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## EASTERN DIVISION

	SEC	Pct.	PF	PA	Overall	Pct.	PF	PA	Home	Away	Neutral	vs. Div.	Top 25	Top 10	Streak
#Georgia	8-0	1.000	321	66	10-0	1.000	387	76	5-0	3-0	2-0	6-0	4-0	2-0	W10
Kentucky	5-3	.625	219	195	7-3	.700	292	228	5-1	2-2	0-0	4-2	1-1	1-1	W1
Tennessee	3-4	.429	233	248	5-5	.500	361	295	3-3	2-2	0-0	3-2	1-4	0-2	L1
Missouri	2-4	.333	140	231	5-5	.500	315	359	4-2	1-3	0-0	2-3	0-2	0-1	W1
South Carolina	2-5	.286	146	213	5-5	.500	235	244	4-1	1-4	0-0	2-4	0-2	0-1	L1
Florida	2-5	.286	188	188	5-5	.500	335	274	4-1	1-3	0-1	2-3	0-3	0-2	W1
Vanderbilt	0-6	.000	71	241	2-8	.200	151	354	1-6	1-2	0-0	0-5	0-2	0-1	L5

# - SEC Championship Game Eastern Division Representative

## WESTERN DIVISION

	SEC	Pct.	PF	PA	Overall	Pct.	PF	PA	Home	Away	Neutral	vs. Div.	Top 25	Top 10	Streak
Alabama	5-1	.833	232	138	9-1	.900	446	182	6-0	2-1	1-0	3-1	3-0	1-0	W4
Ole Miss	4-2	.667	184	186	8-2	.800	369	262	6-0	1-2	1-0	3-2	2-2	0-1	W2
Mississippi State	4-3	.571	207	187	6-4	.600	295	262	3-2	3-2	0-0	2-3	3-1	0-1	W1
Texas A&M	4-3	.571	191	144	7-3	.700	276	161	5-1	1-1	1-1	2-3	2-2	1-0	L1
Auburn	3-3	.500	140	159	6-4	.600	316	221	4-2	2-2	0-0	3-2	2-2	1-3	L2
Arkansas	3-3	.500	141	178	7-3	.700	309	229	5-1	1-2	1-0	3-2	3-2	1-1	W3
LSU	2-5	.286	161	200	4-6	.400	271	266	3-2	1-4	0-0	1-4	0-5	0-1	L3

NOTES: Auburn, Georgia, Mississippi State, Ole Miss and Texas A&M are among 11 teams in the nation with at least two wins vs. the current CFP Top 25 (Mississippi State-3).  
 vs. Top 25 - Record vs. teams in Top 25 (AP, USA Today) when game was played; Teams listed in alphabetical order unless tie-breaker applicable

## FINAL TWO WEEKS OF THE REGULAR SEASON

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Charleston Southern (4-5) at Georgia (10-0, 8-0 SEC)	Series: UGA leads, 1-0
Noon ET • SEC+ / ESPN+	
Athens, Ga. • Sanford Stadium (92,746)	Sirius: 137 • XM: 190
New Mexico State (1-9) at Kentucky (7-3, 5-3 SEC)	Series: UK leads, 1-0
Noon ET • SEC Network	
Lexington, Ky. • Kroger Field (61,000)	Sirius: 81 • XM: 81
Tennessee State (5-5) at Mississippi State (6-4, 4-3 SEC)	Series: First Meeting
11 a.m. CT • SEC+ / ESPN+	
Starkville, Miss. • Davis Wade Stadium at Scott Field (61,337)	Sirius: 135 • XM: 192
Prairie View (7-2) at Texas A&M (7-3, 4-3 SEC)	Series: TAMU leads, 1-0
11 a.m. CT • SEC+ / ESPN+	
College Station, Texas • Kyle Field (102,733)	Sirius: 133 • XM: 191
Arkansas (7-3, 3-3 SEC) at Alabama (9-1, 5-1 SEC)	Series: ALA leads, 21-8
2:30 p.m. CT • SEC Network	Last: ALA, 52-3 (2020 at Fayetteville)
Tuscaloosa Ala. • Bryant-Denny Stadium (100,077)	Sirius: 81 • XM: 383/81

Florida (5-5, 2-5 SEC) at Missouri (5-5, 2-4 SEC)	Series: Tied, 5-5
3 p.m. CT • SEC Network	Last: UF, 41-17 (2020 at Gainesville)
Columbia, Mo. • Faurot Field	Sirius: 137 • XM: 384/190
Auburn (6-4, 3-3 SEC) at South Carolina (5-5, 2-5 SEC)	Series: AU leads, 10-2-1
7 p.m. ET • ESPN	Last: SC, 30-22 (2020 at Columbia)
Columbia, S.C. • Williams-Brice Stadium (77,559)	Sirius: 84/135 • XM: 84/192
Vanderbilt (2-8, 0-6 SEC) at Ole Miss (8-2, 4-2 SEC)	Series: UM leads, 51-40-2
6:30 p.m. CT • SEC Network	Last: UM, 54-21 (2020 at Nashville)
Oxford, Miss. • Vaught-Hemingway Stadium (64,038)	Sirius: 81 • XM: 383/81
South Alabama (5-5) at Tennessee (5-5, 3-4 SEC)	Series: UT leads, 1-0
6:30 p.m. CT • ESPN	
Knoxville, Tenn. • Neyland Stadium (102,455)	Sirius: 137 • XM: 190
Louisiana-Monroe (4-6) at LSU (4-6, 2-5 SEC)	Series: LSU leads, 3-0
8 p.m. CT • ESPN2	
Baton Rouge, La. • Tiger Stadium (102,321)	Sirius: 133 • XM: 191



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## 2021 SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE TEAM SCHEDULES AND RESULTS

### ALABAMA CRIMSON TIDE (9-1, 5-1 SEC)

Home Stadium: Bryant-Denny Stadium (100,077)

Sept. 4	[1/1] vs. Miami (14/16) (Atlanta) W, 44-13	ABC	71,829
Sept. 11	[1/1] MERCER W, 48-14	SEC Network	95,396
Sept. 18	[1/1] at Florida (11/9) W, 31-29	CBS	90,887
Sept. 25	[1/1] SOUTHERN MISS W, 63-14	SEC Network	100,077
Oct. 2	[1/1] OLE MISS (12/12) W, 42-21	CBS	100,077
Oct. 9	[1/1] at Texas A&M (rv/rv) L, 38-41	CBS	106,815
Oct. 16	[5/5] at Mississippi State (rv/rv) W, 49-9	ESPN	53,796
Oct. 23	[4/4] TENNESSEE W, 52-24	ESPN	100,077
Oct. 30	Open Date		
Nov. 6	[3/3] LSU W, 20-14	ESPN	100,077
Nov. 13	[3/2] NEW MEXICO STATE W, 59-3	SEC Network	97,011
Nov. 20	[1/1] ARKANSAS (21/22)	CBS	2:30 p.m. CT
Nov. 27	at Auburn		

### ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS (7-3, 3-3 SEC)

Home Stadium(s): Reynolds Razorback (72,000); War Memorial (54,120)

Sept. 4	[-/RV] RICE W, 38-17	SEC+/ESPN+	64,065
Sept. 11	[-/RV] TEXAS (15/15) W, 40-21	ESPN	75,531
Sept. 18	[20/24] GEORGIA SOUTHERN W, 45-10	SEC Network	66,311
Sept. 25	[16/18] vs. TEXAS A&M (7/5) (Arlington) W, 20-10	CBS	57,992
Oct. 2	[8/11] at Georgia (2/2) L, 0-37	ESPN	92,746
Oct. 9	[13/16] at Ole Miss (17/17) L, 51-52	ESPN	60,256
Oct. 16	[17/19] AUBURN (rv/rv) L, 23-38	CBS	73,370
Oct. 23	[RV/RV] UAPB (Little Rock) W, 45-3	SEC Network	42,576
Oct. 30	Open Date		
Nov. 6	[RV/RV] MISSISSIPPI STATE (rv/rv) W, 31-28	SEC Network	68,818
Nov. 13	[RV/RV] at LSU W, 16-13	OT SEC Network	98,772
Nov. 20	[21/22] at Alabama (2/2)	CBS	2:30 p.m. CT
Nov. 26	MISSOURI	CBS	2:30 p.m. CT

### AUBURN TIGERS (6-4, 3-3 SEC)

Home Stadium: Jordan-Hare Stadium (87,451)

Sept. 4	[RV/RV] AKRON W, 60-10	SEC+/ESPN+	83,821
Sept. 11	[25/RV] ALABAMA STATE W, 62-0	SEC Network	82,745
Sept. 18	[22/20] at Penn State (10/12) L, 20-28	ABC	109,958
Sept. 25	[23/23] GEORGIA STATE W, 34-24	SEC Network	86,650
Oct. 2	[22/22] at LSU (rv/rv) W, 24-19	ESPN	97,717
Oct. 9	[18/19] GEORGIA (2/2) L, 10-34	CBS	87,451
Oct. 16	[RV/RV] at Arkansas (17/19) W, 38-23	CBS	73,370
Oct. 23	Open Date		
Oct. 30	[18/21] OLE MISS (10/9) W, 31-20	ESPN	87,451
Nov. 6	[12/14] at Texas A&M (13/12) L, 3-20	CBS	109,835
Nov. 13	[16/20] MISSISSIPPI STATE L, 34-43	ESPN	87,451
Nov. 20	[RV/RV] at South Carolina	ESPN	6 p.m. CT
Nov. 27	ALABAMA		

### FLORIDA GATORS (5-5, 2-5 SEC)

Home Stadium: Steve Spurrier-Florida Field at Ben Hill Griffin Stadium (88,548)

Sept. 4	[13/11] FLORIDA ATLANTIC W, 35-14	SEC Network	86,840
Sept. 11	[13/9] at South Florida W, 42-20	ABC	64,692
Sept. 18	[11/9] ALABAMA (1/1) L, 29-31	CBS	90,887
Sept. 25	[11/11] TENNESSEE W, 38-14	ESPN	88,478
Oct. 2	[10/9] at Kentucky (rv/23) L, 13-20	ESPN	61,632
Oct. 9	[20/18] VANDERBILT W, 42-0	SEC Network	86,258
Oct. 16	[20/17] at LSU L, 42-49	ESPN	96,012
Oct. 23	Open Date		
Oct. 30	[RV/RV] vs. GEORGIA (1/1) (Jacksonville) L, 7-34	CBS	76,141
Nov. 6	at South Carolina L, 17-40	SEC Network	79,131
Nov. 13	SAMFORD W, 70-52	SEC+/ESPN+	70,098
Nov. 20	at Missouri	4 p.m. ET	SEC Network
Nov. 27	FLORIDA STATE		

### GEORGIA BULLDOGS (10-0, 8-0 SEC)

Home Stadium: Sanford Stadium (92,746)

Sept. 4	[5/5] vs. Clemson (3/2) (Charlotte) W, 10-3	ABC	74,817
Sept. 11	[2/2] UAB (rv/rv) W, 56-7	ESPN2	92,746
Sept. 18	[2/2] SOUTH CAROLINA W, 40-13	ESPN	92,746
Sept. 25	[2/2] at Vanderbilt W, 62-0	SEC Network	32,178
Oct. 2	[2/2] ARKANSAS (8/11) W, 37-0	ESPN	92,746
Oct. 9	[2/2] at Auburn(18/19) W, 34-10	CBS	87,451
Oct. 16	[1/1] KENTUCKY (11/11) W, 30-13	CBS	92,746
Oct. 23	Open Date		
Oct. 30	[1/1] vs. Florida (rv/rv) (Jacksonville) W, 34-7	CBS	76,141
Nov. 6	[1/1] MISSOURI W, 43-6	ESPN	92,746
Nov. 13	[1/1] at Tennessee (-/rv) W, 41-17	CBS	100,074
Nov. 20	[1/1] CHARLESTON SOUTHERN	Noon ET	SEC+/ESPN+
Nov. 27	at Georgia Tech		

### KENTUCKY WILDCATS (7-3, 5-3 SEC)

Home Stadium: Kroger Field (61,000)

Sept. 4	[-/RV] ULM W, 45-10	SEC Network	47,693
Sept. 11	[RV/RV] MISSOURI (-/rv) W, 35-28	SEC Network	58,437
Sept. 18	[RV/RV] CHATTANOOGA W, 28-23	SEC+/ESPN+	55,214
Sept. 25	[RV/RV] at South Carolina W, 16-10	ESPN2	77,559
Oct. 2	[RV/23] FLORIDA (10/9) W, 20-13	ESPN	61,632
Oct. 9	[16/14] LSU W, 42-21	SEC Network	61,690
Oct. 16	[11/11] at Georgia (1/1) L, 13-30	CBS	92,746
Oct. 23	Open Date		
Oct. 30	[12/12] at Mississippi State L, 17-31	SEC Network	49,487
Nov. 6	[18/17] TENNESSEE L, 42-45	ESPN2	61,690
Nov. 13	[RV/RV] at Vanderbilt W, 34-17	ESPN2	25,798
Nov. 20	[RV/RV] NEW MEXICO STATE	Noon ET	SEC Network
Nov. 27	at Louisville		

### LSU TIGERS (4-6, 2-5 SEC)

Home Stadium: Tiger Stadium (102,321)

Sept. 4	[16/13] at UCLA (rv/rv) L, 27-38	FOX	68,123
Sept. 11	[RV/RV] McNEESE STATE W, 34-7	SEC+/ESPN+	94,220
Sept. 18	[RV/RV] CENTRAL MICHIGAN W, 49-21	SEC Network	92,756
Sept. 25	[RV/RV] at Mississippi State W, 28-25	ESPN	50,298
Oct. 2	[RV/RV] AUBURN (22/22) L, 19-24	ESPN	97,717
Oct. 9	at Kentucky (16/14) L, 21-42	SEC Network	61,690
Oct. 16	FLORIDA (20/17) W, 49-42	ESPN	96,012
Oct. 23	[RV/RV] at Ole Miss (12/12) L, 17-31	CBS	64,523
Oct. 30	Open Date		
Nov. 6	at Alabama (1/1) L, 14-20	ESPN	100,077
Nov. 13	ARKANSAS (rv/rv) L, 13-16	OT SEC Network	98,772
Nov. 20	ULM	ESPN2	8 p.m. CT
Nov. 27	TEXAS A&M		

### OLE MISS REBELS (8-2, 4-2 SEC)

Home Stadium: Vaught-Hemingway Stadium (64,038)

Sept. 6 (Mon.)	[RV/25] vs. Louisville (Atlanta) W, 43-24	ESPN	30,709
Sept. 11	[20/20] AUSTIN PEAY W, 54-17	SEC+/ESPN+	47,848
Sept. 18	[17/16] TULANE W, 61-21	ESPN2	54,198
Sept. 25	Open Date		
Oct. 2	[12/12] at Alabama (1/1) L, 21-42	CBS	100,077
Oct. 9	[17/17] ARKANSAS W, 52-51	ESPN	60,256
Oct. 16	[13/14] at Tennessee (-/rv) W, 31-26	SEC Network	102,455
Oct. 23	[12/12] LSU (rv/rv) W, 31-17	CBS	64,523
Oct. 30	[10/9] at Auburn (18/21) L, 20-31	ESPN	87,451
Nov. 6	[15/15] LIBERTY W, 27-14	SEC Network	53,235
Nov. 13	[12/12] TEXAS A&M (11/11) W, 29-19	ESPN	6 p.m. CT
Nov. 20	[10/10] VANDERBILT	SEC Network	6:30 p.m. CT
Nov. 25	at Mississippi State	ESPN	6:30 p.m. CT

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## 2021 SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE TEAM SCHEDULES AND RESULTS

### MISSISSIPPI STATE BULLDOGS (6-4, 4-3 SEC)

Home Stadium: Davis Wade Stadium at Scott Field (61,337)

