



EASTERN ILLINOIS PANTHER FOOTBALL

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GAME 8



COACHES:

Adam Cushing (Univ. of Chicago, 2002)

EIU Record..... 0-7 (1st)
OVC Record..... 0-3 (1st)
vs. UT Martin..... 0-0

Jason Simpson (Southern Miss, 1995)

UTM Record 84-70 (14th year)
OVC Record..... 66-40 (14th year)
Overall Record Same
vs. Eastern Illinois..... 8-5

SERIES

25th meeting, EIU leads 15-9

Last: @EIU 24, UTM 21 (ot) on Oct. 20, 2018

RANKINGS

Eastern Illinois --- / ---
UT Martin..... RV / RV
..... *STATS Media/AFCA Coaches*

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Panthers Continue October Grind At UT Martin

Eastern Illinois at UT Martin

Graham Stadium (7,500) • Martin, Tenn.

Oct. 19, 2019 • 2 p.m. • TV: ESPN+

NOTES TO KNOW

• Eastern Illinois pushed No. 17 Jacksonville State last Saturday but fell short 28-20 against the Gamecocks as JSU intercepted one pass in the end zone and two others to end the first and second halves. EIU fell to 0-7 on the season, 0-3 in the OVC. UT Martin has won three straight to lead the OVC race at 4-2 overall, 3-0 in the league.

• Dytarious Johnson was all over the field against Jacksonville State last Saturday as the junior linebacker finished with a team-high 12 tackles including two tackles for loss. He has eight tackles for loss this season and 31 for his career. He needs one more to move into a tie for ninth on the EIU career list with Mike Carlin and Kamu Grugier-Hill.

• Corneliuss Page picked off a pass and recorded two pass break-ups against Jacksonville State. It was the second interception of the season for Page who is tied for the team lead with JJ Ross. Page now has four career interceptions. He currently ranks 15th in the FCS and first in the OVC in passes defended with two interceptions and eight pass break-ups.

• Isaiah Hill scored two touchdowns on Saturday against Jacksonville State as he hauled in a 25-yard touchdown pass and ran for a 10-yard score. He joined Jaelin Benefield as the second EIU player this season with multiple touchdowns in the same game. Hill was granted his NCAA transfer waiver just prior to the start of OVC play.

THE SERIES

• Eastern Illinois and UT Martin will be meeting for the 25th time when the two schools face off on Saturday afternoon. The Panthers hold a 15-9 all-time series lead including a 24-21 win in overtime last season in Charleston. Under head coach Jason Simpson the Skyhawks have held the series advantage in the last 13 years winning eight of the 13 meetings including a 5-2 record in games played in Martin, Tennessee. EIU's last win on the road in the series was Nov. 14, 2015 when the Panthers won 23-21.

Eastern Illinois (0-7, 0-3 OVC)

Date	Opponent	Score/Time
Aug. 29	at Chattanooga	L 10-24
Sept. 7	at Indiana	L 0-52
Sept. 14	ILLINOIS STATE	L 3-21
Sept. 21	at Indiana State	L 6-16
Sept. 28	• TENNESSEE TECH	L 29-40
Oct. 5	• at Murray State	L 17-24
Oct. 12	• JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 20-28
Oct. 19	• at UT Martin	2 pm
Oct. 26	• EASTERN KENTUCKY	2 pm
Nov. 9	• at Tennessee State	2 pm
Nov. 16	• SOUTHEAST MISSOURI	12 pm
Nov. 23	• at Austin Peay	2 pm

• Ohio Valley Conference Game

All Times Central

UT Martin (4-2, 3-0 OVC)

Date	Opponent	Score/Time
Aug. 29	NORTHWESTERN STATE	W 42-20
Sept. 7	at Florida	L 0-45
Sept. 14	at Southern Illinois	L 14-28
Sept. 28	• MURRAY STATE	W 40-7
Oct. 5	• at Eastern Kentucky	W 38-28
Oct. 12	• at Tennessee Tech	W 55-14
Oct. 19	• EASTERN ILLINOIS	2 pm
Oct. 26	• at Southeast Missouri	1 pm
Nov. 2	• JACKSONVILLE STATE	2 pm
Nov. 9	• at Austin Peay	3 pm
Nov. 16	• TENNESSEE STATE	2 pm
Nov. 23	at Kentucky	TBA

• Ohio Valley Conference Games

All Times Central

2019 STATS FCS MEDIA -- (Week 7)

Rk.	Team	2019 Record
1.	North Dakota State (155)	6-0
2.	James Madison (2)	6-1
3.	South Dakota State	5-1
4.	Weber State	4-2
5.	Montana	5-1
6.	Kennesaw State	5-1
7.	Villanova	6-1
8.	Furman	4-2
9.	Nicholls State	4-2
10.	North Carolina A&T	4-1
11.	Illinois State	4-2
12.	Montana State	5-2
13.	Central Arkansas	4-2
14.	Northern Iowa	3-3
15.	Sacramento State	4-2
16.	Jacksonville State	5-2
17.	Princeton	4-0
18.	Towson	3-3
19.	Youngstown State	4-2
20.	Austin Peay	4-2
21.	Dartmouth	4-0
22.	New Hampshire	4-2
23.	UC Davis	3-4
24.	Delaware	3-3
25.	Central Connecticut State	5-1

2019 AFCA FCS COACHES -- (Week 7)

Rk.	Team	2019 Record
1.	North Dakota State (26)	6-0
2.	James Madison	6-1
3.	South Dakota State	5-1
4.	Kennesaw State	5-1
5.	Weber State	4-2
6.	Montana	5-1
7.	Villanova	6-1
8.	Furman	4-2
9.	Nicholls State	4-2
10.	Illinois State	4-2
11.	North Carolina A&T	4-1
12.	Montana State	5-2
13.	Central Arkansas	4-2
14.	Jacksonville State	5-2
15.	Northern Iowa	3-3
16.	Princeton	4-0
17.	Sacramento State	4-2
18.	Youngstown State	4-2
19.	Austin Peay	4-2
20.	Towson	3-3
21.	Dartmouth	4-0
22.	UC Davis	3-4
23.	New Hampshire	4-2
24.	Delaware	3-3
25.	Incarnate Word	4-2

• Isaiah Hill's pair of touchdowns on Saturday made him the first EIU player in several years to accomplish a pair of feats. He became the first EIU player to score a rushing and receiving touchdown in the same game since Devin Church on Oct. 22, 2016 against Murray State. He became the first wide receiver to score a rushing touchdown since Shawn Mitchell on Sept. 24, 2016 against Austin Peay.

• Chris Walker was the Panthers top ball carrier on Saturday against Jacksonville State as the graduate transfer finished with 45 yards on 12 carries for a 3.8 yards per carry average. EIU has not had an individual ball carrier finish with more than 50 yards in a game this season. Walker had a season high 49 yards against Indiana State.

• Freshman back Jaelin Benefield continues to be the Panthers all around offensive leader. Benefield is leading the team in rushing with 211 yards and is currently the team leader in receptions with 33 and receiving yards with 242. He is the team leader in scoring with four touchdowns for 24 points. The last freshman to lead EIU in rushing was Vincent Webb in 2003. He was also the last freshman non-kicker to lead the Panthers in scoring for a season.

