



EASTERN ILLINOIS

# EASTERN ILLINOIS PANTHER FOOTBALL

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## GAME 6



### COACHES:

**Adam Cushing (Univ. of Chicago, 2002)**

EIU Record..... 0-5 (1st)

OVC Record..... 0-1 (1st)

vs. Murray State ..... 0-0

**Mitch Stewart (Valdosta State, 2005)**

MUR Record..... 17-32 (5th year)

OVC Record..... 13-19 (5th year)

Overall Record ..... Same

vs. Eastern Illinois ..... 2-2

### SERIES

35th meeting, EIU leads 19-15

Last: MUR 48, @EIU 41 on Oct. 6, 2018

### RANKINGS

Eastern Illinois ..... / ---

Murray State ..... / ---

..... *STATS Media/AFCAs Coaches*

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## #RunWithUs

## Panthers Looking For First Win On The Road At Murray State

Eastern Illinois at Murray State

Stewart Stadium (16,800) • Murray, Ky.

Oct. 5, 2019 • 1 p.m. • TV: ESPN+

### NOTES TO KNOW

• Eastern Illinois had its best offensive production of the season on Saturday but two second quarter turnovers cost the Panthers 14 points during a 40-29 loss to Tennessee Tech. EIU dropped to 0-5 on the season, 0-1 in the OVC. The Panthers face a Murray State team that is 2-3 on the year, 0-1 in the OVC after a 40-7 road loss at UT Martin.

• Quarterback Harry Woodbery set a school record for passing attempts in a game as he had 68 passing attempts against Tennessee Tech. The previous record was 61 by Jimmy Garoppolo during the 2012 season against Illinois State. Woodbery completed 34-of-68 for 334 yards and two touchdowns. He did throw one interception.

• Freshman JJ Ross picked off a pass for the second straight week as he came up with one of two turnovers gained by the Panthers defense on Saturday. Ross is now the team leader with two interceptions this season which ranks 48th in the FCS. He is third among FCS freshmen behind Omar Brown (Northern Iowa) and Jaylon Jimmerson (Incarnate Word).

• Eastern Illinois was successful on a two-point conversion in the fourth quarter during Saturday's game against Tennessee Tech. Harry Woodbery connected with Xander Richards for the successful conversion. EIU's last successful two-point conversion was last season against Southeast Missouri with Woodbery hitting Alexander Hollins for two.

### THE SERIES

• Eastern Illinois and Murray State will be meeting for the 35th time on Saturday afternoon with both teams looking for their first Ohio Valley Conference win of the 2019 season. The Panthers hold a 19-15 all-time series lead with the two teams splitting the last four meetings. Last year Murray State won in Charleston 48-41 as the last three contests have been decided by a touchdown or less. The road team has won each of the last four contests. MSU's last home win in the series was Oct. 23, 2010, a 38-28 victory.

#### Eastern Illinois (0-5, 0-1 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	1 pm
Oct. 12	• JACKSONVILLE STATE	12 pm
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

#### Murray State (2-3, 0-1 OVC)

Date	Opponent	Score/Time
Aug. 29	PIKEVILLE COLLEGE	W 59-20
Sept. 7	at Georgia	L 17-63
Sept. 14	at Toledo	L 0-45
Sept. 21	MOREHEAD STATE	W 59-7
Sept. 28	• at UT Martin	L 7-40
Oct. 5	• EASTERN ILLINOIS	1 pm
Oct. 12	• at Tennessee State	2 pm
Oct. 19	• EASTERN KENTUCKY	2 pm
Oct. 26	• at Jacksonville State	3 pm
Nov. 2	• TENNESSEE TECH	1 pm
Nov. 16	• AUSTIN PEAY	12 pm
Nov. 23	• at Southeast Missouri	1 pm

• Ohio Valley Conference Games

All Times Central

**2019 STATS FCS MEDIA -- (Week 5)**

<b>Rk.</b>	<b>Team</b>	<b>2019 Record</b>
1.	North Dakota State (152)	4-0
2.	James Madison (7)	4-1
3.	South Dakota State	3-1
4.	Weber State	2-2
5.	Villanova	5-0
6.	Montana State	4-1
7.	Kennesaw State	4-1
8.	Montana	4-1
9.	Towson	3-2
10.	Illinois State	3-1
11.	Central Arkansas	3-1
12.	UC Davis	2-3
13.	Northern Iowa	2-2
14.	Furman	3-2
15.	North Carolina A&T	3-1
16.	Nicholls State	2-2
17.	Southeastern Louisiana	3-1
18.	Youngstown State	4-0
19.	Delaware	3-2
20.	Maine	2-3
21.	Jacksonville State	3-2
22.	Eastern Washington	2-3
23.	Southeast Missouri	2-2
24.	Stony Brook	4-1
25.	Princeton	2-0

**2019 AFCA FCS COACHES -- (Week 5)**

<b>Rk.</b>	<b>Team</b>	<b>2019 Record</b>
1.	North Dakota State (26)	4-0
2.	James Madison	4-1
3.	South Dakota State	3-1
4.	Kennesaw State	4-1
5.	Weber State	2-2
6.	Illinois State	3-1
7.	Montana State	4-1
8.	Villanova	5-0
9.	Montana	4-1
T10.	Central Arkansas	3-1
T10.	Towson	3-2
12.	UC Davis	2-3
13.	Northern Iowa	2-2
14.	Furman	3-2
15.	Nicholls State	2-2
16.	North Carolina A&T	3-1
17.	Youngstown State	4-0
18.	Delaware	3-2
19.	Southeastern Louisiana	3-1
20.	Jacksonville State	3-2
21.	Eastern Washington	2-3
22.	Maine	2-3
23.	Princeton	2-0
24.	Stony Brook	4-1
T25.	Houston Baptist	4-1
T25.	Southeast Missouri	2-2

• Eastern Illinois head coach Adam Cushing has had a gambler's mentality on offense this season as the Panthers lead the FCS in fourth down attempts. This season EIU has an FCS high 23 fourth down attempts with 14 successful conversions. The 60.9 percent conversion rate ranks 34th in the FCS. UC Davis is the only FCS team in the nation with 20 or more fourth down attempts this season with 21.