Sept. 4	[-/RV] LOUISIANA TECH	W, 35-34	ESPNU	44,669
Sept. 11	[-/RV] NC STATE (rv/rv)	W, 24-10	ESPN2	45,834
Sept. 18	[-/RV] at Memphis	L, 29-31	ESPN2	43,461
Sept. 25	LSU (rv/rv)	L, 25-28	ESPN	50,298
Oct. 2	at Texas A&M [15/13]	W, 26-22	SEC Network	87,973
Oct. 9	Open Date			
Oct. 16	[RV/RV] ALABAMA (5/5)	L, 9-49	ESPN	53,796
Oct. 23	at Vanderbilt	W, 45-6	SEC Network	22,036
Oct. 30	KENTUCKY (12/12)	W, 31-17	SEC Network	49,487
Nov. 6	[RV/RV] at Arkansas (rv/rv)	L, 28-31	SEC Network	68,818
Nov. 13	at Auburn (16/20)	W, 43-34	ESPN	87,451
Nov. 20	[RV/RV] TENNESSEE STATE	11 a.m. CT	SEC+/ESPN+	
Nov. 25	OLE MISS		ESPN	6:30 p.m. CT

### MISSOURI TIGERS (5-5, 2-4 SEC)

Home Stadium: Memorial Stadium - Faurot Field (62,621)

Sept. 4	[-/RV] CENTRAL MICHIGAN	W, 34-24	SEC Network	46,327
Sept. 11	[-/RV] at Kentucky (rv/rv)	L, 28-35	SEC Network	58,437
Sept. 18	SE MISSOURI STATE	W, 59-28	SEC+/ESPN+	46,598
Sept. 25	at Boston College (rv/rv)	L, 34-41 OT	ESPN2	44,500
Oct. 2	TENNESSEE	L, 24-62	SEC Network	45,655
Oct. 9	NORTH TEXAS	W, 48-35	SEC Network	46,985
Oct. 16	TEXAS A&M (21/18)	L, 14-35	SEC Network	48,139
Oct. 23	Open Date			
Oct. 30	at Vanderbilt	W, 37-28	SEC Network	19,821
Nov. 6	at Georgia (1/1)	L, 6-43	ESPN	92,746
Nov. 13	SOUTH CAROLINA	W, 31-28	SEC Network	44,092
Nov. 20	FLORIDA		SEC Network	3 p.m. CT
Nov. 26	at Arkansas		CBS	2:30 p.m. CT

### SOUTH CAROLINA GAMECOCKS (5-5, 2-5 SEC)

Home Stadium: Williams-Brice Stadium (77,559)

Sept. 4	EASTERN ILLINOIS	W, 46-0	SEC+/ESPN+	64,868
Sept. 11	at East Carolina	W, 20-17	ESPN2	40,816
Sept. 18	at Georgia (2/2)	L, 13-40	ESPN	92,746
Sept. 25	KENTUCKY (rv/rv)	L, 10-16	ESPN2	77,559
Oct. 2	TROY	W, 23-14	SEC Network	60,686
Oct. 9	at Tennessee	L, 20-45	ESPN2	89,437
Oct. 16	VANDERBILT	W, 21-20	SEC Network	64,695
Oct. 23	at Texas A&M (17/17)	L, 14-44	SEC Network	103,889
Oct. 30	Open Date			
Nov. 6	FLORIDA	W, 40-17	SEC Network	70,131
Nov. 13	at Missouri	L, 28-31	SEC Network	44,092
Nov. 20	AUBURN (rv/rv)		ESPN	7 p.m. ET
Nov. 27	CLEMSON			

### TENNESSEE VOLUNTEERS (5-5, 3-4 SEC)

Home Stadium: Neyland Stadium (102,455)

Sept. 2	BOWLING GREEN	W, 38-6	SEC Network	84,314
Sept. 11	[-/RV] PITTSBURGH (-/rv)	L, 34-41	ESPN	82,203
Sept. 18	TENNESSEE TECH	W, 56-0	SEC+/ESPN+	80,053
Sept. 25	[-/RV] at Florida (11/11)	L, 14-38	ESPN	88,478
Oct. 2	at Missouri	W, 62-24	SEC Network	45,655
Oct. 9	SOUTH CAROLINA	W, 45-20	ESPN2	89,435
Oct. 16	[-/RV] OLE MISS (13/14)	L, 26-31	SEC Network	102,455
Oct. 23	at Alabama (4/4)	L, 24-52	ESPN	100,077
Oct. 30	Open Date			
Nov. 6	at Kentucky (18/17)	W, 45-42	ESPN2	61,190
Nov. 13	[-/RV] GEORGIA (1/1)	L, 17-41	CBS	100,074
Nov. 20	SOUTH ALABAMA		ESPN	7:30 p.m. ET
Nov. 27	VANDERBILT			

### TEXAS A&M AGGIES (7-3, 4-3 SEC)

Home Stadium: Kyle Field (102,733)

Sept. 4	[6/6] KENT STATE	W, 41-10	ESPNU	97,339
Sept. 11	[5/5] vs. Colorado (Denver)	W, 10-7	FOX	61,203
Sept. 18	[7/5] NEW MEXICO	W, 34-0	SEC Network	84,748
Sept. 25	[7/5] vs. Arkansas (16/18) (Arlington)	L, 10-20	CBS	57,992
Oct. 2	[15/13] MISSISSIPPI STATE	L, 22-26	SEC Network	87,973
Oct. 9	[RV/RV] ALABAMA (1/1)	W, 41-38	CBS	106,815
Oct. 16	[21/18] at Missouri	W, 35-14	SEC Network	48,139
Oct. 23	[17/17] SOUTH CAROLINA	W, 44-14	SEC Network	103,889
Oct. 30	Open Date			
Nov. 6	[13/12] AUBURN (12/14)	W, 20-3	CBS	109,835
Nov. 13	[11/11] at Ole Miss (12/12)	L, 19-29	ESPN	64,425
Nov. 20	[16/16] PRAIRIE VIEW	11 a.m. CT	SEC+/ESPN+	
Nov. 27	at LSU			

### VANDERBILT COMMODORES (2-7, 0-5 SEC)

Home Stadium: Vanderbilt Stadium (40,350)

Sept. 4	EAST TENNESSEE STATE	L, 3-23	SEC+/ESPN+	22,029
Sept. 11	at Colorado State	W, 24-21	CBS Sports Network	27,233
Sept. 18	STANFORD (rv/rv)	L, 23-41	ESPNU	21,124
Sept. 25	GEORGIA (2/2)	L, 0-62	SEC Network	32,178
Oct. 2	UCONN	W, 30-28	ESPNU	21,218
Oct. 9	at Florida (20/18)	L, 0-42	SEC Network	86,258
Oct. 16	at South Carolina	L 20-21	SEC Network	64,695
Oct. 23	MISSISSIPPI STATE	L, 6-45	SEC Network	22,036
Oct. 30	MISSOURI	L, 28-37	SEC Network	19,821
Nov. 6	Open Date			
Nov. 13	KENTUCKY (rv/rv)	L, 17-34	ESPN2	25,798
Nov. 20	at Ole Miss (10/10)		SEC Network	6:30 p.m. CT
Nov. 27	at Tennessee			

Team's AP & USA Today Rankings Listed Before Opponent's Name & Opponents' Rankings Listed after its Name (at time of game)

December 4 • SEC Football Championship Game • Atlanta • Mercedes-Benz Stadium • 4 p.m. ET • CBS Sports

\* - SEC Game



**2021 SEC WEEK-BY-WEEK SCHEDULES AND RESULTS**

September 2

Bowling Green (6) at Tennessee (38) [TV: 5-6] (84,314)

September 4

Alabama (44) vs. Miami (13) (Atlanta) [TV: 6-7] (71,829)

Rice (17) at Arkansas (38) [TV: 10] (64,065)

Akron (10) at Auburn (60) [TV: 10] (83,821)

Florida Atlantic (14) at Florida (35) [TV: 5-6] (86,840)

Georgia (10) vs. Clemson (3) (Charlotte) [TV: 6-7] (74,817)

ULM (10) at Kentucky (45) [TV: 5-6] (47,693)

LSU (27) at UCLA (38) [TV: 8] (68,123)

Louisiana Tech (34) at Mississippi State (35) [TV: 4-6] (44,669)

Central Michigan (24) at Missouri (34) [TV: 5-6] (46,327)

Eastern Illinois (0) at South Carolina (46) [TV: 10] (64,868)

Kent State (10) at Texas A&M (41) [TV: 4-6] (97,339)

East Tennessee State (23) at Vanderbilt (3) [TV: 10] (22,029)

September 6

Ole Miss (43) vs. Louisville (24) (Atlanta) [TV: 2-6] (30,709)

September 11

Mercer (14) at Alabama (48) [TV: 5-6] (95,396)

Texas (21) at Arkansas (40) [TV: 2-6] (75,531)

Alabama State (0) at Auburn (62) [TV: 5-6] (82,745)

Florida (42) at South Florida (20) [TV: 7] (64,692)

UAB (7) at Georgia (56) [TV: 3-6] (92,746)

Missouri (28) at Kentucky (35) [TV: 5-6] (58,437)

McNeese State (7) at LSU (34) [TV: 10] (94,220)

Austin Peay (17) at Ole Miss (54) [TV: 10] (47,848)

NC State (10) at Mississippi State (24) [TV: 3-6] (45,834)

South Carolina (17) at East Carolina (20) [TV: 3-6] (40,816)

Pittsburgh (41) at Tennessee (34) [TV: 2-6] (82,203)

Texas A&M (10) vs. Colorado (7) (Denver) [TV: 8] (61,203)

Vanderbilt (24) at Colorado State (21) [TV: 11] (27,223)

September 18

Georgia Southern (10) at Arkansas (45) [TV: 5-6] (66,311)

Auburn (20) at Penn State (28) [TV: 6-7] (109,958)

Alabama (31) at Florida (29) [TV: 1] (90,887)

South Carolina (13) at Georgia (40) [TV: 2-6] (92,746)

Chattanooga (23) at Kentucky (28) [TV: 10] (55,214)

Central Michigan (21) at LSU (49) [TV: 5-6] (92,547)

Tulane (21) at Ole Miss (61) [TV: 3-6] (54,198)

Mississippi State (29) at Memphis (31) [TV: 3-6] (43,461)

SEMO (28) at Missouri (59) [TV: 10] (46,598)

Tennessee Tech (0) at Tennessee (56) [TV: 10] (80,053)

New Mexico (0) at Texas A&M (34) [TV: 5-6] (84,748)

Stanford (41) at Vanderbilt (23) [TV: 4-6] (21,124)

September 25

Southern Miss (14) at Alabama (63) [TV: 5-6] (100,077)

Texas A&M (10) vs. Arkansas (20) (Arlington) [TV: 1] (57,992)

Georgia State (24) at Auburn (34) [TV: 5-6] (86,650)

Tennessee (14) at Florida (38) [TV: 2-6] (88,478)

LSU (28) at Mississippi State (25) [TV: 2-6] (50,298)

Missouri (34) at Boston College (41) OT [TV: 3-6] (44,500)

Kentucky (16) at South Carolina (10) [TV: 3-6] (77,559)

Georgia (62) at Vanderbilt (0) [TV: 5-6] (32,178)

October 2

Ole Miss (21) at Alabama (42) [TV: 1] (100,077)

Arkansas (0) at Georgia (37) [TV: 2-6] (92,746)

Florida (13) at Kentucky (20) [TV: 2-6] (61,632)

Auburn (24) at LSU (19) [TV: 2-6] (97,717)

Tennessee (62) at Missouri (24) [TV: 5-6] (45,655)

Troy (14) at South Carolina (23) [TV: 5-6] (60,686)

Mississippi State (26) at Texas A&M (22) [TV: 5-6] (87,973)

UConn (28) at Vanderbilt (30) [TV: 4-6] (21,218)

October 9

Georgia (34) at Auburn (10) [TV: 1] (87,451)

Vanderbilt (0) at Florida (42) [TV: 5-6] (86,258)

LSU (21) at Kentucky (42) [TV: 5-6] (61,690)

Arkansas (51) at Ole Miss (52) [TV: 2-6] (60,256)

North Texas (35) at Missouri (48) [TV: 5-6] (46,985)

South Carolina (20) at Tennessee (45) [TV: 3-6] (89,437)

Alabama (38) at Texas A&M (41) [TV: 1] (106,815)

October 16

Auburn (38) at Arkansas (23) [TV: 1] (73,370)

Kentucky (13) at Georgia (30) [TV: 1] (92,746)

Florida (42) at LSU (49) [TV: 2-6] (96,012)

Alabama (49) at Mississippi State (9) [TV: 2-6] (53,796)

Texas A&M (35) at Missouri (14) [TV: 5-6] (48,139)

Vanderbilt (20) at South Carolina (21) [TV: 5-6] (64,695)

Ole Miss (31) at Tennessee (26) [TV: 5-6] (102,455)

October 23

Tennessee (24) at Alabama (52) [TV: 2-6] (100,077)

UAPB (3) at Arkansas (45) (Little Rock) [TV: 5-6] (42,576)

LSU (17) at Ole Miss (31) [TV: 1] (64,523)

South Carolina (14) at Texas A&M (44) [TV: 5-6] (103,889)

Mississippi State (45) at Vanderbilt (6) [TV: 5-6] (22,036)

October 30

Ole Miss (20) at Auburn (31) [TV: 2-6] (87,451)

Georgia (34) vs. Florida (7) (Jacksonville) [TV: 1] (76,141)

Kentucky (17) at Mississippi State (31) [TV: 5-6] (49,487)

Missouri (37) at Vanderbilt (28) [TV: 5-6] (19,821)

November 6

LSU (14) at Alabama (20) [TV: 2-6] (100,077)

Mississippi State (28) at Arkansas (31) [TV: 5-6] (68,818)

Missouri (6) at Georgia (43) [TV: 2-6] (92,746)

Tennessee (45) at Kentucky (42) [TV: 3-6] (61,690)

Liberty (14) at Ole Miss (27) [TV: 5-6] (53,235)

Florida (17) at South Carolina (40) [TV: 5-6] (70,131)

Auburn (3) at Texas A&M (20) [TV: 1] (109,835)

November 13

New Mexico State (3) at Alabama (59) [TV: 2-6] (97,011)

Mississippi State (43) at Auburn (34) [TV: 2-6] (87,451)

Samford (52) at Florida (70) [TV: 10] (70,098)

Arkansas (16) at LSU (13) OT [TV: 5-6] (98,772)

Texas A&M (19) at Ole Miss (29) [TV: 2-6] (64,425)

South Carolina (28) at Missouri (31) [TV: 5-6] (44,092)

Georgia (41) at Tennessee (17) [TV: 1] (100,074)

Kentucky (34) at Vanderbilt (17) [TV: 3-6] (25,798)

November 20

Arkansas at Alabama [TV: 1] (2:30 p.m. CT)

Charleston Southern at Georgia [TV: 10] (Noon ET)

New Mexico State at Kentucky [TV: 5-6] (Noon ET)

ULM at LSU [TV: 3-6] (8 p.m. CT)

Vanderbilt at Ole Miss [TV: 5-6] (6:30 p.m. CT)

Tenn. St. at Mississippi State [TV: 10] (11 a.m. CT)

Florida at Missouri [TV: 5-6] (3 p.m. CT)

Auburn at South Carolina [TV: 2-6] (7 p.m. ET)

South Alabama at Tennessee [TV: 4-6] (7:30 p.m. ET)

Prairie View at Texas A&M [TV: 10] (11 a.m. CT)

November 25

Ole Miss at Mississippi State [TV: 2-6] (6:30 p.m. CT)

November 26

Missouri at Arkansas [TV: 1] (2:30 p.m. CT)

November 27

Alabama at Auburn

Florida State at Florida

Georgia at Georgia Tech

Kentucky at Louisville

Texas A&M at LSU

Clemson at South Carolina

Vanderbilt at Tennessee

Dec. 4

SEC Football Championship [TV: 1] (4 p.m. ET)

- (Atlanta, Ga.)