• Second team All-OVC selection James Sheehan returned to the Panthers lineup on Saturday after missing four games with a foot injury. Sheehan made an immediate impact as he caught seven passes for 65 yards to lead the team. Sheehan is now fourth on the team with 12 catches. Last season he was the top receiving tight end in the OVC with 50 catches for 544 yards. Sheehan enters the weekend with 910 yards as he looks to become the 33rd player in school history with a 1,000 yards receiving.

• Eastern Illinois has featured a young offensive line all season starting four true freshmen in several games this year. Anthony Sottosanto and Chad Strickland have started all seven games this season for the Panthers. Elkhanan Tanelus has been a regular starter but has missed some time due to injury and Anthony Imperio has taken off as a starter at tackle in recent games. Ivan Gleyzer was the latest freshman to see significant time as he played most of the second half at guard against Jacksonville State.

• Eastern Illinois continues to be one of the least penalized teams in the FCS. EIU currently ranks 13th in the nation in fewest penalty yards per game at an average of 40.57, which is first in the OVC.

• The Panthers offense has made the most of all four downs that are offered as they currently rank 40th in the nation on fourth down conversions with a rate of 56.7 percent. EIU has gone for it on fourth down more than any other team at the FCS level with 30 fourth down attempts. EIU has converted on 17 of those chances including going 1-of-3 last week against Jacksonville State.

• Eastern Illinois has been one of the better teams this season in terms of kickoff and punt coverage as the Panthers rank 19th in the FCS in both categories. EIU has allowed opponents to return ten punts this season for an average of 4.5 yards per return. EIU has allowed opponents to average just 17.3 yards per kickoff return this season on 12 return chances.

2019 OVC Standings

Team	OVC	Pct.....	All.....	Pct.
UT Martin	3-0	1.000.....	4-2	.667
Austin Peay	2-0	1.000.....	4-2	.667
Jacksonville State.....	2-1	.667.....	5-2	.714
Murray State.....	2-1	.667.....	4-3	.571
Eastern Kentucky	1-1	.500.....	3-3	.500
Southeast Missouri.....	1-1	.500.....	3-3	.500
Tennessee Tech.....	1-2	.333.....	4-3	.571
Tennessee State	0-3	.000.....	1-6	.143
Eastern Illinois	0-3	.000.....	0-7	.000

This Week In OVC Football**Saturday, October 19**

Eastern Illinois at UT Martin	2 pm
Eastern Kentucky at Murray State.....	2 pm
Southeast Missouri at Jacksonville State.....	3 pm
Austin Peay at Tennessee State.....	4:30 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
<i>(first place votes in parenthesis)</i>	

Eastern Illinois Players On All-OVC Preseason Team

Terrell Greer - Defensive Line

2019 OVC Players of the Week

• Dytarious Johnson finished with a team-high 12 tackles on Saturday against Jacksonville State. It was the second time this year that he has finished a game with double digit tackles after making ten stops at Indiana State. Austin Johnson is the only other Panther with double figure tackles this season after he made 13 tackles against the Sycamores.

• Eastern Illinois defense made five tackles for loss on Saturday against Jacksonville State as the Panthers now have 48 team tackles for loss this season. EIU ranks 37th in the FCS and second in the OVC in tackles for loss made. Dytarious Johnson had two of the five tackles for loss against JSU while freshman Charlie Brooks added 1.5 stops.

• Eastern Illinois added a pair of turnovers gained to its season total against Jacksonville State. Corneliuss Page picked off a pass while D'Mitri George recovered a fumble for the other. EIU now has 12 turnovers gained this season which ranks 25th in the FCS and fourth in the OVC. EIU has now had multiple turnovers gained in four straight games and five overall games this season.

• The Panthers continue to feature a strong run defense this season anchored by senior nose tackle Terrell Greer. EIU currently ranks 45th in the FCS in run defense and fourth in the OVC. This season EIU has allowed only one running back (James Robinson / Illinois State) to crack the century mark. In two of the seven games this season, EIU has held the opponent's entire rushing attack under 100 yards with a low of 51 yards by Tennessee Tech.

• Junior Raymond Crittenden continues to have a solid season under the radar as he finished with six solo tackles on Saturday against Jacksonville State. Crittenden moved from playing safety last season to linebacker this year in the Panthers new defensive scheme. He currently ranks second on the team in tackles with 34 with one interception and two forced fumbles.

• Defensive starters Joe Caputo and Bryce Dewberry both returned to the Panthers line-up after missing some time due to injury. Caputo missed four games due to a foot injury. He had three tackles with a half tackle for loss against JSU. Dewberry missed some time due to a leg injury. He finished with six tackles against the Gamecocks.

• Eastern Illinois defense added a forced fumble and a fumble recovery to its season total on Saturday. The Panthers are currently 19th in the FCS in fumbles recovered with Dytarious Johnson ranking fifth in the nation in recoveries. As a team EIU has recovered six fumbles. EIU has forced seven fumbles on the year. Individually Anthony Shockey and Raymond Crittenden are both tied for 49th in the FCS in forced fumbles this season with two each.

• Freshman Anthony Shockey has been one of the top young defensive players in the OVC this season as his 27 tackles rank him fourth among OVC freshmen this season. Shockey had two solo tackles on Saturday against Jacksonville State but it was another freshman linebacker that was active on the field. Jason Johnson made five solo tackles as he now has 16 tackles this year. Shockey ranks fifth on the EIU list for tackles this year. Johnson ranks 13th on the Panthers roster but is second in tackles among first-year players.

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...

UT MARTIN HEAD COACH JASON SIMPSON

Jason Simpson is currently the longest tenured head coach in the Ohio Valley Conference entering his 14th season with UT Martin. In his debut season of 2006, Simpson earned OVC Coach of the Year honors as he led the Skyhawks to a share of the OVC Championship and the school's first FCS Playoff appearance. He has posted a record of 84-70 with an OVC mark of 66-40. The 84 career wins rank him second all-time at UT Martin, one behind Bob Carroll who won 85 games between 1957-74. Simpson is a 1995 graduate of Southern Mississippi where he played baseball.

SCOUTING UT MARTIN

UT Martin enters the weekend leading the Ohio Valley Conference race with a 3-0 record which includes a pair of road wins at Eastern Kentucky and Tennessee Tech. The UTM defense currently leads the OVC with 16 sacks as TJ Jefferson is the team leader with four. Jefferson is also second on the team with 50 tackles while JaQuez Akins leads the Skyhawks with 55. On special teams punt returner Terry Williams ranks third in the NCAA while kicker Ryan Courtright has been perfect on field goal attempts. Peyton Logan paces the UTM run game with 530 yards while John Bachus has passed for 1,253 yards and eight touchdowns.

ON THIS DATE IN EIU HISTORY

Oct. 19, 1946 - Chuck Gross had a 30-yard heave to Neal Hudson which placed the ball at the one yard line. Gross would plunge through the line one play later and convert the extra point as Eastern Illinois shutout Millikin 7-0 on Dad's Day in Charleston.