• The Panthers offense has been able to find pay dirt on fourth down this season adding two more fourth down touchdowns to their season total on Saturday. Entering the game against Tennessee Tech, both of EIU's touchdowns this season had come on 4th-and-4 situations. On Saturday against TTU, EIU scored on a 4th-and-5 when Harry Woodbery hit Xander Richards for a touchdown and then on a 4th-and-9 when Woodbery connected with DeWayne Cooks.

• Junior Robbie Lofton finished with a career day against Tennessee Tech as he hauled in ten passes for 124 yards. Lofton became the first EIU player since James Sheehan last season to finish with 100 or more yards. Sheehan had 108 last season against Eastern Kentucky. Aaron Gooch was the last Panther to haul in ten or more passes in a game when he had 11 last year against Southeast Missouri. Lofton is second on the team this season with 20 catches for a team high 209 yards. Entering the game Lofton had 12 career catches for 106 yards.

• Harry Woodbery passed for 334 yards on Saturday against Tennessee Tech as it marked his second career 300-yard passing game and the second straight season that the junior quarterback has passed for 300 or more yards against the Golden Eagles. Last season Woodbery was 32-of-49 for 339 yards and five touchdowns against Tennessee Tech.

• Running back Jaelin Benefield was again a top target for the Panthers offense as the freshman back had eight catches for 69 yards on Saturday against Tennessee Tech. The eight catches were two shy of tying the school record for catches by a running back in a game. Devin Church set that record with 10 catches in the 2015 FCS playoff game against Northern Iowa. Benefield is currently the Panthers leading receiver with 22 catches for 148 yards.

• In addition to catching the ball out of the backfield, Jaelin Benefield was again the Panthers leader on the ground as he finished with 14 carries for 46 yards and two short touchdowns. Benefield has rushed for 153 yards this season with a high of 49 in the season opener at Chattanooga. EIU has now gone five straight games without a 100-yard individual rusher in a game. The last to go over the century mark was Isaiah Johnson with 105 yards last season against Southeast Missouri.

• Eastern Illinois offense ran 94 plays from scrimmage on Saturday against Tennessee Tech. It marked the highest number of plays the Panthers had run since running 96 against Minnesota in the 2014 season opener. EIU has now run 90 or more plays in three of the last four seasons. Last season EIU had 93 plays against Murray State with 92 plays against the Racers during the 2016 season.

• Transfer wide receiver Isaiah Hill was in action for the first time this season on Saturday against Tennessee Tech. Hill, a transfer from South Dakota State, was granted a transfer waiver by the NCAA on Thursday, Sept. 26. He then started as the Panthers kick and punt returner in addition to time at the wide receiver position. Hill had two punt returns for ten yards and one kick return for 26 yards. He caught seven passes for 38 yards with a long of 13 yards.

**2019 OVC Standings**

Team .....	OVC .....	Pct.....	All .....	Pct.
Tennessee Tech.....	1-0	1.000	4-1	800
Austin Peay .....	1-0	1.000	3-2	600
Eastern Kentucky .....	1-0	1.000	3-2	600
UT Martin .....	1-0	1.000	2-2	500
Southeast Missouri.....	0-0	.000	2-2	500
Jacksonville State.....	0-1	.000	3-2	600
Murray State.....	0-1	.000	2-3	400
Tennessee State .....	0-1	.000	1-4	200
Eastern Illinois .....	0-1	.000	0-5	000

**This Week In OVC Football****Saturday, October 5**

Eastern Illinois at Murray State.....	1 pm
UT Martin at Eastern Kentucky.....	2 pm
Tennessee State at Jacksonville State .....	6 pm
Tennessee Tech at Southeast Missouri.....	6 pm

**Eastern Illinois 2019 Captains**

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

**OVC Predicted Order Of Finish**

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

*(first place votes in parenthesis)*

**Eastern Illinois Players On All-OVC Preseason Team**

Terrell Greer - Defensive Line

**2019 OVC Players of the Week**

• Linebacker Sean Williams had his second straight start of the season and turned in his second big performance. Williams led the Panthers defense with seven tackles including one tackle for loss against Tennessee Tech. The previous week Williams registered nine tackles with 1.5 tackles for loss. Entering the season Williams had been primarily a special teams player with nine career tackles.

• Dytarious Johnson added two tackles for loss to his season total last Saturday as he now has six tackles for loss this season. Johnson is the team leader in that category and ranks third in the OVC. For his career Johnson now has 29 career tackles for loss. He needs three more this season to move into a tie for 9th on the Panthers career list with Kamu Grugier-Hill and Mike Carlin.

• Corneliuss Page picked off a pass on Saturday against Tennessee Tech giving the senior defensive back his third career interception. It was one of two interceptions on the evening for the Panthers defense as they currently rank 22nd in the FCS with five team interceptions. Page's previous interceptions came his freshman year against Austin Peay and sophomore season against Murray State.

• Eastern Illinois forced two turnovers on Saturday against Tennessee Tech as the Panthers had interceptions from JJ Ross and Corneliuss Page. EIU now has six turnovers gained on the season. However the Panthers turned the ball over three times in the game leading to 14 Tennessee Tech points. For the season EIU is at a minus four in turnover margin which has led to 30 points off turnovers for the Panthers opponents (7 UTC / 9 INST / 14 TTU).

• Eastern Illinois run defense held Tennessee Tech to only 51 yards rushing on Saturday night as it marked the second time this season EIU has held an opponent to less than 100 yards rushing in a game. EIU currently ranks 39th in the FCS in rushing defense. The Panthers have only allowed one 100-yard individual rusher this season with Illinois State's James Robinson rushing for 146 yards.

• Senior linebacker Joe Caputo was named a semifinalist for this year's William Campbell Award which is given to the top academic collegiate football player. The 12 finalists for the award will be named later in the football season. Caputo was one of four players from the OVC that were selected. A team captain, Caputo has a 3.89 GPA in accounting. He has missed the last two games due to injury but still ranks fourth on the team with 22 tackles this season.