# 2021 SEC FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

(As of May 14 - Tentative and Subject to Change)



Date Team	Sept. 4	Sept. 11	Sept. 18	Sept. 25	Oct. 2	Oct. 9	Oct. 16	Oct. 23	Oct. 30	Nov. 6	Nov. 13	Nov. 20	Nov. 27
<b>ALABAMA</b>	MIAMI Atlanta	MERCER Tuscaloosa	FLORIDA Gainesville	SOUTHERN MISS Tuscaloosa	OLE MISS Tuscaloosa	TEXAS A&M College Station	MISSISSIPPI Starkville	TENNESSEE Tuscaloosa		LSU Tuscaloosa	NEW MEXICO STATE Tuscaloosa	ARKANSAS Tuscaloosa	AUBURN Auburn
<b>ARKANSAS</b>	RICE Fayetteville	TEXAS Fayetteville	GEORGIA SOUTHERN Fayetteville	TEXAS A&M Arlington	GEORGIA Athens	OLE MISS Oxford	AUBURN Fayetteville	PINE BLUFF Little Rock		MISSISSIPPI STATE Fayetteville	LSU Baton Rouge	ALABAMA Tuscaloosa	MISSOURI Fayetteville (Nov. 26)
<b>AUBURN</b>	AKRON Auburn	ALABAMA STATE Auburn	PENN STATE University Park	GEORGIA STATE Auburn	LSU Baton Rouge	GEORGIA Auburn	ARKANSAS Fayetteville		OLE MISS Auburn	TEXAS A&M College Station	MISSISSIPPI STATE Auburn	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia	ALABAMA Auburn
<b>FLORIDA</b>	FLORIDA ATLANTIC Gainesville	SOUTH FLORIDA Tampa	ALABAMA Gainesville	TENNESSEE Gainesville	KENTUCKY Lexington	VANDERBILT Gainesville	LSU Baton Rouge		GEORGIA Jacksonville	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia	SAMFORD Gainesville	MISSOURI Columbia	FLORIDA STATE Gainesville
<b>GEORGIA</b>	CLEMSON Charlotte	UAB Athens	SOUTH CAROLINA Athens	VANDERBILT Nashville	ARKANSAS Athens	AUBURN Auburn	KENTUCKY Athens		FLORIDA Jacksonville	MISSOURI Athens	TENNESSEE Knoxville	CHARLESTON SOUTHERN Athens	GEORGIA TECH Atlanta
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	LOUISIANA- MONROE Lexington	MISSOURI Lexington	CHATTANOOGA Lexington	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia	FLORIDA Lexington	LSU Lexington	GEORGIA Athens		MISSISSIPPI STATE Starkville	TENNESSEE Lexington	VANDERBILT Nashville	NEW MEXICO STATE Lexington	LOUISVILLE Louisville
<b>LSU</b>	UCLA Pasadena	MCNEESE STATE Baton Rouge	CENTRAL MICHIGAN Baton Rouge	MISSISSIPPI STATE Starkville	AUBURN Baton Rouge	KENTUCKY Lexington	FLORIDA Baton Rouge			ALABAMA Tuscaloosa	ARKANSAS Baton Rouge	LOUISIANA- MONROE Baton Rouge	TEXAS A&M Baton Rouge
<b>OLE MISS</b>	LOUISVILLE Atlanta (Sept. 6)	AUSTIN PEAY Oxford	TULANE Oxford		ALABAMA Tuscaloosa	ARKANSAS Oxford	TENNESSEE Knoxville		AUBURN Auburn	LIBERTY Oxford	TEXAS A&M Oxford	VANDERBILT Oxford	MISSISSIPPI STATE Starkville (Nov. 25)
<b>MISSISSIPPI STATE</b>	LOUISIANA TECH Starkville	NC STATE Starkville	MEMPHIS Memphis	LSU Starkville	TEXAS A&M College Station	NORTH TEXAS Columbia	ALABAMA Starkville		KENTUCKY Starkville	ARKANSAS Fayetteville	AUBURN Auburn	TENNESSEE STATE Starkville	OLE MISS Starkville (Nov. 25)
<b>MISSOURI</b>	CENTRAL MICHIGAN Columbia	KENTUCKY Lexington	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI Columbia	BOSTON COLLEGE Chestnut Hill	TENNESSEE Columbia	TROY Columbia	TEXAS A&M Columbia		VANDERBILT Nashville	GEORGIA Athens	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia, Mo.	FLORIDA Columbia	ARKANSAS Fayetteville (Nov. 26)
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>	EASTERN ILLINOIS Columbia	EAST CAROLINA Greenville	GEORGIA Athens	KENTUCKY Columbia	TROY Columbia	TENNESSEE Knoxville	VANDERBILT Columbia			FLORIDA Columbia	MISSOURI Columbia, Mo.	AUBURN Columbia	CLEMSON Columbia
<b>TENNESSEE</b>	BOWLING GREEN Knoxville (Sept. 2)	PITT Knoxville	TENNESSEE TECH Knoxville	FLORIDA Gainesville	MISSOURI Columbia	SOUTH CAROLINA Knoxville	OLE MISS Knoxville			KENTUCKY Lexington	GEORGIA Knoxville	SOUTH ALABAMA Knoxville	VANDERBILT Knoxville
<b>TEXAS A&amp;M</b>	KENT STATE College Station	COLORADO Denver	NEW MEXICO College Station	ARKANSAS Arlington	MISSISSIPPI STATE College Station	ALABAMA College Station	MISSOURI Columbia			AUBURN College Station	OLE MISS Oxford	PRAIRIE VIEW College Station	LSU Baton Rouge
<b>VANDERBILT</b>	EAST TENNESSEE Nashville	COLORADO STATE Colorado Springs	STANFORD Nashville	GEORGIA Nashville	UCONN Nashville	FLORIDA Gainesville	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia		MISSOURI Nashville		KENTUCKY Nashville	OLE MISS Oxford	TENNESSEE Knoxville

### SEC COACHES TELECONFERENCE

**Dates:** Every Wednesday (9/1 - 11/24)

**Number:** (877) 692-8954 (Confidential)

**Replays:** www.SECsports.com

#### Order of Appearance (All Times Central)

10:00 a.m. Ed Orgeron, LSU  
 10:10 a.m. Kirby Smart, Georgia  
 10:20 a.m. Dan Mullen, Florida  
 10:30 a.m. Clark Lea, Vanderbilt  
 10:40 a.m. Sam Pittman, Arkansas  
 10:50 a.m. Josh Heupel, Tennessee  
 11:00 a.m. Nick Saban, Alabama  
 11:10 a.m. Shane Beamer, South Carolina  
 11:20 a.m. Eliah Drinkwitz, Missouri  
 11:30 a.m. Jimbo Fisher, Texas A&M  
 11:40 a.m. Mark Stoops, Kentucky  
 11:50 a.m. Mike Leach, Mississippi State  
 12:00 p.m. Lane Kiffin, Ole Miss  
 12:10 p.m. Bryan Harsin, Auburn

### SEC FOOTBALL WEEKLY MEDIA SERVICES

Sundays - Statistics, Standings (Early AM); Early Version of Release (Late PM)

Mondays - Final Statistics (Early AM); Players of the Week (Mid to late AM);

TV Selections (Mid to late AM)

Tuesdays - Entire Release available via email/SECsports.com/CollegePressBox (Mid to late AM)

Wednesdays - Football Coaches Media Teleconference (10 a.m. CT) / Available on

SECsports.com(mid-PM)

Thursdays/Fridays - Game previews/analysis on SECsports.com and SEC Network

Saturdays - Post-game quotes, notes, books & stats available on CollegePressBox.com; Full

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### SEC MEDIA PORTAL

Highlights, Photos & Press Conferences: The SEC and XOS Digital will provide a platform for distribution of game highlights, game photos and press conference content. Highlights from all SEC football games be available via the SEC Media Portal. Whenever school postgame press conferences are available, they will be posted to the portal as well. Still photography will be available in the portal for the media following each SEC football game and video will be available after each game. The SEC Media Guidelines continue to apply to this content and are outlined in the 2021 credentialing registration process. To request access to the SEC Media Portal and create an account if you do not already have one, contact: licensing@xosdigital.com.

### SEC FOOTBALL INFORMATION ON THE INTERNET

SECsports.com is the official website of the Southeastern Conference. Football information is updated regularly on the site including stats, standings, news and notes. The site also contains video highlights and features during the season.

CollegePressBox.com is the official media website for Division I football. Access and download game notes, quotes, statistics, media guides, headshots, logos and more for all FBS schools, conferences, postseason games, awards and the College Football Playoff. For access, please register for an account at collegepressbox.com/register.

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### SEC SCHOOL WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCES (*Streamed live on SEC Network +*)

(Some schools may not have a press conference prior to open date weekend.)

**ALABAMA** – Game week Mondays at Noon CT in the Naylor Stone Media Room.

**ARKANSAS** – Game week Mondays at Noon CT via Zoom and inside Broyles Center media room.

**AUBURN** – Game week Mondays 1:30 p.m. CT via Zoom. Also available via teleconference (same information as below).

**FLORIDA** – Game week Mondays in the pressbox of Ben Hill Griffin Stadium (Mullen - approx. 1 p.m. ET with players after). Video replay at FloridaGators.com/Watch.

**GEORGIA** – Game week Mondays from Noon ET to 1 p.m. in Butts-Mehre Heritage Hall.

**KENTUCKY** – Game week Mondays at Noon ET in the Joe Craft Football Training Facility.

**LSU** – Game week Mondays from 12:30 – 1:15 p.m. CT via Zoom.

**OLE MISS** – Game week Mondays at Noon CT in Team Meeting Room of Manning Center.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE** – Game week Mondays at 3 p.m. CT.

**MISSOURI** – Game week Tuesdays at Noon CT in the South End Zone Facility.

**SOUTH CAROLINA** – Game week Tuesdays at 1:15 p.m. ET, Media Room, Long Family Football Operations Center.

**TENNESSEE** – Game week Mondays at Noon ET, Ray and Lucy Hand Digital Studio in Brenda Lawson Center.

**TEXAS A&M** – Game week Monday beginning around 11:30 am CT, Kyle Field Media Center. (Fisher will begin at 2 pm CT and will be streamed live at 12thMan.com)

**VANDERBILT** – Game week Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m. CT on Zoom.

### SEC SCHOOL WEEKLY TELECONFERENCES

(Contact school's SID office for additional teleconference information. Phone numbers are confidential and for media use only. Some schools may not have a teleconference prior to open date weekend.)

**ALABAMA** – Coach Saban participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**ARKANSAS** – Coach Pittman participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**AUBURN** – Coach Harsin participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**FLORIDA** – Coach Mullen participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**GEORGIA** – Coach Smart participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**KENTUCKY** – Coach Stoops participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**LSU** – Coach Orgeron participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**OLE MISS** – Coach Kiffin participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE** – Coach Leach participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**MISSOURI** – Coach Drinkwitz participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**SOUTH CAROLINA** – Sundays 7:15 p.m. ET at 800-753-1965; Access code 777 1579 for Beamer Beamer participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**TENNESSEE** – Coach Heupel participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**TEXAS A&M** – Coach Fisher participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

**VANDERBILT** – Coach Lea participates in the weekly SEC media teleconference.

### SEC SCHOOL SATELLITE/FTP FEEDS

(Contact school's SID office for copyright and usage information. Some schools may not have a feed prior to open date weekend.)

**ALABAMA** – Weekly feeds available on FTP. For more information contact Christopher England (cengland@ia.ua.edu).

**ARKANSAS** – Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Michelle Glover (mlglover@uark.edu) for more information.

**AUBURN** – Weekly feeds available on FTP on Tuesdays. Contact Weston Carter of AU Athletics Department at wcg0010@auburn.edu.

**FLORIDA** – For information on how to utilize UF's XOS Digital XChange, email Nicole Reighter of GatorVision at NicoleR@gators.ufl.edu. Video will be updated each Monday by 4:00 p.m. ET during the season.

**GEORGIA** – Weekly following Monday press conferences, Tuesdays following post-practice interviews and following home games. Contact the UGA Sports Communications Office (706) 542-1621.

**KENTUCKY** – Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Susan Lax at UK Media Relations (slax0@uky.edu) for information.

**LSU** – Weekly feeds available via FTP each Monday after 4:30 p.m. CT. Contact Michael Bonnette at mbonnet@lsu.edu for details.

**OLE MISS** – Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Seth Austin at saustin@olemiss.edu for details.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE** – Weekly feeds available on FTP on Monday evenings. Please contact Brandon Langlois blanglois@athletics.msstate.edu.

**MISSOURI** – Missouri feeds and footage can be obtained via the SEC Media Portal.

**SOUTH CAROLINA** – Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Matt Freed at USC Athletics Communications (mfreed@mailbox.sc.edu) for details.

**TENNESSEE** – Coach Heupel's Monday press conference and weekly highlight feeds are available via FTP site. Contact Bill Martin (billmartin@tennessee.edu) for FTP information.

**TEXAS A&M** – Weekly feeds available on FTP. Contact Matt Callaway (mccallaway@athletics.tamu.edu) for username and password information.

**VANDERBILT** – Contact Steven Parks (steven.parks@vandrebilt.edu) for additional information.

### STUDENT-ATHLETE GAME WEEK INTERVIEWS

**ALABAMA** – Other than the Monday press conference attendees, players will be available before practice on Tuesdays or by specific request Monday-Tuesday. Consult weekly media schedule for times and locales.

**ARKANSAS** – Players will be available by request on Tuesday after practice. Please go through UA Communications Office to arrange interviews and check player availability.

**AUBURN** – Player interviews should be arranged through the Auburn Media Relations Office. The following are the opportunities for player interviews, including phone interviews: Tuesday and Wednesday midday.

**FLORIDA** – Players will be available on Monday at the weekly press conference and after practice via Zoom. Players will also be available Tuesday after practice. Todd Grantham will be made available Mondays after practice.

**GEORGIA** – Players are available at the Monday noon press conference and after practice Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

**KENTUCKY** – Players available for interviews after practice on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

**LSU** – Players are available for interviews from noon-1 p.m. on Tuesday via Zoom.

**OLE MISS** – Players available for interviews after practice on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE** – Players are available following Tuesday practice. Assistant coaches are available after practice on Wednesday.

**MISSOURI** – Tuesdays: defense, post-practice, in-person; Wednesdays: offense, post-practice, in-person. Contact Molly O'Mara (momara@missouri.edu) for more details.

**SOUTH CAROLINA** – Tuesdays after practice in the Media Room, Long Family Football Operations Center. Requests for specific players should be submitted by 5 p.m. ET on Sunday.

**TENNESSEE** – Players are available on Mondays following Coach Heupel's press conference and on Tuesdays following practice. Assistant coaches are available on Tuesdays following practice.

**TEXAS A&M** – Players are available at Monday media luncheon. Requests for specific players must be made 24 hours in advance to Alan Cannon (acannon@athletics.tamu.edu). No interviews after Wednesday of game week.

**VANDERBILT** – Select student-athletes are available for interviews after practice on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings (approximately 7:30 p.m. CT). Contact Michael Scholl (574-876-6248) to arrange interviews.