PREVIOUS OCTOBER 19 EASTERN ILLINOIS CONTESTS

Eastern Illinois football will be playing a game on October 19 for the 15th time in program history. The Panthers are 9-5 in their prior Oct. 19 contests.

Oct. 19 2013	W 55-33 vs. Southeast Missouri
Oct. 19, 2002	W 44-27 at Southeast Missouri
Oct. 19, 1996	L 28-35 vs. Murray State
Oct. 19, 1991	W 37-28 vs. Illinois State
Oct. 19, 1985	W 28-27 vs. Missouri State
Oct. 19 1974	W 14-9 vs. Illinois State
Oct. 19, 1968	L 28-37 vs. Bradley
Oct. 19, 1963	W 20-6 vs. Ferris State
Oct. 19, 1957	L 0-39 vs. Eastern Michigan
Oct. 19, 1951	W 28-21 vs. Northwest Missouri
Oct. 19, 1946	W 7-0 vs. Millikin
Oct. 19, 1940	L 12-30 at Illinois State
Oct. 19, 1935	L 0-13 vs. Illinois State
Oct. 19, 1929	W 19-0 vs. McKendree

TALE OF THE TAPE



Points Per Game.....	12.1	31.5
Average Points Allowed.....	29.3	23.7
First Downs.....	112	108
Rushing Yards Per Game	95.4	153.5
Rushing Touchdowns.....	6	13
Passing Yards Per Game	176.4	218.7
Passing Touchdowns	5	9
Average Yards Per Game	271.9	372.2
Interceptions Thrown	8	4
Fumbles - Lost	14-6	8-1
Turnovers Gained.....	12	9
Punting Average	35.6	34.8
Field Goals (ATT/MADE)	3-of-6	5-of-5
3rd Down Conversions	30-of-119 (25%)	33-of-79 (42%)
4th Down Conversions.....	17-of-30 (57%)	3-of-5 (60%)
Sacks By (Yards).....	7 (53)	16 (82)
Penalties (Yards)	37 (284)	35 (329)
Time of Possession (Game)	29:12	29:41

Statistical Leaders

RUSHING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	UT MARTIN
Jaelin Benefield.....211	Peyton Logan530
Chris Walker.....167	Jaimiee Bowe191

PASSING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	UT MARTIN
Harry Woodbery.....972	John Bachus1,253
.....	Joe Hudson.....59

RECEPTIONS (Yards)

EASTERN ILLINOIS	UT MARTIN
Jaelin Benefield.....33 (242)	Terry Williams.....22 (200)
Robbie Lofton.....22 (234)	Colton Dowell.....17 (305)
Isaiah Hill.....18 (129)	Donnell Williams12 (154)

TACKLES

EASTERN ILLINOIS	UT MARTIN
Dytarious Johnson.....45	JaQuez Akins55
Raymond Crittenden.....34	TJ Jefferson.....50
Antonio Crosby.....32	Sherrod Pittman45
Terrell Greer.....29	DaVonte Maura37
Anthony Shockey.....27	Takeem Young.....35

TACKLES FOR LOSS / SACKS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	UT MARTIN
Dytarious Johnson.....8.....2	Austin Pickett53
Terrell Greer.....5.....0.5	Sherrod Pittman4.50
Austin Johnson.....4.....1	TJ Jefferson4.....4

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

2019

TEAM

TEAM	NCAA	OVC
Rushing Offense	108th	9th
Passing Offense	97th	8th
Passing Efficiency	122nd	9th
Total Offense	117th	9th
Scoring Offense	121st	9th
Rushing Defense	45th	4th
Pass Defense	80th	5th
Pass Efficiency Def.	110th	9th
Total Defense	56th	3rd
Scoring Defense	68th	4th
Net Punting	75th	6th
Punt Returns	118th	9th
Kickoff Returns	95th	6th
Turnover Margin	79th	7th
Turnovers Gained	25th	4th
Sacks	113th	8th
Tackles For Loss	37th	2nd
Sacks Allowed	94th	7th
3rd Down Conversion	123rd	9th
4th Down Conversion	40th	5th
3rd Down Defense	88th	6th
Red Zone Offense	108th	9th
Red Zone Defense	45th	4th
Time of Possession	83rd	8th

INDIVIDUAL (Top 50)

	NCAA	OVC
Dytarious Johnson (Fumbles Recovered) ..	5th	1st
Cornelius Page (Passes Defended)	15th	1st
Raymond Crittenden (Forced Fumbles) ..	49th	5th
Anthony Shockey (Forced Fumbles)	49th	5th

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 - Mieneske 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

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.....	Fairmount 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
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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
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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
<i>Others (5 touchdown passes in a game)</i>		
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

TOTAL TACKLES:

Tim Carver.....	31 vs. Texas-El Paso	1994
Jeff Mills	29 vs. SW Missouri	1988
Thomas Williams....	27 vs. St. Joseph	1997
Nick Ricks	25 vs. E. Kentucky	2002
Tyrone Covington ..	25 vs. Illinois State.....	1984
John Noll	23 vs. Northern Iowa.....	1988
Ray Jeske	21 vs. Delaware	1978

TACKLES FOR LOSS:

Trevor Frericks	7.0 vs. Tennessee State	2009
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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
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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
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LONGEST FUMBLE RETURN FOR TD:

Anthony Goodman,	70 vs. Eastern Kentucky	2013
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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
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MOST FUMBLE RECOVERIES:

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

MOST INTERCEPTIONS THROWN:

Jeff Thorne	7 vs. McNeese State.....	1993
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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.

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5	NEE-COLA Wadsworth
7	ISAIAH 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	EI-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	52
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	17
Sophomore	19
Redshirt Freshmen	11
Freshmen	38

MEDIA OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES**EASTERN ILLINOIS QUICK FACTS**