• After not collecting any sacks in the opening two games this season or the final two games last year, EIU has now collected five in the last three games. On Saturday against Tennessee Tech, Dytarious Johnson and Austin Johnson both picked up sacks for the Panthers. Dytarious Johnson is currently ninth in the OVC in sacks.

• Eastern Illinois continues to be the least penalized team in the OVC as the Panthers rank 23rd in the nation in fewest penalties per game and 19th in fewest penalty yards per game. EIU has been flagged for 25 penalties (5 per game) this season for 203 yards (40.6 yards per game).

• Eastern Illinois pass defense came away with six pass break-ups on Saturday against Tennessee Tech. It was the Panthers highest game total of the season with Mark Williams breaking up two passes. Corneliuss Page is the current team leader for EIU with four pass break-ups as he ranks sixth in the OVC this season in passes defended.

## 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...

## MURRAY STATE HEAD COACH MITCH STEWART

When Murray State hired Mitch Stewart as their head coach he became the youngest coach at the NCAA Division I level in 2015. A 2005 graduate of Valdosta State Stewart served four seasons as the offensive coordinator for Murray State under former head coach Chris Hatcher and still runs the up-tempo offense that he learned as a player and assistant coach. Stewart is 17-32 overall, 13-19 in the OVC as the Racers head coach with two wins over Top 25 teams. He is 2-2 against Eastern Illinois.

## SCOUTING MURRAY STATE

Murray State is off to a 2-3 start to the season and 0-1 in the Ohio Valley Conference after a 40-7 road loss at UT Martin last weekend. The Racers two wins this season are over Pikeville College and Morehead State with 59 points of offense in each of those games. Murray State has scored 24 total points in the other three games combined. Quarterback Preston Rice has passed for 1,074 yards with eight touchdowns. Six Murray State receivers have double figure catches this season. Anthony Koclanakis is the leader on defense with 47 tackles and 4.5 tackles for loss.

## ON THIS DATE IN EIU HISTORY

**Oct. 5, 1935** - Eastern Illinois opened the season with a 19-6 win over Oakland City College in what would prove to be the Panthers only win of the season. EIU used a balanced scoring attack with all three touchdowns coming in the first quarter on a touchdown pass, end run and fumble recovery.

## PREVIOUS OCTOBER 5 EASTERN ILLINOIS CONTESTS

Eastern Illinois football will be playing a game on October 5 for the 12th time in program history. The Panthers are 3-8 in their prior Oct. 5 contests.

Oct. 5, 2002	W 35-28 at Tennessee Tech
Oct. 5, 1991	L 15-16 vs. Western Illinois
Oct. 5, 1985	L 20-44 at Kansas
Oct. 5, 1974	L 3-28 at Western Illinois
Oct. 5, 1968	L 16-23 at Central Michigan
Oct. 5, 1963	L 15-35 at Central Michigan
Oct. 5, 1957	L 20-27 vs. Northern Illinois
Oct. 5, 1935	W 19-6 vs. Oakland City College
Oct. 5, 1934	W 39-0 at Oakland City College
Oct. 5, 1929	L 0-13 vs. Millikin
Oct. 5, 1912	L 3-45 at Rose-Hulman

## TALE OF THE TAPE



Points Per Game.....	9.6.....	28.4
Average Points Allowed.....	30.6.....	35
First Downs.....	74.....	98
Rushing Yards Per Game.....	97.6.....	146.2
Rushing Touchdowns.....	3.....	5
Passing Yards Per Game.....	159.2.....	249.2
Passing Touchdowns.....	3.....	10
Average Yards Per Game.....	256.8.....	395.4
Interceptions Thrown.....	5.....	4
Fumbles - Lost.....	13-5.....	5-3
Turnovers Gained.....	6.....	10
Punting Average.....	35.2.....	42.1
Field Goals (ATT/MADE).....	2-of-4.....	3-of-8
3rd Down Conversions.....	18-of-87 (21%).....	28-of-65 (43%)
4th Down Conversions.....	14-of-23 (61%).....	1-of-7 (14%)
Sacks By (Yards).....	5 (24).....	9 (43)
Penalties (Yards).....	25 (203).....	28 (249)
Time of Possession (Game).....	28:21.....	26:35

## Statistical Leaders

### RUSHING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	MURRAY STATE
Jaelin Benefield.....153	Preston Rice.....231
Chris Walker.....93	Jared McCray.....155

### PASSING YARDS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	MURRAY STATE
Harry Woodberry.....533	Preston Rice.....1,074
.....	Brendan Bognar.....156

### RECEPTIONS (Yards)

EASTERN ILLINOIS	MURRAY STATE
Jaelin Benefield.....22 (148)	Rodney Castille.....19 (146)
Robbie Lofton.....20 (209)	Jared McCray.....16 (95)
Xander Richards.....11 (136)	DaQuon Green.....13 (220)

### TACKLES

EASTERN ILLINOIS	MURRAY STATE
Dytarious Johnson.....28	Anthony Koclanakis.....47
Antonio Crosby.....24	Kendrik Catis.....32
Raymond Crittenden.....23	Dior Johnson.....25
Joe Caputo.....22	Davonta Wilson.....24
Sean Williams.....20	TJ Warren.....21

### TACKLES FOR LOSS / SACKS

EASTERN ILLINOIS	MURRAY STATE
Dytarious Johnson.....6.....2	Anthony Koclanakis... 4.5.....2
Austin Johnson.....4.....1	Korey Tillman.....3.5.....0
Terrell Greer.....3.....0.5	Nigel Walton.....3.....1

### Eastern Illinois In The OVC/NCAA Stats

2019

#### TEAM

TEAM	NCAA	OVC
Rushing Offense .....	104th	9th
Passing Offense .....	107th	8th
Passing Efficiency .....	123rd	9th
Total Offense .....	117th	9th
Scoring Offense .....	122nd	9th
Rushing Defense .....	39th	3rd
Pass Defense .....	75th	6th
Pass Efficiency Def. ....	107th	9th
Total Defense .....	42nd	3rd
Scoring Defense .....	69th	4th
Net Punting .....	76th	6th
Punt Returns .....	117th	9th
Kickoff Returns .....	105th	9th
Turnover Margin .....	102nd	9th
Turnovers Gained .....	55th	5th
Sacks .....	96th	8th
Tackles For Loss .....	39th	4th
Sacks Allowed .....	116th	9th
3rd Down Conversion .....	124th	9th
4th Down Conversion .....	34th	5th
3rd Down Defense .....	93rd	5th
Red Zone Offense .....	111th	9th
Red Zone Defense .....	38th	3rd
Time of Possession .....	95th	8th