### SCHOOL WEBSITES

**ALABAMA** – www.rolltide.com

**ARKANSAS** – www.arkansasrazorbacks.com

**AUBURN** – www.auburntigers.com

**FLORIDA** – www.FloridaGators.com

**GEORGIA** – www.georgiadogs.com

**KENTUCKY** – www.ukathletics.com

**LSU** – www.lsusports.net

**OLE MISS** – www.olemisssports.com

**MISSISSIPPI STATE** – www.HailState.com

**MISSOURI** – www.mutigers.com

**SOUTH CAROLINA** – www.gamecocksonline.com

**TENNESSEE** – www.utsports.com

**TEXAS A&M** – www.12thMan.com

(Media site: www.12thman.com/media)

**VANDERBILT** – www.vucommodores.com

### WEEKLY DAY OFF

**ALABAMA** – Sunday

**ARKANSAS** – Sunday

**AUBURN** – Monday

**FLORIDA** – Sunday

**GEORGIA** – Sunday

**KENTUCKY** – Sunday

**LSU** – Sunday

**OLE MISS** – Sunday

**MISSISSIPPI STATE** – Monday

**MISSOURI** – Monday

**SOUTH CAROLINA** – Monday

**TENNESSEE** – Sunday

**TEXAS A&M** – Sunday

**VANDERBILT** – Sunday



# 2021 SEC Football

## SEC IN THE POLLS

Associated Press (Nov. 14)

No.	Team	Points	Prev.
1	GEORGIA (62)	1,550	1
2	ALABAMA	1,449	3
3	Cincinnati	1,420	2
4	Oregon	1,353	5
5	Ohio State	1,341	6
6	Notre Dame	1,175	7
7	Michigan State	1,161	8
8	Michigan	1,134	9
9	Oklahoma State	1,106	10
10	OLE MISS	943	12
11	Baylor	882	18
12	Oklahoma	870	4
13	Wake Forest	851	13
14	BYU	671	14
15	UTSA	591	15
16	TEXAS A&M	583	11
17	Houston	509	17
18	Iowa	491	19
19	Wisconsin	467	20
20	Pittsburgh	358	25
21	ARKANSAS	277	NR
22	Louisiana	261	24
23	San Diego State	239	NR
24	Utah	141	NR
25	NC State	95	21

Others (SEC Only): Mississippi State (52); Auburn (43); Kentucky (9).

USA Today Coaches' Poll (Nov. 14)

No.	Team	Points	Prev.
1	GEORGIA (10-0)	1,550	1
2	ALABAMA (9-1)	1,464	2
3	Cincinnati (10-0)	1,401	3
4	Ohio State (9-1)	1,363	5
5	Oregon (9-1)	1,320	6
6	Notre Dame (9-1)	1,181	7
7	Michigan (9-1)	1,153	8
8	Michigan State (9-1)	1,139	9
9	Oklahoma State (9-1)	1,102	10
10	OLE MISS (8-2)	948	12
11	Oklahoma (9-1)	878	4
12	Wake Forest (9-1)	847	13
13	Baylor (8-2)	826	18
14	Iowa (8-2)	637	14
15	Brigham Young (8-2)	605	15
16	TEXAS A&M (7-3)	560	11
17	Houston (9-1)	541	17
18	Texas-San Antonio (10-0)	528	16
19	Pittsburgh (8-2)	446	22
20	Wisconsin (7-3)	407	24
21	Louisiana-Lafayette (9-1)	239	25
22	ARKANSAS (7-3)	212	NR
23	San Diego State (9-1)	210	NR
24	North Carolina State (7-3)	138	19
25	Utah (7-3)	133	NR

Others (SEC Only): Kentucky (113); Mississippi State (26); Auburn (18).

College Football Playoff Rankings (Nov. 9)

No.	Team	Record	Last
1	GEORGIA	9-0	1
2	ALABAMA	8-1	2
3	Oregon	8-1	4
4	Ohio State	8-1	5
5	Cincinnati	9-0	6
6	Michigan	8-1	7
7	Michigan State	8-1	3
8	Oklahoma	9-0	8
9	Notre Dame	8-1	10
10	Oklahoma State	8-1	11
11	TEXAS A&M	7-2	14
12	Wake Forest	8-1	9
13	Baylor	7-2	12
14	BYU	8-2	15
15	OLE MISS	7-2	16
16	NC State	7-2	19
17	AUBURN	6-3	13
18	Wisconsin	6-3	21
19	Purdue	6-3	NR
20	Iowa	7-2	22
21	Pittsburgh	7-2	25
22	San Diego State	8-1	24
23	UTSA	9-0	NR
24	Utah	6-3	NR
25	ARKANSAS	6-3	NR



SEC Network has proven time and again that it is one of the most successful launches by a network in all of cable television. It placed the Southeastern Conference, its member institutions and sports teams on an international stage with brand recognition in every corner of the country and around the globe.

That was the vision when the SEC and ESPN signed a 20-year agreement through 2034 to create and operate a multi-platform network, which launched on Aug. 14, 2014. The network and its accompanying digital platform, SEC Network+, carries SEC live events and programming 24/7.

Complementing the volume of network-produced programming, all 14 schools built state-of-the-art control rooms and purchased HD camera equipment to provide the same quality coverage for events that viewers have been accustomed to for years across ESPN networks.

These school-produced events are made available exclusively through the ESPN App as part of SEC Network+ on connected devices, allowing fans to watch their favorite teams anytime, anywhere.

SEC Network has also become known for its signature studio show, SEC Now, its traveling weekly football pregame show, SEC Nation, and of course, The Paul Finebaum Show, which welcomes callers and guests to share their thoughts on topics surrounding the SEC. On top of the network's wall-to-wall coverage of Saturday SEC football, SEC Network boasts three additional football-focused studio shows in the fall: Thinking Out Loud, SEC This Morning and Marty & McGee, as well as food and culture favorite, TrueSouth.





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### SEC FOOTBALL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

#### 2020 SEASON

**Week 1 (Games of Sept. 26):** Offense - K.J. Costello, QB, Mississippi State; Defense - Ventrell Miller, LB, Florida; Special Teams - Jake Camarda, P, Georgia; Offensive Lineman - Brett Heggie, C, Florida; Defensive Lineman - Deandre Johnson, Edge, Tennessee; Freshman - Jaylin Simpson, DB, Auburn.

**Week 2 (Games of Oct. 3):** Offense - Mac Jones, QB, Alabama; Defense - Bumper Pool, LB, Arkansas; Joe Foucha, DB, Arkansas; Special Teams - Mac Brown, P, Ole Miss; Offensive Lineman - Ben Cleveland, OG, Georgia; Defensive Lineman - Zachary Carter, DL, Florida; Freshman - Malachi Moore, DB, Alabama.

**Week 3 (Games of Oct. 10):** Offense - Kellen Mond, QB, Texas A&M; Najee Harris, RB, Alabama; Defense - Jordan Wright, LB, Kentucky; Special Teams - Max Duffy, P, Kentucky; Offensive Lineman - Sadarius Hutcherson, OG, South Carolina; Defensive Lineman - Azeez Ojulari, DL, Georgia; Freshman - Connor Bazalak, QB, Missouri.

**Week 4 (Games of Oct. 17):** Offense - Mac Jones, QB, Alabama; Defense - Grant Morgan, LB, Arkansas; Jaycee Horn, DB, South Carolina; Special Teams - Kai Kroeger, P, South Carolina; Offensive Lineman - Landon Young, OT, Kentucky; Defensive Lineman - Jayden Peevy, DT, Texas A&M; Freshman - Hudson Clark, DB, Arkansas.

**Week 5 (Games of Oct. 24):** Offense - Mac Jones, QB, Alabama; Seth Williams, WR, Auburn; Defense - Nick Bolton, LB, Missouri; Special Teams - Trey Palmer, RS, LSU; Offensive Lineman - Case Cook, OL, Missouri; Defensive Lineman - BJ Ojulari, DE, LSU; Freshman - Tank Bigsby, RB/RS, Auburn.

**Week 6 (Games of Oct. 31):** Offense - Matt Corral, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Richard LeCounte, S, Georgia; Special Teams - Jake Camarda, P, Georgia; Offensive Lineman - Carson Green, OT, Texas A&M; Defensive Lineman - Derick Hall, DL, Auburn; Freshman - Malachi Moore, DB, Alabama.

**Week 7 (Games of Nov. 7):** Offense - Kyle Trask, QB, Florida; Defense - Jalen Catalon, DB, Arkansas; Special Teams - Evan McPherson, PK, Florida; Offensive Lineman - Dan Moore Jr., OT, Texas A&M; Defensive Lineman - Marquiss Spencer, DT, Mississippi State; Freshman - Devon Achane, RB, Texas A&M.

**Week 8 (Games of Nov. 14):** Offense - Kyle Trask, QB, Florida; Matt Corral, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Jamin Davis, LB, Kentucky; Special Teams - Chance Poore, K, Kentucky; Offensive Lineman - Landon Young, OT, Kentucky; Nick Broeker, OL, Ole Miss; Defensive Lineman - Zachary Carter, DL, Florida; Freshman - J.J. Weaver, LB, Kentucky.

**Week 9 (Games of Nov. 21):** DeVonta Smith, WR, Alabama; JT Daniels, QB, Georgia; Defense - Smoke Monday, DB, Auburn; Special Teams - Grant McKinniss, P, Missouri; Offensive Lineman - Nick Brahm, OL, Auburn; Nick Broeker, OL, Ole Miss; Defensive Lineman - Andre Anthony, DE, LSU; Kyree Campbell, DE, Florida; Freshman - Jermaine Burton, WR, Georgia.

**Week 10 (Games of Nov. 28):** Mac Jones, QB, Alabama; Matt Corral, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Buddy Johnson, LB, Texas A&M; Special Teams - Kadarius Toney, PR, Florida; Sarah Fuller, PK, Vanderbilt; Offensive Lineman - Ben Cleveland, OG, Georgia; Defensive Lineman - DeMarvin Leal, DL/DE, Texas A&M; Kyree Campbell, DE, Florida; Freshman - Connor Bazalak, QB, Missouri.

**Week 11 (Games of Dec. 5):** DeVonta Smith, WR, Alabama; Defense - Ventrell Miller, LB, Florida; Special Teams - Harrison Mevis, PK, Missouri; Offensive Lineman - Ryan McCollum, C, Texas A&M; Defensive Lineman - Phil Hoskins, DT, Kentucky; Freshman - Connor Bazalak, QB, Missouri.

**Week 12 (Games of Dec. 12):** Max Johnson, QB, LSU; Defense - Bryce Thompson, S, Tennessee; Eric Stokes, DB, Georgia; Special Teams - Cade York, PK, LSU; DeVonta Smith, WR, Alabama; Offensive Lineman - Alex Leatherwood, LT, Alabama; Defensive Lineman - Derick Hall, DL, Auburn; Freshman - Tank Bigsby, RB, Auburn.

#### 2021 SEASON

**Week 1 (Games of Sept. 2-5):** Offense - Bryce Young, QB, Alabama; Defense - Christopher Smith, S, Georgia; Special Teams - Will Reichard, PK, Alabama; Offensive Lineman - Kenyon Green, OL, Texas A&M; Luke Fortner, C, Kentucky; Defensive Lineman - Jordan Davis, NG, Georgia; Zachary Carter, DL, Florida; Freshman - Debo Williams, LB, South Carolina; Caden Costa, PK, Ole Miss.

**Week 2 (Games of Sept. 11):** Offense - Chris Rodriguez Jr., RB, Kentucky; Stetson Bennett, QB, Georgia; Defense - Hayden Henry, LB, Arkansas; Special Teams - Parker White, PK, South Carolina; Joseph Bulovas, PK, Vanderbilt; Offensive Lineman - Charles Cross, Mississippi State; Defensive Lineman - Jayden Peevy, DL, Texas A&M; Freshman - Cam Little, PK, Arkansas.

**Week 3 (Games of Sept. 18):** Offense - Matt Corral, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Will Anderson, LB, Alabama; Nolan Smith, OLB, Georgia; Special Teams - Nik Constantinou, P, Texas A&M; Offensive Lineman - Jeremy James, OL, Ole Miss; Ricky Stromberg, C, Arkansas; Defensive Lineman - BJ Ojulari, DE, LSU; Freshman - Adonais Mitchell, WR, Georgia.

**Week 4 (Games of Sept. 25):** Offense - Emory Jones, QB, Florida; Treyton Burks, WR, Arkansas; Defense - Damone Clark, LB, LSU; Special Teams - Jameson Williams, KR, Alabama; Offensive Lineman - Luke Fortner, C, Kentucky; Defensive Lineman - Tre Williams, DE, Arkansas; Freshman - Brock Bowers, TE, Georgia.

**Week 5 (Games of Oct. 2):** Offense - Brian Robinson, RB, Alabama; Will Rogers, QB, Mississippi State; Bo Nix, QB, Auburn; Defense - Jacquez Jones, LB, Kentucky; Will Anderson, LB, Alabama; Special Teams - Joe Bulovas, PK, Vanderbilt; Josh Paschal, DE, Kentucky; Offensive Lineman - Cade Mays, OT, Tennessee; Defensive Lineman - Devonte Wyatt, DL, Georgia; Freshman - Len'Neth Whitehead, RB, Tennessee; Jarquez Hunter, RB, Auburn.

**Week 6 (Games of Oct. 9):** Offense - Zach Calzada, QB, Texas A&M; Defense - Brandon Turnage, DB, Tennessee; Special Teams - Devon Achane, KR, Texas A&M; Offensive Lineman - Nick Broeker, OL, Ole Miss; Eli Cox, OG, Kentucky; Defensive Lineman - Tyree Johnson, DL, Texas A&M; Octavious Oxendine, DT, Kentucky; Freshman - Ladd McConkey, WR, Georgia.

**Week 7 (Games of Oct. 16):** Offense - Ty Davis-Price, RB, LSU; Matt Corral, QB, Ole Miss; Defense - Will Anderson Jr., LB, Alabama; Special Teams - Kai Kroeger, P, South Carolina; Offensive Lineman - Kenyon Green, OL, Texas A&M; Defensive Lineman - Colby Wooden, DL, Auburn; Jalen Carter, DL, Georgia; Freshman - Brock Bowers, TE, Georgia.

**Week 8 (Games of Oct. 23):** Offense - Bryce Young, QB, Alabama; Defense - Chance Campbell, LB, Ole Miss; Special Teams - Ainius Smith, PR, Texas A&M; Offensive Lineman - Kenyon Green, OL, Texas A&M; Charles Cross, LT, Mississippi State; Defensive Lineman - Sam Williams, DL, Ole Miss; Tyree Johnson, DL, Texas A&M; Freshman - RaRa Thomas, WR, Mississippi State.

**Week 9 (Games of Oct. 30):** Offense - Will Rogers, QB, Mississippi State; Tyler Badie, RB, Missouri; Defense - Zakoby McClain, LB, Auburn; Nolan Smith, LB, Georgia; Special Teams - Harrison Mevis, PK, Missouri; Offensive Lineman - LaQuinston Sharp, C, Mississippi State; Defensive Lineman - Colby Wooden, DL, Auburn; Freshman - Trevin Wallace, LB, Kentucky.

**Week 10 (Games of Nov. 6):** Offense - Hendon Hooker, QB, Tennessee; Defense - Will Anderson Jr., LB, Alabama; Special Teams - Seth Small, PK, Texas A&M; Parker White, PK, South Carolina; Offensive Lineman - Cade Mays, OT, Tennessee; Tyree Johnson, DL, Texas A&M; Freshman - Cam Little, PK, Arkansas.