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FOUNDED:	1895
ENROLLMENT:	7,415
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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	Corneliuss 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)
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	47.....Anthony Shockey.....LB
46.....Ameer Agel.....LB	1.....Scotty Gilkey, Jr.....QB	24.....Darshon McCullough.....RB	13.....Xzavier Shugars.....DB
14.....Jaylon Banks.....QB	77.....Ivan Gleyzer.....OL	64.....Jerit Medler.....OL	15.....Will Shumpert.....WR
12.....Joel Barrows.....LB	96.....Terrell Greer.....DL	60.....Aaron Miller.....OL	48.....Alex Smith.....SB
9.....Jaelin Benefield.....RB	42.....Brandon Guido.....DB	94.....Dominic Moore.....DL	61.....Ben Solomon.....OL
20.....Marcus Bornslater.....SAF	7.....Iziah Gulley.....LB	75.....McKinley Neville.....DL	79.....Anthony Sottosanto.....OL
55.....Charlie Brooks.....DL	27.....David Hardwick.....RB	6.....Jonah O'Brien.....QB	44.....Nick Stricker.....SB
6.....Edwyn Brown.....DB	68.....Luther Harris.....OL	54.....BJ Ojo.....LB	67.....Chad Strickland.....OL
88.....Trevon Brown.....WR	4.....Isaiah Hill.....WR	99.....Jayden O'Neal.....DL	72.....Elkhanan Tanelus.....OL
34.....Anthony Buchanan.....RB	30.....Nile Hill.....DB	3.....Comeliuss Page.....DB	58.....James Ubaike.....DL
45.....Joe Caputo.....LB	76.....Cole Hoover.....OL	16.....Donovan Perkins.....DB	97.....Tim Varga.....DL
95.....Kylan Cole.....DE	32.....Dylan Hughes.....DB	39.....D.J. Perry.....WR	38.....Darius Waddell.....SAF
41.....Robert Columbus.....RB	58.....Anthony Imperio.....OL	83.....Teriq Phillips.....WR	5.....Nikola Wadsworth.....LB
87.....DeWayne Cooks Jr.....WR	26.....Jordan Jackson.....DB	85.....Kirk Pinkston Jr.....WR	66.....Drew Walega.....OL
70.....Bryce Coulson.....LS	84.....Ryan James.....WR	7.....Payton Powell.....WR	13.....Chris Walker.....RB
4.....Raymond Crittenden.....SAF	33.....Austin Johnson.....LB	12.....Marques Ray.....WR	80.....Bryce Walker.....SB
8.....Antonio Crosby.....SAF	51.....Dytarious Johnson.....LB	5.....Matt Reyna.....WR	40.....Jordan Williams.....DB
73.....Dylan Czerlanis.....OL	35.....Eric Johnson.....RB	82.....Xander Richards.....WR	21.....Mark Williams.....DB
36.....TJ Davis.....DB	81.....Jalen Johnson.....WR	65.....Nick Roessler.....K/P	50.....Sean Williams.....LB
90.....Josh Delgado.....K	52.....Jason Johnson.....LB	89.....Eric Rooks.....WR	8.....Harry Woodbery.....QB
93.....Ronell Deo.....DL	63.....Matt Keys.....OL	23.....JJ Ross.....DB	57.....Aaron 'Tiger' Woods.....DL
2.....Bryce Dewberry.....SAF	92.....Cameron Leach.....DL	37.....Matt Ross.....DB	
49.....Grant Edwards.....LB	98.....Anthony Lewis.....DL	22.....Courtney Rowell.....RB	
69.....Stephen Elmore.....LS	19.....Robbie Lofton II.....WR	74.....Dyln Scaggs.....OL	
29.....Jonas Filer.....DB	31.....Anthony Manaves.....SB	86.....James Sheehan.....SB	
53.....Stone Galloway.....K	56.....Christiaan Masucci.....K/P	25.....Charles Shelton IV.....DB	

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

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

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
77 ... Ivan Gleyzer	6-4	290	Fr

RIGHT TACKLE

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

RECEIVER

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

RECEIVER

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

RECEIVER

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

EIU COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Adam Cushing (Univ. of Chicago, 2002 - 1st year)
(Career Record 0-7; OVC Record 0-3)

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
91 ... D'Mitri George	6-3	255	R-So

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
47 ... Anthony Shockey	6-1	210	Fr

LINEBACKER

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

LINEBACKER

52 ... Jalen Johnson	6-2	200	Fr
50 ... Sean Williams	6-2	245	R-Jr

LINEBACKER

4 ... Raymond Crittenden	6-1	205	R-Jr
47 ... Anthony Shockey	6-1	210	Fr

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
6 ... Edwyn Brown	6-5	200	R-So

STRONG SAFETY

2 ... Bryce Dewberry	5-10	210	So
26 ... Jordan Jackson	6-0	185	R-Jr

CORNERBACK

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

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 STATSEIU 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), Woodberry (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 STATSEIU 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), Woodberry (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 STATSEIU 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), Woodberry (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 back-up 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 STATSEIUTTU

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.



GAME 7 - Oct. 13, 2019
Jacksonville State..... 28
Eastern Illinois..... 20

Charleston, Ill.
 O'Brien Field (3,170)

Scoring	1	2	3	4	Final
Jacksonville State.....	7	14	0	7	28
Eastern Illinois	7	0	7	6	20

FIRST QUARTER

EIU - I. Hill 25 pass from Woodbery (Delgado kick) - 8:47
 JSU - Pearson 4 pass from Cooper (Wallace kick) - 3:41

SECOND QUARTER

JSU - Stepherson 19 pass from Cooper (Wallace kick) - 12:18
 JSU - Matthews 3 run (Wallace kick) - 1:52

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - Benefield 3 run (Delgado kick) - 3:56

THIRD QUARTER

EIU - I. Hill 10 run (kick failed) - 14:56
 JSU - Pearson 39 pass from Cooper (Wallace kick) - 12:56

TEAM STATSEIUJSU

First Downs.....	19	22
Rushes-Yards.....	34-109	45-185
Passing-Yards.....	208	237
Comp-Att-Int.....	19-38-3	22-34-1
Total Offense.....	317	422
Fumbles-Lost.....	0-0	3-1
Penalties-Yards.....	4-29	7-72
Int Returns-Yards-TD.....	1-0-0	3-42-0
Time of Possession.....	29:45	30:15
Sacks-Yards.....	0-0	1-8

LEADERS

RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Walker (12-45-0), Benefield (14-26-1)
 JSU - Matthews (15-92-1), West (4-42-0)

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

EIU - Woodbery (38-19-3-208-1)
 JSU - Cooper (34-22-1-237-3)

RECEIVING (No-Yds-TD)

EIU - Sheehan (7-65-0), Benefield (4-43-0), I. Hill (4-41-1)
 JSU - Hester (9-99-0), Pearson (5-70-2)

DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)

EIU - D. Johnson (5-7-2), Greer (5-2-0), Crittenden (6-0-0)
 JSU - Choice (6-2-1), Woodard (5-3-0)

RECAP

Eastern Illinois pushed No. 17 Jacksonville State to the limit but the young Panthers team came up just short in the end losing 28-20. EIU had three interceptions in the game, one of which was in the end zone. The other ended the first half and the game with the Panthers driving. James Sheehan returned to the line-up to make seven catches for 65 yards. EIU jumped out front 7-0 in the first quarter on a touchdown pass from Harry Woodbery to Isaiah Hill. JSU rallied to take a 21-7 lead at the half. The Panthers scored in the third quarter and the first play of the fourth quarter but missed an extra point to trail 21-20. JSU added one more touchdown to lead by eight before picking off a pass to end EIU's final drive and the game. Dytarius Johnson had 12 tackles to lead EIU's defense.

