



EASTERN ILLINOIS

EASTERN ILLINOIS PANTHER FOOTBALL

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GAME 7



COACHES:

Adam Cushing (Univ. of Chicago, 2002)

EIU Record.....0-6 (1st)
OVC Record.....0-2 (1st)
vs. Jacksonville State0-0

John Grass (Jacksonville State, 1990)

JSU Record.....56-14 (6th year)
OVC Record.....39-2 (5th year)
Overall RecordSame
vs. Eastern Illinois.....5-0

SERIES

17th meeting, JSU leads 10-6
Last: @JSU 49, EIU 22 on Oct. 13, 2018

RANKINGS

Eastern Illinois / ---
Jacksonville State17 / 18
..... *STATS Media/AFCA Coaches*

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EIU Hosts Nationally Ranked Jacksonville State

Eastern Illinois vs. No. 17/18 Jacksonville State
O'Brien Field (10,000) • Charleston, Ill.
Oct. 12, 2019 • 12 p.m. • TV: ESPN+

NOTES TO KNOW

- Eastern Illinois was stopped just short of the goal line as time expired on Saturday afternoon as the Panthers just missed a potential game tying touchdown during a 24-17 loss at Murray State. The loss dropped EIU to 0-6 on the season, 0-2 in the OVC. Jacksonville State enters the weekend at 4-2 overall, 1-1 in the OVC.
- Jaelin Benefield has been a jack of all trades for the Panthers offense this fall as the freshman currently leads the team in scoring (3 touchdowns / 18 points), rushing yards (185) and pass receptions (29). The last running back to lead EIU in all three categories was Devin Church in both 2015 & 2016.
- Dytarious Johnson recovered two fumbles against Murray State on Saturday moving into the team lead for that category as he ranks second in the FCS this season. Johnson returned one of the fumbles 50 yards. The last EIU player to recover two fumbles in a game was Kamu Grugier-Hill on Nov. 28, 2015 against Northern Iowa in the FCS playoffs.

• Eastern Illinois will be playing a ranked FCS team for the 92nd time when the Panthers host Jacksonville State on Saturday. EIU is 25-66 all-time against ranked FCS schools but has posted an 18-24 record against ranked opponents when playing at O'Brien Field. EIU's last win over a ranked FCS opponent was Sept. 30, 2017 at Tennessee State.

THE SERIES

• Eastern Illinois and Jacksonville State will be meeting for the 17th time when the two schools face off on Saturday. JSU has won the last five OVC regular season titles including five straight wins over EIU to take a 10-6 all-time series lead. EIU won back-to-back games over JSU in 2012 & 2013 as the Panthers claimed back-to-back OVC championships. Since JSU joined the OVC in 2003, the two schools have won a combined 13 conference titles with the Gamecocks winning eight and the Panthers five.

Eastern Illinois (0-6, 0-2 OVC)			Jacksonville State (4-2, 1-1 OVC)		
Date	Opponent	Score/Time	Date	Opponent	Score/Time
Aug. 29	at Chattanooga	L 10-24	Aug. 29	at Southeastern Louisiana	L 14-35
Sept. 7	at Indiana	L 0-52	Sept. 7	CHATTANOOGA	W 41-20
Sept. 14	ILLINOIS STATE	L 3-21	Sept. 14	EASTERN WASHINGTON	W 49-45
Sept. 21	at Indiana State	L 6-16	Sept. 21	NORTH ALABAMA	W 30-12
Sept. 28	• TENNESSEE TECH	L 29-40	Sept. 28	• at Austin Peay	L 33-52
Oct. 5	• at Murray State	L 17-24	Oct. 5	• TENNESSEE STATE	W 31-23
Oct. 12	• JACKSONVILLE STATE	12 pm	Oct. 12	• at Eastern Illinois	12 pm
Oct. 19	• at UT Martin	2 pm	Oct. 19	• SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	3 pm
Oct. 26	• EASTERN KENTUCKY	2 pm	Oct. 26	• MURRAY STATE	3 pm
Nov. 9	• at Tennessee State	2 pm	Nov. 2	• at UT Martin	2 pm
Nov. 16	• SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	12 pm	Nov. 9	• at Tennessee Tech	1:30 pm
Nov. 23	• at Austin Peay	2 pm	Nov. 23	• EASTERN KENTUCKY	1 pm

• Ohio Valley Conference Game
All Times Central

2019 STATS FCS MEDIA -- (Week 6)

Rk.	Team	2019 Record
1.	North Dakota State (155)	5-0
2.	James Madison (1)	5-1
3.	South Dakota State	4-1
4.	Weber State	3-2
5.	Villanova	6-0
6.	Montana State	5-1
7.	Kennesaw State	4-1
8.	Montana	5-1
9.	Towson	3-2
10.	Northern Iowa	3-2
11.	Furman	4-2
12.	Nicholls State	3-2
13.	North Carolina A&T	4-1
14.	Illinois State	3-2
15.	Delaware	3-2
16.	Central Arkansas	3-2
17.	Jacksonville State	4-2
18.	Maine	2-3
19.	Youngstown State	4-1
20.	Southeast Missouri	3-2
21.	Princeton	3-0
22.	Stony Brook	4-2
23.	Southeastern Louisiana	3-2
24.	UC Davis	2-4
25.	Sam Houston State	4-2

2019 AFCA FCS COACHES -- (Week 6)

Rk.	Team	2019 Record
1.	North Dakota State (26)	5-0
2.	James Madison	5-1
3.	South Dakota State	4-1
4.	Kennesaw State	4-1
5.	Weber State	3-2
6.	Montana State	5-1
7.	Villanova	6-0
8.	Montana	5-1
9.	Towson	3-2
10.	Northern Iowa	3-2
11.	Furman	4-2
12.	Nicholls State	3-2
13.	Illinois State	3-2
14.	North Carolina A&T	4-1
15.	Delaware	3-2
16.	Central Arkansas	3-2
17.	Youngstown State	4-1
18.	Jacksonville State	4-2
19.	Princeton	3-0
20.	Maine	2-3
21.	UC Davis	2-4
22.	Southeast Missouri	3-2
23.	Stony Brook	4-2
24.	Sam Houston State	4-2
25.	Southeastern Louisiana	3-2

• Eastern Illinois defense forced five fumbles on Saturday against Murray State recovering four of them. The last time EIU forced four or more turnovers in a game was Sept. 30, 2017 with four against Tennessee State. The last time EIU recovered four or more fumbles in a game was Nov. 23, 2013 with four fumble recoveries against UT Martin.

• Eastern Illinois forced multiple turnovers in game for the third straight contest as they had four fumble recoveries at Murray State. The Panthers had two interceptions in the OVC opener against Tennessee Tech and two turnovers gained (1 FR, 1 INT) against Indiana State. EIU currently has ten turnovers gained for the season which ranks 30th in the FCS and fourth in the OVC.

• Cornelius Page had two pass break-ups on Saturday against Murray State as the senior defensive back now has six pass break-ups for the year to go along with one interception. He currently ranks 44th in the FCS in passes defended and sixth in the OVC. Page has 13 career pass break-ups and three career interceptions.

• Freshman linebacker Anthony Shockey has made an impact on the Panthers defense this season after making his second start of the season at Murray State. He finished the Murray State game with six tackles including 1.5 tackles for loss and a forced fumble. It was the second forced fumble of the season for Shockey who 38th in the FCS in forced fumbles. He is currently fourth on the team with 25 tackles which ranks second among OVC freshmen behind Davonta Wilson of Murray State with 27 tackles.

• Raymond Crittenden continues to have a solid season for the Panthers finishing with five tackles and a forced fumble on Saturday. He is tied for the team lead with two forced fumbles this season which ranks 38th in the FCS. Crittenden is second on the EIU team with 28 tackles and is tied for the team lead with 19 solo stops.

• Eastern Illinois continues to play solid run defense this season as the Panthers did not allow a 100-yard individual rusher for the fifth time in six games this year. On the season EIU is allowing 135.2 rushing yards per game which ranks as the 40th best run defense in the FCS and second best in the OVC. Only James Robinson of Illinois State has cracked the century mark against the Panthers this season.

• Eastern Illinois has had a team defense approach this year as the Panthers added nine tackles for loss on Saturday at Murray State with eight different players credited on tackles for loss. As a team EIU ranks 33rd in the FCS and third in the OVC in tackles for loss with 34 tackles for loss coming in the last four games. Dytarious Johnson is the team leader with six tackles for loss with Terrell Greer second on the team with five tackles for loss. Johnson and Greer both rank in the OVC top ten for tackles for loss this year.

• Freshman Stone Galloway continues to handle the punting duties for the Panthers. Against Murray State he had five punts for an average of 39.2 yards per punt. He had a long punt of 52 yards as he now has four punts over 50 yards this season. Galloway is averaging 39.6 yards per punt with three pinned inside the 20 yard line. Galloway is fifth in the OVC in punting average this season.

• The Panthers had their highest number of penalties and penalty yards of the season on Saturday at Murray State being flagged eight times for 52 yards. On the season EIU ranks 17th in the FCS in fewest penalty yards at 42.5 per game.

2019 OVC Standings

Team	OVC	Pct.	All	Pct.
UT Martin	2-0	1.000	3-2	.600
Austin Peay	1-0	1.000	3-2	.600
Southeast Missouri	1-0	1.000	3-2	.600
Tennessee Tech	1-1	.500	4-2	.667
Jacksonville State	1-1	.500	4-2	.667
Murray State	1-1	.500	3-3	.500
Eastern Kentucky	1-1	.500	3-3	.500
Tennessee State	0-2	.000	1-5	.167
Eastern Illinois	0-2	.000	0-6	.000

This Week In OVC Football

Saturday, October 12

Jacksonville State at Eastern Illinois	12 pm
Southeast Missouri at Austin Peay	2 pm
Murray State at Tennessee State	2 pm
UT Martin at Tennessee Tech	6 pm

Eastern Illinois 2019 Captains

Eastern Illinois voted on team captains for the 2019 season with Jaylon Banks, Joe Caputo, Terrell Greer, Austin Johnson and James Sheehan being elected.

OVC Predicted Order Of Finish

1. Jacksonville State (14)	126
2. Southeast Missouri (4)	115
3. Eastern Kentucky	98
4. Austin Peay	70
5. Murray State	61
Tennessee State	61
7. UT Martin	60
8. Eastern Illinois	35
9. Tennessee Tech	22

(first place votes in parenthesis)

Eastern Illinois Players On All-OVC Preseason Team

Terrell Greer - Defensive Line

2019 OVC Players of the Week

- Eastern Illinois offense continues to take advantage of all four downs that are provided as EIU was 2-of-4 on fourth down opportunities on Saturday at Murray State. This season EIU ranks second in the FCS in total times they have attempted a fourth down play having gone for it 27 times. Only UC Davis has more fourth down attempts at 28. EIU has been successful 16 times with their 59 percent success rate ranking 36th in the nation.

- Freshman Jaelin Benefield currently leads the Panthers in scoring with three touchdowns (18 points). The last freshman to lead Eastern Illinois in scoring for a season was Nick Bruno in 2014. The last non-kicker freshman to lead EIU in scoring for a season was Vincent Webb in 2003. Webb was also the last freshman to lead the Panthers in rushing for a season during that same 2003 campaign.

- Isaiah Hill received his NCAA transfer waiver to compete on Thursday afternoon prior to the Tennessee Tech game on Sept. 28. Hill made his first start for the Panthers last weekend at Murray State. The South Dakota State transfer has made an immediate impact on the EIU offense and special teams. He is third on the team with 14 receptions for 88 yards. He is averaging 29.7 yards per kickoff return on three returns and has three punt returns for nine yards.

- Eastern Illinois continues to build from the ground up on its offensive line as the Panthers started four true freshmen on the line for the second straight week. Anthony Imperio, Anthony Sottosanto, Chad Strickland and Elkhanaan Tanelus have joined junior center Cole Hoover as the starting five. This past weekend against Murray State they did not allow a sack to the Racers defense after allowing only one sack the previous week against Tennessee Tech.

- In addition to playing with four true freshmen in the offensive line, EIU has also used a youth movement across its entire team. Against Murray State last weekend, the Panthers did not have one senior on the roster play an offensive snap in the game. Only three total seniors saw action on the field with seniors Terrell Greer and Cornelius Page in the starting line-up.

- Part of the Panthers youth movement this season has come out of necessity as EIU has been hit with the injury bug at key times. Senior starters Joe Caputo and James Sheehan will return this week after each missing the last four weeks due to injury. Senior Matt Reyna has been out for the entire season with an injury suffered the week of the first game. Starting linebacker IZIAH Gulley is out for the season with a knee injury and wide receiver Xander Richards missed last week with an injury. This season EIU has more than 30 missed games by key players.

- Eastern Illinois fell to 0-6 on the season with the Panthers loss last Saturday at Murray State. EIU's worst start as an NCAA Division I program was 0-8 during the 2010 season. The Panthers would win two in a row in games nine and ten before losing the final regular season game to finish at 2-9.

- Josh Delgado knocked home a 30-yard field goal on Saturday at Murray State as he is now 3-of-6 for the season including 3-of-3 from 30-39 yards. Delgado's misses this season have come from inside the 30 (twice) and a 50-yard miss at Murray State.

- Harry Woodbery made just the fourth start of his EIU career on Saturday at Murray State passing for 231 yards and a touchdown. In four career starts he is 106-of-185 with 1,051 yards, nine touchdowns and two interceptions. All four starts have come against Tennessee Tech and Murray State.

EIU HEAD COACH ADAM CUSHING

Adam Cushing was hired as the 25th head coach in Eastern Illinois football history on Dec. 9, 2018. A Chicago native, Cushing made an immediate impact on the recruiting trail as the Panthers brought in more than 40 new players this season with a majority from the state of Illinois. Cushing came to EIU following a 15-year stint as an assistant coach at Northwestern where he coached the offensive line since 2009. He played collegiate football at the University of Chicago graduating in 2002. Complete Coach Adam Cushing bio available on page 6 of EIU game notes...

JACKSONVILLE STATE HEAD COACH JOHN GRASS

John Grass has had one of the most successful stints to open a coaching career in FCS history. Now in his sixth season Grass led Jacksonville State to the FCS National Championship game in 2015. The 1990 Jacksonville State graduate lost his first OVC game last season and has posted a 39-2 OVC record so far in his career with five straight OVC titles. His overall career coaching record is 56-14. He was JSU's offensive coordinator in 2013 before taking over as the head coach. He was a successful high school coach in Alabama with heading coaching stints at five different schools.

SCOUTING JACKSONVILLE STATE

Jacksonville State enters the weekend at 1-1 in the OVC after losing the opening week at Austin Peay and rallying to beat Tennessee State last weekend. Zerrick Cooper has been a weapon with his arm for the Gamecocks passing for 1,879 yards and 16 touchdowns this season. His top target has been Josh Pearson with 33 catches for 525 yards and nine touchdowns. Jamari Hester and Trae Barry have also hauled in more than 25 passes each this season. On defense Zack Woodard leads the team with 45 tackles. Marlon Bridges has added 29 tackles with four for loss and one interception.