## SEC FOOTBALL NOTES

### SEC FOOTBALL INSTANT REPLAY STATISTICS

	Games Using SEC Replay	Play Stoppages	Plays Overtuned	Average Length of Review
2005	77	66	17 (25.76%)	1:53
2006	89	123	29 (32.58%)	1:41
2007	87	139	38 (43.68%)	1:36
2008	85	122	39 (45.88%)	1:24
2009	85	115	28 (32.94%)	1:26
2010	85	119	37 (43.53%)	1:36
2011	86	95	36 (41.86%)	1:37
2012	101	138	52 (51.47%)	1:28
2013	101	146	54 (53.41%)	1:22
2014	101	166	62 (61.38%)	1:28
2015	103	203	76 (73.79%)	1:22
2016	98	219	93 (94.89%)	1:28
2017	102	211	93 (91.47%)	1:17
2018	101	235	119 (117.82%)	1:07
2019	101	223	100 (98.91%)	1:11
2020	69	200	85 (123.04%)	1:19
TOTALS	1373	2301	864 (62.92%)	

### 2021 INSTANT REPLAY STATISTICS

	Games Using SEC Replay	Play Stoppages	Plays Overtuned	Average Length of Review
Week 1	12	24	15 (62.50%)	1:31
Week 2	9	19	11 (57.89%)	1:27
Week 3	12	26	19 (73.08%)	1:15
Week 4	8	12	5 (41.67%)	1:35
Week 5	8	20	11 (55.00%)	1:25
Week 6	7	21	8 (38.10%)	1:27
Week 7	7	20	7 (35.00%)	1:32
Week 8	5	11	6 (54.55%)	1:35
Week 9	4	9	6 (66.67%)	1:18
Week 10	7	14	7 (50.00%)	1:01
Week 11				
Week 12				
Week 13				
TOTALS	79	176	95 (53.98%)	1:26

### THIS IS SEC FOOTBALL

- Fourteen times in the last 15 seasons, a team from the SEC has advanced to the national championship game. The SEC has won 11 of those contests, with two of the losses coming in the game's final seconds. The winner of the SEC Championship Game has advanced to the National Championship Game all but once since 2006.
- The SEC finished 7-2 in the postseason in 2020 to lead the nation in bowl wins, with all seven wins coming against Top-25 competition - the most in history for the conference. In the four bowl games where an unranked SEC team played a Top-25 opponent, the SEC went 3-1.
- Since Florida in January 2009, five different teams from the SEC have played for the national championship. Four of those five have multiple appearances and at least one victory since 2007.
- Not counting games versus each other, the SEC is 10-3 all-time in College Football Playoff games, playing in six of the seven CFP Championship Games (winning four of those six). Since 2006, the SEC has posted a 27-14 (.659) record in BCS/CFP games, more wins, appearances and winning percentage than any other A5 conference.
- More than 350 players from Southeastern Conference schools were listed on the initial 53-man NFL rosters to begin the 2020 season. Seven SEC schools were represented by at least 25 former players on active rosters, including Alabama with a league-high 57. In addition to the 53-man active rosters, more than 100 former SEC players are listed on reserve lists or practice squads for NFL teams. A total of 25 former SEC players were on active rosters of the Super Bowl between the Chiefs and Bucs.
- The SEC is 97-55 (.638) in bowl games since 2006, the only FBS league with a .600 or better winning percentage and 30 wins more than the next closest conference.
- The SEC has now won 47 games in the last seven postseasons and has sent no less than eight teams to post-season bowls in each of the last 14 seasons.
- In the seven seasons of the College Football Playoff era, only six programs nationally have been ranked No. 1 in the weekly CFP Top-25 Poll (which begins in late October each year) - four of those six programs (Alabama, Georgia, LSU, Mississippi State) are from the SEC.
- Nine different SEC teams, including all seven from the SEC Western Division, have made BCS/New Year's Six bowl game appearances since 2006: Alabama, Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Georgia, LSU, Ole Miss, Mississippi State and Texas A&M. Since the formation of the College Football Playoff in 2014, six of the seven schools in the Western Division have advanced to a New Year's Six bowl.
- With Georgia and Alabama both earning victories in the CFP Semifinals in 2017, the national championship game featured two SEC teams for the second time in the last nine seasons.

## 2021 SEC FOOTBALL VIDEO REPLAY

### THE OBJECTIVE

To allow for specific types of officiating calls to be immediately reviewed during all games hosted by SEC teams.

### THE COACHES' CHALLENGE

The head coach may challenge the ruling of any reviewable play. He retains a challenge if his initial challenge is successful and thus results in a reversal by the replay official. The head coach will then have a single challenge that he may use anytime during the game if his team has not used all its timeouts. Thus a team may have a total of two challenges in the game, but only if the first results in a reversal of the on-field ruling. A head coach may not challenge an on-field ruling if all of the team's timeouts have been used for that half or extra period.

### THE SOURCE

All reviewable video comes direct from either the television network broadcasting the game or other TV production facilities that meet established conference standards and the coach's high end zone and high 50 yard line cameras. The coach's video is also made available to the TV producer. The Southeastern Conference has used instant replay since 2005.

### THE PLAYS

#### Scoring Plays

Reviewable plays involving a potential score include:

- A potential touchdown or safety. [Exception: Safety by penalty for fouls that are not specifically reviewable with the exception of the location of the passer when an intentional grounding foul results in a safety.]
- Field goal attempts if and only if the ball is ruled (a) below or above the crossbar or (b) inside or outside the uprights when it is lower than the top of the uprights. If the ball is higher than the top of the uprights as it crosses the end line, the play may not be reviewed.

#### Passes

Reviewable plays involving passes include:

- Pass ruled complete, incomplete or intercepted anywhere in the field of play or an end zone.
- Forward pass touched by a player (eligible or ineligible) or an official, including whether the touching is behind or beyond the line of scrimmage.
- Forward pass or forward handing when a ball carrier is or has been beyond the neutral zone.
- A forward pass or forward handing after a change of team possession.
- Pass ruled forward or backward when thrown from behind the neutral zone.
  - If the pass is ruled forward and is incomplete, the play is reviewable only if the ball goes out of bounds or if there is clear recovery of a loose ball in the immediate continuing football action after the loose ball or if the ball is out of bounds. If the replay official does not have indisputable video evidence as to which team recovers, the ruling of incomplete pass stands.
  - If the replay official reverses an incomplete forward pass ruling and the ball is recovered, it belongs to the recovering team at the spot of the recovery and any advance is nullified.

#### Dead Ball and Loose Ball

Reviewable plays involving potential dead balls and loose balls include:

- Loose ball by a potential passer ruled a fumble.
- Loose ball by a passer ruled incomplete forward pass when there is clear recovery in the immediate continuing action after the loose ball.
  - If the replay official does not have indisputable video evidence as to which team recovers, the ruling of incomplete pass stands.
  - If the replay official rules fumble, the ball belongs to the recovering team at the spot of the recovery and any advance is nullified.
- Live ball not ruled dead in possession of a ball carrier.

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d. Loose ball ruled dead (Rule 4-1-2-b-2), or live ball ruled dead in possession of a ball carrier when the clear recovery of a loose ball occurs in the immediate continuing football action.

1. If the ball is ruled dead and the replay official does not have indisputable video evidence as to which team recovers, the dead-ball ruling stands.

2. If the replay official rules that the ball was not dead, it belongs to the recovering team at the spot of the recovery and any advance is nullified.

e. Ball carrier's forward progress, spot of fumble, or spot of out of bounds backward pass, with respect to a first down or the goal line.

f. Catch or recovery of a fumble by a Team A player other than the fumbler before any change of possession during fourth down or a try.

g. Ball carrier in or out of bounds. If a ball carrier is ruled out of bounds, the play is not reviewable, except as in Rules 12-3-1-a and 12-3-3-d.

h. Catch, recovery or touching of a loose ball by a player in bounds or out of bounds.

i. A loose ball touching on or beyond a sideline, goal line, or end line, touching a pylon, or breaking the plane of a goal line.

j. Catch or recovery of a loose ball in the field of play or an end zone.

k. Forward fumble that goes out of bounds with respect to a first down.

l. Live ball declared dead under Rule 4-1-2-b-2 and b-3 (inadvertent whistle).

## Kicks

Reviewable plays involving kicks include:

a. Touching of a kick.

b. Player beyond the neutral zone when kicking the ball.

c. Kicking team player advancing a ball after a potential muffed kick/fumble by the receiving team.

d. Scrimmage kick crossing the neutral zone.

e. Blocking by Team A players before they are eligible to touch the ball on an on-side kick.

## Targeting

a. All targeting fouls shall be reviewed. The review includes all aspects of the targeting foul. For a Targeting foul to be confirmed, all elements of the Targeting foul must be confirmed. There is no option for stands as a part of the Targeting review. If any element of the Targeting foul cannot be confirmed, then the Replay Official shall overturn the targeting foul.

b. The Replay Official may create a targeting foul, but only when the targeting action is clear and obvious and the foul is not called by the officials on the field. Such a review may not be initiated by a coach's challenge.

## Miscellaneous

Situations that may be addressed by the replay official:

a. The number of players on the field for either team during a live ball.

b. Clock adjustment and status when a ruling is reviewed.

c. With less than one minute in either half and a replay review results in the on-field ruling being reversed, and the correct ruling would not have stopped the game clock, then the clock will be reset to the time the ball is declared dead by replay. The referee will subtract 10 seconds from the game clock and the game clock will start on the referee's signal. Either team may use a team timeout to avoid the runoff.

d. Clock adjustment at the end of any quarter. If at the end of any quarter the game clock expires, either during a down in which it should be stopped by rule through play when the ball becomes dead or following the down upon a request for an available team timeout, the replay official may restore time only under these conditions:

1. The replay official has indisputable video evidence that time should have remained on the game clock when the ball became dead or when the team timeout was granted;

2. In the second and fourth quarters only, the team in possession when the ball became dead would next put the ball in play from scrimmage (not the try);

3. In the fourth quarter only, either the score is tied or the team that will next snap the ball is behind by eight points or fewer; and

4. The replay official's video evidence includes the timeout signal by an official in the case where the game clock should have stopped for a requested team timeout.

e. Correcting the number of a down.

1. This includes the result of a penalty enforcement that includes an automatic first down or loss of down.

2. The correction may be made at any time within that series of downs or before the ball is legally put in play after that series.

f. Any person who is not a player interfering with live-ball action occurring in the field of play (Rule 9-2-3).

g. An injured player at the initiation of the medical observer.

## Limitations on Reviewable Plays

No other plays or officiating decisions are reviewable. However, the replay official may correct egregious errors, including those involving the game clock, whether or not a play is reviewable. This excludes fouls that are not specifically reviewable (Reviewable fouls: Rules 12-3-2-c and d, 12-3-4-b and -e and 12-3-5-a).

## Reviewable Fouls

The following plays are reviewable and the replay official may create a foul when there is no call by the on-field officials:

a. Player making a forward pass or forward handoff when beyond the neutral zone or after a change of possession.

b. Player beyond the neutral zone when kicking the ball.

c. Blocking by Team B players before they are eligible to touch the ball on an onside kick.

d. The number of players on the field for either team during a live ball.

e. Illegal touching of a forward pass by an originally eligible receiver who has gone out of bounds.

f. Player who is out of bounds touching a free kick that had not been touched inbounds.

g. Forward pass that becomes illegal as a second pass after an on-field ruling of a backward pass is reversed.

h. A clear, obvious and egregious targeting foul.

## THE PROCESS

Each SEC football stadium has a secured replay booth equipped with the HD Instant Replay system provided by DVSPORT. Three individuals work in the booth for the duration of the game: 1. Replay Official, 2. Communicator, 3. Technician. The Replay Official and the Communicator are selected and assigned by the Conference Office.

A live HD video feed is sent directly to the replay booth from the TV truck. The Technician watches the feed on an input monitor while recording it into the DVSPORT Replay System. The Technician also marks the beginning of each play while the Communicator marks all incoming replays.

Each play and subsequent replay then appears on a touch screen in front of the Replay Technician. As the Technician and the Communicator mark the incoming video, each view will appear as a small picture on the computer touch screen. At any time, the Replay Technician can touch the thumbnail and immediately send that play or replay to the Replay Official.

With the Communicator's assistance, the Replay Official can quickly jump between replays while playing back the video. All replay video navigation is done via a jog shuttle remote controlled by the Replay Official. All video is viewed on an HD monitor that sits in front of the Replay Official. The touch screen is only used to select the replays and to log specific play data in the event a call is overturned.

While all plays are reviewed between the whistle and the beginning of the next play, the Replay Official can stop play on the field by using a pager system. Seven of the eight on-field officials wear pagers. If play is stopped the Referee announces on the stadium PA microphone that play has been stopped so the previous play can be reviewed. The Referee then proceeds to the sideline headset, which provides direct communication to the Replay Official in the booth. Once the play has been reviewed, the Replay Official notifies the Referee, who then announces the decision on the stadium PA system.

## RECENT ADDITIONS

\*For the 2016 season, the SEC will utilize the new experimental rule that allows personnel in a separate secure location identified by the conference to assist the Instant Replay Official at the stadium in making decisions. The SEC will locate 3 Instant Replay Officials in the SEC Video Center each week to collaborate with the onsite Replay Official during any replay stoppage. The 3 Replay Officials in the Video Center will have real time video and communications with the Replay Official in the stadium to aid in this collaboration. The goal of this process will be consistency in decision making and to help avoid incorrect outcomes.

\* Monitors may be used to view a live telecast or webcast in the football coaching booth. The home team is responsible for assuring identical television capability in the coaches' booths of both teams. This capability may not include replay equipment or recorders.

\* If at the end of any quarter the game clock expires, either during a down in which it should be stopped by rule through play when the ball becomes dead or following the down upon a request for an available team timeout, the replay official may restore time only under these conditions:

1. The replay official has indisputable video evidence that time should have remained on the game clock when the ball became dead or when the team timeout was granted;

2. The team in possession when the ball became dead would next put the ball in play from scrimmage;

3. In the fourth quarter only, either the score is tied or the team that will next snap the ball is behind by eight points or fewer; and

4. The replay official's video evidence includes the timeout signal by an official in the case where the game clock should have stopped for a requested team timeout.

## THE EQUIPMENT

Each SEC member institution uses the new multi-view HD Replay System developed by DVSPORT. The replay systems are maintained by the home institution with technical support from DVSPORT.

