beverly	5,642
Dec. 7	/	EAST TENNESSEE ST	W 96-87	Won 2	8-1		20 -- Hill	13 -- Washington	10 -- Cortes	5,602
Dec. 14	/	at DePaul	L 72-91	Lost 1	8-2		14 -- Bell, Beverly	8 -- Washington	7 -- Cortes	3,861
Dec. 17	/	KANSAS CITY	L 64-74	Lost 2	8-3		21 -- Bell	11 -- Ballard	3 -- Beverly	5,722
Dec. 21	/	KANSAS STATE								
Dec. 29	/	FRIENDS								
Jan. 3	/	at Temple*								
Jan. 6	/	SOUTH FLORIDA*								
Jan. 11	/	at UTSA*								
Jan. 14	/	CHARLOTTE*								
Jan. 18	/	EAST CAROLINA*								
Jan. 23	/	at Memphis*								
Jan. 26	/	at Tulsa*								
Jan. 29	/	NORTH TEXAS*								
Feb. 4	/	at Charlotte*								
Feb. 9	/	at South Florida*								
Feb. 12	/	UTSA*								
Feb. 16	/	MEMPHIS*								
Feb. 20	/	at Florida Atlantic*								
Feb. 23	/	TULANE*								
Feb. 27	/	UAB*								
Mar. 3	/	at North Texas*								
Mar. 6	/	at Rice*								
Mar. 9	/	TULSA*								

HOFC = Hall of Fame Classic (Kansas City, Mo.)

EEI = ESPN Events Invitational (Kissimmee, Fla.)

* = American Athletic Conference game

+ = AAC Tournament (Fort Worth, Texas)

SCORING MARGINS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40+	<5	<10	10+	20+
WINS	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	2	3	.	3
LOSSES	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1

BIG GAMES

# Player		Leading Scorer		Leading Rebounder		Assist Leader		Total Dunks		10+ Points		20+ Points		30+ Points		10+ Rebounds		10+ Assists		P-R Double-Double		P-A Double-Double		P-R-A Triple-Doubles	
		24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career	24-25	Career
00	McGINNIS, AJ	1	1							2	2														
01	BELL, Xavier	2	10		4		9			7	31	1	5												
02	PIPKIN, Zion																								
03	DeGRAY III, Ronnie			2	4					1	4														
04	WILLIAMS, TJ																								
05	MEEKS, Zane																								
06	WASHINGTON, Corey	2	2	5	5			8	8	7	7	1	1			1	1			1	1				
08	BAMBA, Yanis																								
11	HILL, Justin	4	4	2	2	5	5			9	9	2	2	1	1										
12	IGHOVODJA, Joy			1	1				1																
15	BALLARD, Quincy	1	3	4	14		1	17	78	4	17					2	7			1	3				
17	BOSNJAK, Matej	1	1					1	1	2	2														
20	BEVERLY, Harlond	2	7		4	2	15	8	23	6	26		1			2				1					
21	THENGVALL, Henry																								
55	CORTES, Bijan					4	15		1	1	4							1	1						

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*** = Most Recent Lineup

	GP	W-L	GS	W-L
Xavier Bell (Sr.)	11	8-3	-	-
Quincy Ballard (Sr.)	10	7-3	10	7-3
Harlond Beverly (Sr.)	11	8-3	11	8-3
Bijan Cortes (Sr.)	11	8-3	11	8-3
Ronnie DeGray III (Sr.)	4	4-0	-	-
Joy Ighovodja (So.)	9	6-3	-	-
Justin Hill (5th)	11	8-3	11	8-3
Corey Washington (Jr.)	11	8-3	11	8-3
Matej Bosnjak (Sr.)	11	8-3	1	1-0
AJ McGinnis (5th)	11	8-3	-	-
Henry Thengvall (R-So.)	4	3-1	-	-
Yanis Bamba (R-Fr.)	4	3-1	-	-
Zion Pipkin (Fr.)	4	3-1	-	-
Zane Meeks (Gr.)	-	-	-	-
TJ Williams (Fr.)	-	-	-	-

GP	Streak	W-L	GS	Streak	W-L
76	57	40-36	25	-	12-13
54	7	27-27	44	7	22-22
44	39	22-22	44	39	22-22
34	34	15-19	29	29	15-14
28	-	12-16	-	-	-
22	8	14-8	-	-	-
11	11	8-3	11	11	8-3
11	11	8-3	11	11	8-3
11	11	8-3	1	-	1-0
11	11	8-3	-	-	-
11	-	9-2	-	-	-
4	-	3-1	-	-	-
4	-	3-1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-