ON THIS DATE IN EIU HISTORY

Oct. 12, 1963 - Barry Jacobsen broke through the Illinois State line with 5:03 remaining in the fourth quarter to block a punt that EIU would recover on the four yard line. The Panthers would score two plays later and Ed Wold knocked home the extra point to give Eastern Illinois a 14-13 win.

PREVIOUS OCTOBER 12 EASTERN ILLINOIS CONTESTS

Eastern Illinois football will be playing a game on October 12 for the 13th time in program history. The Panthers are 7-5 in their prior Oct. 12 contests.

Oct. 12, 2002	W 25-24 vs. Eastern Kentucky
Oct. 12, 1996	L 10-7 vs. Western Illinois
Oct. 12, 1991	L 16-15 at Indiana State
Oct. 12, 1985	W 21-14 vs. Illinois State
Oct. 12, 1974	W 13-3 vs. Delta State
Oct. 12, 1968	L 14-41 at Illinois State
Oct. 12, 1963	W 14-13 at Illinois State
Oct. 12, 1957	L 6-27 vs Southern Illinois
Oct. 12, 1940	W 12-8 vs. Millikin
Oct. 12, 1935	L 13-32 vs. Indiana State
Oct. 12, 1929	W 19-12 at Shurtleff College
Oct. 12, 1912	W 16-0 vs. Shurtleff College

TALE OF THE TAPE



Points Per Game.....	10.8	33.0
Average Points Allowed.....	29.5	31.2
First Downs.....	93	131
Rushing Yards Per Game.....	93.2	112.5
Rushing Touchdowns.....	4	11
Passing Yards Per Game.....	171.2	314
Passing Touchdowns.....	4	16
Average Yards Per Game.....	264.3	426.5
Interceptions Thrown.....	5	7
Fumbles - Lost.....	14-6	6-3
Turnovers Gained.....	10	9
Punting Average.....	35.7	42.6
Field Goals (ATT/MADE).....	3-of-5	2-of-3
3rd Down Conversions.....	13-of-103 (22%)	36-of-87 (41%)
4th Down Conversions.....	16-of-27 (59%)	11-of-15 (73%)
Sacks By (Yards).....	7 (53)	8 (53)
Penalties (Yards).....	33 (255)	39 (366)
Time of Possession (Game).....	29:06	30:23

Statistical Leaders

RUSHING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS		JACKSONVILLE STATE	
Jaelin Benefield.....	185	Michael Matthews.....	201
Chris Walker.....	122	Zerrick Cooper.....	191

PASSING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS		JACKSONVILLE STATE	
Harry Woodbery.....	764	Zerrick Cooper.....	1,879
.....		Zion Webb.....	5

RECEPTIONS (Yards)

EASTERN ILLINOIS		JACKSONVILLE STATE	
Jaelin Benefield.....	29 (199)	Josh Pearson.....	33 (525)
Robbie Lofton.....	22 (234)	Jamari Hester.....	27 (437)
Isaiah Hill.....	14 (88)	Trae Berry.....	25 (330)

TACKLES

EASTERN ILLINOIS		JACKSONVILLE STATE	
Dytarious Johnson.....	33	Zack Woodard.....	45
Raymond Crittenden.....	28	Traco Williams.....	39
Antonio Crosby.....	27	Jalen Choice.....	34
Anthony Shockey.....	25	Marlon Bridges.....	29
Terrell Greer.....	22	DJ Coleman.....	28

TACKLES FOR LOSS / SACKS

EASTERN ILLINOIS		JACKSONVILLE STATE	
Dytarious Johnson.....	6.....2	Tyre McKinney.....	4.5.....0
Terrell Greer.....	5.....0.5	DJ Coleman.....	4.....2
Austin Johnson.....	4.....1	Marlon Bridges.....	4.....1

**Eastern Illinois In The
OVC/NCAA Stats
2019**

TEAM

TEAM	NCAA	OVC
.....
Rushing Offense	106th	9th
Passing Offense	97th	8th
Passing Efficiency	122nd	9th
Total Offense	117th	9th
Scoring Offense	121st	9th
Rushing Defense	40th	2nd
Pass Defense	83rd	6th
Pass Efficiency Def.	114th	9th
Total Defense	49th	3rd
Scoring Defense	63rd	4th
Net Punting	74th	6th
Punt Returns	122nd	9th
Kickoff Returns	76th	5th
Turnover Margin	68th	6th
Turnovers Gained	30th	4th
Sacks	105th	8th
Tackles For Loss	33rd	3rd
Sacks Allowed	98th	8th
3rd Down Conversion	124th	9th
4th Down Conversion	36th	4th
3rd Down Defense	89th	5th
Red Zone Offense	110th	9th
Red Zone Defense	27th	3rd
Time of Possession	79th	8th

INDIVIDUAL (Top 50)

.....	NCAA	OVC
Raymond Crittenden (Forced Fumbles) ..	38th	5th
Anthony Shockey (Forced Fumbles)	38th	5th
Dytarious Johnson (Fumbles Recovered) ..	2nd	1st
Terrell Greer (Fumbles Recovered)	49th	7th
Bryce Dewberry (Fumbles Recovered) ..	49th	7th
Courtney Rowell (Fumbles Recovered) ..	49th	7th
Cornelius Page (Passes Defended)	44th	6th

SHUT OUT STREAK ENDS

Eastern Illinois had a 139 game streak of not being shut out in a game end Sept. 12, 2015 at Northwestern during 41-0 loss. The last time EIU had been shut out was Oct. 11, 2003 during a 41-0 loss versus Eastern Kentucky. In the 2015 season opener EIU had its streak of consecutive games scoring a touchdown end at 65 after the Panthers were held out of the end zone. The last time EIU had failed to score a touchdown was October 10, 2009 at Penn State. EIU's longest streak of consecutive games without being shutout was 197 from 1977-1997 which ranks fourth all-time among FCS schools.

Longest EIU Streaks

197 (1997-97) ended 8/28/97 at Western Illinois
139 (2003-15) ended 9/12/15 at Northwestern

OVC SUCCESS

Eastern Illinois was the OVC's most successful school in terms of wins during the first decade of the 2000's as the Panthers posted 72 wins during that span. EIU leads the conference with the most post-season appearances since the Panthers joined the league in 1996.

(FCS Playoff Appearances Since 1996)

- 11 - Eastern Illinois
- 8 - Jacksonville State
- 5 - Eastern Kentucky
- 3 - Tennessee State
- 2 - Murray State
- 2 - Southeast Missouri
- 1 - UT Martin
- 1 - Tennessee Tech
- 1 - Western Kentucky

EIU NCAA FBS TRANSFERS

- 11 - Johnathan Brantley (Tulane)
- 84 - Ryan James (Purdue)
- 89 - Eric Rooks (Hawai'i)

ESPN3 OVC GAME OF THE WEEK

Eastern Illinois football has been selected for two OVC Football Game of the Week matchups for the 2019 season...

Sept. 28 EIU vs. Tennessee Tech at 4 pm



NCAA PLAYOFF APPEARANCES

School.....# Appearances (Last)

Montana	24 (2015)
Eastern Kentucky	21 (2014)
Northern Iowa	20 (2018)
Appalachian State*	20 (2012)
Georgia Southern*	19 (2012)
Furman	17 (2017)
EASTERN ILLINOIS	16 (2015)
New Hampshire	16 (2017)
McNeese State	16 (2015)
Delaware	16 (2018)
James Madison	15 (2018)

* moved to the FBS level in 2013

FCS Division I Playoffs

- 1982 - Quarterfinals
- 1983 - First Round
- 1986- Quarterfinals
- 1989 - Quarterfinals
- 1995 - First Round
- 1996 - First Round
- 2000 - First Round
- 2001 - First Round
- 2002 - First Round
- 2005 - First Round
- 2006 - First Round
- 2007 - First Round
- 2009 - First Round
- 2012 - First Round
- 2013 - Quarterfinals
- 2015 - First Round



Division II Playoffs

- 1978 (National Champions)
- 1980 (National Runners-up)

**FCS PLAYOFF APPEARANCES
SINCE 2000**

School.....# Appearances (Last)

New Hampshire	14 (2017)
Montana.....	13 (2015)
Northern Iowa	11 (2018)
Appalachian State *	11 (2012)
EASTERN ILLINOIS	10 (2015)
Eastern Washington	10 (2018)
James Madison	10 (2018)

* moved to the FBS level in 2013



ADAM CUSHING

Eastern Illinois
 Head Football Coach
 1st year at Eastern Illinois
 (University of Chicago, 2002)

Eastern Illinois

- Hired as 25th head coach in program history – Dec. 9, 2018

Northwestern

- Coached 15 years on NU Staff, 13 seasons under Coach Pat Fitzgerald
- Team won Big Ten Conference West Division in 2018 (8-1 record)
- Helped coach team to win over Utah in 2018 Holiday Bowl in final game at Northwestern
- Coached Offensive Line for Wildcats since 2009
- Coached Superbacks position in 2008
- Coached Tight Ends & H-Backs in 2005-07
- Served as recruiting coordinator from 2008-10
- Graduate assistant coach in 2004
- Twice named one of Big Ten Top Recruiters by Rivals.com & ESPN.com
- Coached Drake Dunsmore (Freshman All-Big Ten / 7th Round NFL Pick)
- Offensive Line Blocked For Five (5) 1,000 yard rushers
- Offensive Line allowed fewest sacks in Big Ten in 2012
- Coached two selections to the East-West Shrine Game
- Coached Three Academic All-Americans
- Coached Seven All-Big Ten Offensive Line Selections
- Helped coach team to Ten (10) post-season Bowl appearances
- Coached two-time Rimington Award candidate Ben Burkett
- Coached Brandon Vitabile, a finalist for the William V. Campbell Trophy
- Coached offensive line that blocked for NCAA record plays vs. Auburn
 --- 115 offensive plays in 2010 Outback Bowl
 --- helped quarterback Mike Kafka set Outback Bowl record
- Coached offensive line unit that ranked in top four in Big Ten

University of La Verne

- Assistant Coach in 2002 & 2003
- Coached Tight Ends in 2002
- Coached Offensive Line in 2003

Personal

- Played collegiately at University of Chicago
- Three-time All-University Athletic Association Selection (1999-01) at Tight End
- Helped team win two UAA titles in 1998 & 2000
- Finished career with 72 receptions, 10th on University of Chicago all-time list
- Bachelor's Degree from University of Chicago in 2002 (Psychology)
- Master's Degree from University of La Verne in 2004
- Brother Matt Cushing played six years in National Football League (Pittsburgh)
- He and wife Dr. Jaime Cushing, DDS, have three children – Abigail, Dana and Alexander
- Native of Chicago, Illinois (attended Chicago Mt. Carmel HS)

CAREER

Head Coach - Eastern Illinois (2019--)
 Offensive Line Coach - Northwestern (2009-18)
 Superbacks Coach - Northwestern (2008)
 Tight Ends Coach - Northwestern (2005-07)
 Graduate Assistant - Northwestern (2004)
 Offensive Line Coach - La Verne (2003)
 Tight Ends Coach - La Verne (2002)

POST SEASON APPEARANCES

2018 - Holiday Bowl (Northwestern)
 2017 - Music City Bowl (Northwestern)
 2016 - Pinstripe Bowl (Northwestern)
 2015 - Outback Bowl (Northwestern)
 2012 - Gator Bowl (Northwestern)
 2011 - Mienneke Car Care Bowl of Texas (Northwestern)
 2010 - TicketCity Bowl (Northwestern)
 2009 - Outback Bowl (Northwestern)
 2008 - Alamo Bowl (Northwestern)
 2005 - Sun Bowl (Northwestern)

PLAYING CAREER

Played at University of Chicago (1998-01)
 Tight End

1998 - UAA Champions

2000 - UAA Champions

1999-01 - 3-time All-UAA selection at tight end

EDUCATION

Bachelor's - University of Chicago, 2002

Master's - University of La Verne, 2004

FAMILY

Wife: Dr. Jaime Cushing

Children: Abigail, Dana, Alexander





Adam Cushing
Head Coach
(1st year)
Univ. of Chicago, 2002



Chris Bowers
Def. Coordinator
(1st year)
Wittenberg Univ., 1999



John Kuceyeski
Off Cord. / Super Backs
(1st year)
Penn State, 2009



Benny Boyd
Special Teams / Corners
(1st year)
Aurora Univ., 2000



Chris Batti
Quarterbacks
(1st year)
Illinois, 2008



Deonte' Gibson
Defensive Line
(1st year)
Northwestern, 2015



Adam Gristick
Linebackers
(2nd year)
Eastern Illinois, 2015



Dan Hernandez
Offensive Line
(1st year)
Upper Iowa, 2009



Shane Kelly
Assistant Offensive Line
(1st year)
Eastern Illinois, 2012



Mark Philmore II
Wide Receivers
(1st year)
Northwestern, 2006



Neal Renna
Safeties
(1st year)
Heidelberg Univ., 2011



Jesse Walton
Outside Linebackers
(1st year)
Butler, 2000



Omar Young
Running Backs
(1st year)
Savannah State, 2005



Collin Geier
Defensive Quality Control
(1st year)
Missouri, 2019



Sergio Medina Jr
Offensive Quality Control
(1st year)
Eastern Illinois, 2012



Joe Orozco
Dir. of Football Performance
(1st year)
North Central, 2012



Matt Wright
Dir. Football Operations
(3rd year)
Florida State



Jordan Sanders
Quality Control Recruiting
(1st year)
Emporia State, 2014



Clint Bays
Equipment Manager
(12th year)
Eastern Illinois



Jason Heiar
Football Athletic Trainer
(6th year)
Iowa, 2000

EIU LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

Eastern Illinois Football The Last Time It Happened....

Passed for more than 300 yards...

Harry Woodbery, 334, vs. Tennessee Tech (Sept. 28, 2019)

Passed for more than 400 yards...

Johnathan Brantley, 443, vs. Indiana State (Sept. 15, 2018)

Threw four touchdown passes...

Harry Woodbery, 5, at Tennessee Tech (Sept. 29, 2018)

Johnathan Brantley, 4, vs. Indiana State (Sept. 15, 2018)

Rushed for more than 200 yards...

Isaiah Johnson, 236, at Murray State (Oct. 14, 2017)

Rushed for three touchdowns...

Isaiah Johnson, 3, vs. Austin Peay (Nov. 10, 2018)

Rushed for four touchdowns...

J.R. Taylor, 4 vs. Florida Atlantic (Nov. 16, 2002)

Had 12 Receptions...

Adam Drake, 13 at Eastern Kentucky (Oct. 11, 2014)

Erik Lora, 21 vs. Murray State (Sept. 22, 2012) ** OVC & EIU Single Game Record

Erik Lora, 18 vs. Towson (Dec. 13, 2013) ** FCS Playoff Single Game Record

Had 3 touchdown receptions...