## INDIVIDUAL HONORS

**Devon Achane, Texas A&M**

SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 11)

**Christopher Allen, Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Adam Anderson, Georgia**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Fourth Team)

**Will Anderson, Alabama**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (First Team)  
Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
Sporting News Preseason All-America (First Team)  
CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
Associated Press Preseason All-America (First Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)  
SEC Co-Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 20)  
SEC Co-Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 4)  
SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 18)  
SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Nov. 8)

**Tyler Badie, Missouri**

SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Jordan Battle, Alabama**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Connor Bazelak, Missouri**

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Stetson Bennett, Georgia**

SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 13)

**Tank Bigsby, Auburn**

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Jahleel Billingsley, Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Kayshon Boutte, LSU**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Brock Bowers, Georgia**

SEC Freshman of the Week (Sept. 27)  
SEC Freshman of the Week (Oct. 18)

**Nick Brahm, Auburn**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Nick Broeker, Ole Miss**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Third Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
SEC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 11)

**Paxton Brooks, Tennessee**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Ben Brown, Ole Miss**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Mac Brown, Ole Miss**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Joseph Bulovas, Kentucky**

SEC Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 13)  
SEC Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 4)

**Treyton Burks, Arkansas**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)  
SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 27)

**Jermaine Burton, Georgia**

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Zach Calzada, Texas A&M**

SEC Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 11)

**Jake Camarda, Georgia**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Associated Press Preseason All-America (First Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Chance Campbell, Ole Miss**

SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 25)

**Jalen Carter, Georgia**

SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 18)

**Jalen Catalon, Arkansas**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Anders Carlson, Auburn**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Zachary Carter, Florida**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)  
SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 7)

**Lewis Cine, Georgia**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Damon Clark, LSU**

SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 27)

**Ty Clary, Arkansas**

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Nik Constantinou, Texas A&M**

SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 20)

**Jacob Copeland, Florida**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Yusuf Corker, Kentucky**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Matt Corral, Ole Miss**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)  
SEC Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 20)  
SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 18)

**Caden Costa, Ole Miss**

SEC Co-Freshman of the Week (Sept. 7)

**Eli Cox, Kentucky**

SEC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 11)

**Charles Cross, Mississippi State**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 13)  
SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 25)

**Myron Cunningham, Arkansas**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**JT Daniels, Georgia**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)



## INDIVIDUAL HONORS

**DJ Dale, Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Jordan Davis, Georgia**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Sporting News Preseason All-America (Second Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 7)

**Ty Davis-Price, LSU**

SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 18)

**Nakobe Dean, Georgia**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Austin Deculus, Arkansas**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Jerrion Ealy, Ole Miss**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Emil Ekiyor, Jr., Alabama**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Fourth Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Kaiir Elam, Florida**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Martin Emerson, Mississippi State**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Fourth Team)

**Kingsley Enagbare, South Carolina**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Luke Fortner, Kentucky**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

SEC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 7)

SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 27)

**Ali Gaye, LSU**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Kenyon Green, Texas A&M**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (First Team)

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

Sporting News Preseason All-America (First Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (First Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

SEC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 7)

SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 18)

SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 25)

**Derrick Hall, Auburn**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Brodarious Hamm, Auburn**

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Christian Harris, Alabama**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Kevin Harris, South Carolina**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Fourth Team)

Sporting News Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Hayden Henry, Arkansas**

SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 13)

**Hendon Hooker, Tennessee**

SEC Offensive Player of the Week (Nov. 8)

**Jarquez Hunter, Auburn**

SEC Co-Freshman of the Week (Oct. 4)

**Ed Ingram, LSU**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Kearis Jackson, Georgia**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Jeremy James, Ole Miss**

SEC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 20)

**Trajan Jeffcoat, Missouri**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Josh Jobe, Alabama**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Third Team)

Sporting News Preseason All-America (Second Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Tyree Johnson, Texas A&M**

SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 11)

SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 25)

SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week (Nov. 8)

**Jacquez Jones, Kentucky**

SEC Co-Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 4)

**Emory Jones, Florida**

SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 27)

**Mike Jones, LSU**

Sporting News Preseason All-America (Second Team)

**Darrian Kinnard, Kentucky**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (First Team)

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

Sporting News Preseason All-America (First Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Kai Kroeger, South Carolina**

SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 18)

**DeMarvin Leal, Texas A&M**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (First Team)

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

Sporting News Preseason All-America (First Team)

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)

Associated Press Preseason All-America (First Team)

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Cam Little, Arkansas**

SEC Freshman of the Week (Sept. 13)

SEC Freshman of the Week (Nov. 8)

**Michael Maietti, Missouri**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Phidarian Mathis, Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

<b>INDIVIDUAL HONORS</b>
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**Cade Mays, Tennessee**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 4)  
 SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Nov. 8)

**Zakoby McClain, Auburn**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Third Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 SEC Co-Defensive Player of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Ladd McConkey, Georgia**

SEC Freshman of the Week (Oct. 11)

**Roger McCreary, Auburn**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Grant McKinnis, Missouri**

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**John Metchie III, Alabama**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Harrison Mevis, Missouri**

SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Ventrell Miller, Florida**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Adonais Mitchell, Georgia**

SEC Freshman of the Week (Sept. 20)

**Smoke Monday, Auburn**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Third Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Malachi Moore, Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Grant Morgan, Arkansas**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Nick Muse, South Carolina**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Evan Neal, Alabama**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Sporting News Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Associated Press Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Bo Nix, Auburn**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 4)

**BJ Ojulari, LSU**

SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 20)

**Leon O'Neal, Jr., Texas A&M**

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Octavious Oxendine, Kentucky**

SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 11)

**Owen Pappoe, Auburn**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Josh Paschal, Kentucky**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 SEC Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 4)

**George Pickens, Georgia**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Jayden Peevy, Texas A&M**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 13)

**LaBryan Ray, Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Will Reichard, Alabama**

Sporting News Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 7)

**Eli Ricks, LSU**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Third Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)

Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Brian Robinson, Jr., Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 4)

**Chris Rodriguez, Kentucky**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 13)

**Will Rogers, Mississippi State**

SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 4)  
 SEC Co-Offensive Player of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Jamaree Salyer, Georgia**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Sporting News Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**LaQuinston Sharp, Mississippi State**

SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Seth Small, Texas A&M**

SEC Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Nov. 8)

**Ainias Smith, Texas A&M**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 25)

**Chris Smith, Georgia**

SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 7)

**Nolan Smith, Georgia**

SEC Co-Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 20)  
 SEC Co-Defensive Player of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Tykee Smith, Georgia**

Sporting News Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)

**Isaiah Spiller, Texas A&M**

Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Third Team)  
 Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Derek Stingley, LSU**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Sporting News Preseason All-America (First Team)

## INDIVIDUAL HONORS

CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Associated Press Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Ricky Stromberg, Arkansas**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 SEC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 20)

**Alontae Taylor, Tennessee**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**RaRa Thomas, Mississippi State**

SEC Freshman of the Week (Oct. 25)

**Henry To'o To'o, Alabama**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Brandon Turnage, Tennessee**

SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 11)

**Trayvon Walker, Georgia**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Third Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Third Team)

**Trevin Wallace, Kentucky**

SEC Freshman of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Parker White, South Carolina**

SEC Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 13)  
 SEC Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Nov. 8)

**Zamir White, Georgia**

Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (Second Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (Second Team)

**Len'Neth Whitehead, Tennessee**

SEC Co-Freshman of the Week (Oct. 4)

**Debo Williams, South Carolina**

SEC Co-Freshman of the Week (Sept. 7)

**Jameson Williams, Alabama**

SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 27)

**Sam Williams, Ole Miss**

SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 25)

**Tre Williams, Arkansas**

SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 27)

**Colby Wooden, Auburn**

SEC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 18)  
 SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week (Nov. 1)

**Devonte Wyatt, Georgia**

SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 4)

**Jalen Wydermyer, Texas A&M**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 CBS Sports Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Associated Press Preseason All-America (Second Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Cade York, LSU**

Walter Camp Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Athlon Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Sporting News Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 CBS Sports Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Associated Press Preseason All-America (First Team)  
 Preseason Media Days All-SEC Team (First Team)  
 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team (First Team)

**Bryce Young, Alabama**

SEC Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 7)  
 Davey O'Brien Award National Quarterback of the Week (Sept. 8)  
 SEC Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 25)

PRESEASON HONORS

2021 Media Days All-SEC Team

OFFENSE

First-Team

QB - Matt Corral, Ole Miss  
 RB - Tank Bigsby, Auburn  
 RB - Isaiah Spiller, Texas A&M  
 WR - John Metchie III, Alabama  
 WR - Treyton Burks, Arkansas  
 TE - Jalen Wydermyer, Texas A&M  
 OL - Evan Neal, Alabama  
 OL - Darian Kinnard, Kentucky  
 OL - Kenyon Green, Texas A&M  
 OL - Cade Mays, Tennessee  
 C - Nick Brahms, Auburn

Second-Team

QB - JT Daniels, Georgia  
 RB - Kevin Harris, South Carolina  
 RB - Zamir White, Georgia  
 WR - Kayshon Boutte, LSU  
 WR - George Pickens, Georgia  
 TE - Jahleel Billingsley, Alabama  
 OL - Jamaree Salyer, Georgia  
 OL - Emil Ekiyor Jr., Alabama  
 OL - Ed Ingram, LSU  
 OL - Austin Deculus, LSU  
 C - Ricky Stromberg, Arkansas

Third-Team

QB - Bo Nix, Auburn  
 RB - Brian Robinson Jr., Alabama  
 RB - Chris Rodriguez Jr., Kentucky  
 WR - Ainius Smith, Texas A&M  
 WR - Jacob Copeland, Florida  
 TE - Nick Muse, South Carolina  
 OL - Charles Cross, Mississippi State  
 OL - Nick Broeker, Ole Miss  
 OL - Myron Cunningham, Arkansas  
 OL - Luke Fortner, Kentucky  
 \*C - Michael Maietti, Missouri  
 \*C - Ben Brown, Ole Miss

DEFENSE

First-Team

DL - Jordan Davis, Georgia  
 DL - Phidarian Mathis, Alabama  
 DL - Kingsley Enagbare, South Carolina  
 \*DL - Zachary Carter, Florida  
 \*DL - DeMarvin Leal, Texas A&M  
 LB - Henry To'o To'o, Alabama  
 LB - Christian Harris, Alabama  
 LB - Will Anderson Jr., Alabama  
 DB - Derek Stingley, LSU  
 DB - Josh Jobe, Alabama  
 DB - Malachi Moore, Alabama  
 DB - Kaiir Elam, Florida

Second-Team

DL - Josh Paschal, Kentucky  
 DL - LaBryan Ray, Alabama  
 DL - Ali Gaye, LSU  
 DL - Trajan Jeffcoat, Missouri  
 LB - Grant Morgan, Arkansas  
 LB - Ventrell Miller, Florida  
 LB - Zakoby McClain, Auburn  
 DB - Smoke Monday, Auburn  
 DB - Jordan Battle, Alabama  
 DB - Jalen Catalon, Arkansas  
 DB - Elias Ricks, LSU

Third-Team

DL - DJ Dale, Alabama  
 DL - Jayden Peevy, Texas A&M  
 DL - Travon Walker, Georgia  
 DL - Derick Hall, Auburn  
 LB - Owen Pappoe, Auburn  
 LB - Nakobe Dean, Georgia  
 LB - Christopher Allen, Alabama  
 DB - Roger McCreary, Auburn  
 DB - Lewis Cine, Georgia  
 DB - Alontae Taylor, Tennessee  
 DB - Yusuf Corker, Kentucky

SPECIALISTS

First-Team

P - Jake Camarda, Georgia  
 PK - Cade York, LSU  
 RS - Jerrion Ealy, Ole Miss  
 AP - Jerrion Ealy, Ole Miss

Second-Team

P - Paxton Brooks, Tennessee  
 PK - Will Reichard, Alabama  
 RS - Ainius Smith, Texas A&M  
 AP - Tank Bigsby, Auburn

Third-Team

P - Mac Brown, Ole Miss  
 PK - Anders Carlson, Auburn  
 RS - Kearis Jackson, Georgia  
 AP - Ainius Smith, Texas A&M

2021 Preseason Coaches All-SEC Team

First Team

OFFENSE  
 QB - Matt Corral, Ole Miss  
 RB - Isaiah Spiller, Texas A&M  
 RB - Tank Bigsby, Auburn  
 WR - John Metchie III, Alabama  
 WR - Treyton Burks, Arkansas  
 TE - Jalen Wydermyer, Texas A&M  
 OL - Evan Neal, Alabama  
 OL - Darian Kinnard, Kentucky  
 OL - Kenyon Green, Texas A&M  
 OL - Cade Mays, Tennessee  
 C - Ricky Stromberg, Arkansas  
 AP - Jerrion Ealy, Ole Miss

DEFENSE

DL - Kingsley Enagbare, South Carolina  
 DL - Jordan Davis, Georgia  
 DL - Zachary Carter, Florida  
 DL - Phidarian Mathis, Alabama  
 LB - Christian Harris, Alabama  
 LB - Grant Morgan, Arkansas  
 LB - Will Anderson Jr., Alabama  
 DB - Derek Stingley, LSU  
 DB - Kaiir Elam, Florida  
 DB - Malachi Moore, Alabama  
 DB - Josh Jobe, Alabama

SPECIAL TEAMS

PK - Cade York, LSU  
 P - Jake Camarda, Georgia  
 RS - Jerrion Ealy, Ole Miss

2021 Media Days Preseason Poll

Alabama was predicted to win the 2021 SEC Championship in a vote of media in attendance at SEC Media Days in Birmingham in July. The Crimson Tide received 84 votes while Georgia was second with 45 votes.

Georgia was selected to win the SEC Eastern Division with 923 points, including 124 first-place votes, while Florida was second with 784 points and seven votes to win the division. Kentucky was third with 624 total points. Points were awarded on a 7-6-5-4-3-2-1 scale.

Alabama was picked to win the SEC Western Division with 932 total points, while Texas A&M was second with 760. Alabama received 130 first-place votes in the SEC West. LSU was third with 633 points.

Eight times since 1992 the predicted champion at SEC Media Days proceeded to win the SEC Championship.

2021 SEC Media Days Predicted Order of Finish

(1st Place votes in parenthesis)

EASTERN DIVISION		WESTERN DIVISION		SEC CHAMPION	
Georgia (124)	923	Alabama (130)	932	Alabama	84
Florida (7)	784	Texas A&M (1)	760	Georgia	45
Kentucky (2)	624	LSU (1)	633	Ole Miss	1
Missouri	555	Ole Miss (1)	529	Texas A&M	1
Tennessee	362	Auburn	440	Florida	1
South Carolina (1)	355	Arkansas (1)	241	Kentucky	1
Vanderbilt	149	Mississippi State	217	South Carolina	1

Second Team

OFFENSE

QB - JT Daniels, Georgia  
 RB - Kevin Harris, South Carolina  
 RB - Zamir White, Georgia  
 WR - Kayshon Boutte, LSU  
 WR - George Pickens, Georgia  
 TE - Jahleel Billingsley, Alabama  
 OL - Ed Ingram, LSU  
 OL - Jamaree Salyer, Georgia  
 OL - Emil Ekiyor Jr., Alabama  
 OL - Charles Cross, Mississippi State  
 C - Nick Brahms, Auburn  
 AP - Tank Bigsby, Auburn

DEFENSE

DL - DeMarvin Leal, Texas A&M  
 DL - Ali Gaye, LSU  
 DL - Trajan Jeffcoat, Missouri  
 DL - Josh Paschal, Kentucky  
 LB - Henry To'o To'o, Alabama  
 LB - Zakoby McClain, Auburn  
 LB - Ventrell Miller, Florida  
 DB - Elias Ricks, LSU  
 DB - Jordan Battle, Alabama  
 DB - Jalen Catalon, Arkansas  
 DB - Smoke Monday, Auburn

SPECIAL TEAMS

PK - Anders Carlson, Auburn  
 P - Paxton Brooks, Tennessee\*  
 P - Mac Brown, Ole Miss\*  
 RS - Ainius Smith, Texas A&M

Third Team

OFFENSE

QB - Bo Nix, Auburn\*

QB - Connor Bazelak, Missouri\*

RB - Chris Rodriguez, Jr., Kentucky  
 RB - Jerrion Ealy, Ole Miss\*  
 RB - Brian Robinson, Jr., Alabama\*  
 WR - Ainius Smith, Texas A&M  
 WR - Jacob Copeland, Florida\*  
 WR - Jermaine Burton, Georgia\*  
 TE - Nick Muse, South Carolina  
 OL - Austin Deculus, LSU  
 OL - Myron Cunningham, Arkansas  
 OL - Luke Fortner, Kentucky  
 OL - Nick Broeker, Ole Miss\*  
 OL - Brodarius Hamm, Auburn\*  
 OL - Ty Clary, Arkansas\*  
 C - Michael Maietti, Missouri  
 AP - Ainius Smith, Texas A&M

DEFENSE

DL - LaBryan Ray, Alabama  
 DL - Travon Walker, Georgia  
 DL - Jayden Peevy, Texas A&M  
 DL - Zacch Pickens, South Carolina  
 LB - Nakobe Dean, Georgia  
 LB - Owen Pappoe, Auburn  
 LB - Christopher Allen, Alabama  
 DB - Roger McCreary, Auburn  
 DB - Alontae Taylor, Tennessee  
 DB - Yusuf Corker, Kentucky  
 DB - Leon O'Neal Jr., Texas A&M\*  
 DB - Lewis Cine, Georgia\*

SPECIAL TEAMS

PK - Will Reichard, Alabama  
 P - Grant McKinniss, Missouri  
 RS - Kearis Jackson, Georgia