LEADS - DEFICITS - SPECIALTY STATS

Date	AP/Co	Opponent	Score	Lead	Deficit	Ties	LC	Leading	Trailing	Tied	Paint		Off Turnovers		2nd Chance		Fast Break		Bench		
											WSU	Opp	WSU	Opp	WSU	Opp	WSU	Opp	WSU	Opp	
Nov. 4	/	at WKU	W 91-84	11	8	6	10	24:18	12:10	03:32	24	40	18	15	10	21	3	14	32	28	
Nov. 9	/	MONTANA STATE	W 89-69	20	0	0	0	39:45	00:00	00:15	52	24	13	9	19	14	15	13	25	19	
Nov. 14	/	NORTHERN IOWA	W 79-73	14	4	1	4	32:43	03:41	03:36	34	36	15	7	12	10	12	2	34	26	
Nov. 18	/	MONMOUTH	W 70-66	7	7	12	11	07:58	24:19	07:43	42	34	16	17	5	10	16	10	12	17	
Nov. 22	/	vs Saint Louis	W 88-63	25	6	5	9	25:34	12:09	02:17	46	28	24	7	7	9	22	5	32	16	
Nov. 28	/	vs Minnesota	W 68-66	5	5	10	10	26:20	12:37	06:04	44	38	8	18	2	7	2	16	15	17	
Nov. 29	18/16	vs Florida	L 51-88	3	48	0	1	00:38	37:54	01:28	22	36	10	10	10	20	5	22	32	28	
Dec. 4	/	ALCORN STATE	W 78-54	27	0	0	0	39:45	00:00	00:15	34	18	4	4	8	16	13	8	32	10	
Dec. 7	/	EAST TENNESSEE STATE	W 96-87	21	3	1	1	37:38	00:19	02:03	42	30	20	15	10	12	17	6	27	11	
Dec. 14	/	at DePaul	L 72-91	5	19	3	10	11:10	26:36	02:14	38	24	16	17	5	8	10	7	20	41	
Dec. 17	/	KANSAS CITY	L 64-74	2	23	2	3	02:09	33:39	04:12	40	30	21	4	11	11	17	0	30	18	
Dec. 21	/	KANSAS STATE																			
Dec. 29	/	FRIENDS																			
Jan. 3	/	at Temple*																			
Jan. 6	/	SOUTH FLORIDA*																			
Jan. 11	/	at UTSA*																			
Jan. 14	/	CHARLOTTE*																			
Jan. 18	/	EAST CAROLINA*																			
Jan. 23	/	at Memphis*																			
Jan. 26	/	at Tulsa*																			
Jan. 29	/	NORTH TEXAS*																			
Feb. 4	/	at Charlotte*																			
Feb. 9	/	at South Florida*																			
Feb. 12	/	UTSA*																			
Feb. 16	/	MEMPHIS*																			
Feb. 20	/	at Florida Atlantic*																			
Feb. 23	/	TULANE*																			
Feb. 27	/	UAB*																			
Mar. 3	/	at North Texas*																			
Mar. 6	/	at Rice*																			
Mar. 9	/	TULSA*																			
								TOTAL			418	338	165	123	99	138	132	103	291	231	
								AVERAGE			38.0	30.7	15.0	11.2	9.0	12.5	12.0	9.4	26.5	21.0	