Alexander Hollins, 3, at Arkansas (Sept. 1, 2018)

Alexander Hollins, 3, vs. Indiana State (Sept. 15, 2018)

Had 200 yards receiving...

Erik Lora, 269 vs. Murray State (Sept. 22, 2012) ** EIU Single Game Record

Adam Drake, 225 at UT Martin (Nov. 23, 2013)

Returned a punt for a touchdown...

Erik Lora, 1, vs. Tennessee Tech (Nov. 2, 2013) - (80 yards)

Shepard Little, 1, vs. Tennessee Tech (Nov. 2, 2013) - (75 yards)

Shepard Little, 1 at San Diego State (Aug. 31, 2013) - (60 yards)

Returned a kick-off for touchdown...

Matt Reyna, 1, vs. Indiana State (Sept. 15, 2018) - (96 yards)

Returned an interception for touchdown...

Bryce Dewberry, 1, vs. UT Martin (Oct. 20, 2018) - (61 yards)

Returned a fumble for touchdown...

Pono Choy, 1 at Southeast Missouri (Oct. 1, 2016) - (22 yards)

Recorded a safety...

Robert Haynes, 1 at Illinois State (Sept. 13, 2014) - combined with Taylor

Laquesse Taylor, 1 at Illinois State (Sept. 13, 2014) - combined with Haynes

Team at UT Martin (Nov. 14, 2015) - blocked punt out of end zone

Blocked a punt...

Julian Hess vs. Illinois State (Sept. 16, 2017) - returned for touchdown

Returned a blocked punt for touchdown - blocked by...

Mack Weaver, 1 vs. Illinois State (Sept. 16, 2017)... - Julian Hess

Blocked a field goal...

Terrell Greer & Mack Weaver, 1, at Murray State (Oct. 14, 2017)

Returned a blocked field goal for touchdown - blocked by...

Rashad Haynes, 1 vs. Samford (Nov. 17, 2007) - Trevor Frericks

***Returned a point after attempt for 2-point conversion...

Bradley Dewberry at Western Illinois (Sept. 3, 2015) - first in school history

EIU scored a two-point conversion

- (Rush) - J.R. Taylor, 2, at Murray State (Nov. 23, 2002)

- (Pass) - Xander Richards from Harry Woodbery, vs. Tennessee Tech (Sept. 28, 2019)

Won a game on a field goal...

Nick Bruno, 38 yards vs. UT Martin (Oct. 20, 2018) - overtime

Had 15 or more tackles on defense...

Pono Choy, 15, at Miami of Ohio (Sept. 10, 2016)

Had 3 or more sacks on defense...

Kory Lothe, 4 vs. Tennessee Tech (Nov. 8, 2003)

Had 4 or more tackles for loss on defense...

Dytarious Johnson, 5.5 vs. UT Martin (Oct. 20, 2018)

Recovered an onside kick...

Camden Meade, 1, at Southeast Missouri (Nov. 17, 2018)

Offensive Lineman Scored a Touchdown

Scott Taylor 1, at Austin Peay (Oct. 3, 2015) --- picked up fumble for 12-yard TD rush

2019 EASTERN ILLINOIS TOUCHDOWNS

Qtr.....	Play	Opponent
2.....	Nick Stricker 7 pass from Johnathan Brantley	Chattanooga
3.....	Harry Woodbery 4 run	Indiana State
1.....	Xander Richards 20 pass from Harry Woodbery	Tennessee Tech
3.....	Jaelin Benefield 2 run.....	Tennessee Tech
4.....	Jaelin Benefield 1 run.....	Tennessee Tech
4.....	Cooks 9 pass from Woodbery	Tennessee Tech
2.....	Jaelin Benefield 5 pass from Woodbery.....	Murray State
4.....	Chris Walker 3 run	Murray State

EASTERN ILLINOIS NFL CONNECTION

SAN FRANCISCO 49ers

Jimmy Garoppolo - Quarterback

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

Kamu Grugier-Hill - Linebacker

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

Sean Payton - Head Coach

CHICAGO BEARS

Ryan Pace - General Manager

HOUSTON TEXANS

Tim Kelly - Offensive Coordinator

MINNESOTA VIKINGS

Alexander Hollins - Wide Receiver (Practice Squad)



TEAM GAME RECORDS

TOTAL OFFENSE:

739.....vs. Illinois State.....	Sept. 14, 2013
704.....at UT Martin.....	Nov. 23, 2013
683.....vs. Winona State.....	Nov. 1, 1986
676.....vs. Saginaw State.....	Sept. 21, 1985
671.....vs. Austin Peay.....	Sept. 29, 2012
665.....vs. Southeast Missouri.....	Oct. 19, 2013
656.....vs. Illinois-Chicago.....	Sept. 27, 1969
654.....vs. Murray State.....	Nov. 8, 2014
643.....vs. Murray State.....	Oct. 6, 2018
641.....vs. Austin Peay.....	Sept. 24, 2016

RUSHING YARDAGE:

413.....vs. Austin Peay.....	Sept. 20, 2014
413.....vs. Jacksonville State.....	Nov. 16, 2013
398.....vs. St. Joseph.....	Oct. 27, 1973
384.....vs. Grand Valley State.....	Sept. 17, 1983
382.....at UT Martin.....	Nov. 1, 2001
379.....vs. Florida Atlantic.....	Nov. 16, 2002

RUSHING ATTEMPTS:

72.....vs. Western Illinois.....	1976
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PASSING YARDAGE:

509.....vs. Austin Peay.....	Sept. 29, 2012
509.....vs. Saginaw Valley.....	Sept. 21, 1985
501.....at UT Martin.....	Nov. 23, 2013
491.....vs. Illinois State.....	Sept. 14, 2013
486.....at Missouri State.....	Oct. 27, 1984
482.....vs. Western Kentucky.....	Nov. 10, 1984

PASSING ATTEMPTS:

62.....vs. Murray State.....	Sept. 22, 2012
61.....at Jacksonville State.....	Oct. 13, 2018
61.....vs. Murray State.....	Oct. 6, 2018
61.....vs. Illinois State.....	Sept. 15, 2012
58.....at Southern Illinois.....	Sept. 7, 2013
.....(4 other games with 58 attempts)	

PASSES COMPLETED:

40.....vs. Murray State.....	Sept. 22, 2012
40.....vs. Saginaw Valley.....	Sept. 21, 1985

TOUCHDOWNS:

12.....vs. Merom Academy.....	1920
10.....at UT Martin.....	Nov. 23, 2013
10.....vs. Kentucky State.....	Nov. 13, 1982

TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

7.....vs. Illinois State.....	Sept. 14, 2013
7.....vs. Southern Illinois.....	2012
6.....at UT Martin.....	Nov. 23, 2013
6.....at Northern Illinois.....	Sept. 21, 2013
.....(3 other games with 6 TD passes)	

MOST EIU POINTS IN A QUARTER:

35.....vs. Jacksonville State.....	Nov. 16, 2013
30.....vs. Kentucky State.....	Nov. 13, 1982
30.....vs. Central State.....	Sept. 26, 1981

MOST POINTS SCORED BY BOTH TEAMS:

105.....at Illinois State.....	Sept. 15, 2012
.....(ISU 54, EIU 51 - 2OT)	
102.....vs. Tennessee State.....	Nov. 2, 2002
.....(EIU 54; TSU 48)	

POINTS

82.....Merom Academy.....	Nov. 18, 1920
73.....Kentucky State.....	Nov. 13, 1982
70.....at UT Martin.....	Nov. 23, 2013
69.....Illinois College.....	1917
65.....Austin Peay.....	Sept. 29, 2012
64.....Winona State.....	Nov. 1, 1986
63.....Austin Peay.....	Sept. 20, 2014
63.....at Austin Peay.....	Oct. 10, 2013
62.....Lock Haven.....	Aug. 31, 1991
60.....at Wayne State.....	Nov. 9, 1968
60.....Oakland City.....	Oct. 17, 1925

EIU LOWEST OFFENSIVE TOTAL:

76.....at Youngstown State.....	Oct. 13, 1973
116.....at Indiana.....	Sept. 7, 2019
117.....Illinois State.....	Sept. 16, 2017
120.....Central Arkansas.....	Sept. 11, 2010
130.....at Central Michigan.....	Oct. 25, 1969
138.....at Northwestern.....	Sept. 12, 2015
138.....Illinois State.....	Nov. 25, 2006
142.....at McNeese State.....	Sept. 11, 1993
142.....at San Jose State.....	Sept. 5, 1987
142.....at Northern Iowa.....	Sept. 6, 1975

EIU FEWEST RUSHING YARDS:

-12.....at Northern Iowa.....	Oct. 7, 1995
-6.....Tennessee Tech.....	Sept. 17, 2011
-5.....UT Martin.....	Oct. 22, 2011
-3.....at San Jose State.....	Sept. 5, 1987
-3.....at Toledo.....	Sept. 22, 1984
1.....Illinois State.....	Oct. 6, 1984

EIU FEWEST PASSING YARDS:

-1.....at Murray State (2-of-6) +.....	Nov. 16, 1974
0.....Southeast Missouri *.....	Oct. 13, 2001
0.....Truman State (0-of-9).....	Sept. 10, 1977
5.....at Central Missouri (2-of-7).....	Oct. 4, 1975
10.....at Truman State (1-of-4).....	Sept. 11, 1976
10.....Fairmont State (1-of-13).....	Sept. 28, 1968
12.....at Indiana State (2-of-11).....	Nov. 18, 1995

* EIU did not attempt a pass in the game
 + EIU completed one pass for 5 yards and one pass for negative 6 yards in the game.

QUARTERBACK SACKS:

12.....vs. Southwest Missouri.....	1986
12.....vs. Kentucky State.....	1982

TURNOVERS:

8.....vs. Youngstown State.....	1981
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TURNOVERS CAUSED:

13.....vs. Northern Illinois.....	1940
9.....vs. Northeast Missouri.....	1983
9.....vs. Western Illinois.....	1980

EIU OVERTIME GAMES

DOUBLE OVERTIME

+ Nov. 26, 1983 at Indiana State.....	L 13-16
Nov. 11, 2000 at Illinois State.....	L 41-44
Sept. 15, 2012 at Illinois State.....	L 51-54
Sept. 14, 2013 at Southern Illinois.....	W 40-37
Sept. 30, 2017 at Tennessee State.....	W 19-16
Oct. 14, 2017 at Murray State.....	W 27-24

OVERTIME

+ Nov. 27, 1982 vs. Jackson State.....	W 16-13
Sept. 11, 2004 vs. Indiana State.....	L 30-33
Nov. 6, 2004 at Tennessee Tech.....	L 37-40
Nov. 6, 2010 at Tennessee State.....	W 31-28
Sept. 22, 2012 vs. Murray State.....	W 50-49
Oct. 11, 2014 at Eastern Kentucky.....	L 33-36
Sept. 19, 2015 vs. Illinois State.....	L 31-34
Oct. 17, 2015 at Tennessee State.....	W 25-22
Nov. 4, 2017 vs. Eastern Kentucky.....	W 23-20
Oct. 20, 2018 vs. UT Martin.....	W 24-21

+ 1982 & 1983 games in FCS playoffs

MOST PLAYS IN A GAME:

112.....at UT Martin.....	Nov. 23, 2013
106.....at Illinois State.....	2012
104.....vs. Murray State.....	Nov. 8, 2014

MOST PLAYS IN A GAME BY BOTH TEAMS:

210.....vs. Murray State.....	2012
.....Murray State (110), EIU (100)	

OPPONENTS AGAINST EASTERN ILLINOIS

TOTAL OFFENSE:

675.....Tennessee State.....	Nov. 2, 2002
674.....at Illinois State.....	Oct. 18, 1969
658.....Murray State.....	Oct. 6, 2018
656.....at Marshall.....	Sept. 12, 1992
631.....at Western Michigan.....	Sept. 8, 2012
629.....at San Diego State.....	Oct. 6, 2001
609.....at Northern Illinois.....	Sept. 24, 1994

RUSHING YARDAGE:

490.....at Central Michigan.....	Oct. 23, 1971
472.....Towson.....	Dec. 13, 2013
468.....at Illinois State.....	Oct. 18, 1969
449.....Murray State.....	Oct. 6, 2018
434.....at South Dakota State.....	Nov. 24, 2012
432.....Eastern Michigan.....	Oct. 21, 1972
425.....Southern Illinois.....	Nov. 7, 1987
420.....Central Michigan.....	Oct. 24, 1970
418.....at Northern Illinois.....	Sept. 24, 1994
411.....at Southeast Missouri.....	Oct. 1, 2011

PASSING YARDAGE:

529.....Hawai'i.....	Sept. 30, 2006
473.....Illinois State.....	Sept. 15, 2012
453.....Hawai'i.....	Aug. 31, 2002
452.....Hawai'i.....	Sept. 11, 1999
444.....Idaho.....	Nov. 25, 1989
441.....Indiana.....	Sept. 7, 2019
435.....Tennessee State.....	Nov. 2, 2002
423.....Murray State.....	Sept. 22, 2012
419.....Truman State (NEMO.).....	Sept. 6, 1986

POINTS

74.....Illinois Wesleyan.....	Sept. 30, 1921
63.....at Kansas State.....	Sept. 14, 2002
63.....at Marshall.....	Sept. 12, 1992
61.....at Hawai'i.....	Aug. 31, 2002
61.....Central Michigan.....	Nov. 2, 1957
61.....Millikin.....	Nov. 1, 1941
60.....Central Michigan.....	Oct. 2, 1954

LOWEST OFFENSIVE TOTAL:

-12.....vs. Kentucky State.....	Nov. 13, 1982
47.....Butler.....	Sept. 8, 1979
50.....UT Martin.....	Sept. 25, 1996
61.....California (Pa.).....	Aug. 30, 2003
65.....Central State (Ohio).....	Sept. 26, 1981
66.....Illinois State.....	Nov. 10, 1979

OPPONENT FEWEST RUSHING YARDS:

-67.....Kentucky State.....	Nov. 13, 1982
-23.....Eastern Kentucky.....	Nov. 18, 2000
-1.....Southeast Missouri.....	Nov. 9, 1996
-1.....Southern Illinois.....	Sept. 10, 1983
0.....Northern Michigan.....	Nov. 1, 1980

OPPONENT FEWEST PASSING YARDS:

5.....Central State (OH) (4-of-16).....	Sept. 26, 1981
7.....Youngstown State (1-of-12).....	Dec. 2, 1978
10.....Missouri State.....	Oct. 24, 1992
13.....Northwestern (La.) State.....	Sept. 8, 1990
20.....Butler.....	Sept. 8, 1979
20.....Cameron (Okla.).....	Oct. 15, 1977
22.....Austin Peay.....	Nov. 2, 1996