2019 EIU PANTHERS FOOTBALL
EASTERN ILLINOIS Game Results
All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall Record	Ohio Valley Record	Time	Attend
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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
* Oct 12, 2019	#17 JACKSONVILLE STATE	20-28 L	0-7	0-3	3:17	3,170

* indicates Ohio Valley Conferece game

2019 EASTERN ILLINOIS STARTERS

OPPONENT	WR	WR	RT	RG	C	LG	LT	WR	SB/WR	RB	OB
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
Jacksonville St.	I. Hill	Phillips	Imperio	Sottosanto	Hoover	Solomon	Strickland	Cooks	Sheehan	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
Jacksonville St.	Brooks	Greer	Cole	D. Johnson	Caputo	J. Johnson	Crittenden	M. Williams	Crosby	Dewberry	Page

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL
Eastern Illinois Overall Team Statistics (as of Oct 12, 2019)
All games

Team Statistics	EIU	OPP
SCORING	85	205
Points Per Game	12.1	29.3
Points Off Turnovers	3	37
FIRST DOWNS	112	138
Rushing	36	64
Passing	57	70
Penalty	19	4
RUSHING YARDAGE	668	1042
Yards gained rushing	839	1273
Yards lost rushing	171	231
Rushing Attempts	225	284
Average Per Rush	3.0	3.7
Average Per Game	95.4	148.9
TDs Rushing	6	9
PASSING YARDAGE	1235	1731
Comp-Att-Int	142-284-8	132-202-6
Average Per Pass	4.3	8.6
Average Per Catch	8.7	13.1
Average Per Game	176.4	247.3
TDs Passing	5	18
TOTAL OFFENSE	1903	2773
Total Plays	509	486
Average Per Play	3.7	5.7
Average Per Game	271.9	396.1
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	18-328	12-208
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	6-12	10-45
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	6-54	8-118
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	18.2	17.3
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	2.0	4.5
INT RETURN AVERAGE	9.0	14.8
FUMBLES-LOST	14-6	13-6
PENALTIES-Yards	37-284	52-510
Average Per Game	40.6	72.9
PUNTS-Yards	48-1710	35-1326
Average Per Punt	35.6	37.9
Net punt average	34.7	37.5
KICKOFFS-Yards	21-1148	38-2185
Average Per Kick	54.7	57.5
Net kick average	41.2	41.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	29:12	30:48
3RD-DOWN Conversions	30/119	44/101
3rd-Down Pct	25%	44%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	17/30	3/10
4th-Down Pct	57%	30%
SACKS BY-Yards	7-53	17-103
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	11	27
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	3-6	5-9
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-1	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(13-21) 62%	(22-29) 76%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(10-21) 48%	(18-29) 62%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(8-10) 80%	(24-25) 96%
ATTENDANCE	16344	56459
Games/Avg Per Game	3/5448	4/14115
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Eastern Illinois	17	17	23	28	0	85
Opponents	59	71	41	34	0	205

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL
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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	7	66	242	31	211	3.2	3	31	30.1
WALKER, Chris	7	44	169	2	167	3.8	1	20	23.9
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	7	3	59	0	59	19.7	0	11	8.4
WOODBERRY, Harry	7	20	69	29	40	2.0	1	15	5.7
HILL, Isaiah	3	4	20	0	20	5.0	1	10	6.7
COLUMBUS, Robert	2	3	7	0	7	2.3	0	5	3.5
ROWELL, Courtney	7	13	17	11	6	0.5	0	4	0.9
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	7	225	839	171	668	3.0	6	31	95.4
Opponents	7	284	1273	231	1042	3.7	9	52	148.9

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
WOODBERRY, Harry	7	90.31	107-208-7	51.4	972	4	35	138.9
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	76.83	35-76-1	46.1	263	1	37	65.8
Total	7	86.70	142-284-8	50.0	1235	5	37	176.4
Opponents	7	160.79	132-202-6	65.3	1731	18	69	247.3

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	7	33	242	7.3	1	37	34.6
LOFTON, Robbie	6	22	234	10.6	0	30	39.0
HILL, Isaiah	3	18	129	7.2	1	25	43.0
SHEEHAN, James	3	12	137	11.4	0	24	45.7
RICHARDS, Xander	6	11	136	12.4	1	20	22.7
RAY, Marques	7	10	86	8.6	0	20	12.3
PHILLIPS, Teriq	5	8	107	13.4	0	35	21.4
COOKS Jr., Dewayne	5	7	61	8.7	1	15	12.2
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	6	37	6.2	0	20	7.4
WALKER, Chris	7	6	5	0.8	0	5	0.7
ROOKS, Eric	6	3	32	10.7	0	21	5.3
SMITH, Alex	4	2	12	6.0	0	7	3.0
STRICKER, Nick	7	1	7	7.0	1	7	1.0
ROWELL, Courtney	7	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.0
JAMES, Ryan	2	1	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	1	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.7
Total	7	142	1235	8.7	5	37	176.4
Opponents	7	132	1731	13.1	18	69	247.3

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HILL, Isaiah	4	18	4.5	0	11
DEWBERRY, Bryce	1	2	2.0	0	2
PAGE, Cornelius	1	-8	-8.0	0	0
Total	6	12	2.0	0	11
Opponents	10	45	4.5	0	10

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
ROSS, JJ	2	39	19.5	0	33
PAGE, Cornelius	2	0	0.0	0	0
CRITTENDEN, Raymo	1	0	0.0	0	0
DEWBERRY, Bryce	1	15	15.0	0	15
Total	6	54	9.0	0	33
Opponents	8	118	14.8	0	40

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	6	84	14.0	0	23
HILL, Isaiah	5	130	26.0	0	35
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	61	20.3	0	22
WALKER, Bryce	1	8	8.0	0	8
HUGHES, Dylan	1	14	14.0	0	14
PAGE, Cornelius	1	13	13.0	0	10
WILLIAMS, Mark	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	18	328	18.2	0	35
Opponents	12	208	17.3	0	34

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
JOHNSON, Dytarius	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				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
DELGADO, Josh	-	3-6	8-10	-	-	-	-	-	17
HILL, Isaiah	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
RICHARDS,Xander	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
COOKS Jr., Dewayne	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WALKER, Chris	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
STRICKER, Nick	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WOODBERRY, Harry	1	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	6
Total	11	3-6	8-10	-	1	1-1	-	-	85
Opponents	27	5-9	24-25	0-1	1	1-1	-	1	205

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
WOODBERRY, Harry	7	228	40	972	1012	144.6
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	129	98	263	361	90.2
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	7	66	211	0	211	30.1
WALKER, Chris	7	44	167	0	167	23.9
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	18	60	0	60	20.0
RAY, Marques	7	3	59	0	59	8.4
HILL, Isaiah	3	4	20	0	20	6.7
COLUMBUS, Robert	2	3	7	0	7	3.5
ROWELL, Courtney	7	13	6	0	6	0.9
Total	7	509	668	1235	1903	271.9
Opponents	7	486	1042	1731	2773	396.1

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
Jacksonville State	-	40

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
GALLOWAY, Stone	27	1042	38.6	53	0	3	4	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	48	1710	35.6	53	0	13	8	4	1
Opponents	35	1326	37.9	55	0	11	11	4	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
DELGADO, Josh	21	1148	54.7	3	0			
Total	21	1148	54.7	3	0	17.3	41.2	23
Opponents	38	2185	57.5	12	0	18.2	41.0	24