RECORD BREAKDOWN

Category	2024-25	Streak	Mills Era	Monday	2-0	Won 13	3-0	Shooting 50%+	2-1	Lost 1	6-4
Overall Record	8-3	Lost 2	23-22	Tuesday	0-1	Lost 1	0-1	Shooting < 40%	0-2	Lost 10	0-10
Home	5-1	Lost 1	15-6	Wednesday	1-0	Won 5	6-2	Opponent Shoots 50%+	0-2	Lost 2	2-4
INTRUST Bank Arena	0-0	Lost 3	0-1	Thursday	2-0	Won 3	5-4	Opponent Shoots < 40%	3-0	Won 4	8-4
Road	1-1	Lost 1	3-11	Friday	1-1	Lost 1	1-4	Opponent Shoots < 30%	1-0	Won 2	2-0
Neutral	2-1	Lost 1	5-5	Saturday	2-1	Lost 1	5-4	WSU Outshoots Opponent	6-0	Won 9	18-10
November	6-1	Lost 1	13-2	Sunday	0-0	Lost 3	3-7	Opponent Outshoots WSU	2-3	Lost 3	5-12
December	2-2	Lost 2	3-6	Early (tipoff before Noon)	0-0	Lost 2	0-2	WSU has Higher 3PT%	5-0	Won 9	17-4
January	0-0	Lost 1	1-7	Afternoon (12-5 p.m.)	1-2	Lost 2	6-10	Opponent has Higher 3PT%	2-3	Lost 3	5-18
February	0-0	Won 1	3-5	Evening (5-8 p.m.)	6-1	Lost 1	15-7	3PT% Equal	1-0	Won 1	1-0
March	0-0	Lost 1	3-2	Late (after 8 p.m.)	1-0	Won 1	2-3	WSU Attempts more FT	6-3	Lost 2	16-11
AAC Championship	0-0	Lost 1	2-1	Scoring 100+	0-0	Won 12	0-0	Opponent Attempts more FT	2-0	Won 2	7-11
Postseason	0-0	Lost 1	0-0	Scoring 90+	2-0	Won 3	3-0	FT Attempts Even	0-0	-	0-0
White Uniforms	4-1	Lost 1	14-3	Scoring 80+	2-0	Won 4	9-2	Outrebound Opponent	4-0	Won 6	17-8
Black Uniforms	2-2	Lost 2	5-15	Scoring 70+	3-1	Lost 1	9-4	Outrebounded	3-3	Lost 3	5-11
Yellow Uniforms	1-0	Won 1	1-3	Scoring 60+	1-1	Lost 1	2-13	Rebounds Even	1-0	Won 1	1-3
Throwbacks	1-0	Won 3	3-1	Scoring < 60	0-1	Lost 3	0-3	Commit Fewer TO's	4-1	Lost 1	10-4
Games decided by 1-5 Pts	2-0	Won 2	4-3	Scoring < 50	0-0	Lost 9	0-0	Commit More TO's	1-2	Lost 1	9-18
Games decided by 6-10	3-1	Lost 1	8-8	Opponent Scores 100+	0-0	Lost 1	0-1	TO's Even	3-0	Won 4	4-0
Games decided by 11-15	0-0	Lost 6	3-6	Opponent Scores 90+	0-1	Lost 2	0-2	3+ Shockers w/ 10+ Pts	1-0	Won 1	6-7
Games decided by 16+	3-2	Lost 1	8-5	Opponent Scores 80+	2-1	Won 1	3-6	4+ Shockers w/ 10+ Pts	4-1	Lost 1	10-4
Leading at the Half	7-1	Lost 1	20-7	Opponent Scores 70+	1-1	Lost 1	3-8	5+ Shockers w/ 10+ Pts	2-0	Won 3	5-1
Tied at Half	0-0	-	0-0	Opponent Scores 60+	4-0	Won 8	15-4				
Trailing at Half	1-2	Lost 2	3-15	Opponent Scores < 60	1-0	Won 1	2-1				
Leading with 5:00 left	6-0	Won 10	20-3	Opponent Scores < 50	0-0	Won 52	0-0				
Trailing/Tied w/ 5:00 left	2-3	Lost 3	3-19	Opponent Scores < 40	0-0	Won 17	0-0				
Overtime	1-0	Won 1	1-2								

GAME-BY-GAME COMPARISON (WSU listed first in bold, then opponent)