\* - Indicates a tie



## SEC PLAYERS ON AWARD WATCH LISTS

## PRESEASON

Blaze Alldredge, Missouri	Nagurski, Butkus	DeMarvin Leal, Texas A&M	Bednarik, Nagurski, Camp
Christopher Allen, Alabama	Butkus	Michael Maietti, Missouri	Rimington
Adam Anderson, Georgia	Butkus	Joquavious Marks, Mississippi State	Walker
Will Anderson, Alabama	Bednarik, Nagurski, Butkus, Camp	Phidarian Mathis, Alabama	Nagurski, Outland
Tyler Badie, Missouri	Hornung, Wuerffel	Elijah McAllister, Vanderbilt	Wuerffel
Jordan Battle, Alabama	Thorpe	Zakoby McClain, Auburn	Bednarik, Nagurski, Butkus
Connor Bazalak, Missouri	O'Brien	Chase McGrath, Tennessee	Groza
Tank Bigsby, Auburn	Walker, Maxwell, Hornung, Camp	John Metchie III, Alabama	Biletnikoff, Maxwell, Camp
Jahleel Billingsley, Alabama	Mackey	Harrison Mevis, Missouri	Groza
Kayshon Boutte, LSU	Biletnikoff, Maxwell	Ventrell Miller, Florida	Butkus
Nick Brahm, Auburn	Outland, Rimington, Wuerffel	Smoke Monday, Auburn	Nagurski, Thorpe
Nick Broeker, Ole Miss	Outland	Malachi Moore, Alabama	Nagurski
Paxton Brooks, Tennessee	Guy	Grant Morgan, Arkansas	Bednarik, Nagurski, Butkus
Mac Brown, Ole Miss	Guy, Wuerffel	Evan Neal, Alabama	Outland
Treyton Burks, Arkansas	Biletnikoff, Maxwell, Camp	Bo Nix, Auburn	Maxwell
Matthew Butler, Tennessee	Wuerffel	Anfernee Orji, Vanderbilt	Bednarik, Butkus
Jake Camarda, Georgia	Guy	Chris Owens, Alabama	Wuerffel
Anders Carlson, Auburn	Groza	Jack Podlesny, Georgia	Groza
Keldrick Carper, Texas A&M	Wuerffel	Bumper Pool, Arkansas	Butkus
Zachary Carter, Florida	Wuerffel	Will Reichard, Alabama	Groza
Jalen Catalon, Arkansas	Bednarik, Nagurski, Thorpe	Eli Ricks, LSU	Bednarik, Nagurski, Thorpe
Jace Christmann, Florida	Groza	Wandale Robinson, Kentucky	Hornung
Damone Clark, LSU	Butkus, Wuerffel	Brian Robinson, Jr., Alabama	Walker, Maxwell
Nik Constantinou, Texas A&M	Guy	Chris Rodriguez, Jr., Kentucky	Walker, Maxwell
Matt Corral, Ole Miss	O'Brien, Maxwell, Camp	Matt Ruffolo, Kentucky	Groza
D.J. Dale, Alabama	Nagurski	Jamaree Salyer, Georgia	Outland
JT Daniels, Georgia	O'Brien, Maxwell, Camp	Justin Shaffer, Georgia	Outland
Jordan Davis, Georgia	Bednarik, Nagurski, Outland	Liam Shanahan, LSU	Rimington
ReMahn Davis, Vanderbilt	Walker	John Samuel Shenker, Auburn	Mackey
Tucker Day, Mississippi State	Guy	Jordan Silver, Arkansas	Wuerffel
Nakobe Dean, Georgia	Bednarik, Nagurski, Butkus, Wuerffel	Jabari Small, Tennessee	Walker
Jerrion Ealy, Ole Miss	Walker, Maxwell, Hornung	Ainias Smith, Texas A&M	Hornung
Spencer Eason-Riddle, South Carolina	Wuerffel	Trelon Smith, Arkansas	Walker
Kaiir Elam, Florida	Bednarik, Nagurski, Hornung	Tykee Smith, Georgia	Nagurski
Kingsley Enagbare, South Carolina	Bednarik, Nagurski	Isaiah Spiller, Texas A&M	Walker, Maxwell
Warren Ericson, Georgia	Rimington	Derek Stingley, LSU	Bednarik, Nagurski, Hornung, Thorpe, Camp
Emmanuel Forbes, Mississippi State	Bednarik	Jordan Strachan, South Carolina	Butkus
Arik Gilbert, Georgia	Mackey	Ricky Stromberg, Arkansas	Rimington
Kenyan Green, Texas A&M	Outland	Quay Walker, South Carolina	Butkus
Aaron Hansford, Texas A&M	Butkus	Jaden Walley, Mississippi State	Biletnikoff
Christian Harris, Alabama	Nagurski, Butkus	Darnell Washington, Georgia	Mackey
Kevin Harris, South Carolina	Maxwell	Austin Williams, Mississippi State	Wuerffel
Hudson Henry, Arkansas	Mackey	Sam Williams, South Carolina	Butkus
Lakia Henry, Ole Miss	Butkus	Jalen Wydermyer, Texas A&M	Biletnikoff, Mackey
Kenneth Horsey, Kentucky	Wuerffel	Cade York, LSU	Groza
Ed Ingram, LSU	Outland	Keon Zipperer, Florida	Mackey
McKinnley Jackson, Texas A&M	Outland		
Trajan Jeffcoat, Missouri	Bednarik, Nagurski		
Josh Jobe, Alabama	Bednarik, Nagurski, Thorpe		
Cam Johnson, Vanderbilt	Hornung		
Dillon Johnson, Mississippi State	Walker		
Velus Jones, Jr., Tennessee	Hornung		
Darrian Kinnard, Kentucky	Outland		
Kai Kroeger, South Carolina	Guy		

## SEC FOOTBALL BOWL AGREEMENTS

The Southeastern Conference has six-year agreements with nine football post-season bowls, which includes the addition of the Las Vegas Bowl and the Gasparilla Bowl in Tampa, beginning with the 2020 postseason. ESPN Events has the next selection to fill the Birmingham and Gasparilla Bowls. The nine bowls are in addition to bowl games in the College Football Playoff system for which SEC teams are eligible to qualify. Also, the SEC participates in the Allstate Sugar Bowl in years it is not a CFP semifinal game and the Capital One Orange Bowl in selected years.

The SEC has extended its current agreements through 2025 with the Citrus Bowl in Orlando, the Outback Bowl in Tampa, the TaxSlayer Gator Bowl in Jacksonville, the Transperfect Music City Bowl in Nashville, the Academy Sports + Outdoors Texas Bowl in Houston, the AutoZone Liberty Bowl in Memphis and the Birmingham Bowl.

In addition, the SEC will continue its relationship with the Duke's Mayo Bowl in Charlotte, participating in that bowl game in 2021, 2023 and 2025. For the remaining three years of the six-year cycle, SEC teams will participate in the Las Vegas Bowl against a Pac-12 opponent in 2022 and 2024. The SEC has also added a new bowl partnership with the Union One Gasparilla Bowl in Tampa through 2025.

The SEC will maintain its current bowl selection process in which the Citrus Bowl has the first selection of available SEC teams after any conference schools have qualified for the College Football Playoff, the Allstate Sugar Bowl or the Capital One Orange Bowl, after which the SEC assigns teams to a Pool of Six bowls.

The SEC Pool of Six consists of the Outback Bowl, Gator Bowl, Music City Bowl, Texas Bowl and Liberty Bowl, as well as the Las Vegas Bowl in 2022 and 2024, and the Duke's Mayo Bowl in 2021, 2023 and 2025. In consultation with SEC member institutions, as well as these six bowls, the conference will make assignments for the bowl games in the pool system. ESPN Events selects teams to participate in the Birmingham and Gasparilla Bowls after the Pool of Six have been assigned.

### 2021 SEC Bowl Selection Process

CFP BOWLS: Cotton (SF), Orange (SF), Sugar, Rose, Peach, Fiesta, CFP Championship

**Contract Bowls:** Sugar (SEC vs. Big 12 when Sugar is not a semifinal game)  
Rose (Pac 12 vs. Big Ten when Rose is not a semifinal game)  
Orange (ACC vs. highest ranked SEC/Big Ten non-champion or Notre Dame when Orange is not a semifinal game like in 2021)

**Access Bowls:** Fiesta  
Peach  
Cotton (Semifinal in 2021)

#### 1) Which SEC Team qualifies for the CFP?

The winner of the SEC Championship Game automatically qualifies for a spot in the Sugar Bowl if that team is not selected to participate in the four-team playoff. If the SEC Champion is selected to participate in the four-team playoff it will play in the Cotton Bowl or Orange Bowl. The next highest-ranked SEC team not in the four-team playoff goes to the Sugar Bowl.

#### 2) How can additional SEC teams be selected for the CFP?

Additional SEC teams may be selected for the CFP Semifinals (Cotton or Orange) or one of the CFP access bowls (Peach or Fiesta) based on its ranking in the final CFP Selection Committee rankings. There is no limit on the number of teams from any one conference that can be selected to participate in the CFP bowls.

#### 3) How can a SEC Team be selected to participate in the Orange Bowl?

When the Orange Bowl is not a semifinal game and a SEC team is the highest ranked team by the CFP Selection Committee among the non-champions of the SEC and Big Ten and ranked higher than Notre Dame after the CFP semifinal games have been filled, then that team will participate in the Orange Bowl. There are eight years in which the Orange Bowl is not a semifinal game and the SEC is guaranteed three of the eight years, the Big Ten is guaranteed three of the eight years and the remaining two years can be filled by Notre Dame, the SEC or the Big Ten based on CFP Selection Committee rankings. The SEC Champion can never participate in the Orange Bowl unless it is a semifinal game, which it is in 2021.

#### 4) How does the CFP selection process work in 2021-22?

The CFP Selection Committee ranks the top 25 teams and selects the four teams to participate in the semifinal games (Cotton and Orange). Then, after the contract bowls (Sugar and Rose) are filled based on conference agreements, the Committee will assign teams to fill the remaining access bowls (Peach and Fiesta). Each conference champion from the contract bowls (ACC, Big Ten, Big 12, SEC & Pac 12) has a guaranteed spot in its contracted bowl or in an access bowl (Peach or Fiesta) if the contracted bowl is a semifinal game and the conference champion is not selected to participate in a semifinal game. The highest ranked champion from the Mountain West, American, Conference USA, Sun Belt or MAC is guaranteed a spot in a CFP bowl and the remaining spots are filled based on the rankings of teams after the contract bowls have been filled.

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## SEC FOOTBALL BOWL AGREEMENTS

<b>Bowl</b>	<b>Contract Teams</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Network</b>
Cotton Bowl	Semifinal	Dec. 31, 2021	3:30 or 7:30 p.m. ET	ESPN
Orange Bowl	Semifinal	Dec. 31, 2021	3:30 or 7:30 p.m. ET	ESPN
Peach Bowl	Filled by CFP Selection Committee	Dec. 30, 2021	7 p.m. ET	ESPN
Fiesta Bowl	Filled by CFP Selection Committee	Jan. 1, 2022	1 p.m. ET	ESPN
Rose Bowl	Big Ten vs. Pac-12	Jan. 1, 2022	5:00 pm ET	ESPN
Sugar Bowl	SEC vs. Big 12	Jan. 1, 2022	8:45 pm ET	ESPN
CFP NCG	Winners of Semifinals (Indianapolis, Ind.)	Jan. 10, 2022	8:00 pm ET	ESPN

### SEC BOWLS

#### VRBO CITRUS BOWL

(Orlando, FL) vs. Big 10 January 1, 2020 – 1 p.m. ET – ABC

After the CFP selection process the Citrus Bowl gets the first selection of available SEC Teams.

#### POOL OF SIX BOWLS:

After the Vrbo Citrus Bowl selects a team, there will be a pool of six bowls and the Conference, in consultation with the institutions and the bowls, will make the assignments for these six bowl games from all eligible SEC teams.

The pool of six bowls for 2021-22 are as follows:

Texas Bowl (Houston, TX) vs. Big 12 – Jan. 4 – TBD – ESPN

Duke Mayo Bowl (Charlotte, NC) vs. ACC – December 30 – 11:30 a.m. ET – ESPN

Transperfect Music City Bowl (Nashville, TN) vs. Big Ten – December 30 – 3 p.m. ET – ESPN

TaxSlayer Gator Bowl (Jacksonville, FL) vs. ACC – Dec. 31 – 11 a.m. ET – ESPN

AutoZone Liberty Bowl (Memphis, TN) vs. Big 12 – December 28– 6:45 p.m. ET – ESPN

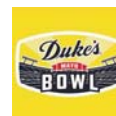
Outback Bowl (Tampa, FL) vs. Big 10/ACC – January 1 – Noon ET – ESPN2

#### BOWLS AFTER THE POOL OF SIX:

TicketSmarter Birmingham Bowl (Birmingham, AL) vs. American  
December 28 – Noon ET – ESPN

Union Home Mortgage Gasparilla Bowl (Tampa, FL) vs. American  
December 23 – 7 p.m. ET – ESPN

ESPN Events selects teams to participate in the Birmingham and Gasparilla  
Bowls after the Citrus Bowl and Pool of Six



# 2021 SEC Football

## SEC BOWL SUCCESS

### NATIONAL CHAMPIONS SINCE 1992

Since the first SEC expansion in 1992, the SEC has the most national championships (AP, USA Today) with 15. During that time, the SEC has had more teams with national titles than any other conference (5). Here is a breakdown:

SEC (15) Florida (2008, 2006, 1996), LSU (2003, 2007, 2019), Tennessee (1998), Alabama (1992, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2017, 2020), Auburn (2010)  
 Big 12 (5) Texas (2005), Oklahoma (2000), Nebraska (1994, 1995, 1997)  
 ACC (5) Florida State (1993, 1999, 2013), Clemson (2016,18)  
 Big Ten (3) Ohio State (2002, 2014), Michigan (1997)  
 Pac-10 (2) Southern California (2003, 2004)  
 Big East (1) Miami, Fla. (2001)

The SEC was the first conference to claim four consecutive Associated Press (first poll - 1936), National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame (first poll - 1959), Football Writers Association of America (first poll - 1954) and USA Today or UPI Coaches Poll (first poll - 1950) national championships.

### SEC IN BOWL GAMES

• Since 2006, the SEC has accrued more bowl wins (90) and appearances (143) than any other conference. The conference's .629 bowl winning percentage is first among FBS leagues during that time.

SEC	97-55	.638
Sun Belt	32-20	.615
Mountain West	47-36	.566
Independents	18-15	.545
Big 12	56-52	.519
Pac-12	49-46	.516
American	45-45	.500
Conference USA	44-47	.484
ACC	63-76	.453
Big Ten	54-69	.439
MAC	22-54	.289

• The SEC is 10-3 in College Football Playoff games (not versus each other) and 3-2 in College Football Playoff National Championship Games (not versus each other). The SEC has appeared in six of the seven CFP National Championship Games, winning four. The SEC finished 9-2 in BCS National Championship Games (LSU 2-1, Florida 2-0, Alabama 3-0, Tennessee 1-0, Auburn 1-1), 8-1 vs. non-SEC competition. The SEC had the most wins (17) and the highest winning percentage of any conference that has three-or-more appearances in BCS bowl games. The SEC was 17-10 in BCS games (.630 percentage), 16-9 (.640) in non-conference. Since 2006, the SEC has posted a 26-14 (.650) record in BCS/CFP games, more wins, appearances and winning percentage than any other A5 conference.

• With conference limits being removed in 2014 with the College Football Playoff, the SEC became the first conference to place three teams in CFP/BCS postseason bowls: Ole Miss (Chick-fil-A); Mississippi State (Orange); Alabama (Sugar/National Semifinal).

• Eight different SEC teams, including all seven from the SEC Western Division, have made BCS/New Year's Six bowl game appearances since 2006: Alabama, Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Georgia, LSU, Ole Miss, Mississippi State and Texas A&M.