#### INDIVIDUAL (Top 50)

	NCAA	OVC
Bryce Dewberry (Forced Fumbles) .....	53rd	5th
Terrell Greer (Fumbles Recovered) .....	34th	5th
JJ Ross (Interceptions) .....	48th	5th
Cornelius Page (Passes Defended) .....	57th	6th

### SHUT OUT STREAK ENDS

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

#### Longest EIU Streaks

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

### OVC SUCCESS

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

#### (FCS Playoff Appearances Since 1996)

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

### EIU NCAA FBS TRANSFERS

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

### ESPN3 OVC GAME OF THE WEEK

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

Sept. 28 EIU vs. Tennessee Tech at 4 pm



### NCAA PLAYOFF APPEARANCES

#### School.....# Appearances (Last)

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

\* moved to the FBS level in 2013

### FCS Division I Playoffs

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



### Division II Playoffs

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

### FCS PLAYOFF APPEARANCES SINCE 2000

#### School.....# Appearances (Last)

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

\* moved to the FBS level in 2013



## ADAM CUSHING

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

### Eastern Illinois

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

### Northwestern

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

### University of La Verne

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

### Personal

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

### CAREER

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

### POST SEASON APPEARANCES

2018 - Holiday Bowl (Northwestern)  
2017 - Music City Bowl (Northwestern)  
2016 - Pinstripe Bowl (Northwestern)  
2015 - Outback Bowl (Northwestern)  
2012 - Gator Bowl (Northwestern)  
2011 - 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

# EIU LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

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

### Passed for more than 300 yards...

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

### Passed for more than 400 yards...

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

### Threw four touchdown passes...

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

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

### Rushed for more than 200 yards...

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

### Rushed for three touchdowns...

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

### Rushed for four touchdowns...

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

### Had 12 Receptions...

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

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

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

### Had 3 touchdown receptions...

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

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

### Had 200 yards receiving...

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

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

### Returned a punt for a touchdown...

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

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

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

### Returned a kick-off for touchdown...

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

### Returned an interception for touchdown...

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

### Returned a fumble for touchdown...

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

### Recorded a safety...

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

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

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

### Blocked a punt...

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

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

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

### Blocked a field goal...

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

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

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

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

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

### EIU scored a two-point conversion

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

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

### Won a game on a field goal...

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

### Had 15 or more tackles on defense...

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

### Had 3 or more sacks on defense...

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

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

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

### Recovered an onside kick...

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

### Offensive Lineman Scored a Touchdown

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

## 2019 EASTERN ILLINOIS TOUCHDOWNS

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

## EASTERN ILLINOIS NFL CONNECTION

### SAN FRANCISCO 49ers

Jimmy Garoppolo - Quarterback

### PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

Kamu Grugier-Hill - Linebacker

### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

Sean Payton - Head Coach

### CHICAGO BEARS

Ryan Pace - General Manager

### HOUSTON TEXANS

Tim Kelly - Offensive Coordinator

### MINNESOTA VIKINGS

Alexander Hollins - Wide Receiver (Practice Squad)



**TEAM GAME RECORDS****TOTAL OFFENSE:**

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

**RUSHING YARDAGE:**

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

**RUSHING ATTEMPTS:**

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

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

**PASSING ATTEMPTS:**

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

**PASSES COMPLETED:**

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

**TOUCHDOWNS:**

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

**TOUCHDOWN PASSES:**

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

**MOST EIU POINTS IN A QUARTER:**

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

**MOST POINTS SCORED BY BOTH TEAMS:**

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

**POINTS**

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

**EIU LOWEST OFFENSIVE TOTAL:**

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

**EIU FEWEST RUSHING YARDS:**

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

**EIU FEWEST PASSING YARDS:**

-1.....	at Murray State (2-of-6) +.....	Nov. 16, 1974
0.....	Southeast Missouri * .....	Oct. 13, 2001
0.....	Truman State (0-of-9).....	Sept. 10, 1977
5.....	at Central Missouri (2-of-7) .....	Oct. 4, 1975
10.....	at Truman State (1-of-4).....	Sept. 11, 1976
10.....	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 &amp; 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.....	Northernwestern (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
<b>Johnathan Brantley ..</b>	<b>458 vs. Indiana State.....</b>	<b>2018</b>
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
<b>Johnathan Brantley ..</b>	<b>443 vs. Indiana State.....</b>	<b>2018</b>

**PASSING ATTEMPTS:**

<b>Harry Woodbery ...</b>	<b>68 vs. Tennessee Tech ....</b>	<b>2019</b>
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
<b>Johnathan Brantley ..</b>	<b>37 vs. Indiana State.....</b>	<b>2018</b>
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
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**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.