INDIVIDUAL GAME RECORDS

TOTAL OFFENSE:

Sean Payton..... 507 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 501 vs. Austin Peay 2012
 Sean Payton..... 498 vs. SW Missouri 1984
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 476 at UT Martin 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 469 vs. Illinois State 2013
Johnathan Brantley ..458 vs. Indiana State 2018
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 442 at Southern Illinois 2013
 Sean Payton..... 441 vs. W. Kentucky 1984

RUSHING YARDAGE:

J.R. Taylor 308 vs. Florida Atlantic..... 2002
 Kevin Staple 283 vs. Grand Valley..... 1983
 Nate Anderson 268 vs. St. Joseph 1973
 Nate Anderson 259 vs. SW Missouri 1972
 Shepard Little 245 vs. Jacksonville State 2013

RUSHING ATTEMPTS:

Willie High 48 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1993

PASSING YARDAGE:

Sean Payton..... 509 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Sean Payton..... 486 vs. SW Missouri 1984
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 480 vs. Illinois State 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 477 at UT Martin 2013
 Sean Payton..... 461 vs. W. Kentucky 1984
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 453 vs. Austin Peay 2012
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 450 at Northern Illinois 2013
 Johnathan Brantley ... 443 vs. Indiana State 2018

PASSING ATTEMPTS:

Harry Woodbery ... 68 vs. Tennessee Tech 2019
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 61 at Illinois State 2012
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 60 vs. Murray State..... 2012
 Tony Romo 58 vs. Hawai'i..... 2002
 Sean Payton..... 58 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Sean Payton..... 58 vs. Northern Iowa..... 1984

PASSES COMPLETED:

Sean Payton..... 40 vs. Saginaw Valley 1985
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 39 vs. Murray State..... 2012
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 38 vs. Towson 2013
 Johnathan Brantley ... 37 vs. Indiana State 2018
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 37 at Illinois State 2012

RECEIVING (CATCHES):

Erik Lora 21 vs. Murray State 2012
 * OVC Record
 Erik Lora 18 vs. Towson 2013
 Erik Lora 17 at UT Martin 2012
 Erik Lora 15 vs. SE Missouri 2012
 Willie White 15 vs. Illinois State 1971
 Adam Drake 14 at UT Martin 2013
 Erik Lora 14 at Northern Illinois 2013
 Andre Raymond 14 vs. Hawai'i 2002
 Rob Mehalic 14 vs. Delaware State 1981

RECEIVING (YARDS):

Erik Lora 269 vs. Murray State 2012
 Frank Cutolo 239 vs. Tennessee St. 2001
 Calvin Pierce 238 vs. SW Missouri 1986
 Adam Drake 225 at UT Martin 2013
 Chris Wright 217 at Tennessee State 2010
 Frank Cutolo 217 vs. Northern Iowa 2001
 Erik Lora 215 at UT Martin 2012
 Ralph Stewart 201 vs. S. Illinois 1988

ALL-PURPOSE RUSHING:

Poke Cobb 336 vs. Butler 1976
 Andre Raymond 335 vs. Hawai'i 2002

TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS:

Scott McGhee 4 vs. Northern Iowa 1978
 James Warring 4 vs. Northern Michigan 1978

RUSHING YARDS BY A QB:

Jalen Whitlow 142 at UT Martin 2015

TOUCHDOWNS:

Steve Turner 6 vs. Mecom Academy 1920
 Kevin Staple 5 vs. Kentucky State 1982
 Erik Lora 4 vs. Tennessee Tech 2013
 J.R. Taylor 4 vs. Florida Atlantic 2002
 J.R. Taylor 4 vs. Tennessee-Martin 2002
 Kevin Staple 4 vs. Grand Valley 1983
 James Warring 4 vs. Northern Michigan 1978
 Scott McGhee 4 vs. Northern Iowa 1978

TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

Jimmy Garoppolo ... 7 vs. Illinois State 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 6 at UT Martin 2013
 Jimmy Garoppolo ... 6 at Northern Illinois 2013
 Tony Romo 6 vs. Murray State 2000
 Jeff Christensen 6 vs. Kentucky State 1982
Others (5 touchdown passes in a game)
 Jimmy Garoppolo (4), Sean Payton (2),
 Tony Romo (1), Steve Turk (1), **Harry Woodbery (1)**

SOLO TACKLES:

Thomas Williams.... 20 vs. St. Joseph 1997
 Nick Ricks 18 vs. E. Kentucky 2002
 Chris Nicholson 17 vs. SW Missouri 1983
 Tim Lance 17 vs. Northern Iowa 1987
 John Noll 15 vs. Northern Iowa 1987
 Tim Lance 15 vs. W. Kentucky 1990
 Jeff Mills 14 vs. Western Illinois 1988
 Jeff Mills 14 vs. SW Missouri 1988

TACKLES FOR LOSS:

Trevor Frericks 7.0 vs. Tennessee State 2009

QUARTERBACK SACKS:

John Jurkovic 6 vs. SW Missouri 1986
 Pete Catan 6 vs. Southern Illinois 1979

PASSES INTERCEPTED:

Bill Glenn 5 vs. Northern Illinois 1940

MOST PASS RECEPTIONS BY A RUNNING BACK:

Devin Church 10 at Northern Iowa 2015
 DuWayne Pitts 9 vs. SW Missouri 1984

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN PASS:

Tony Romo to 98 vs. E. Kentucky 2000
 Will Bumphus

LONGEST TOUCHDOWN RUN:

Jimmy Lera 96 at Southeast Missouri 2014
 Poke Cobb 96 vs. Tennessee Tech 1976

LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR TD:

Roosevelt Williams. 98 vs. Tennessee St. 2001

LONGEST FUMBLE RETURN FOR TD:

Anthony Goodman, 70 vs. Eastern Kentucky 2013

LONGEST FIELD GOAL:

Rich Ehmke 58 vs. Northern Iowa 1986
 Steve Largent 53 vs. SW Missouri 1993

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN:

Chris Watson 100 vs. Northern Iowa 1995
 Marcus Potts 100 vs. Youngstown St. 1977

LONGEST PUNT:

Bob Babb 100 vs. Illinois State 1946
 Kevin Cook 86 vs. Southeast Missouri 2010
 (EIU Division I record)

LONGEST PUNT RETURN:

Bob Babb 100 vs. Millikin 1949
 Erik Lora 80 vs. Tennessee Tech 2013
 Jermaine Mobley 80 vs. Tennessee State 2004
 Frank Cutolo 80 at Central Florida 1999

MOST BLOCKED KICKS:

Kourtney Young 3 vs. Illinois State 2000
 Scott Johnson 3 vs. Western Illinois 1988
 Scott Johnson 3 vs. Western Kentucky 1988

MOST CONSECUTIVE PASSES COMPLETED:

Sean Payton..... 17 vs. Western Kentucky ... 1986
 Tony Romo 16 vs. Indiana State 2001

MOST FIELD GOALS:

Rich Ehmke 5 vs. Winona State 1986

MOST FUMBLE RECOVERIES:

Tied by many 2
 Last - Dytarious Johnson at Murray State 2019

MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN:

Jeff Thorne 7 vs. McNeese State 1993



All eyes are on **Rich Ehmke's (#6)** record-setting 58 yard field goal that gave the No. 8 ranked Panthers a 31-30 victory over No. 11 Northern Iowa on the last play of the game in 1986. Often described as the "most exciting game in EIU history," the Homecoming win in front of 11,000 plus fans propelled the Panthers on to the conference championship that season.

HOW DO YOU SAY THAT - EIU Pronunciation Guide

- 5 NEE-COLA Wadsworth
- 7 ISIAH Gulley
- 9 Jaylin Hayes BEN-uh-field
- 12 MARCUS Ray
- 13 X-ZAY-vur Shugars
- 16 Jo-ELL Barrows
- 20 Marcus BORN-slay-ter
- 22 Courtney Rowell (rhymes with "towel")
- 30 NILE (rhymes with "file") Hill
- 31 Anthony Muh-NAW-vez
- 38 Darius waw-DELL
- 42 Brandon GWEE-doe
- 46 Aw-MEER uh-KWELL
- 54 B. J. OH-Joe (like "mojo")
- 56 Christian Muh-SOOCH-ee
- 58 Anthony Im-PEER-ee-oh
- 59 James you-BOCK-ay
- 65 Nick ROSS-ler
- 66 Drew waw-LEE-guh
- 70 Bryce COAL-sun
- 72 El-Cannon TAN-uh-luss
- 73 Dillon Zer-LAN-is
- 75 McKinley NEV-ull (rhymes with "devil")
- 77 Ivan GLAY-zer
- 79 Anthony So-toh-SAWN-toh
- 82 ZANDER Richards
- 83 Tuh-REEK Phillips
- 88 TRAY-von Brown
- 93 Roh-NELL DAY-oh

EIU 2019 ROSTER BREAKDOWN BY STATE/YEAR

EIU Roster By Home State

Illinois	53
Texas	6
Florida	6
Indiana	6
Arkansas	5
Missouri	5
Oklahoma	4
Alabama	3
Georgia	2
Kentucky	2
Ohio	2
California	1
Connecticut	1
Hawai'i	1
Tennessee	1
Australia	1

EIU Roster By Class

Graduate Students	1
Senior	11
Junior	18
Sophomore	19
Redshirt Freshmen	11
Freshmen	38

MEDIA OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES

EASTERN ILLINOIS QUICK FACTS

LOCATION: Charleston, Illinois
FOUNDED: 1895
ENROLLMENT: 7,415
COLORS: Blue & Gray
CONFERENCE: Ohio Valley
STADIUM: O'Brien Field (10,000)
SURFACE: Matrix Turf
PRESIDENT: Dr. David Glassman
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Tom Michael

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WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE: Head coach Adam Cushing and EIU players will be available for media interviews following select practices each game week. Additional interview opportunities may be set through the EIU Media Relations Office.

OVC TELECONFERENCE: Each week during the football season all 9 head coaches in the Ohio Valley Conference will take part in a weekly teleconference on Tuesday mornings. The first teleconference will be Tuesday, August 27. EIU head coach Adam Cushing will speak at 11:03 a.m. (Central) each Tuesday. Media members can obtain the phone number and pass code from the EIU Sports Information office..

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC/LAST)
1	Scotty Gilkey, Jr.	QB	6-4	240	R-Jr	1	Tulsa, Okla. (Edison)
2	Bryce Dewberry	SAF	5-10	210	So	1	McDonough, Ga. (Eagles Landing)
3	Cornelius Page	DB	6-1	165	R-Sr	3	Camden, Ark. (Camden Fairview)
4	Raymond Crittenden	SAF	6-1	205	R-Jr	2	Hallandale, Fla. (Hallandale)
4	Isaiah Hill	WR	5-11	190	R-So	TR	Shorewood, Ill. (Minooka/South Dakota State Univ.)
5	Matt Reyna	WR	5-8	170	Sr	1	Kingwood Park, Texas (Kingwood Park / Navarro JC)
5	Nikola Wadsworth	LB	6-2	220	R-Jr	TR	Darien, Ill. (Oswego East / Idaho State Univ.)
6	Edwyn Brown	DB	6-5	200	R-So	1	Belleville, Ill. (Althoff Catholic)
6	Jonah O'Brien	QB	6-3	200	Fr	HS	Bartlett, Ill. (Bartlett)
7	Iziah Gulley	LB	6-2	210	R-Jr	2	Camden, Ark. (Camden Fairview)
7	Payton Powell	WR	6-0	155	R-Fr	RS	Lake Zurich, Ill. (Lake Zurich)
8	Harry Woodbery	QB	6-2	195	R-Jr	1	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands/Navarro JC)
8	Antonio Crosby	SAF	5-10	195	R-Jr	2	Chicago, Ill. (Simeon)
9	Jaelin Benefield	RB	5-10	160	Fr	HS	Pearland, Texas (Pearland)
12	Marques Ray	WR	6-0	185	R-Fr	RS	Chicago, Ill. (Simeon)
12	Joel Barrows	LB	6-3	215	Fr	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Brooks Prep)
13	Chris Walker	RB	6-1	210	GR	TR	Lewisburg, Tenn. (Marshall County/Cornell Univ.)
13	Xzavier Shugars	DB	5-10	180	R-Sr	2	Chamblee, Ga. (Chamblee)
14	Jaylon Banks	QB	6-1	190	R-So	SQ	Oswego, Ill. (Oswego East)
15	Will Shumpert	WR	6-6	215	Fr	HS	St. Louis, Mo. (Belleville West)
16	Donovan Perkins	DB	5-10	180	Fr	HS	Winnetka, Ill. (New Trier)
19	Robbie Lofton II	WR	6-3	185	R-Jr	1	Lexington, Ky. (Tates Creek)
20	Marcus Bornslater	SAF	6-3	200	R-So	SQ	Crossett, Ark. (Crossett)
21	Mark Williams	DB	6-0	175	R-Jr	2	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
22	Courtney Rowell	RB	6-2	200	R-So	1	South Bend, Ind. (St. Joseph)
23	JJ Ross	DB	6-2	195	Fr	HS	West Chester, Ohio (Lakota West)
24	Darshon McCullough	RB	5-9	190	Sr	3	Chicago, Ill. (Marist)
25	Charles Shelton IV	DB	5-11	160	R-Fr	RS	Maryland Heights, Mo. (Pattonville)
26	Jordan Jackson	DB	6-0	185	R-Jr	2	Blytheville, Ark. (Blytheville)
27	David Hardwick	RB	6-0	220	Fr	HS	Roselle, Ill. (Lake Park)
28	Skyler Mayes	LB	6-2	235	So	1	Paducah, Ky. (McCracken County)
29	Jonas Filer	DB	5-9	170	R-So	1	Chicago, Ill. (Chicago Mt. Carmel)
30	Nile Hill	DB	5-11	175	Fr	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Marist)
31	Anthony Manaves	SB	6-4	225	Fr	HS	Chicago, Ill. (St. Patrick)
32	Dylan Hughes	DB	5-11	170	Fr	HS	Milford, Ohio (Milford)
33	Austin Johnson	DL	6-3	245	R-So	1	St. Petersburg, Fla. (St. Petersburg)
34	Anthony Buchanan	RB	5-10	195	Fr	HS	Spring Valley, Ill. (Hall)
35	Eric Johnson	RB	5-11	190	Fr	HS	Gary, Ind. (Morton)
36	TJ Davis	DB	5-10	170	Fr	HS	St. Louis, Mo. (Trinity Catholic)
37	Matt Ross	DB	6-0	180	Fr	HS	Lombard, Ill. (Montini Catholic)
38	Darius Waddell	SAF	6-0	170	R-Fr	RS	Sherwood, Ark. (Sylvan)
39	D.J. Perry	WR	5-10	180	R-Sr	RS	Aurora, Ill. (Oswego East / Concordia College Chicago)
40	Jordan Williams	DB	5-9	200	Fr	HS	Oswego, Ill. (Oswego East)
41	Robert Columbus	RB	6-2	205	R-Sr	3	Kirkwood, Mo. (Kirkwood)
42	Brandon Guido	DB	5-9	190	Fr	HS	Naperville, Ill. (Waubonsie Valley)
43	Connor Aldrich	DB	6-0	170	Fr	HS	Rockford, Ill. (Harlem)
44	Nick Stricker	SB	6-2	245	Fr	HS	Lemont, Ill. (Lemont)
45	Joe Caputo	LB	6-2	235	R-Sr	3	Mount Prospect, Ill. (John Hersey)
46	Ameer Aqel	LB	6-2	220	Fr	HS	Orland Hills, Ill. (Andrew)
47	Anthony Shockey	LB	6-1	210	Fr	HS	Lombard, Ill. (Glenbard East)
48	Alex Smith	SB	6-2	225	R-Jr	2	Pompano Beach, Fla. (Blanche Ely)
49	Grant Edwards	LB	6-1	225	Fr	HS	Springfield, Ill. (Sacred Heart Griffin)
50	Sean Williams	LB	6-2	245	R-Jr	2	Chicago, Ill. (Morgan Park)
51	Dytarious Johnson	LB	6-1	270	Jr	2	Prattville, Ala. (Prattville/Alabama Prep)
52	Jason Johnson	LB	6-2	200	Fr	HS	Matteson, Ill. (Rich Central)
53	Stone Galloway	K	5-11	205	Fr	HS	Collinsville, Ill. (Althoff Catholic)
54	BJ Ojo	LB	6-3	215	R-Sr	1	Houston, Texas (Manvel / Riverside City College)
55	Charlie Brooks	DL	6-0	235	Fr	HS	Flossmoor, Ill. (Homewood-Flossmoor)