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Ja	7	211	242	0	84	0	537	76.7
HILL, Isaiah	3	20	129	18	130	0	297	99.0
LOFTON, Robbi	6	0	234	0	0	0	234	39.0
WALKER, Chris	7	167	5	0	0	0	172	24.6
RAY, Marques	7	59	86	0	0	0	145	20.7
SHEEHAN, Jam	3	0	137	0	0	0	137	45.7
RICHARDS,Xan	6	0	136	0	0	0	136	22.7
McCULLOUGH,	3	60	-2	0	61	0	119	39.7
PHILLIPS, Teriq	5	0	107	0	0	0	107	21.4
BRANTLEY, Joh	4	98	0	0	0	0	98	24.5
COOKS Jr., Dew	5	0	61	0	0	0	61	12.2
WOODBERRY, H	7	40	0	0	0	0	40	5.7
ROSS, JJ	7	0	0	0	0	39	39	5.6
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	0	37	0	0	0	37	7.4
ROOKS, Eric	6	0	32	0	0	0	32	5.3
WILLIAMS, Mar	6	0	0	0	18	0	18	3.0
DEWBERRY, Br	6	0	0	2	0	15	17	2.8
HUGHES, Dylan	4	0	0	0	14	0	14	3.5
ROWELL, Court	7	6	7	0	0	0	13	1.9
SMITH, Alex	4	0	12	0	0	0	12	3.0
WALKER, Bryce	6	0	0	0	8	0	8	1.3
STRICKER, Nick	7	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.0
COLUMBUS, Ro	2	7	0	0	0	0	7	3.5
PAGE,Cornelius	7	0	0	-8	13	0	5	0.7
JAMES, Ryan	2	0	5	0	0	0	5	2.5
Total	7	668	1235	12	328	54	2297	328.1
Opponents	7	1042	1731	45	208	118	3144	449.1

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL
Eastern Illinois Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Oct 12, 2019)
All games

#	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
51	JOHNSON, Dytarious	7	24	21	45	8.0-30	2.0-10	.	1	1	2-50	1	.	.
4	CRITTENDEN, Raymo	7	25	9	34	1.0-4	.	1-0	1	1	.	2	.	.
8D	CROSBY, Antonio	7	20	12	32	2.0-3	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
96	GREER, Terrell	7	12	17	29	5.0-13	0.5-1	.	.	3	1-0	.	.	.
47	SHOCKEY, Anthony	7	19	8	27	3.0-12	0.5-8	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
2	DEWBERRY, Bryce	6	15	12	27	1.0-3	.	1-15	1	.	1-0	1	.	.
21	WILLIAMS, Mark	6	20	7	27	1.0-33	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
45	CAPUTO, Joe	4	16	9	25	2.5-2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
50	WILLIAMS, Sean	7	9	12	21	2.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	JOHNSON, Austin	5	8	12	20	4.0-17	1.0-8	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
3	PAGE, Cornelius	7	13	4	17	0.5-1	.	2-0	8	.	.	.	.	.
95	COLE, Kylan	7	7	10	17	1.5-4	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	JOHNSON, Jason	5	11	5	16	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	ROSS, JJ	7	11	5	16	.	.	2-39	1	.	.	.	.	.
91	GEORGE, D'Mitri	7	5	10	15	3.5-5	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
55	BROOKS, Charlie	7	5	8	13	3.0-19	1.5-14	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
26	JACKSON, Jordan	6	7	6	13	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
28	MAYES, Skyler	4	4	6	10	1.5-3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
99	O'NEAL, Jayden	7	4	6	10	2.0-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	VARGA, Tim	7	6	2	8	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
54	OJO, BJ	7	5	3	8	1.0-10	0.5-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	BORNSLATER, Marcus	6	5	3	8	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
59	UBAIKE, James	6	2	5	7	2.0-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
93	DEO, Ronell	7	6	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	GULLEY, Iziah	2	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	LEACH, Cameron	6	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	SHELTON, Charles	7	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	HUGHES, Dylan	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	LOFTON, Robbie	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	AQEL, Ameer	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	ROWELL, Courtney	7	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
82	RICHARDS, Xander	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	BENEFIELD, Jaelin	7	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	BROWN, Edwyn	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
49	EDWARDS, Grant	3	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
41	COLUMBUS, Robert	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
86	SHEEHAN, James	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
79	SOTTOSANTO, Antho	7	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	FILER, Jonas	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38	WADDELL, Darius	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7X	HILL, Isaiah	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	GUIDO, Brandon	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Total		7	294	196	490	48-181	7-53	6-54	22	10	6-50	7	.	.
Opponents		7	282	155	437	49-190	17-103	8-118	40	22	6-9	6	1	1

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL

Eastern Illinois Team Game-by-Game (as of Oct 12, 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
Oct 12	JACKSONVILLE STATE	34	109	2	20	19	208	1	35	19-38-3	208	1	35	4	63	0	26	1	9	0	9	317
		225	668	6	31	142	1235	5	37	142-284-8	1235	5	37	18	328	0	35	6	12	0	11	1903
Opponents		284	1042	9	52	132	1731	18	69	132-202-6	1731	18	69	12	208	0	34	10	45	0	10	2773

Games: 7 • Avg/rush: 3.0 • Avg/catch: 8.7 • Pass effic: 86.70 • KR avg: 18.2 • PR avg: 2.0 • All purpose avg/game: 328.1 • Total offense avg/gm: 271.9

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	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	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
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	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	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	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	3	17
Oct 12	JACKSONVILLE STATE	56	20	76	5.0-10	0.0-0	1	1-0	1-0	0	5	0	2-3	0	0	0	0	20
		294	196	490	48.0-181	7.0-53	7	6-50	6-54	10	22	0	8-10	0	1	0	3	85
Opponents		282	155	437	49.5-190	17.0-103	6	6-9	8-118	22	40	1	24-25	0	1	1	37	205

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	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	277	55.4	0	0
Oct 12	JACKSONVILLE STATE	6	210	35.0	41	0	0	1	0	1	0-0	0	0	4	210	52.5	1	0
		48	1710	35.6	53	1	0	13	4	8	3-6	37	0	21	1148	54.7	3	0
Opponents		35	1326	37.9	55	0	0	11	4	11	5-9	48	0	38	2185	57.5	12	0

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Eastern Illinois Opponent Game-by-Game (as of Oct 12, 2019)
All games

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	196	0	32	19	294	3	36	19-29-0	294	3	36	2	27	0	24	2	19	0	10	490
Oct 12	JACKSONVILLE STATE	45	185	1	34	22	237	3	39	22-34-1	237	3	39	3	38	0	16	2	0	0	7	422
Eastern Illinois		284	1042	9	52	132	1731	18	69	132-202-6	1731	18	69	12	208	0	34	10	45	0	10	2773
		225	668	6	31	142	1235	5	37	142-284-8	1235	5	37	18	328	0	35	6	12	0	11	1903

Games: 7 • Avg/rush: 3.7 • Avg/catch: 13.1 • Pass effic: 160.79 • KR avg: 17.3 • PR avg: 4.5 • All purpose avg/game: 449.1 • Total offense avg/gm: 396.1

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
Oct 12	JACKSONVILLE STATE	40	24	64	3.0-16	1.0-8	0	0-0	3-42	0	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	28
Eastern Illinois		282	155	437	49.5-190	17.0-103	6	6-9	8-118	22	40	1	24-25	0	1	1	37	205
		294	196	490	48.0-181	7.0-53	7	6-50	6-54	10	22	0	8-10	0	1	0	3	85