**HOW DO YOU SAY THAT - EIU Pronunciation Guide**

5	NEE-COLA Wadsworth
7	ISIAH Gulley
9	Jaylin Hayes BEN-uh-field
12	MARCUS Ray
13	X-ZAY-vur Shugars
16	Jo-ELL Barrows
20	Marcus BORN-slay-ter
22	Courtney Rowell (rhymes with "towel")
30	NILE (rhymes with "file") Hill
31	Anthony Muh-NAW-vez
38	Darius waw-DELL
42	Brandon GWEE-doe
46	Aw-MEER uh-KWELL
54	B. J. OH-Joe (like "mojo")
56	Christian Muh-SOOCH-ee
58	Anthony Im-PEER-ee-oh
59	James you-BOCK-ay
65	Nick ROSS-ler
66	Drew waw-LEE-guh
70	Bryce COAL-sun
72	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 .....	53
Texas .....	7
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 .....	12
Junior .....	18
Sophomore .....	19
Redshirt Freshmen .....	11
Freshmen .....	38

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

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

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

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

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	YR	EXP	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL/JC/LAST)
1	Scotty Gilkey, Jr.	QB	6-4	240	R-Jr	1	Tulsa, Okla. (Edison)
2	Bryce Dewberry	SAF	5-10	210	So	1	McDonough, Ga. (Eagles Landing)
3	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 Ubaik	OL	6-4	280	R-Jr	1	Meriden, Conn. (Maloney / ND College of Science)
60	Aaron Miller	OL	6-5	290	R-Jr	1	Kaneohe, Haw. (St. Louis Prep)
61	Ben Solomon	OL	6-2	300	R-So	1	Indianapolis, Ind. (Bishop Chatard)
63	Matt Keys	OL	6-3	260	R-Fr	RS	Chicago, Ill. (Uplift Community)
64	Jerit Medler	OL	6-2	265	Fr	HS	Assumption, Ill. (Central A&M)
65	Nick Roessler	K/P	5-11	220	R-Fr	RS	Rock Island, Ill. (Rock Island)
66	Drew Walega	OL	6-6	300	R-Jr	2	Chicago, Ill. (St. Rita)
67	Chad Strickland	OL	6-5	280	Fr	HS	Salem, Ala. (Smiths Station)
68	Luther Harris	OL	6-6	375	R-Jr	2	Oklahoma City, Okla. (Heritage Hall)
69	Stephen Elmore	LS	6-0	240	So	1	Belleville, Ill. (Belleville East)
70	Bryce Coulson	LS	6-3	275	R-Jr	SQ	Brisbane, Australia (John Paul/Pima College)
71	Jose Sanchez	OL	6-4	340	R-So	1	Melrose Park, Ill. (Westchester Saint Joseph)
72	Elkhanan Tanelus	OL	6-2	330	Fr	HS	Naples, Fla. (Barron Collier)
73	Dylan Czerlanis	OL	6-4	290	Fr	HS	Antioch, Ill. (Antioch)
74	Dylan Scaggs	OL	6-6	295	Fr	HS	West Plains, Mo. (West Plains)
75	McKinley Neville	DL	6-3	260	Fr	HS	Batavia, Ill. (Batavia)
76	Cole Hoover	OL	6-4	260	R-Jr	2	Charleston, Ill. (Charleston)
77	Ivan Gleyzer	OL	6-4	290	Fr	HS	Lincolnshire, Ill. (Stevenson)
79	Anthony Sottosanto	OL	6-0	285	Fr	HS	Frankfort, Ill. (Lincoln-Way East)
80	Bryce Walker	SB	6-4	200	R-Fr	1	Duncanville, Texas (Duncanville)
81	Jalen Johnson	WR	6-2	190	R-So	1	Owasso, Okla. (Owasso)
82	Xander Richards	WR	6-4	180	R-So	1	Burleson, Texas (Burleson Centennial)
83	Teriq Phillips	WR	6-3	185	So	1	Pompano Beach, Fla. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
84	Ryan James	WR	6-3	205	R-So	TR	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle Institute / Purdue Univ.)
85	Kirk Pinkston Jr.	WR	5-10	175	Fr	HS	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence Central)
86	James Sheehan	SB	6-3	220	R-Sr	3	Flossmoor, Ill. (Homewood-Flossmoor)
87	DeWayne Cooks Jr	WR	6-2	155	R-Fr	RS	Tulsa, Okla. (Booker T. Washington)
88	Trevon Brown	WR	6-0	190	Fr	HS	Oak Park, Ill. (Oak Park-River Forest)
89	Eric Rooks	WR	6-3	195	R-Fr	TR	Chicago, Ill. (De La Salle Institute / Univ. of Hawaii)
90	Josh Delgado	K	5-11	245	So	1	Duncanville, Texas (Duncanville)
91	D'Mitri George	DE	6-3	255	R-So	1	Lafayette, Ind. (Central Catholic)
92	Cameron Leach	DL	6-1	285	Fr	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Nazareth Academy)
93	Ronell Deo	DL	6-2	265	R-Sr	1	Elk Grove, Calif (Franklin/Sierra College)
94	Dominic Moore	DL	6-7	290	Fr	HS	Chicago, Ill. (Chicago Perspectives Charter)
95	Kylan Cole	DE	6-2	280	R-So	1	Zionsville, Ind. (Carmel)
96	Terrell Greer	DL	5-10	305	Sr	3	Chicago, Ill. (Mount Carmel)
97	Tim Varga	DL	6-3	240	Fr	HS	Elk Grove Village, Ill. (Elk Grove Village)
98	Anthony Lewis	LB	6-0	205	R-Fr	RS	Chicago, Ill. (St. Laurence)
99	Jayden O'Neal	DL	6-1	275	R-Fr	RS	Chicago, Ill. (Simeon)

## EASTERN ILLINOIS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

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

## EIU OFFENSE

### QUARTERBACK

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

### RUNNING BACK

9 ... Jaelin Benefield	5-10	160	Fr
22 ... Courtney Rowell	6-2	200	R-So

### SUPER BACK

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

### LEFT TACKLE

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

### LEFT GUARD

72 ... Elkhanan Tanelus	6-2	330	Fr
71 ... Jose Sanchez	6-4	340	R-So

### 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
66 ... Drew Walega	6-6	300	R-Jr

### RIGHT TACKLE

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

### RECEIVER

12 ... Marques Ray	6-0	185	R-Fr
7 ... Isaiah Hill	5-11	190	R-So

### RECEIVER

19 ... Robbie Lofton II	6-3	185	R-Jr
89 ... Eric Rooks	6-3	195	R-Fr

### RECEIVER

82 ... Xander Richards	6-4	180	R-So
85 ... Kirk Pinkston	5-10	175	Fr

## EIU COACHING STAFF

**Head Coach:** Adam Cushing (Univ. of Chicago, 2002 - 1st year)  
(Career Record 0-5; OVC Record 0-1)

**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

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

### NOSE TACKLE

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

### DEFENSIVE TACKLE

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

### DEFENSIVE END/LINEBACKER

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

### LINEBACKER

28 ... Skyler Mayes	6-2	235	So
45 ... Joe Caputo	6-2	235	R-Sr

### LINEBACKER

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

### LINEBACKER

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

### CORNERBACK

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

### FREE SAFETY

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

### STRONG SAFETY

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

### CORNERBACK

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

## EIU SPECIALISTS

### KICKER

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

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

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

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

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

### PUNT RETURNS

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

### KICK RETURNS

9 ... Jaelin Benefield	5-10	160	Fr
7 ... Isaiah Hill	5-11	190	R-So
21 ... Mark Williams	6-0	175	R-Jr