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC)
56	Christiaan Masucci	K/P	5-9	160	Fr	HS	Wildwood, Mo. (Lafayette)
57	Aaron 'Tiger' Woods	DL	6-3	250	R-So	SQ	Chicago, Ill. (Hinsdale South)
58	Anthony Imperio	OL	6-4	275	Fr	HS	Auburn, Ala. (Auburn)
59	James Ubaike	OL	6-4	280	R-Jr	1	Meriden, Conn. (Maloney / ND College of Science)
60	Aaron Miller	OL	6-5	290	R-Jr	1	Kaneohe, Haw. (St. Louis Prep)
61	Ben Solomon	OL	6-2	300	R-So	1	Indianapolis, Ind. (Bishop Chatard)
63	Matt Keys	OL	6-3	260	R-Fr	RS	Chicago, Ill. (Uplift Community)
64	Jerit Medler	OL	6-2	265	Fr	HS	Assumption, Ill. (Central A&M)
65	Nick Roessler	K/P	5-11	220	R-Fr	RS	Rock Island, Ill. (Rock Island)
66	Drew Walega	OL	6-6	300	R-Jr	2	Chicago, Ill. (St. Rita)
67	Chad Strickland	OL	6-5	280	Fr	HS	Salem, Ala. (Smiths Station)
68	Luther Harris	OL	6-6	375	R-Jr	2	Oklahoma City, Okla. (Heritage Hall)
69	Stephen Elmore	LS	6-0	240	So	1	Belleville, Ill. (Belleville East)
70	Bryce Coulson	LS	6-3	275	R-Jr	SQ	Brisbane, Australia (John Paul/Pima College)
71	Jose Sanchez	OL	6-4	340	R-So	1	Melrose Park, Ill. (Westchester Saint Joseph)
72	Elkhanan Tanelus	OL	6-2	330	Fr	HS	Naples, Fla. (Barron Collier)
73	Dylan Czerlanis	OL	6-4	290	Fr	HS	Antioch, Ill. (Antioch)
74	Dylan Scaggs	OL	6-6	295	Fr	HS	West Plains, Mo. (West Plains)
75	McKinley Neville	DL	6-3	260	Fr	HS	Batavia, Ill. (Batavia)
76	Cole Hoover	OL	6-4	260	R-Jr	2	Charleston, Ill. (Charleston)
77	Ivan Gleyzer	OL	6-4	290	Fr	HS	Lincolnshire, Ill. (Stevenson)
79	Anthony Sottosanto	OL	6-0	285	Fr	HS	Frankfort, Ill. (Lincoln-Way East)
80	Bryce Walker	SB	6-4	200	R-Fr	1	Duncanville, Texas (Duncanville)
81	Jalen Johnson	WR	6-2	190	R-So	1	Owasso, Okla. (Owasso)
82	Xander Richards	WR	6-4	180	R-So	1	Burleson, Texas (Burleson Centennial)
83	Teriq Phillips	WR	6-3	185	So	1	Pompano Beach, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
84	Ryan James	WR	6-3	205	R-So	TR	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle Institute / Purdue Univ.)
85	Kirk Pinkston Jr.	WR	5-10	175	Fr	HS	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence Central)
86	James Sheehan	SB	6-3	220	R-Sr	3	Flossmoor, Ill. (Homewood-Flossmoor)
87	DeWayne Cooks Jr	WR	6-2	155	R-Fr	RS	Tulsa, Okla. (Booker T. Washington)
88	Trevon Brown	WR	6-0	190	Fr	HS	Oak Park, Ill. (Oak Park-River Forest)
89	Eric Rooks	WR	6-3	195	R-Fr	TR	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle Institute / Univ. of Hawaii)
90	Josh Delgado	K	5-11	245	So	1	Duncanville, Texas (Duncanville)
91	D'Mitri George	DE	6-3	255	R-So	1	Lafayette, Ind. (Central Catholic)
92	Cameron Leach	DL	6-1	285	Fr	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Nazareth Academy)
93	Ronell Deo	DL	6-2	265	R-Sr	1	Elk Grove, Calif (Franklin/Sierra College)
94	Dominic Moore	DL	6-7	290	Fr	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Chicago Perspectives Charter)
95	Kylan Cole	DE	6-2	280	R-So	1	Zionsville, Ind. (Carmel)
96	Terrell Greer	DL	5-10	305	Sr	3	Chicago, Ill. (Mount Carmel)
97	Tim Varga	DL	6-3	240	Fr	HS	Elk Grove Village, Ill. (Elk Grove Village)
98	Anthony Lewis	LB	6-0	205	R-Fr	RS	Chicago, Ill. (St. Laurence)
99	Jayden O'Neal	DL	6-1	275	R-Fr	RS	Chicago, Ill. (Simeon)

EASTERN ILLINOIS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

43..... Connor Aldrich..... DB	91..... D'Mitri George..... DE	28..... Skyler Mayes..... LB	25..... Charles Shelton IV..... DB
46..... Ameer Agel..... LB	1..... Scotty Gilkey, Jr..... QB	24..... Darshon McCullough..... RB	47..... Anthony Shockey..... LB
14..... Jaylon Banks..... QB	77..... Ivan Gleyzer..... OL	64..... Jerit Medler..... OL	13..... Xzavier Shugars..... DB
12..... Joel Barrows..... LB	96..... Terrell Greer..... DL	60..... Aaron Miller..... OL	15..... Will Shumpert..... WR
9..... Jaelin Benefield..... RB	42..... Brandon Guido..... DB	94..... Dominic Moore..... DL	48..... Alex Smith..... SB
20..... Marcus Bornslater..... SAF	7..... Iziah Gullely..... LB	75..... McKinley Neville..... DL	61..... Ben Solomon..... OL
55..... Charlie Brooks..... DL	27..... David Hardwick..... RB	6..... Jonah O'Brien..... QB	79..... Anthony Sottosanto..... OL
6..... Edwyn Brown..... DB	68..... Luther Harris..... OL	54..... BJ Ojo..... LB	44..... Nick Stricker..... SB
88..... Trevon Brown..... WR	4..... Isaiah Hill..... WR	99..... Jayden O'Neal..... DL	67..... Chad Strickland..... OL
34..... Anthony Buchanan..... RB	30..... Nile Hill..... DB	3..... Cornelius Page..... DB	72..... Elkhanan Tanelus..... OL
45..... Joe Caputo..... LB	76..... Cole Hoover..... OL	16..... Donovan Perkins..... DB	58..... James Ubaike..... DL
95..... Kylan Cole..... DE	32..... Dylan Hughes..... DB	39..... D.J. Perry..... WR	97..... Tim Varga..... DL
41..... Robert Columbus..... RB	58..... Anthony Imperio..... OL	83..... Teriq Phillips..... WR	38..... Darius Waddell..... SAF
87..... DeWayne Cooks Jr..... WR	26..... Jordan Jackson..... DB	85..... Kirk Pinkston Jr..... WR	5..... Nikola Wadsworth..... LB
70..... Bryce Coulson..... LS	84..... Ryan James..... WR	7..... Payton Powell..... WR	66..... Drew Walega..... OL
4..... Raymond Crittenden..... SAF	33..... Austin Johnson..... LB	12..... Marques Ray..... WR	13..... Chris Walker..... RB
8..... Antonio Crosby..... SAF	51..... Dytarius Johnson..... LB	5..... Matt Reyna..... WR	80..... Bryce Walker..... SB
73..... Dylan Czerlanis..... OL	35..... Eric Johnson..... RB	82..... Xander Richards..... WR	40..... Jordan Williams..... DB
36..... TJ Davis..... DB	81..... Jalen Johnson..... WR	65..... Nick Roessler..... K/P	21..... Mark Williams..... DB
90..... Josh Delgado..... K	52..... Jason Johnson..... LB	89..... Eric Rooks..... WR	50..... Sean Williams..... LB
93..... Ronell Deo..... DL	63..... Matt Keys..... OL	23..... JJ Ross..... DB	8..... Harry Woodbery..... QB
2..... Bryce Dewberry..... SAF	92..... Cameron Leach..... DL	37..... Matt Ross..... DB	57..... Aaron 'Tiger' Woods..... DL
49..... Grant Edwards..... LB	98..... Anthony Lewis..... DL	22..... Courtney Rowell..... RB	
69..... Stephen Elmore..... LS	19..... Robbie Lofton II..... WR	71..... Jose Sanchez..... OL	
29..... Jonas Filer..... DB	31..... Anthony Manaves..... SB	74..... Dyaln Scaggs..... OL	
53..... Stone Galloway..... K	56..... Christiaan Masucci..... K/P	86..... James Sheehan..... SB	

EIU OFFENSE

QUARTERBACK

8 ... Harry Woodbery	6-2	195	R-Jr
14 ... Jaylon Banks	6-1	190	R-So

RUNNING BACK

9 ... Jaelin Benefield	5-10	160	Fr
13 ... Chris Walker	6-1	210	Gr

SUPER BACK

44 ... Nick Stricker	6-2	245	Fr
or 86 ... James Sheehan	6-3	220	R-Sr

LEFT TACKLE

67 ... Chad Strickland	6-5	270	Fr
58 ... Anthony Imperio	6-4	275	Fr

LEFT GUARD

61 ... Ben Solomon	6-2	300	R-So
or 72 ... Elkhanan Tanelus	6-2	330	Fr

CENTER

76 ... Cole Hoover	6-4	290	R-Jr
61 ... Ben Solomon	6-2	300	R-So

RIGHT GUARD

79 ... Anthony Sottosanto	6-0	285	Fr
71 ... Jose Sanchez	6-4	340	R-So

RIGHT TACKLE

58 ... Anthony Imperio	6-4	275	Fr
60 ... Aaron Miller	6-5	290	R-Jr

RECEIVER

12 ... Marques Ray	6-0	185	R-Fr
87 ... Dewayne Cooks Jr	6-2	155	R-Fr

RECEIVER

19 ... Robbie Lofton II	6-3	185	R-Jr
83 ... Teriq Phillips	6-3	185	So

RECEIVER

7 ... Isaiah Hill	5-11	190	R-So
or 82 ... Xander Richards	6-4	180	R-So

EIU COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Adam Cushing (Univ. of Chicago, 2002 - 1st year)
(Career Record 0-6; OVC Record 0-2)

Defensive Coordinator: Chris Bowers (1st year)

Offensive Coordinator/SB's: John Kuceyeski (1st year) -- booth

Defensive Backs / Special Teams: Benny Boyd (1st year)

Safeties: Neal Renna (1st year) -- booth

Defensive Line: Deonte Gibson (1st year)

Linebackers: Adam Gristick (2nd year) -- booth

Outside Linebackers: Jesse Walton (1st year)

Running Backs: Omar Young (1st year) -- booth

Wide Receivers: Mark Philmore II (1st year)

Quarterbacks: Chris Batti (1st year)

Offensive Line: Dan Hernandez (1st year)

Assistant Offensive Line: Shane Kelly (1st year)

Director of Football Performance: Joe Orozco (1st year)

Trainer: Jason Heiar (6th year)

Football Operations: Matt Wright (3rd year)

Equipment Manager: Clint Bays (11th year)

Offensive Quality Control: Sergio Medina Jr. (1st year)

Defensive Quality Control: Collin Geier (1st year)

Recruiting Quality Control: Jordan Sanders (1st year)

Football Player Development: Zach Mentzer (1st year)

EIU DEFENSE

DEFENSIVE END

55 ... Charlie Brooks	6-0	235	Fr
33 ... Austin Johnson	6-3	245	R-So

NOSE TACKLE

96 ... Terrell Greer	5-10	305	Sr
92 ... Cameron Leach	6-1	285	Fr

DEFENSIVE TACKLE

95 ... Kylan Cole	6-2	280	R-So
93 ... Ronell Deo	6-2	265	R-Sr

DEFENSIVE END/LINEBACKER

51 ... Dytarious Johnson	6-1	270	Jr
91 ... D'Mitri George	6-3	255	R-So

LINEBACKER

45 ... Joe Caputo	6-2	235	R-Sr
54 ... BJ Ojo	6-3	215	R-Sr

LINEBACKER

50 ... Sean Williams	6-2	245	R-Jr
47 ... Anthony Shockey	6-1	210	Fr

LINEBACKER

4 ... Raymond Crittenden	6-1	205	R-Jr
54 ... BJ Ojo	6-3	215	R-Sr

CORNERBACK

21 ... Mark Williams	6-0	175	R-Jr
25 ... Charles Shelton IV	5-11	160	R-Fr

FREE SAFETY

8 ... Antonio Crosby	5-10	195	R-Jr
20 ... Marcus Bornslater	6-3	200	R-So

STRONG SAFETY

26 ... Jordan Jackson	6-0	185	R-Jr
3 ... Cornelius Page	6-1	165	R-Sr

CORNERBACK

23 ... JJ Ross	6-2	195	Fr
3 ... Cornelius Page	6-1	165	R-Sr

EIU SPECIALISTS

KICKER

90 ... Josh Delgado	5-11	245	So
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KICKOFF

90 ... Josh Delgado	5-11	245	So
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PUNTER

53 ... Stone Galloway	5-11	205	Fr
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HOLDER