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	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
Oct 12	JACKSONVILLE STATE	5	148	29.6	51	0	0	1	1	1	0-1	0	0	5	264	52.8	1	0
		35	1326	37.9	55	0	0	11	4	11	5-9	48	0	38	2185	57.5	12	0
Eastern Illinois		48	1710	35.6	53	1	0	13	4	8	3-6	37	0	21	1148	54.7	3	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)
	1	HILL, Isaiah vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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)
	1	PAGE,Corneliuss vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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)
	2	vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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	5.5	vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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)
	34	COOPER,Zerrick, vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 2019)
Pass completions	22	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	22	COOPER,Zerrick, vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 2019)
Yards Passing	294	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	9	HESTER,Jamari, vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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)
	2	PEARSON,Josh, vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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	2	WILLIAMS,Traco, vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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	5.4	at Murray St. (Oct 05, 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	79	vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 2019)
Total Offense	555	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Yards Per Play	7.5	at Murray St. (Oct 05, 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)
	3	vs Jacksonville State (Oct 12, 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	
Oct 12, 2019	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 20-28	7-16 43.8	1-2 50.0	2-4 50.0	3-6 50.0	1-4 25.0	
Eastern Illinois			30-119 25.2	3-23 13.0	12-36 33.3	7-33 21.2	8-27 29.6	0-0 0.0
Opponents			44-101 43.6	13-26 50.0	14-28 50.0	7-19 36.8	10-28 35.7	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	
Oct 12, 2019	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 20-28	1-3 33.3	0-1 0.0	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	
Eastern Illinois			17-30 56.7	3-4 75.0	4-6 66.7	5-7 71.4	5-13 38.5	0-0 0.0
Opponents			3-10 30.0	1-1 100.0	0-1 0.0	0-3 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	
Oct 12, 2019	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 20-28	29:45	5:43	6:55	9:29	7:38	
Eastern Illinois			Total 204:23	44:29	54:29	60:41	44:44	0:00
			Avg. 29:11	6:21	7:47	8:40	6:23	0:00
Opponents			Total 215:37	60:31	50:31	44:19	60:16	0:00
			Avg. 30:48	8:38	7:13	6:19	8:36	0:00

			Times	Times	Total		Rush	Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
Date	Opponent	Score	In RZ	Scored	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	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
Oct 12, 2019	JACKSONVILLE STATE	L 20-28	3	3	21	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			29	22	137	18	8	10	4	2	3	1	0	1	0
22 of 29 (75.9%)															

NCAA Statistics

Eastern Ill. - 2019-20 Football Ranking Summary thru games 10/12/2019

Statistic	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
3rd Down Conversion Pct (124 ranked)	123	9	0.258	Dartmouth	0.622	Tennessee St.	0.430
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense (124 ranked)	88	6	0.441	Sam Houston St.	0.231	Austin Peay	0.347
4th Down Conversion Pct (124 ranked)	40	5	0.567	Alcorn Delaware N.C. A&T	1.000 1.000 1.000	Jacksonville St.	0.706
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense (123 ranked)	14	3	0.300	Idaho St. Cornell	0.143 0.143	Jacksonville St.	0.200
Blocked Kicks (43 ranked)				7 teams tied	4	Tennessee St.	4
Blocked Kicks Allowed (123 ranked)	49	5	1	48 teams tied	0	4 teams tied	0
Blocked Punts (13 ranked)				Harvard	4	4 teams tied	1
Blocked Punts Allowed (122 ranked)	77	7	1	76 teams tied	0	6 teams tied	0
Completion Percentage (124 ranked)	116	9	0.500	Dartmouth	0.744	Murray St.	0.653
Defensive TDs (26 ranked)				Grambling	4	Murray St. Austin Peay UT Martin	2 2 2
Fewest Penalties (124 ranked)	52	2	37	Princeton	12	UT Martin	35
Fewest Penalties Per Game (124 ranked)	26	1	5.29	Princeton	3.00	Eastern Ill.	5.29
Fewest Penalty Yards (124 ranked)	36	1	284	Princeton	102	Eastern Ill.	284
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game (124 ranked)	13	1	40.57	Princeton	25.50	Eastern Ill.	40.57
First Downs Defense (124 ranked)	81	5	135	Princeton	59	Eastern Ky.	108
First Downs Offense (124 ranked)	71	7	112	Houston Baptist	204	Tennessee St.	161
Fumbles Lost (124 ranked)	106	7	6	5 teams tied	0	Austin Peay	0
Fumbles Recovered (110 ranked)	21	3	6	Sam Houston St.	12	Murray St.	11
Kickoff Return Defense (124 ranked)	19	4	17.33	Tennessee Tech	14.10	Tennessee Tech	14.10
Kickoff Returns (123 ranked)	95	6	18.22	Mercer	30.42	Eastern Ky.	26.58
Net Punting (124 ranked)	75	6	34.69	Bucknell	45.22	Southeast Mo. St.	37.54
Passes Had Intercepted (123 ranked)	101	6	8	North Dakota St. Dartmouth Jacksonville	0 0 0	UT Martin	4
Passes Intercepted (121 ranked)	39	2	6	UIW	13	Austin Peay	8
Passing Offense (124 ranked)	97	8	176.3	Northern Ariz.	377.3	Tennessee St.	304.9
Passing Yards Allowed (124 ranked)	80	5	244.4	Charleston So.	137.3	Eastern Ky.	171.7
Passing Yards per Completion (124 ranked)	121	9	8.69	Kennesaw St.	20.62	Tennessee St.	13.59
Punt Return Defense (124 ranked)	19	3	4.50	Samford	-4.50	Austin Peay	0.33
Punt Returns (124 ranked)	118	9	2.00	San Diego	41.50	UT Martin	20.30
Red Zone Defense (121 ranked)	34	3	0.759	Illinois St.	0.500	Eastern Ky.	0.652
Red Zone Offense (123 ranked)	117	9	0.619	North Dakota St.	0.960	Southeast Mo. St.	0.923
Rushing Defense (124 ranked)	45	4	142.3	Harvard	65.0	Austin Peay	77.3
Rushing Offense (124 ranked)	108	9	95.6	Kennesaw St.	397.4	Eastern Ky.	218.8
Sacks Allowed (124 ranked)	94	7	2.57	Wofford	0.20	Austin Peay	0.67
Scoring Defense (124 ranked)	68	4	29.3	Dartmouth	8.5	Eastern Ky.	22.0
Scoring Offense (124 ranked)	121	9	12.1	Houston Baptist	45.3	Tennessee Tech	33.7
Tackles for Loss Allowed (124 ranked)	86	6	7.07	North Dakota St.	2.83	Jacksonville St.	5.43
Team Passing Efficiency (124 ranked)	122	9	86.67	Dartmouth	201.67	UT Martin	148.66
Team Passing Efficiency Defense (124 ranked)	110	9	159.96	Saint Francis (PA)	97.11	Eastern Ky.	112.92
Team Sacks (124 ranked)	113	8	1.00	Harvard	5.25	UT Martin	2.67
Team Tackles for Loss (124 ranked)	37	2	6.9	Sam Houston St.	12.0	Eastern Ky.	8.0
Time of Possession (124 ranked)	83	8	29:11	Yale	36:31	Tennessee Tech	32:40
Total Defense (124 ranked)	56	3	386.7	Princeton	260.0	Austin Peay	311.5
Total Offense (124 ranked)	117	9	271.9	Stetson	535.2	Tennessee St.	445.7
Turnover Margin (123 ranked)	79	7	-0.29	UIW	1.83	Austin Peay	1.17
Turnovers Gained (124 ranked)	25	4	12	Sam Houston St.	21	Murray St.	16
Turnovers Lost (123 ranked)	110	7	14	Princeton Dartmouth	1 1	UT Martin	5
Winning Percentage (116 ranked)	116	9	0.000	Princeton Dartmouth North Dakota St.	1.000 1.000 1.000	Jacksonville St.	0.714