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

**GAME 1 - Aug. 29, 2019**

Eastern Illinois ..... 10  
Chattanooga ..... 24

Chattanooga, Tenn.  
Finley Stadium (8,254)

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

**FIRST QUARTER**

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

**SECOND QUARTER**

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

**THIRD QUARTER**

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

**TEAM STATS .....EIU ..... UTC**

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

**LEADERS****RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)**

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

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

EIU - Brantley (25-13-0-103-1), 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 STATS .....EIU ..... IU**

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

**LEADERS****RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)**

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

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

EIU - Brantley (17-8-0-49-0), 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 STATS .....EIU ..... ILST**

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

**LEADERS****RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)**

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

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

EIU - Brantley (27-10-0-79-0), 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 STATS .....EIU .....INST**

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 STATS .....EIU .....TTU**

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

**LEADERS****RUSHING (No-Yds-TD)**

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

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

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

**RECEIVING (No-Yds-TD)**

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

**DEFENSE (Tackles - Solo, Assist, TFL)**

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

**RECAP**

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

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

\* indicates Ohio Valley Conference game

2019 EASTERN ILLINOIS STARTERS

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

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

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL  
Eastern Illinois Overall Team Statistics (as of Sep 28, 2019)  
All games

Team Statistics	EIU	OPP
SCORING	48	153
Points Per Game	9.6	30.6
Points Off Turnovers	0	30
FIRST DOWNS	74	92
Rushing	26	40
Passing	37	50
Penalty	11	2
RUSHING YARDAGE	488	661
Yards gained rushing	638	796
Yards lost rushing	150	135
Rushing Attempts	165	203
Average Per Rush	3.0	3.3
Average Per Game	97.6	132.2
TDs Rushing	3	8
PASSING YARDAGE	796	1200
Comp-Att-Int	93-197-5	91-139-5
Average Per Pass	4.0	8.6
Average Per Catch	8.6	13.2
Average Per Game	159.2	240.0
TDs Passing	3	12
TOTAL OFFENSE	1284	1861
Total Plays	362	342
Average Per Play	3.5	5.4
Average Per Game	256.8	372.2
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	12-202	7-143
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	4-4	6-26
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-54	5-76
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	16.8	20.4
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	1.0	4.3
INT RETURN AVERAGE	10.8	15.2
FUMBLES-LOST	13-5	5-1
PENALTIES-Yards	25-203	37-345
Average Per Game	40.6	69.0
PUNTS-Yards	37-1304	26-1032
Average Per Punt	35.2	39.7
Net punt average	34.5	39.5
KICKOFFS-Yards	12-661	29-1730
Average Per Kick	55.1	59.7
Net kick average	39.0	43.2
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	28:21	31:39
3RD-DOWN Conversions	18/87	34/75
3rd-Down Pct	21%	45%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	14/23	1/6
4th-Down Pct	61%	17%
SACKS BY-Yards	5-24	16-95
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	6	20
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	2-4	5-7
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-1	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(8-13) 62%	(18-23) 78%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(6-13) 46%	(14-23) 61%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(4-5) 80%	(18-19) 95%
ATTENDANCE	13174	52254
Games/Avg Per Game	2/6587	3/17418
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Eastern Illinois	10	10	13	15	0	48
Opponents	45	55	34	19	0	153

EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL  
Eastern Illinois Overall Individual Statistics (as of Oct 01, 2019)  
All games

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	5	38	172	19	153	4.0	2	31	30.6
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	53	192	94	98	1.8	0	26	24.5
WALKER, Chris	5	23	94	1	93	4.0	0	18	18.6
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	18	64	4	60	3.3	0	10	20.0
RAY, Marques	5	3	59	0	59	19.7	0	11	11.8
WOODBERRY, Harry	5	13	33	21	12	0.9	1	10	2.4
COLUMBUS, Robert	2	3	7	0	7	2.3	0	5	3.5
ROWELL, Courtney	5	13	17	11	6	0.5	0	4	1.2
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	5	165	638	150	488	3.0	3	31	97.6
Opponents	5	203	796	135	661	3.3	8	52	132.2

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
WOODBERRY, Harry	5	83.78	58-121-4	47.9	533	2	30	106.6
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	76.83	35-76-1	46.1	263	1	37	65.8
Total	5	81.10	93-197-5	47.2	796	3	37	159.2
Opponents	5	159.28	91-139-5	65.5	1200	12	69	240.0

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	5	22	148	6.7	0	37	29.6
LOFTON, Robbie	5	20	209	10.4	0	30	41.8
RICHARDS, Xander	5	11	136	12.4	1	20	27.2
RAY, Marques	5	10	86	8.6	0	20	17.2
HILL, Isaiah	1	7	38	5.4	0	13	38.0
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	6	37	6.2	0	20	7.4
SHEEHAN, James	2	5	72	14.4	0	24	36.0
WALKER, Chris	5	3	6	2.0	0	5	1.2
COOKS, DeWayne	3	2	16	8.0	1	9	5.3
ROOKS, Eric	4	2	11	5.5	0	6	2.8
PHILLIPS, Teriq	3	1	20	20.0	0	20	6.7
STRICKER, Nick	5	1	7	7.0	1	7	1.4
ROWELL, Courtney	5	1	7	7.0	0	7	1.4
JAMES, Ryan	2	1	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	1	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.7
Total	5	93	796	8.6	3	37	159.2
Opponents	5	91	1200	13.2	12	69	240.0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
HILL, Isaiah	2	10	5.0	0	11
DEWBERRY, Bryce	1	2	2.0	0	2
PAGE, Cornelius	1	-8	-8.0	0	0
Total	4	4	1.0	0	11
Opponents	6	26	4.3	0	9