8 ... Harry Woodbery	6-2	195	R-Jr
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LONG SNAPPER *

69 ... Stephen Elmore	6-0	240	So
70 ... Bryce Coulson	6-3	275	R-Jr

PUNT RETURNS

7 ... Isaiah Hill	5-11	190	R-So
39 ... D.J. Perry	5-10	180	R-Sr

KICK RETURNS

7 ... Isaiah Hill	5-11	190	R-So
32 ... Dylan Hughes	5-11	17-	Fr
21 ... Mark Williams	6-0	175	R-Jr

* Coulson snaps on punts / Elmore snaps on FG & Extra Points



GAME 1 - Aug. 29, 2019

Eastern Illinois 10
 Chattanooga 24

Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Finley Stadium (8,254)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	3	7	0	0	10
Chattanooga	7	10	7	0	24

FIRST QUARTER

UTC - Tiano 1 run (Ulmo kick) - 5:14
 EIU - Delgado 37 field goal - 0:25

SECOND QUARTER

UTC - Nunnally 59 pass from Tiano (Ulmo kick) - 8:01
 EIU - Stricker 7 pass from Brantley (Delgado kick) - 2:39
 UTC - Ulmo 37 field goal - 0:00

THIRD QUARTER

UTC - Ford 1 run (Ulmo kick) - 10:24

TEAM STATS EIU UTC

First Downs	22	14
Rushes-Yards	36-130	33-94
Passing-Yards	224	256
Comp-Att-Int	26-47-1	17-27-2
Total Offense	354	350
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	0-0
Penalties-Yards	5-34	11-95
Int Returns-Yards-TD	2-15-0	1-19-0
Time of Possession	34:19	25:41
Sacks-Yards	0-0	1-3

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Benefield (6-49-0), Brantley (12-29-0)
 UTC - Ford (12-50-1), Prcie (15-33-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Brantley (25-13-0-103-1), Woodbery (22-13-1-121-0)
 UTC - Tiano (27-17-2-256-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Richards (5-67-0), Ray (4-35-0), Pinkston (4-30-0)
 UTC - Nunnally (6-100-1), Henderson (4-65-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Caputo (7-1-1.5), Gulley (5-0-0), Crosby (5-0-1)
 UTC - Cooper (7-3-0), Boeck (6-0-0), Maxwell (3-3-1.5)

RECAP

Following two good defensive stands by Eastern Illinois, the Panthers had a fumble on special teams that was recovered by Chattanooga deep in EIU territory. The Mocs would convert that turnover into a 1-yard Nick Tiano touchdown as they beat the Panthers 24-10 in the coaching debut for EIU's Adam Cushing. The Panthers defense would allow only 94 yards on the ground and forced a pair of turnovers with interceptions by Raymond Crittenden and Bryce Dewberry. On offense, EIU had both of its quarterbacks pass for more than 100 yards. Johnathan Brantley, the game's starter, had the lone touchdown pass for EIU hitting Nick Stricker on a 4th and 4 for a seven-yard touchdown.



GAME 2 - Sept. 7, 2019

Eastern Illinois 0
 Indiana 52

Bloomington, Ind.
 Memorial Stadium (37,784)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	0	0	0	0	0
Indiana	21	14	7	10	52

FIRST QUARTER

IU - Miles 10 pass from Penix Jr (Justus kick) - 11:05
 IU - Scott III 5 run (Justus kick) - 4:28
 IU - Gest 3 run (Justus kick) - 1:34

SECOND QUARTER

IU - Hendershot 8 pass from Penix Jr (Justus kick) - 1:44
 IU - Walker Jr 64 pass from Ramsey (Justus kick) - 1:07

THIRD QUARTER

IU - Hale 43 pass from Ramsey (Justus kick) - 7:19

THIRD QUARTER

IU - James 1 run (Campbell kick) - 13:28
 IU - Campbell 48 field goal - 11:54

TEAM STATS EIU IU

First Downs	5	26
Rushes-Yards	31-52	34-114
Passing-Yards	64	441
Comp-Att-Int	11-25-0	30-41-0
Total Offense	116	555
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	6-39	6-45
Int Returns-Yards-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Time of Possession	27:25	32:35
Sacks-Yards	0-0	2-12

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - McCullough (6-18-0), Benefield (6-15-0)
 IU - Scott III (12-61-1), James (12-22-1)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Brantley (17-8-0-49-0), Woodbery (8-3-0-15-0)
 IU - Penix Jr (20-14-0-197-2), Ramsey (14-13-0-226-2)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Sheehan (2-18-0), Lofton (2-16-0)
 IU - Hale (5-110-1), Hendershot (5-52-1)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Caputo (7-0-0), Crittenden (5-1-1), M. Williams (5-1-0)
 IU - Elliott (4-0-1), Jones (4-0-0), Head (2-2-1)

RECAP

Indiana scored on its first three offensive possessions of the first quarter as the Hoosiers ran away with a 52-0 win over Eastern Illinois. The Panthers offense was held without a first down until the second quarter while picked up only five first downs to move the chains during the game. EIU had one drive into Indiana territory but failed to cash in that chance in the third quarter. EIU finished with 116 yards of total offense compared to 555 yards for the Hoosiers.



GAME 3 - Sept. 14, 2019

#12 Illinois State 21
 Eastern Illinois 3

Charleston, Ill.
 O'Brien Field (6,119)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Illinois State	7	7	7	0	21
Eastern Illinois	0	3	0	0	3

FIRST QUARTER

ILST - Robinson 6 run (Fenlason kick) - 11:12)

SECOND QUARTER

ILST - Robinson 7 run (Fenlason kick) - 10:41
 EIU - Delgado 34 field goal - 0:18

THIRD QUARTER

ILST - Robinson 52 run (Fenlason kick) - 8:43

TEAM STATS EIU ILST

First Downs	12	14
Rushes-Yards	39-118	51-254
Passing-Yards	79	31
Comp-Att-Int	10-28-0	5-11-0
Total Offense	197	285
Fumbles-Lost	3-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	2-20	6-70
Int Returns-Yards-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Time of Possession	27:42	32:18
Sacks-Yards	2-11	8-60

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Brantley (23-49-0), McCullough (10-33-0)
 ILST - Robinson (23-146-3), Proctor (17-71-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Brantley (27-10-0-79-0), Woodbery (1-0-0-0-0)
 ILST - Davis (11-5-0-31-0)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Benefield (7-44-0), Lofton (2-30-0)
 ILST - Edgar (1-13-0), Proctor (1-10-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - D. Johnson (3-6-3), Caputo (0-7-0.5), Dewberry (2-4-1)
 ILST - Draka (4-7-1), Kirk (4-2-0), Mends (3-3-1)

RECAP

James Robinson scored three rushing touchdowns while the Illinois State defensive line applied pressure all day long on Eastern Illinois quarterbacks as the 12th ranked Redbirds won the 108th Mid-America Classic, 21-3. Robinson scored on the first drive of the day and then again in the second quarter before Josh Delgado broke a seven quarter scoreless draught for the EIU offense with a 34-yard field goal. EIU was able to drive inside the ISU 25-yard line on four occasions but came away with only three points. ISU finished the day with eight sacks.



GAME 4 - Sept. 21, 2019

Eastern Illinois 6
Indiana State 16

Terre Haute, Ind.
Memorial Stadium (6,216)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	0	0	6	0	6
Indiana State	10	3	0	3	16

FIRST QUARTER

INST - Nunez 23 field goal - 10:03
INST - Morgan 69 pass from Wilderman (Nunez kick) - 0:33

SECOND QUARTER

INST - Nunez 27 field goal - 1:59

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - Woodbery 4 run (kick failed) - 1:10

FOURTH QUARTER

INST - Nunez 21 field goal - 9:33

TEAM STATSEIUINST

First Downs.....	13	19
Rushes-Yards.....	33-121	50-148
Passing-Yards.....	79	195
Comp-Att-Int.....	12-29-3	15-23-1
Total Offense.....	200	343
Fumbles-Lost.....	2-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards.....	5-60	5-50
Int Returns-Yards-TD.....	1-6-0	3-37-0
Time of Possession.....	23:34	36:26
Sacks-Yards.....	1-3	3-12

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Walker (10-49-0), Benefield (8-36-0)
INST - Wilderman (15-50-0), Sims (11-43-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Brantley (7-4-1-16-0), Woodbery (22-8-2-63-0)
INST - Boyle (1-1-0-9-0), Wilderman (22-14-1-186-1)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Benefield (4-21-0), Richards (2-19-0), Lofton (2-15-0)
INST - Morgan (4-90-1), Hendrix (4-37-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - A. Johnson (4-9-3), D. Johnson (6-4-0), Crosby (2-8-0)
INST - Griffith (6-6-0), Glasco (3-6-2.5), Bonner (2-5-0)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois defense limited Indiana State to four field goal attempts with three successful tries following four Panthers turnovers that resulted in the Sycamores starting each of the four drives in EIU territory. The solid defensive effort was not enough as the Panthers offense could only muster a short touchdown run by Harry Woodbery in the fourth quarter as Indiana State won 16-6. EIU's defense had three players finish in double figures for tackles with Austin Johnson making 13 tackles with three tackles for loss. The Sycamores big play came late in the first quarter when backup quarterback Kurt Wilderman connected with Rontrez Morgan down the near sideline for a 69-yard touchdown.



GAME 5 - Sept. 28, 2019

Tennessee Tech 40
Eastern Illinois 29

Charleston, Ill.
O'Brien Field (7,055)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Tennessee Tech	0	21	13	6	40
Eastern Illinois	7	0	7	15	29

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - Richards 20 pass from Woodbery (Delgado kick) - 3:58

SECOND QUARTER

TTU - Hicks 5 pass from Fisher (Parker kick) - 10:06
TTU - Wilkes 2 pass from Fisher (Parker kick) - 7:51
TTU - Stafford 16 pass from Fisher (Parker kick) - 7:30

THIRD QUARTER

TTU - Hicks 13 pass from Fisher (Parker kick) - 13:12
TTU - Stafford 11 pass from Fisher (kick failed) - 7:55
EIU - Benefield 2 run (Delgado kick) - 3:47

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - Benefield 1 run (Delgado kick) - 8:21
TTU - Kilpatrick 27 pass from Fisher (rush failed) - 3:54
EIU - Cooks 9 pass from Woodbery (Richards recp.) - 0:59

TEAM STATSEIU TTU

First Downs.....	21	19
Rushes-Yards.....	26-67	35-51
Passing-Yards.....	334	277
Comp-Att-Int.....	34-68-1	24-37-2
Total Offense.....	401	328
Fumbles-Lost.....	5-2	3-0
Penalties-Yards.....	7-50	9-61
Int Returns-Yards-TD.....	2-33-0	1-20-0
Time of Possession.....	28:44	31:16
Sacks-Yards.....	2-10	1-7

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Benefield (14-46-2), Woodbery (7-10-0)
TTU - Fisher (13-29-0), Gist (6-25-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Woodbery (68-34-1-334-2)
TTU - Fisher (34-22-2-269-6), Miller (3-2-0-8-0)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Lofton (10-124-0), Benefield (8-69-0)
TTU - Stafford (4-73-2), Kilpatrick (4-65-1)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - S. Williams (5-2-1), D. Johnson (2-4-2), George (3-2-2)
TTU - A. Moore (5-2-1), Carlisle (4-2-0.5)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois had its best offensive day of the season but a pair of second quarter turnovers led to 14 Tennessee Tech points as the Golden Eagles beat the Panthers 40-29. EIU jumped on the board in the first quarter as Harry Woodbery hit Xander Richards for a touchdown. It was the first lead of the season for the Panthers. For Woodbery it was one of a school record 68 passing attempts on the day. TTU would answer with 21 points in the second quarter, with 14 coming off turnovers. TTU eventually built the lead to 34-7 before EIU closed the gap late with a pair of Jaelin Benefield short rushing touchdowns.



GAME 6 - Oct. 5, 2019

Eastern Illinois 17
Murray State 24

Murray, Ky.
Stewart Stadium (4,205)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Eastern Illinois	0	7	3	7	17
Murray State	7	2	7	8	24

FIRST QUARTER

MUR - Hayes 23 pass from Rice (Webber kick) - 12:06

SECOND QUARTER

MUR - Warren safety
EIU - Benefield 5 pass from Woodbery (Delgado kick) - 0:20

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - Delgado 30 field goal - 5:05
MUR - Sappington 12 pass from Rice (Webber kick) - 3:31

FOURTH QUARTER

MUR - Brooks 23 pass from Rice (Sappington recp.) - 9:59
EIU - Walker 3 run (Delgado kick) - 8:04

TEAM STATSEIUMUR

First Downs.....	19	21
Rushes-Yards.....	26-71	36-150
Passing-Yards.....	231	274
Comp-Att-Int.....	30-49-0	19-29-0
Total Offense.....	302	424
Fumbles-Lost.....	1-1	5-4
Penalties-Yards.....	8-52	8-93
Int Returns-Yards-TD.....	0-0-0	0-0-0
Time of Possession.....	32:54	27:06
Sacks-Yards.....	2-29	0-0

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Benefield (14-32-0), Walker (9-29-1)
MUR - McMillan (6-51-0), McCray (10-40-0)

PASSING (Att-Cmp-Int-Yds-TD)

EIU - Woodbery (49-30-0-231-1)
MUR - Rice (29-19-0-274-3)

RECEIVING (No -Yds -TD)

EIU - Benefield (7-51-1), I. Hill (7-50-0), Phillips (5-43-0)
MUR - Green (4-71-0), Brooks (3-45-1), Bell (2-42-0)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - Dewberry (3-4-0), Shockey (5-1-1.5), D. Johnson (5-0-0)
MUR - Koclanakis (7-7-1), Catis (8-4-1), Warren (2-3-2)

RECAP

Murray State made a tackle at the half-yard line as time expired to keep Eastern Illinois out of the end zone a potential game tying touchdown during a 24-17 Racers win. EIU had moved the ball to the four yard line with 19 second remaining and no time outs. Harry Woodbery hit DeWayne Cooks on a crossing route and Cortez Roberts made the tackle at the one and only Cooks to fall a half yard. EIU had earlier touchdowns from Jaelin Benefield and Chris Walker while a Josh Delgado field goal in the third quarter gave the Panthers a 10-9 lead. Murray State answered with two touchdowns and a two-point conversion to lead 24-10 before the final dramatic drive. EIU's defense forced five fumbles on the day recovering four of them leading to three points.