	1st	2nd	OT	2OT	Tot	+/-	FGM-FGA	Pct.	3PM-3PA	Pct.	FTM-FTA	Pct.	Reb	+/-	A	TO	Mar	Blk	Stl	Fouls	Possessions	Pts/Pos.	TO%	OR%	DR%
at WKU	43	48			91	+7	27-61	.443	11-27	.407	26-36	.722	42		17	14	0	8	11	21	80	1.10	.169	.256	.696
	38	46			84		27-68	.397	6-25	.240	24-34	.706	43	-1	12	14		3	8	25	84	1.01	.169	.304	.744
MONTANA STATE	46	43			89	+20	32-61	.525	3-12	.250	22-26	.846	41	+8	12	6	+4	7	6	13	67	1.29	.087	.323	.721
	31	38			69		25-67	.373	12-43	.279	7-9	.778	33		12	10		3	4	17	73	1.00	.145	.279	.677
NORTHERN IOWA	34	45			79	+6	27-63	.429	6-15	.400	19-24	.792	42	+11	10	9	0	2	6	13	69	1.14	.130	.359	.792
	32	41			73		28-59	.475	8-20	.400	9-14	.643	31		17	9		6	4	15	66	1.06	.130	.176	.641
MONMOUTH	30	40			70	+4	24-54	.444	2-15	.133	20-31	.645	34		15	10	+4	2	12	17	69	1.00	.143	.211	.645
	31	35			66		27-58	.466	6-17	.353	6-18	.333	41	-7	13	14		4	9	21	70	0.94	.200	.297	.789
vs. Saint Louis	40	48			88	+25	31-68	.456	5-22	.227	21-25	.840	42	+7	12	7	+7	1	10	18	76	1.13	.090	.194	.854
@ T-Mobile Center (KC)	37	26			63		23-58	.397	6-30	.200	11-21	.524	35		16	14		1	4	21	72	0.81	.179	.146	.806
vs. Minnesota	25	32	11		68	+2	27-60	.450	4-14	.286	10-14	.714	34		7	12	0	5	5	17	69	0.94	.167	.219	.675
@ ESPN Events (FL)	24	33	9		66		27-65	.415	3-23	.130	9-17	.529	38	-4	18	12		8	7	15	69	0.92	.167	.325	.781
vs. Florida	18	33			51		17-57	.298	5-22	.227	12-19	.632	30		9	10		4	2	9	69	0.74	.145	.163	.535
@ ESPN Events (FL)	37	51			88	-37	35-78	.449	14-33	.424	4-5	.800	56	-26	20	8	-2	8	6	16	68	1.28	.116	.465	.837
ALCORN STATE	39	39			78	+24	27-61	.443	9-30	.300	15-18	.833	47	0	19	10		7	5	17	68	1.11	.143	.257	.644
	26	28			54		19-73	.260	5-22	.227	11-20	.550	47		9	8	-2	3	5	16	68	0.77	.114	.356	.743
EAST TENNESSEE STATE	54	42			96	+9	35-64	.547	9-21	.429	17-21	.810	40	+7	19	11	+1	7	8	12	74	1.25	.143	.290	.738
	37	50			87		33-71	.465	14-36	.389	7-12	.583	33		20	12		2	7	16	78	1.13	.156	.262	.710
at DePaul	47	25			72		26-51	.510	7-15	.467	13-22	.591	28		14	16		3	4	11	68	1.00	.222	.233	.750
	42	49			91	-19	32-62	.516	17-33	.515	10-13	.769	30	-2	24	12	-4	4	8	18	71	1.26	.167	.250	.767
KANSAS CITY	24	40			64		24-62	.387	3-19	.158	13-24	.542	33		7	6	+8	3	9	18	64	0.97	.091	.302	.667
	38	36			74	-10	28-53	.528	8-22	.364	10-18	.556	40	-7	16	14		3	5	16	62	1.12	.212	.333	.698
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MISCELLANEOUS

Result	Opponent	Opening Tipoff Player	Result	Opening Run By	Score	1st WSU... Points FG	1st Opponent... Points FG	First WSU Sub Time -- Player(s)	WSU Timeouts # First Called	WSU Dunks # Players
W	at WKU	Ballard	W	WSU	3-0	19:22 "	19:07 17:42	16:41 -- Bosnjak	2 8:58 1H	1 Ballard
W	MONTANA STATE	Ballard	W	WSU	12-0	19:45 "	16:27 "	16:34 -- Bell	2 00:23 1H	3 Ballard (2), Beverly
W	NORTHERN IOWA	Ballard	W	WSU	2-0	17:14 "	16:40 "	15:22 -- Bell, Bosnjak	1 00:26 1H	3 Ballard (2), Beverly
W	MONMOUTH	Bosnjak	W	MON	4-0	17:51 "	19:27 "	15:16 -- Bell	1 14:58 2H	5 Beverly (2), Bosnjak, Washington (2)
W	vs. Saint Louis	Ballard	W	SLU	2-0	19:16 18:20	19:32 "	16:32 -- Bell, Bosnjak	2 18:37 1H	2 Ballard, Beverly
W	vs. Minnesota	Ballard	L	WSU	2-0	19:13 "	18:32 "	15:48 -- Bell, Bosnjak	4 04:18 2H	4 Ballard (2), Beverly, Washington
L	vs. Florida	Ballard	W	WSU	3-0	18:30 "	18:13 "	15:39 -- Bell, Ighovodja	2 01:09 1H	2 Ballard, Washington
W	ALCORN STATE	Ballard	W	WSU	5-0	19:43 "	18:30 "	16:25 -- Bell, McGinnis	2 15:56 1H	6 Ballard (3), Beverly, Washington (2)
W	EAST TENNESSEE ST	Ballard	W	ETSU	3-0	19:19 "	19:39 "	15:39 -- Bell	2 04:16 2H	5 Ballard (2), Beverly, Washington (2)
L	at DePaul	Ballard	W	DU	3-0	18:30 "	18:41 "	15:33 -- Bell, Bosnjak	2 05:26 2H	1 Ballard
L	KANSAS CITY	Ballard	W	WSU	2-0	19:06 "	17:26 "	14:49 -- Bell, Bosnjak	4 11:13 1H	3 Ballard (2), Beverly
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LARGEST LEADS & DEFICITS