Statistic	Player	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
All Purpose (199 ranked)	Jaelin Hayes-Benefield	179	13	76.86	Chris Rowland, Tennessee St.	207.86	Chris Rowland, Tennessee St.	207.86
Blocked Kicks (2 ranked)					D'Angelo Amos, James Madison	3	Malik Abdul-Haqq, Tennessee St. Khalil Jones, Tennessee St.	2 2
Combined Kick Returns (200 ranked)	Jaelin Hayes-Benefield	173	14	84	William Gruber, Colgate	631	Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech	407
Completion Percentage (105 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	94	9	0.514	Kevin Davidson, Princeton	0.726	Preston Rice, Murray St.	0.656
Completions Per Game (150 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	69	6	15.29	Bailey Zappe, Houston Baptist	33.43	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	23.86
Field Goal Percentage (80 ranked)					Hayden Ray, Central Ark. Caleb Dowden, Mercer	1.000 1.000	Antonio Zita, Tennessee St.	0.867
Field Goals Per Game (123 ranked)	Josh Delgado	87	5	0.43	Storm Ruiz, SFA	2.33	Antonio Zita, Tennessee St.	1.86
Forced Fumbles (61 ranked)	Raymond Crittenden Anthony Shockey	49 49	5 5	0.29 0.29	8 players tied	0.50	Marlon Bridges, Jacksonville St.	0.43
Fumbles Recovered (59 ranked)	Dytarious Johnson Bryce Dewberry D'Mitri George Terrell Greer Courtney Rowell	5 59 59 59 59	1 8 8 8 8	24 1 1 1 1	players tied	3	7 players tied	2
Interceptions Per Game (144 ranked)	Cornelius Page JJ Ross	84 84	6 6	0.3 0.3	Anthony Budd, Monmouth Kordell Jackson, Austin Peay	0.8 0.8	Kordell Jackson, Austin Peay	0.8
Kickoff Return TDs (3 ranked)					Earnest Edwards, Maine Bronson Yoder, William & Mary	2 2	Quinaz Turner, Murray St. Chris Rowland, Tennessee St. Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech	1 1 1
Kickoff Returns (91 ranked)					Gamar Brito, Houston Baptist	35.4	Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech	29.1
Passes Defended (40 ranked)	Cornelius Page	15	1	1.4	Anthony Adams, Portland St. Dorian Jackson, Saint Francis (PA) JJ Henderson, Stetson	2.0 2.0 2.0	Cornelius Page, Eastern Ill. Nick Harper, Jr., Tennessee St.	1.4 1.4
Passing Efficiency (105 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	104	9	90.3	Trey Lance, North Dakota St.	200.2	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	148.8
Passing TDs (107 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	107	9	4	Bailey Zappe, Houston Baptist	25	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	19
Passing Yards (150 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	74	8	971	Bailey Zappe, Houston Baptist	2,474	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	2,116
Passing Yards Per Game (150 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	95	8	138.7	Bailey Zappe, Houston Baptist	353.4	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	302.3
Passing Yards per Completion (105 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	103	9	9.07	Tyquell Fields, Stony Brook	18.65	Daniel Santacaterina, Southeast Mo. St.	14.20
Points Responsible For (199 ranked)					Daniel Smith, Villanova	156	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	138
Points Responsible For Per Game (149 ranked)					Kevin Thomson, Sacramento St.	24.3	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	19.7
Punt Return TDs (1 ranked)					18 players tied	1	Ty Terrell, Murray St. Terry Williams, UT Martin	1 1
Punt Returns (47 ranked)					Montrell Washington, Samford	22.7	Terry Williams, UT Martin	20.3
Punting (93 ranked)					Alex Pechin, Bucknell	49.1	Kaleb Mosley, Tennessee St.	43.0
Receiving TDs (88 ranked)					Josh Pearson, Jacksonville St.	11	Josh Pearson, Jacksonville St.	11
Receiving Yards (150 ranked)					Chris Rowland, Tennessee St.	1,021	Chris Rowland, Tennessee St.	1,021
Receiving Yards Per Game (200 ranked)					Chris Rowland, Tennessee St.	145.9	Chris Rowland, Tennessee St.	145.9
Receptions Per Game (197 ranked)	Jaelin Hayes-Benefield Robbie Lofton	76 149	6 9	4.7 3.7	Jerreth Sterns, Houston Baptist	10.4	Chris Rowland, Tennessee St.	10.0
Rush Yards Per Carry (145 ranked)					Jah-Maine Martin, N.C. A&T	9.28	Peyton Logan, UT Martin	8.41
Rushing TDs (103 ranked)	Jaelin Hayes-Benefield	103	12	3	Alex Ramsey, VMI	15	Alonzo Booth, Eastern Ky. Bailey Fisher, Tennessee Tech	8 8
Rushing Yards (199 ranked)					Alex Ramsey, VMI	810	Daryl McCleskey, Eastern Ky.	650
Rushing Yards Per Game (200 ranked)					Karekin Brooks, Penn	157.3	Daryl McCleskey, Eastern Ky.	108.3
Sacks (178 ranked)					Andre Walker, Houston Baptist	1.50	Aaron Patrick, Eastern Ky.	0.83
Scoring (171 ranked)					Jah-Maine Martin, N.C. A&T	13.2	Josh Pearson, Jacksonville St.	9.4
Solo Tackles (30 ranked)					Keith Woetzel, Lehigh	7.8	JaQuez Akins, UT Martin	5.7
Tackles For Loss (106 ranked)	Dytarious Johnson	84	3	1.1	Erik Slater, Lehigh	2.3	Steven Crowder, Eastern Ky. Aaron Patrick, Eastern Ky.	1.3 1.3
Total Offense (200 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	105	8	144.4	Reid Sinnett, San Diego	358.6	Zerrick Cooper, Jacksonville St.	329.3
Total Points Scored (0 ranked)								
Total Tackles (200 ranked)	Dytarious Johnson	184	14	6.4	Brandon Easterling, Dayton	13.8	Anthony Koclanakis, Murray St.	9.7
Total Touchdowns (140 ranked)	Jaelin Hayes-Benefield	140	12	4	Alex Ramsey, VMI	15	Josh Pearson, Jacksonville St.	11
Yards per Pass Attempt (105 ranked)	Harry Woodbery	104	9	4.67	Reid Sinnett, San Diego	10.66	John Bachus III, UT Martin	8.35
Yards per Reception (200 ranked)					Jalen Staples, Davidson	26.07	Kristian Wilkerson, Southeast Mo. St.	20.56