2019 EIU PANTHERS FOOTBALL
 EASTERN ILLINOIS Game Results
 All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall Record	Ohio Valley Record	Time	Attend
Aug 29, 2019	at Chattanooga	10-24 L	0-1	0-0	3:05	8,254
Sep 7, 2019	at Indiana	0-52 L	0-2	0-0	3:03	37,784
Sep 14, 2019	#12 ILLINOIS STATE	3-21 L	0-3	0-0	2:55	6,119
Sep 21, 2019	at Indiana State	6-16 L	0-4	0-0	2:53	6,216
* Sep 28, 2019	TENNESSEE TECH	29-40 L	0-5	0-1	3:35	7,055
* Oct 5, 2019	at Murray State	17-24 L	0-6	0-2	3:20	4,205

* indicates Ohio Valley Conferece game

2019 EASTERN ILLINOIS STARTERS

OPPONENT	WR	WR	RT	RG	C	LG	LT	WR	SB/WR	RB	QB
Chattanooga	Richards	Lofton	Hoover	Sottosanto	Solomon	Tanelus	Strickland	Ray	Sheehan	Rowell	Brantley
Indiana	Richards	Lofton	Miller	Sottosanto	Solomon	Tanelus	Strickland	Ray	Sheehan	Benefield	Brantley
Illinois State	Richards	Lofton	Miller	Sottosanto	Solomon	Sanchez	Strickland	Ray	Stricker	Benefield	Brantley
Indiana State	Richards	Lofton	Miller	Sottosanto	Hoover	Sanchez	Strickland	Ray	Stricker	Benefield	Brantley
Tenn. Tech	Richards	Lofton	Imperio	Sottosanto	Hoover	Tanelus	Strickland	Ray	Stricker	Benefield	Woodbery
Murray State	I. Hill	Lofton	Imperio	Sottosanto	Hoover	Tanelus	Strickland	Ray	Cooks	Benefield	Woodbery

OPPONENT	DE	NT	DT	DE/LB	LB	LB	LB	CB	SAF	SAF	CB
Chattanooga	A. Johnson	Greer	Deo	D. Johnson	Caputo	Gulley	Crittenden	J. Ross	Crosby	Dewberry	Page
Indiana	A. Johnson	Greer	Deo	D. Johnson	Caputo	Gulley	Crittenden	M. Williams	Crosby	Dewberry	Page
Illinois State	A. Johnson	Greer	Cole	D. Johnson	Caputo	Shockey	Crittenden	M. Williams	Crosby	Dewberry	J. Ross
Indiana State	A. Johnson	Greer	Cole	George	Mayes	D. Johnson	S. Williams	M. Williams	Crosby	Dewberry	J. Ross
Tenn. Tech	A. Johnson	Greer	Cole	D. Johnson	Mayes	S. Williams	Crittenden	M. Williams	Crosby	J. Jackson	J. Ross
Murray State	Brooks	Greer	George	D. Johnson	Shockey	S. Williams	Crittenden	M. Williams	Page	J. Jackson	J. Ross

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL
 Eastern Illinois Overall Team Statistics (as of Oct 05, 2019)
 All games

Team Statistics	EIU	OPP
SCORING	65	177
Points Per Game	10.8	29.5
Points Off Turnovers	3	30
FIRST DOWNS	93	113
Rushing	29	50
Passing	48	60
Penalty	16	3
RUSHING YARDAGE	559	811
Yards gained rushing	714	987
Yards lost rushing	155	176
Rushing Attempts	191	239
Average Per Rush	2.9	3.4
Average Per Game	93.2	135.2
TDs Rushing	4	8
PASSING YARDAGE	1027	1474
Comp-Att-Int	123-246-5	110-168-5
Average Per Pass	4.2	8.8
Average Per Catch	8.3	13.4
Average Per Game	171.2	245.7
TDs Passing	4	15
TOTAL OFFENSE	1586	2285
Total Plays	437	407
Average Per Play	3.6	5.6
Average Per Game	264.3	380.8
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	14-265	9-170
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-3	8-45
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-54	5-76
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	18.9	18.9
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	0.6	5.6
INT RETURN AVERAGE	10.8	15.2
FUMBLES-LOST	14-6	10-5
PENALTIES-Yards	33-255	45-438
Average Per Game	42.5	73.0
PUNTS-Yards	42-1500	30-1178
Average Per Punt	35.7	39.3
Net punt average	34.6	39.2
KICKOFFS-Yards	17-872	33-1921
Average Per Kick	51.3	58.2
Net kick average	38.4	41.8
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	29:06	30:54
3RD-DOWN Conversions	23/103	39/87
3rd-Down Pct	22%	45%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	16/27	2/8
4th-Down Pct	59%	25%
SACKS BY-Yards	7-53	16-95
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	8	23
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	3-6	5-8
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-1	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(11-17) 65%	(19-26) 73%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(8-17) 47%	(15-26) 58%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(6-7) 86%	(20-21) 95%
ATTENDANCE	13174	56459
Games/Avg Per Game	2/6587	4/14115
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Eastern Illinois	10	17	16	22	0	65
Opponents	52	57	41	27	0	177

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	6	52	208	23	185	3.6	2	31	30.8
WALKER, Chris	6	32	124	2	122	3.8	1	18	20.3
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	53	192	94	98	1.8	0	26	24.5
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	18	64	4	60	3.3	0	10	20.0
RAY, Marques	6	3	59	0	59	19.7	0	11	9.8
WOODBERY, Harry	6	15	41	21	20	1.3	1	10	3.3
COLUMBUS, Robert	2	3	7	0	7	2.3	0	5	3.5
ROWELL, Courtney	6	13	17	11	6	0.5	0	4	1.0
HILL, Isaiah	2	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	1.0
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	191	714	155	559	2.9	4	31	93.2
Opponents	6	239	987	176	811	3.4	8	52	135.2

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
WOODBERY, Harry	6	90.63	88-170-4	51.8	764	3	30	127.3
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	76.83	35-76-1	46.1	263	1	37	65.8
Total	6	86.37	123-246-5	50.0	1027	4	37	171.2
Opponents	6	162.69	110-168-5	65.5	1474	15	69	245.7

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	6	29	199	6.9	1	37	33.2
LOFTON, Robbie	6	22	234	10.6	0	30	39.0
HILL, Isaiah	2	14	88	6.3	0	13	44.0
RICHARDS, Xander	6	11	136	12.4	1	20	22.7
RAY, Marques	6	10	86	8.6	0	20	14.3
PHILLIPS, Teriq	4	6	63	10.5	0	22	15.8
COOKS Jr., Dewayne	4	6	49	8.2	1	15	12.2
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	6	37	6.2	0	20	7.4
SHEEHAN, James	2	5	72	14.4	0	24	36.0
WALKER, Chris	6	5	2	0.4	0	5	0.3
ROOKS, Eric	5	3	32	10.7	0	21	6.4
SMITH, Alex	3	2	12	6.0	0	7	4.0
ROWELL, Courtney	6	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.2
STRICKER, Nick	6	1	7	7.0	1	7	1.2
JAMES, Ryan	2	1	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	1	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.7
Total	6	123	1027	8.3	4	37	171.2
Opponents	6	110	1474	13.4	15	69	245.7

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HILL, Isaiah	3	9	3.0	0	11
DEWBERRY, Bryce	1	2	2.0	0	2
PAGE, Corneliuss	1	-8	-8.0	0	0
Total	5	3	0.6	0	11
Opponents	8	45	5.6	0	10

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
ROSS, JJ	2	39	19.5	0	33
CRITTENDEN, Raymo	1	0	0.0	0	0
PAGE, Corneliuss	1	0	0.0	0	0
DEWBERRY, Bryce	1	15	15.0	0	15
Total	5	54	10.8	0	33
Opponents	5	76	15.2	0	34

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	6	84	14.0	0	23
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	61	20.3	0	22
HILL, Isaiah	3	89	29.7	0	35
WILLIAMS, Mark	1	18	18.0	0	18
PAGE, Corneliuss	1	13	13.0	0	10
Total	14	265	18.9	0	35
Opponents	9	170	18.9	0	34

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
JOHNSON, Dytarious	1	50	50.0	0	49
Total	1	50	50.0	0	49
Opponents	1	9	9.0	0	9

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dcp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
DELGADO, Josh	-	3-6	6-7	-	-	-	-	-	15
RICHARDS, Xander	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
WALKER, Chris	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WOODBERRY, Harry	1	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	6
COOKS Jr., Dewayne	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
STRICKER, Nick	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	8	3-6	6-7	-	1	1-1	-	-	65
Opponents	23	5-8	20-21	0-1	1	1-1	-	1	177

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
WOODBERRY, Harry	6	185	20	764	784	130.7
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	129	98	263	361	90.2
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	6	52	185	0	185	30.8
WALKER, Chris	6	32	122	0	122	20.3
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	18	60	0	60	20.0
RAY, Marques	6	3	59	0	59	9.8
COLUMBUS, Robert	2	3	7	0	7	3.5
ROWELL, Courtney	6	13	6	0	6	1.0
HILL, Isaiah	2	1	2	0	2	1.0
Total	6	437	559	1027	1586	264.3
Opponents	6	407	811	1474	2285	380.8

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
DELGADO, Josh	3-6	50.0	0-0	0-2	3-3	0-0	0-1	37	0

FG Sequence	Eastern Illinois	Opponents
Chattanooga	(37)	(37),36
Indiana	-	(48)
Illinois State	(34),29	-
Indiana State	-	(23),(27),(21),36
Tennessee Tech	24	-
Murray St.	50,(30)	44

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
GALLOWAY, Stone	21	832	39.6	53	0	2	3	4	0
DELGADO, Josh	15	498	33.2	48	0	9	3	0	0
MASUCCI, Christiaan	5	156	31.2	38	0	1	1	0	0
TEAM	1	14	14.0	14	0	0	0	0	1
Total	42	1500	35.7	53	0	12	7	4	1
Opponents	30	1178	39.3	55	0	10	10	3	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
DELGADO, Josh	17	872	51.3	2	0			
Total	17	872	51.3	2	0	18.9	38.4	26
Opponents	33	1921	58.2	11	0	18.9	41.8	23

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Ja	6	185	199	0	84	0	468	78.0
LOFTON, Robbi	6	0	234	0	0	0	234	39.0
HILL, Isaiah	2	2	88	9	89	0	188	94.0
RAY, Marques	6	59	86	0	0	0	145	24.2
RICHARDS,Xan	6	0	136	0	0	0	136	22.7
WALKER, Chris	6	122	2	0	0	0	124	20.7
McCULLOUGH,	3	60	-2	0	61	0	119	39.7
BRANTLEY, Joh	4	98	0	0	0	0	98	24.5
SHEEHAN, Jam	2	0	72	0	0	0	72	36.0
PHILLIPS, Teriq	4	0	63	0	0	0	63	15.8
COOKS Jr., Dew	4	0	49	0	0	0	49	12.2
ROSS, JJ	6	0	0	0	0	39	39	6.5
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	0	37	0	0	0	37	7.4
ROOKS, Eric	5	0	32	0	0	0	32	6.4
WOODBERRY, H	6	20	0	0	0	0	20	3.3
WILLIAMS, Mar	5	0	0	0	18	0	18	3.6
DEWBERRY, Br	5	0	0	2	0	15	17	3.4
ROWELL, Court	6	6	7	0	0	0	13	2.2
SMITH, Alex	3	0	12	0	0	0	12	4.0
STRICKER, Nick	6	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.2
COLUMBUS, Ro	2	7	0	0	0	0	7	3.5
PAGE,Cornelius	6	0	0	-8	13	0	5	0.8
JAMES, Ryan	2	0	5	0	0	0	5	2.5
Total	6	559	1027	3	265	54	1908	318.0
Opponents	6	811	1474	45	170	76	2576	429.3

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 Eastern Illinois Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Oct 05, 2019)
 All games

#	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
51	JOHNSON, Dytarious	6	19	14	33	6.0-26	2.0-10	.	1	1	2-50	.	.	.	
4	CRITTENDEN, Raymo	6	19	9	28	1.0-4	.	1-0	1	1	.	2	.	.	
8D	CROSBY, Antonio	6	16	11	27	2.0-3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
47	SHOCKEY, Anthony	6	17	8	25	3.0-12	0.5-8	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
45	CAPUTO, Joe	3	14	8	22	2.0-2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
96	GREER, Terrell	6	7	15	22	5.0-13	0.5-1	.	.	3	1-0	.	.	.	
2	DEWBERRY, Bryce	5	11	10	21	1.0-3	.	1-15	1	.	1-0	1	.	.	
21	WILLIAMS, Mark	5	15	6	21	1.0-33	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
50	WILLIAMS, Sean	6	9	11	20	2.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	JOHNSON, Austin	6	8	12	20	4.0-17	1.0-8	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
91	GEORGE, D'Mitri	6	5	10	15	3.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	ROSS, JJ	6	10	5	15	.	.	2-39	1	.	.	.	.	.
95	COLE, Kylan	6	5	9	14	1.5-4	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	PAGE, Corneliuss	6	10	4	14	0.5-1	.	1-0	6	.	.	.	.	.
26	JACKSON, Jordan	5	6	6	12	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	JOHNSON, Jason	4	6	5	11	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	MAYES, Skyler	4	4	6	10	1.5-3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
55	BROOKS, Charlie	6	4	6	10	1.5-14	1.5-14	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
97	VARGA, Tim	6	6	2	8	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
99	O'NEAL, Jayden	6	3	4	7	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59	UBAIKE, James	5	2	5	7	2.0-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
20	BORNSLATER, Marcus	5	4	3	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
93	DEO, Ronell	6	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	GULLEY, Iziah	2	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	LEACH, Cameron	6	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	OJO, BJ	6	2	3	5	1.0-10	0.5-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	SHELTON, Charles	6	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	COLUMBUS, Robert	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	AQEL, Ameer	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	ROWELL, Courtney	6	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
82	RICHARDS, Xander	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
49	EDWARDS, Grant	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
19	LOFTON, Robbie	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	BENEFIELD, Jaelin	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
86	SHEEHAN, James	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	FILER, Jonas	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	BROWN, Edwyn	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7X	HILL, Isaiah	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	HUGHES, Dylan	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38	WADDELL, Darius	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	GUIDO, Brandon	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Total		6	238	176	414	43-171	7-53	5-54	17	10	5-50	6	.	.	
Opponents		6	242	131	373	46-174	16-95	5-76	37	22	6-9	6	1	1	

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL
 Eastern Illinois Team Game-by-Game (as of Oct 05, 2019)
 All games

TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Aug 29	at Chattanooga	36	130	0	31	26	240	1	24	26-47-1	240	1	24	2	21	0	13	2	-6	0	2	370
Sep 07	at Indiana	31	52	0	9	11	64	0	14	11-25-0	64	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116
Sep 14	ILLINOIS STATE	39	118	0	26	10	79	0	37	10-28-0	79	0	37	3	61	0	22	0	0	0	0	197
09/21/2019	at Indiana State	33	121	1	18	12	79	0	20	12-29-3	79	0	20	5	83	0	23	0	0	0	0	200
Sep 28	TENNESSEE TECH	26	67	2	11	34	334	2	30	34-68-1	334	2	30	2	37	0	26	2	10	0	11	401
Oct 05	at Murray St.	26	71	1	15	30	231	1	22	30-49-0	231	1	22	2	63	0	35	1	-1	0	0	302
Eastern Illinois		191	559	4	31	123	1027	4	37	123-246-5	1027	4	37	14	265	0	35	5	3	0	11	1586
		239	811	8	52	110	1474	15	69	110-168-5	1474	15	69	9	170	0	34	8	45	0	10	2285