Largest...	#	----- ALL GAMES -----			#	---- AMERICAN REGULAR SEASON ----		
		Opponent	Date			Opponent	Date	
Halftime Lead	17	54-37 ETSU	12/7/24					
Halftime Lead Surrendered	5	47-42 at DePaul	12/14/24					
Halftime Lead Surrendered in Loss	5	47-42 at DePaul	12/14/24					
Halftime Deficit	19	18-37 vs. #18 Florida	11/29/24					
Halftime Deficit Overcome (tied or took lead)	1	30-31 MONMOUTH	11/18/24					
Halftime Deficit Overcome for Victory	1	30-31 MONMOUTH	11/18/24					
Lead	27	03:49 2H ALCORN STATE	12/4/24					
Lead Surrendered	5	02:02 1H at DePaul	12/14/24					
Lead Surrendered in Loss	5	02:02 1H at DePaul	12/14/24					
Deficit	48	01:38 2H vs. #18 Florida	11/29/24					
Deficit Overcome (tied or took lead)	8	08:59 1H at WKU	11/4/24					
Deficit Overcome in Victory	8	08:59 1H at WKU	11/4/24					
2nd Half Deficit Overcome (tied or took the lead)	7	15:15 2H MONMOUTH	11/18/24					
2nd Half Deficit Overcome in Victory	7	15:15 2H MONMOUTH	11/18/24					
2nd Half Lead Surrendered	5	20:00 2H at DePaul	12/14/24					
2nd Half Lead Surrendered in Loss	5	20:00 2H at DePaul	12/14/24					
Margin of Victory	25	88-63 vs. Saint Louis	11/22/24					
Margin of Defeat	37	51-88 vs. #18 Florida	11/29/24					

2024-25 HIGHS / LOWS

* = Tied school record ** = School record

WICHITA STATE

OPPONENT

Points, 1st Half	High	54	EAST TENNESSEE STATE (12/7/24)	42	at DePaul (12/14/24)
	Low	18	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)	24	vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)
Points, 2nd Half	High	48	2x, last: vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)	51	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
	Low	25	at DePaul (12/14/24)	26	vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)
Total Points	High	96	ETSU (12/7/24)	91	at DePaul (12/14/24)
	Low	51	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)	54	ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)
FG Made	High	35	ETSU (12/7/24)	35	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
	Low	17	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)	19	ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)
FG Attempted	High	68	vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)	78	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
	Low	51	at DePaul (12/14/24)	53	KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)
FG Percentage	High	.547	ETSU (12/7/24)	.528	KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)
	Low	.298	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)	.260	ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)
3-Pt. FG Made	High	11	at WKU (11/4/24)	17	at DePaul (12/14/24)
	Low	2	MONMOUTH (11/18/24)	3	vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)
3-Pt. FG Attempts	High	30	ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)	43	MONTANA STATE (11/9/24)
	Low	12	MONTANA STATE (11/9/24)	18	MONMOUTH (11/18/24)
3-Pt. FG Pct.	High	.467	at DePaul (12/14/24)	.515	at DePaul (12/14/24)
	Low	.133	MONMOUTH (11/18/24)	.130	vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)
FT Made	High	26	at WKU (11/4/24)	24	at WKU (11/4/24)
	Low	10	vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)	4	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
FT Attempted	High	36	at WKU (11/4/24)	34	at WKU (11/4/24)
	Low	14	vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)	5	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
FT Percentage	High	.846	MONTANA STATE (11/9/24)	.800	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
	Low	.542	KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)	.333	MONMOUTH (11/18/24)
Offensive Rebounds	High	14	NORTHERN IOWA (11/14/24)	21	ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)
	Low	7	4x, last: at DePaul (12/14/24)	6	2x, last: vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)
Total Rebounds	High	47	ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)	56	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
	Low	28	at DePaul (12/14/24)	30	at DePaul (12/14/24)
Rebound Margin	High	11	NORTHERN IOWA (11/14/24)	+26	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
	Low	-26	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)	-11	NORTHERN IOWA (11/14/24)
Assists	High	19	2x, last: ETSU (12/7/24)	24	at DePaul (12/14/24)
	Low	7	2x, last: KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)	9	ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)
Blocked Shots	High	8	at WKU (11/4/24)	8	2x, last: vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
	Low	1	vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)	1	vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)
Steals	High	12	MONMOUTH (11/18/24)	9	MONMOUTH (11/18/24)
	Low	2	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)	4	3x, last: vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)
Turnovers Forced	High	14	4x, last: KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)	16	at DePaul (12/14/24)
	Low	6	MONTANA STATE (11/9/24)	6	2x, last: KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)
Personal Fouls	High	21	at WKU (11/4/24)	25	at WKU (11/4/24)
	Low	9	vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)	15	2x, last: vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)