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

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	6	84	14.0	0	23
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	61	20.3	0	22
WILLIAMS, Mark	1	18	18.0	0	18
HILL, Isaiah	1	26	26.0	0	26
PAGE, Cornelius	1	13	13.0	0	10
Total	12	202	16.8	0	26
Opponents	7	143	20.4	0	34

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	1	9	9.0	0	9

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**All games**

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
DELGADO, Josh	-	2-4	4-5	-	-	-	-	-	10
RICHARDS,Xander	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
COOKS, DeWayne	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
STRICKER, Nick	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
WOODBERRY, Harry	1	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	6
Total	6	2-4	4-5	-	1	1-1	-	-	48
Opponents	20	5-7	18-19	0-1	-	-	-	-	153

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
WOODBERRY, Harry	5	134	12	533	545	109.0
BRANTLEY, Johnathan	4	129	98	263	361	90.2
BENEFIELD, Jaelin	5	38	153	0	153	30.6
WALKER, Chris	5	23	93	0	93	18.6
McCULLOUGH, Darsho	3	18	60	0	60	20.0
RAY, Marques	5	3	59	0	59	11.8
COLUMBUS, Robert	2	3	7	0	7	3.5
ROWELL, Courtney	5	13	6	0	6	1.2
Total	5	362	488	796	1284	256.8
Opponents	5	342	661	1200	1861	372.2

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
DELGADO, Josh	2-4	50.0	0-0	0-2	2-2	0-0	0-0	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	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
GALLOWAY, Stone	16	636	39.8	53	0	2	3	3	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	37	1304	35.2	53	0	12	7	3	1
Opponents	26	1032	39.7	55	0	10	8	2	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
DELGADO, Josh	12	661	55.1	2	0			
Total	12	661	55.1	2	0	20.4	39.0	26
Opponents	29	1730	59.7	11	0	16.8	43.2	21

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 All games

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
BENEFIELD, Ja	5	153	148	0	84	0	385	77.0
LOFTON, Robbi	5	0	209	0	0	0	209	41.8
RAY, Marques	5	59	86	0	0	0	145	29.0
RICHARDS,Xan	5	0	136	0	0	0	136	27.2
McCULLOUGH,	3	60	-2	0	61	0	119	39.7
WALKER, Chris	5	93	6	0	0	0	99	19.8
BRANTLEY, Joh	4	98	0	0	0	0	98	24.5
HILL, Isaiah	1	0	38	10	26	0	74	74.0
SHEEHAN, Jam	2	0	72	0	0	0	72	36.0
ROSS, JJ	5	0	0	0	0	39	39	7.8
PINKSTON, Kirk	5	0	37	0	0	0	37	7.4
PHILLIPS, Teriq	3	0	20	0	0	0	20	6.7
WILLIAMS, Mar	4	0	0	0	18	0	18	4.5
DEWBERRY, Br	4	0	0	2	0	15	17	4.2
COOKS, DeWay	3	0	16	0	0	0	16	5.3
ROWELL, Court	5	6	7	0	0	0	13	2.6
WOODBERRY, H	5	12	0	0	0	0	12	2.4
ROOKS, Eric	4	0	11	0	0	0	11	2.8
STRICKER, Nick	5	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.4
COLUMBUS, Ro	2	7	0	0	0	0	7	3.5
PAGE,Cornelius	5	0	0	-8	13	0	5	1.0
JAMES, Ryan	2	0	5	0	0	0	5	2.5
Total	5	488	796	4	202	54	1544	308.8
Opponents	5	661	1200	26	143	76	2106	421.2

**EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL**  
**Eastern Illinois Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Sep 28, 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	5	14	14	28	6.0-26	2.0-10	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
8D	CROSBY, Antonio	5	14	10	24	1.0-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
4	CRITTENDEN, Raymo	5	15	8	23	1.0-4	.	1-0	1	1	.	1	.	.
45	CAPUTO, Joe	3	14	8	22	2.0-2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
50	WILLIAMS, Sean	5	9	11	20	2.5-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
33	JOHNSON, Austin	5	8	12	20	4.0-17	1.0-8	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
96	GREER, Terrell	5	6	13	19	3.0-9	0.5-1	.	.	3	1-0	.	.	.
47	SHOCKEY, Anthony	5	12	7	19	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
21	WILLIAMS, Mark	4	11	5	16	1.0-33	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
91	GEORGE, D'Mitri	5	5	10	15	3.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	DEWBERRY, Bryce	4	8	6	14	1.0-3	.	1-15	1	.	.	1	.	.
23	ROSS, JJ	5	9	4	13	.	.	2-39	1	.	.	.	.	.
95	COLE, Kylan	5	3	8	11	1.0-3	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3	PAGE, Cornelius	5	8	2	10	0.5-1	.	1-0	4	.	.	.	.	.
28	MAYES, Skyler	3	3	6	9	1.5-3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
26	JACKSON, Jordan	4	5	3	8	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
55	BROOKS, Charlie	5	3	5	8	0.5-2	0.5-2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
20	BORNSLATER, Marcus	4	4	3	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
52	JOHNSON, Jason	3	4	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	GULLEY, Iziah	2	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	VARGA, Tim	5	4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59	UBAIKE, James	4	1	5	6	2.0-5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
93	DEO, Ronell	5	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	O'NEAL, Jayden	5	3	2	5	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	LEACH, Cameron	5	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	COLUMBUS, Robert	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	ROWELL, Courtney	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
49	EDWARDS, Grant	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
46	AQEL, Ameer	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	SHELTON, Charles	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82	RICHARDS, Xander	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	LOFTON, Robbie	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	BENEFIELD, Jaelin	5	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54	OJO, BJ	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	FILER, Jonas	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
86	SHEEHAN, James	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38	WADDELL, Darius	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6	BROWN, Edwyn	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	HUGHES, Dylan	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	GUIDO, Brandon	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Total		5	197	150	347	34-128	5-24	5-54	15	8	1-0	3	.	.
Opponents		5	201	105	306	41-162	16-95	5-76	30	17	5-9	6	1	.

# EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL

## Eastern Illinois Team Game-by-Game (as of Sep 28, 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
		165	488	3	31	93	796	3	37	93-197-5	796	3	37	12	202	0	26	4	4	0	11	1284
Opponents		203	661	8	52	91	1200	12	69	91-139-5	1200	12	69	7	143	0	34	6	26	0	9	1861

Games: 5 • Avg/rush: 3.0 • Avg/catch: 8.6 • Pass effic: 81.10 • KR avg: 16.8 • PR avg: 1.0 • All purpose avg/game: 308.8 • Total offense avg/gm: 256.8

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup		kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Aug 29	at Chattanooga	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
		197	150	347	34.0-128	5.0-24	3	1-0	5-54	8	15	0	4-5	0	1	0	0	48
Opponents		201	105	306	41.5-162	16.0-95	6	5-9	5-76	17	30	1	18-19	0	0	0	30	153

		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	
		37	1304	35.2	53	1	0	12	3	7	2-4	37	0	12	661	55.1	2	0	
Opponents		26	1032	39.7	55	0	0	10	2	8	5-7	48	0	29	1730	59.7	11	0	

# EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL

## Eastern Illinois Opponent Game-by-Game (as of Sep 28, 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
		203	661	8	52	91	1200	12	69	91-139-5	1200	12	69	7	143	0	34	6	26	0	9	1861
Eastern Illinois		165	488	3	31	93	796	3	37	93-197-5	796	3	37	12	202	0	26	4	4	0	11	1284

Games: 5 • Avg/rush: 3.3 • Avg/catch: 13.2 • Pass effic: 159.28 • KR avg: 20.4 • PR avg: 4.3 • All purpose avg/game: 421.2 • Total offense avg/gm: 372.2

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	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
		201	105	306	41.5-162	16.0-95	6	5-9	5-76	17	30	1	18-19	0	0	0	30	153
Eastern Illinois		197	150	347	34.0-128	5.0-24	3	1-0	5-54	8	15	0	4-5	0	1	0	0	48

		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	
		26	1032	39.7	55	0	0	10	2	8	5-7	48	0	29	1730	59.7	11	0	
Eastern Illinois		37	1304	35.2	53	1	0	12	3	7	2-4	37	0	12	661	55.1	2	0	

**EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL**  
**Eastern Illinois Game Superlatives (as of Sep 28, 2019)**  
**All games**

**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, DeWayne vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 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)
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	26	HILL, Isaiah vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 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)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	JOHNSON, Dytarious vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	3.0	JOHNSON, Austin at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Interceptions	1	DEWBERRY, Bryce at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	CRITTENDEN, Raymond at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	ROSS, JJ at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	ROSS, JJ vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	1	PAGE, Corneliuss vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	39	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Yards Rushing	130	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Yards Per Rush	3.7	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
TD Rushes	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Pass attempts	68	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Pass completions	34	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Passing	334	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Per Pass	5.1	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
TD Passes	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Total Plays	94	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Total Offense	401	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Per Play	4.5	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Points	29	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Sacks By	2	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
First Downs	23	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Penalties	7	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Penalty Yards	60	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Turnovers	4	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Interceptions By	2	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Punts	11	at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Punting Avg	42.0	at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Long Punt	53	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Punts inside 20	2	at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
	2	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Punt Return	11	vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	23	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Yards Rushing	146	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
TD Rushes	3	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Long Rush	52	Robinson,James, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Pass attempts	34	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Pass completions	22	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Yards Passing	269	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
TD Passes	6	FISHER, Bailey, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Pass	69	Wilderman, Kurt, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Receptions	6	Bryce Nunnelly, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Yards Receiving	110	Hale, Donavan, at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
TD Receptions	2	STAFFORD, Darri, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
	2	HICKS, Austin, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)
Long Reception	69	Morgan, Rontrez, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Field Goals	3	Nunez, Jerry, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Long Field Goal	48	Campbell, C., at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Punts	8	Bohlken,JT, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Punting Avg	43.2	Colin Brewer, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Long Punt	55	Colin Brewer, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
Punts inside 20	2	Colin Brewer, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	2	Whitehead, H., at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
	2	Bohlken,JT, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Long Punt Return	9	Ellis, David, at Indiana (Sep 07, 2019)
Long Kickoff Return	34	Uphoff,Christia, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Tackles	12	Griffith, Jonas, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
Sacks	2.5	McKnight,Romeo, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	McKnight,Romeo, vs Illinois State (Sep 14, 2019)
Interceptions	1	Kameron Brown, at Chattanooga (Aug 29, 2019)
	1	Oyedele, Hameed, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	Glasco, Clayton, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	Bonner, Denzel, at Indiana State (09/21/2019)
	1	MOORE, Aderick, vs Tennessee Tech (Sep 28, 2019)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

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

**EASTERN ILLINOIS FOOTBALL**  
**Eastern Illinois By-Quarter Statistics (as of Sep 28, 2019)**  
**All games**

**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	
Eastern Illinois			18-87 20.7	1-18 5.6	7-26 26.9	4-22 18.2	6-21 28.6	0-0 0.0
Opponents			34-75 45.3	9-18 50.0	11-21 52.4	7-15 46.7	7-21 33.3	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	
Eastern Illinois			14-23 60.9	3-3 100.0	3-4 75.0	4-6 66.7	4-10 40.0	0-0 0.0
Opponents			1-6 16.7	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-2 0.0	1-4 25.0	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	
Eastern Illinois			Total 141:44	34:20	37:16	38:31	31:37	0:00
			Avg. 28:20	6:52	7:27	7:42	6:19	0:00
Opponents			Total 158:16	40:40	37:44	36:29	43:23	0:00
			Avg. 31:39	8:08	7:32	7:17	8:40	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
Totals				23	18	109	14	7	7	4	2	1	1	0	1	0
18 of 23 (78.3%)																