Games: 6 • Avg/rush: 2.9 • Avg/catch: 8.3 • Pass effic: 86.37 • KR avg: 18.9 • PR avg: 0.6 • All purpose avg/game: 318.0 • Total offense avg/gm: 264.3

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off				
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts		
Aug 29	at Chattanooga	44	2	46	5.0-10	0.0-0	0	0-0	2-15	1	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Sep 07	at Indiana	53	12	65	4.0-12	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	3	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 14	ILLINOIS STATE	29	44	73	8.0-35	2.0-11	1	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
09/21/2	at Indiana State	30	68	98	8.0-19	1.0-3	1	1-0	1-6	1	3	0	0-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Sep 28	TENNESSEE TECH	41	24	65	9.0-52	2.0-10	1	0-0	2-33	3	6	0	3-3	0	1	0	0	0	0	29
Oct 05	at Murray St.	41	26	67	9.0-43	2.0-29	3	4-50	0-0	2	2	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	3	17	
Eastern Illinois		238	176	414	43.0-171	7.0-53	6	5-50	5-54	10	17	0	6-7	0	1	0	3	65		
		242	131	373	46.5-174	16.0-95	6	6-9	5-76	22	37	1	20-21	0	1	1	30	177		

Date	Opponent	Punting							Field Goals			Kickoffs						
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 29	at Chattanooga	6	201	33.5	44	0	0	6	0	2	1-1	37	0	3	179	59.7	0	0
Sep 07	at Indiana	11	347	31.5	48	1	0	2	0	1	0-0	0	0	1	43	43.0	0	0
Sep 14	ILLINOIS STATE	8	301	37.6	53	0	0	2	1	2	1-2	34	0	2	112	56.0	0	0
09/21/2	at Indiana State	5	210	42.0	51	0	0	1	2	0	0-0	0	0	2	124	62.0	0	0
Sep 28	TENNESSEE TECH	7	245	35.0	38	0	0	1	0	2	0-1	0	0	4	203	50.8	2	0
Oct 05	at Murray St.	5	196	39.2	52	0	0	0	1	0	1-2	30	0	5	211	42.2	0	0
Eastern Illinois		42	1500	35.7	53	1	0	12	4	7	3-6	37	0	17	872	51.3	2	0
		30	1178	39.3	55	0	0	10	3	10	5-8	48	0	33	1921	58.2	11	0

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OPPONENT STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
Aug 29	at Chattanooga	33	94	2	14	17	256	1	59	17	27	2	256	1	59	1	26	0	26	0	0	0	0	350
Sep 07	at Indiana	34	114	3	10	30	441	4	64	30	41	0	441	4	64	1	14	0	14	3	13	0	9	555
Sep 14	ILLINOIS STATE	51	254	3	52	5	31	0	13	5	11	0	31	0	13	2	50	0	34	1	3	0	3	285
09/21/2019	at Indiana State	50	148	0	13	15	195	1	69	15	23	1	195	1	69	2	41	0	21	1	8	0	8	343
Sep 28	TENNESSEE TECH	35	51	0	11	24	277	6	41	24	37	2	277	6	41	1	12	0	12	1	2	0	2	328
Oct 05	at Murray St.	36	150	0	32	19	274	3	36	19	29	0	274	3	36	2	27	0	24	2	19	0	10	424
Opponents		239	811	8	52	110	1474	15	69	110	168	5	1474	15	69	9	170	0	34	8	45	0	10	2285
		191	559	4	31	123	1027	4	37	123	246	5	1027	4	37	14	265	0	35	5	3	0	11	1586

Games: 6 • Avg/rush: 3.4 • Avg/catch: 13.4 • Pass effic: 162.69 • KR avg: 18.9 • PR avg: 5.6 • All purpose avg/game: 429.3 • Total offense avg/gm: 380.8

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Aug 29	at Chattanooga	50	14	64	4.0-12	1.0-3	1	2-0	1-19	3	10	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	24
Sep 07	at Indiana	34	14	48	8.0-26	2.0-12	0	0-0	0-0	1	5	1	7-7	0	0	0	0	52
Sep 14	ILLINOIS STATE	39	21	60	15.5-80	9.0-61	1	0-0	0-0	3	2	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	21
09/21/2	at Indiana State	29	40	69	7.0-20	3.0-12	1	1-0	3-37	4	5	0	1-1	0	0	0	9	16
Sep 28	TENNESSEE TECH	49	16	65	7.0-24	1.0-7	3	2-9	1-20	6	8	0	4-5	0	0	0	14	40
Oct 05	at Murray St.	41	26	67	5.0-12	0.0-0	0	1-0	0-0	5	7	0	2-2	0	1	1	0	24
Opponents		242	131	373	46.5-174	16.0-95	6	6-9	5-76	22	37	1	20-21	0	1	1	30	177
		238	176	414	43.0-171	7.0-53	6	5-50	5-54	10	17	0	6-7	0	1	0	3	65

Date	Opponent	Punting							Field Goals			Kickoffs						
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 29	at Chattanooga	6	259	43.2	55	0	0	2	2	2	1-2	37	0	4	235	58.8	0	0
Sep 07	at Indiana	3	124	41.3	49	0	0	2	0	2	1-1	48	0	9	485	53.9	5	0
Sep 14	ILLINOIS STATE	8	298	37.2	44	0	0	3	0	2	0-0	0	0	4	251	62.8	1	0
09/21/2	at Indiana State	2	84	42.0	43	0	0	2	0	1	3-4	27	0	5	304	60.8	0	0
Sep 28	TENNESSEE TECH	7	267	38.1	47	0	0	1	0	1	0-0	0	0	7	455	65.0	5	0
Oct 05	at Murray St.	4	146	36.5	50	0	0	0	1	2	0-1	0	0	4	191	47.8	0	0
Opponents		30	1178	39.3	55	0	0	10	3	10	5-8	48	0	33	1921	58.2	11	0
		42	1500	35.7	53	1	0	12	4	7	3-6	37	0	17	872	51.3	2	0

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INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	23	BRANTLEY, Johnathan vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Yards Rushing	49	BENEFIELD, Jaelin at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	49	BRANTLEY, Johnathan vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	49	WALKER, Chris at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
TD Rushes	2	BENEFIELD, Jaelin vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Rush	31	BENEFIELD, Jaelin at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Pass attempts	68	WOODBERRY, Harry vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Pass completions	34	WOODBERRY, Harry vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Passing	334	WOODBERRY, Harry vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
TD Passes	2	WOODBERRY, Harry vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Pass	37	BRANTLEY, Johnathan vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Receptions	10	LOFTON, Robbie vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Receiving	124	LOFTON, Robbie vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
TD Receptions	1	STRICKER, Nick at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	RICHARDS, Xander vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	1	COOKS Jr., Dewayne vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	1	BENEFIELD, Jaelin at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Long Reception	37	BENEFIELD, Jaelin vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Field Goals	1	DELGADO, Josh at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	DELGADO, Josh vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	1	DELGADO, Josh at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Long Field Goal	37	DELGADO, Josh at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Punts	7	GALLOWAY, Stone vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Punting Avg	45.2	GALLOWAY, Stone vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Long Punt	53	GALLOWAY, Stone vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Punts inside 20	2	DELGADO, Josh at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	GALLOWAY, Stone vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Punt Return	11	HILL, Isaiah vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Kickoff Return	35	HILL, Isaiah at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Tackles	13	JOHNSON, Austin at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Sacks	1.0	JOHNSON, Dytarious vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	1.0	COLE, Kylan at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1.0	JOHNSON, Austin vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	1.0	JOHNSON, Dytarious vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	1.0	BROOKS, Charlie at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	JOHNSON, Dytarious vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	3.0	JOHNSON, Austin at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Interceptions	1	DEWBERRY, Bryce at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	CRITTENDEN, Raymond at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	ROSS, JJ at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	ROSS, JJ vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	1	PAGE, Corneliuss vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	39	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Yards Rushing	130	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Yards Per Rush	3.7	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
TD Rushes	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Pass attempts	68	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Pass completions	34	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Passing	334	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Per Pass	5.1	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
TD Passes	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Total Plays	94	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Total Offense	401	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Per Play	4.5	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Points	29	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Sacks By	2	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	2	at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
First Downs	23	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Penalties	8	at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Penalty Yards	60	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Turnovers	4	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Interceptions By	2	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Punts	11	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Punting Avg	42.0	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Long Punt	53	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Punts inside 20	2	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Punt Return	11	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	23	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Yards Rushing	146	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
TD Rushes	3	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Long Rush	52	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Pass attempts	34	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Pass completions	22	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Passing	274	RICE, Preston, at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
TD Passes	6	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Pass	69	Wilderman, Kurt, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Receptions	6	Bryce Nunnely, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Yards Receiving	110	Hale, Donavan, at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
TD Receptions	2	STAFFORD, Darri, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	2	HICKS, Austin, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Reception	69	Morgan, Rontrez, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Field Goals	3	Nunez, Jerry, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Long Field Goal	48	Campbell, C., at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Punts	8	Bohlken,JT, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Punting Avg	43.2	Colin Brewer, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Long Punt	55	Colin Brewer, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Punts inside 20	2	Colin Brewer, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	Whitehead, H., at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
	2	Bohlken,JT, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	2	DAWSON, Steve, at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Long Punt Return	10	TERRELL, Ty, at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Long Kickoff Return	34	Uphoff,Christia, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Tackles	14	KOCLANAKIS, A., at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Sacks	2.5	McKnight,Romeo, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	McKnight,Romeo, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Interceptions	1	Kameron Brown, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	Oyedele, Hameed, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	Glasco, Clayton, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	Bonner, Denzel, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	MOORE, Aderick, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	51	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Yards Rushing	254	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Yards Per Rush	5.0	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
TD Rushes	3	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
	3	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Pass attempts	41	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Pass completions	30	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Yards Passing	441	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Yards Per Pass	10.8	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
TD Passes	6	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Total Plays	75	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Total Offense	555	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Yards Per Play	7.4	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Points	52	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Sacks By	9	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
First Downs	26	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Penalties	11	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Penalty Yards	119	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Turnovers	4	at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Interceptions By	3	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Punts	8	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Punting Avg	43.2	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Long Punt	55	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Punts inside 20	2	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
	2	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	2	at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)
Long Punt Return	10	at Murray St. (Oct 05, 2019)

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3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Aug 29, 2019	at Chattanooga	L 10-24	8-20 40.0	1-4 25.0	2-6 33.3	0-4 0.0	5-6 83.3	
Sep 07, 2019	at Indiana	L 0-52	2-16 12.5	0-3 0.0	2-5 40.0	0-4 0.0	0-4 0.0	
Sep 14, 2019	ILLINOIS STATE	L 3-21	1-16 6.2	0-4 0.0	0-3 0.0	1-5 20.0	0-4 0.0	
09/21/2019	at Indiana State	L 6-16	3-13 23.1	0-2 0.0	1-5 20.0	2-4 50.0	0-2 0.0	
Sep 28, 2019	TENNESSEE TECH	L 29-40	4-22 18.2	0-5 0.0	2-7 28.6	1-5 20.0	1-5 20.0	
Oct 05, 2019	at Murray St.	L 17-24	5-16 31.2	1-3 33.3	3-6 50.0	0-5 0.0	1-2 50.0	
	Eastern Illinois		23-103 22.3	2-21 9.5	10-32 31.2	4-27 14.8	7-23 30.4	0-0 0.0
	Opponents		39-87 44.8	11-22 50.0	11-24 45.8	7-15 46.7	10-26 38.5	0-0 0.0

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Aug 29, 2019	at Chattanooga	L 10-24	2-4 50.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	1-2 50.0	0-1 0.0	
Sep 07, 2019	at Indiana	L 0-52	1-2 50.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	0-1 0.0	
Sep 14, 2019	ILLINOIS STATE	L 3-21	2-5 40.0	1-1 100.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-3 33.3	
09/21/2019	at Indiana State	L 6-16	2-3 66.7	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	1-1 100.0	0-1 0.0	
Sep 28, 2019	TENNESSEE TECH	L 29-40	7-9 77.8	2-2 100.0	1-1 100.0	1-2 50.0	3-4 75.0	
Oct 05, 2019	at Murray St.	L 17-24	2-4 50.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	1-1 100.0	1-2 50.0	
	Eastern Illinois		16-27 59.3	3-3 100.0	3-5 60.0	5-7 71.4	5-12 41.7	0-0 0.0
	Opponents		2-8 25.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-2 0.0	2-5 40.0	0-0 0.0

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Aug 29, 2019	at Chattanooga	L 10-24	34:19	9:31	10:00	7:29	7:19	
Sep 07, 2019	at Indiana	L 0-52	27:25	6:08	8:35	7:33	5:09	
Sep 14, 2019	ILLINOIS STATE	L 3-21	27:42	5:35	6:52	7:44	7:31	
09/21/2019	at Indiana State	L 6-16	23:34	5:31	5:58	7:34	4:31	
Sep 28, 2019	TENNESSEE TECH	L 29-40	28:44	7:35	5:51	8:11	7:07	
Oct 05, 2019	at Murray St.	L 17-24	32:54	4:26	10:18	12:41	5:29	
	Eastern Illinois	Total	174:38	38:46	47:34	51:12	37:06	0:00
		Avg.	29:06	6:27	7:55	8:32	6:11	0:00
	Opponents	Total	185:22	51:14	42:26	38:48	52:54	0:00
		Avg.	30:53	8:32	7:04	6:28	8:49	0:00

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Eastern Illinois Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ						
									FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Aug 29, 2019	at Chattanooga	L 10-24	4	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Sep 07, 2019	at Indiana	L 0-52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 14, 2019	ILLINOIS STATE	L 3-21	3	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
09/21/2019	at Indiana State	L 6-16	1	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 28, 2019	TENNESSEE TECH	L 29-40	5	4	29	4	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 05, 2019	at Murray St.	L 17-24	4	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals			17	11	65	8	4	4	3	2	1	0	1	2	0
11 of 17 (64.7%)															

Opponents Inside Eastern Illinois Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ						
									FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Aug 29, 2019	at Chattanooga	L 10-24	4	3	17	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 07, 2019	at Indiana	L 0-52	6	5	35	5	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sep 14, 2019	ILLINOIS STATE	L 3-21	2	2	14	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/21/2019	at Indiana State	L 6-16	5	3	9	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0
Sep 28, 2019	TENNESSEE TECH	L 29-40	6	5	34	5	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Oct 05, 2019	at Murray St.	L 17-24	3	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Totals			26	19	116	15	7	8	4	2	3	1	0	1	0
19 of 26 (73.1%)															