INDIVIDUAL HIGHS & LOWS

WICHITA STATE

OPPONENT

Points	31	Justin Hill -- at WKU (11/4/24)	28	Babacar Faye -- at WKU (11/4/24)
FG Made	9	2x, last: Xavier Bell -- KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)	10	Jaden Seymour -- ETSU (12/7/24)
FG Attempted	16	Justin Hill -- vs. Saint Louis (11/22/24)	20	Lu'Cye Patterson -- vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)
FG Percentage (min. 5 FGM)	6-6, 1.000	Quincy Ballard -- ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)	5-5, 1.000	Frank Mitchell -- vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)
3-Pt. FG Made	4	2x, last: AJ McGinnis -- ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)	5	2x, last: Isaiah Rivera -- at DePaul (12/14/24)
3-Pt. FG Attempted	8	AJ McGinnis -- ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)	12	Omari Hamilton -- ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)
3-Pt. Percentage (min. 4 FGM)	4-7, .571	Justin Hill -- at WKU (11/4/24)	4-5, .800	Ring Nyeri -- KANSAS CITY (12/17/24)
FT Made	9	Justin Hill -- at WKU (11/4/24)	10	Babacar Faye -- at WKU (11/4/24)
FT Attempted	12	Ronnie DeGray III -- at WKU (11/4/24)	16	Babacar Faye -- at WKU (11/4/24)
FT Percentage (min. 5 FTM)	8-8, 1.000	Xavier Bell -- MONMOUTH (11/18/24)	7-7, 1.000	Jacob Meyer -- at DePaul (12/14/24)
Rebounds	14	Quincy Ballard -- ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)	11	3x, last: Djahi Binet -- ALCORN STATE (12/4/24)
Assists	10	Bijan Cortes -- ETSU (12/7/24)	9	Conor Enright -- at DePaul (12/14/24)
Blocked Shots	5	Quincy Ballard -- ETSU (12/7/24)	4	2x, last: Rueben Chinyelu -- vs. #18 Florida (11/29/24)
Steals	4	2x, last: Bell/Beverly -- (MONMOUTH (11/18/24)	4	2x, last: Femi Odukale -- vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)
Minutes	34:46	Corey Washington -- at DePaul (12/14/24)	44:12	Lu'Cye Patterson -- vs. Minnesota (11/28/24)



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AJ MCGINNIS
6-3 | 5th | G
Huntsville, Ala.



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XAVIER BELL
6-2 | Sr. | G
Wichita, Kan.



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ZION PIPKIN
6-0 | Fr. | G
Houston, Texas



3

RONNIE DEGRAY III
6-6 | Sr. | F
Parker, Colo.



4

TJ WILLIAMS
6-5 | Fr. | G
Wichita, Kan.



5

ZANE MEEKS
6-9 | Gr. | F
Prairie Village, Kan.



6

COREY WASHINGTON
6-5 | Jr. | F
Little Rock, Ark.



8

YANIS BAMBA
6-5 | R-Fr. | G
Quebec, Canada



11

JUSTIN HILL
5-11 | 5th | G
Houston, Texas



12

JOY IGHOVODJA
6-4 | So. | G
Abeokuta, Nigeria



15

QUINCY BALLARD
6-11 | Sr. | C
Syracuse, N.Y.



17

MATEJ BOŠNJAK
6-9 | Sr. | C
Zagreb, Croatia



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HARLOND BEVERLY
6-5 | R-Sr. | G
Detroit, Mich.



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HENRY THENGVALL
6-6 | R-So. | F
Wichita, Kan.



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BIJAN CORTES
6-2 | Sr. | G
Kingfisher, Okla.