### SEC IN THE COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF

#### Teams in the Playoff (Record-Winning %)

SEC: 8 (11-4; .733) (Includes 2018 All-SEC National Championship Game)  
 (10-3; .769 in games not versus each other)

ACC: 7 (6-5; .545)  
 Big Ten: 5 (3-4; .429)  
 Pac-12: 2 (1-2; .333)  
 Big 12: 4 (0-4; .000)  
 Independent: 2 (0-2; .000)

#### CFP National Championship Game Appearances

SEC: 7  
 ACC: 4  
 Big Ten: 2  
 Pac-12: 1  
 Big 12: 0

Since 2006, the SEC has posted 23 wins in BCS - now New Year's Six/Access bowls - more wins than any other conference. Here are the BCS/CFP bowl records of all conferences since 2006:

SEC	26-14	.650
Big Ten	17-16	.515
ACC	11-16	.407
Pac-12	10-11	.476
Big 12	10-14	.417
AAC	7-6	.538
Mountain West	3-1	.750
WAC	2-1	.667
MAC	0-2	.000
Independents	0-4	.000

#### CFP Era (2014-Present) (Includes CFP Championship Game)

SEC	17-9	.654
Big Ten	12-8	.600
ACC	8-10	.444
Big 12	5-6	.455
Pac-12	3-6	.333
AAC	1-3	.250
Mountain West	1-0	1.000
MAC	0-1	.000
Independent	0-2	.000

#### Most Bowl Appearances – Single Season

- 12 – SEC, 2014, 2016
- 11 – SEC, 2018  
11 – ACC, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2018
- 10 – SEC, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2015  
10 – ACC, 2008, 2017, 2019  
10 – Big Ten, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2016  
10 – Pac-12, 2015

#### Most Bowl Wins – Single Season

- 9 – SEC, 2015 (9-2)  
9 – ACC, 2016 (9-3)
- 8 – SEC, 2019(8-2)



## SEC FOOTBALL

### SEC SUCCESS SINCE 2006

During the last 14 seasons (2006-20), Southeastern Conference football has experienced success that is unparalleled in its football history and in the history of college football. During this tenure, the SEC's achievements have been demonstrated by:

- Triumphs in major bowl games, including the National Championship Game
- Non-conference success in regular season and bowl games
- Defeating highly-ranked non-conference teams
- Success in the polls and rankings
- Individual awards and All-America Teams
- Academic and Community Service Standouts
- Continued accomplishments of former SEC student-athletes in the NFL and NFL Draft

### SEC IN THE CFP/BCS ERA (Since 1998)

• The SEC has won 11 of the last 15 national championships, 13 of the 23 BCS/CFP-era National Championships, five runner-up finishes and 27 overall national titles (AP, BCS, FWAA, coaches poll) in SEC history. The SEC has appeared in 14 of the last 15 National Championship Games and in 10 of the 16 BCS Championship Games, winning nine.

• Four different SEC schools have won the National Championship since 2006 (Auburn, 2010; Alabama, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2017, 2020; Florida, 2006, 2008; LSU, 2007, 2019). Five programs have advanced to the national championship game since 2008 as Georgia met Alabama in the 2018 CFP Championship Game. Tennessee (1998) and LSU (2003) have also won the former BCS crown. Auburn appeared in the 2013 BCS Championship Game, as did LSU in 2011. A team from the SEC Western Division had advanced to five consecutive national championship games prior to the 2014 season, when Alabama lost in the CFP semifinals. The ACC (Clemson, Miami and Florida State) has had three schools win titles since 1998, while the Big 12 (Texas and Oklahoma) has had two.

• Since 2006, over half of the slots in the National Championship Game have been taken by SEC teams (17 of 32). The ACC and Big Ten have four during that time, while the Big 12 and Pac-12 have two.

• The SEC has had more teams ranked in the BCS/CFP standings for the most times than any other conference since 2006. The league has had 13 of its 14 teams ranked at one time or another since 2006. Vanderbilt is the only team to not appear in the BCS/CFP rankings during this time, however, the Commodores finished ranked in the Top 25 in both 2012 and 2013 after bowl games with 9-4 records. The BCS/CFP does not produce a poll following bowl games.

• Since 2006, the SEC has posted 26 wins in BCS - now New Year's Six/Access bowls - more wins than any other conference.

• Three of the top 10 defensive performances in CFP/BCS history have been registered by SEC teams, more than any other conference. Alabama's shutout of LSU in the 2012 BCS National Championship Game was the first shutout in CFP/BCS history. Alabama defeated Michigan State soundly 38-0 in a CFP National Semifinal in 2015, while defeating Washington 24-7 in 2016 semifinal contest. Alabama dominated Clemson in the 2018 Sugar Bowl Semifinal, holding Clemson to just 188 yards, well short of their average 448 yards per game.

• The SEC has now won 47 games in the last six postseasons. With 12 teams advancing to bowl games in 2016, the SEC became the first conference to send at least 10 teams to postseason bowls in four consecutive seasons. The SEC also sent a NCAA-record 12 teams to participate in postseason bowl games in 2014 and has sent no less than eight teams to post-season bowls in each of the last 13 seasons. The SEC established a national-record with nine postseason victories in 2015 and owned the previous record for postseason bowl victories with seven wins in 2007, 2013 and 2014.

• The SEC is 97-55 (.638) in bowl games since 2006, the only FBS league with a .600 or better winning percentage and more than 30 wins than the next closest conference.

### SEC vs. OTHER CONFERENCES

• Since 2006, the SEC has posted the highest non-conference winning percentage (regular season & bowls) than any other conference. The league has a 705-174 record, an 80.2 winning percentage. The SEC has won no less than 43 non-conference games (regular season & bowls) during the last 14 seasons (2006-2019) prior to Covid-19. Last season (2020), the SEC was 7-2 (.778) in bowl games, the only non-conference competition of the season.

### SEC IN FINAL RANKINGS

• Since 2006, the SEC has had the most teams ranked in the final USA Today Coaches Poll. The conference has had 81 teams ranked in the final USA Today rankings.

• The SEC has either led or tied for the lead with the most teams ranked in the USA Today Top 25 for 13 of the last 15 seasons.

### THIS IS SEC FOOTBALL

• Fourteen times in the last 15 seasons, a team from the SEC has advanced to the national championship game. The SEC has won 11 of those contests, with two of the losses coming in the game's final seconds. The winner of the SEC Championship Game has advanced to the National Championship Game all but once since 2006.

• The SEC finished 7-2 in the postseason in 2020 to lead the nation in bowl wins, with all seven wins coming against Top-25 competition - the most in history for the conference. In the four bowl games where an unranked SEC team played a Top-25 opponent, the SEC went 3-1.

• Since Florida in January 2009, five different teams from the SEC have played for the national championship. Four of those five have multiple appearances and at least one victory since 2007.

• Not counting games versus each other, the SEC is 10-3 all-time in College Football Playoff games, playing in six of the seven CFP Championship Games (winning four of those six). Since 2006, the SEC has posted a 27-14 (.659) record in BCS/CFP games, more wins, appearances and winning percentage than any other A5 conference.

• More than 350 players from Southeastern Conference schools were listed on the initial 53-man NFL rosters to begin the 2020 season. Seven SEC schools were represented by at least 25 former players on active rosters, including Alabama with a league-high 57. In addition to the 53-man active rosters, more than 100 former SEC players are listed on reserve lists or practice squads for NFL teams. A total of 25 former SEC players were on active rosters of the Super Bowl between the Chiefs and Bucs.

• The SEC is 97-55 (.638) in bowl games since 2006, the only FBS league with a .600 or better winning percentage and 30 wins more than the next closest conference.

• The SEC has now won 47 games in the last seven postseasons and has sent no less than eight teams to post-season bowls in each of the last 14 seasons.

• In the seven seasons of the College Football Playoff era, only six programs nationally have been ranked No. 1 in the weekly CFP Top-25 Poll (which begins in late October each year) - four of those six programs (Alabama, Georgia, LSU, Mississippi State) are from the SEC.

• Nine different SEC teams, including all seven from the SEC Western Division, have made BCS/New Year's Six bowl game appearances since 2006: Alabama, Arkansas, Auburn, Florida, Georgia, LSU, Ole Miss, Mississippi State and Texas A&M. Since the formation of the College Football Playoff in 2014, six of the seven schools in the Western Division have advanced to a New Year's Six bowl.

• With Georgia and Alabama both earning victories in the CFP Semifinals in 2017, the national championship game featured two SEC teams for the second time in the last nine seasons.

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## SEC FOOTBALL

### SEC INDIVIDUAL AWARDS AND ALL-AMERICANS

• In the 31 individual awards, the SEC has had at least one recipient in all but one of them since 2006. The SEC has only not had a winner of the Brian Burlsworth (walk-on) in the last 13 seasons.

• Since 2006, SEC football student-athletes and coaches have won 123 major individual awards, an average of nine per year. The league won 10 awards in 2008, 12 individual honors in 2020 and 2010 and an all-time high 15 in 2019.

• The SEC has won a national player of the year in the last 14 seasons with nine different players since 2007—Darren McFadden, Arkansas, and Tim Tebow, Florida; Tebow in 2008; Mark Ingram, Alabama, in 2009; Cam Newton, Auburn, in 2010; Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M, in 2012; Derrick Henry, Alabama, in 2015; Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama, in 2018; Joe Burrow, LSU, in 2019, DeVonta Smith, Alabama, in 2020. The SEC did not have a national player of the year in 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016 or 2017. Three of the Heisman finalists in 2013 were, however, from the SEC, as well as one of three in 2014.

### SEC INDIVIDUAL AWARD WINNERS SINCE 2006

HEISMAN MEMORIAL TROPHY (Nation's best player) — DeVonta Smith, Alabama (2020); Joe Burrow, LSU (2019); Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Mark Ingram, Alabama (2009); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007)

CHUCK BEDNARIK AWARD (Nation's best defensive player) — Patrick Peterson, LSU (2010); Tyrann Mathieu, LSU (2011); Jonathan Allen, Alabama (2016); Minkah Fitzpatrick, Alabama (2017); Josh Allen, Kentucky (2018)

RAY GUY AWARD (Nation's best punter) — Max Duffy, Kentucky (2019); Brandon Mann, Texas A&M (2018); Chas Henry, Florida (2010); Drew Butler, Georgia (2009)

MAXWELL AWARD (Nation's best player) — DeVonta Smith, Alabama (2020); Joe Burrow, LSU (2019); Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama (2018); Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Tim Tebow, Florida (2008); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007); AJ McCarron, Alabama (2013)

WALTER CAMP AWARD (Nation's best player) — DeVonta Smith, Alabama (2020); Joe Burrow, LSU (2019); Tua Tagovailoa, Alabama (2018); Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Darren McFadden, Arkansas (2007)

DOAK WALKER AWARD (Nation's best running back) — Najee Harris, Alabama (2020); Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Trent Richardson, Alabama (2011); Darren McFadden, Arkansas (2007); Darren McFadden, Arkansas (2006)

DAVEY O'BRIEN AWARD (Nation's best quarterback) — Mac Jones, Alabama (2020); Joe Burrow, LSU (2019); Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Cam Newton, Auburn (2010); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007)

JIM THORPE AWARD (Nation's best defensive back) — Grant Delpit, LSU (2019); DeAndre Baker, Georgia (2018); Minkah Fitzpatrick, Alabama (2017); Johnthan Banks, Mississippi State (2012); Morris Claiborne, LSU (2011); Patrick Peterson, LSU (2010); EriBerry, Tennessee (2009)

JOHN MACKAY AWARD (Nation's best tight end) — Kyle Pitts, Florida (2020); Hunter Henry, Arkansas (2015); D.J. Williams, Arkansas (2010); Aaron Hernandez, Florida (2009)

ROTARY LOMBARDI AWARD (Nation's outstanding lineman) — Nick Fairley, Auburn (2010); Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007)

LOU GROZA AWARD (Nation's best placekicker) — Rodrigo Blakenship, Georgia (2019)

PAUL HORNUNG AWARD (Nation's most versatile player) — DeVonta Smith, Alabama (2020); Lynn Bowden Jr., Kentucky (2019); Brandon Boykin, Georgia (2011); Odell Beckham, LSU (2013)

FRANK BROYLES AWARD (Nation's top assistant coach) — Steve Sarkisian, Alabama (2020); Joe Brady, LSU (2019); John Chavis, LSU (2011); Gus Malzahan, Auburn (2010); Kirby Smart, Alabama (2009)

JOHNNY UNITAS GOLDEN ARM (Outstanding senior quarterback) — Mac Jones, Alabama (2020); Joe Burrow, LSU (2019); AJ McCarron, Alabama (2013).

AFCA ASSISTANT COACH OF THE YEAR — Kirby Smart, Alabama (2012)

DISNEY SPIRIT AWARD (Top inspirational story) — Alabama Football Team (2011); D.J. Williams, Arkansas (2010)

HOME DEPOT COACH OF THE YEAR (National Coach of the Year) — Ed Orgeron, LSU (2019); Les Miles, LSU

(2011); Gene Chizik, Auburn (2010); Nick Saban, Alabama (2008); Gus Malzahn, Auburn (2013)

EDDIE ROBINSON FWAA COACH OF THE YEAR — Ed Orgeron, LSU (2019); Nick Saban, Alabama (2008); Gus Malzahn, Auburn (2013)

LIBERTY MUTUAL COACH OF THE YEAR — Ed Orgeron, LSU (2019); Nick Saban, Alabama (2008); Les Miles, LSU (2011); Gus Malzahn, Auburn (2013)

CoSIDA/ESPN ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN OF THE YEAR — Barrett Jones, Alabama (2012); Greg McElroy, Alabama (2010); Tim Tebow, Florida (2009)

BUTKUS AWARD (Nation's best linebacker) — Rolando McClain, Alabama (2009); Patrick Willis, Ole Miss (2006); C.J. Mosley, Alabama (2013); Reuben Foster, Alabama (2016); Roquan Smith, Georgia (2017); Devin White, LSU (2018)

WILLIAM V. CAMPBELL TROPHY (Nation's top scholar-athlete) — Tim Tebow, Florida (2009); Barrett Jones, Alabama (2012)

RIMINGTON TROPHY (Nation's best center) — Landon Dickerson, Alabama (2020); Ryan Kelly, Alabama (2015); Reece Dismukes, Auburn (2014); Barrett Jones, Alabama (2012); Maurkice Pouncey, Florida (2009); Jonathan Luigs, Arkansas (2007)

LOWE'S SENIOR CLASS AWARD (Nation's top senior student-athlete) — Dak Prescott, Mississippi State (2015); Tim Tebow, Florida (2009); Derrick Brown, Auburn (2019)

WUERFFEL TROPHY (Community Service, Athletic and Academic Achievement) — Tim Tebow, Florida (2008); Barrett Jones, Alabama (2011); Trevor Knight, Texas A&M (2016); Courtney Love, Kentucky (2017)

BILETNIKOFF AWARD (Wide Receiver) — DeVonta Smith, Alabama (2020); Ja'Marr Chase, LSU (2019); Jerry Jeudy, Alabama (2018); Amari Cooper, Alabama (2014);

OUTLAND TROPHY (Nation's top lineman) — Alex Leatherwood, Alabama (2020); Barrett Jones, Alabama (2011); Andre Smith, Alabama (2008); Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007); Cam Robinson, Alabama (2016); Quinnen Williams, Alabama (2018)

WALTER CAMP COACH OF THE YEAR — Ed Orgeron, LSU (2019); Nick Saban, Alabama (2008)

BRONKO NAGURSKI AWARD (Nation's top defensive player) — Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007); Jonathan Allen, Alabama (2016); Josh Allen, Kentucky (2018)

LOTT TROPHY (Defensive IMPACT Player) — Derrick Brown, Auburn (2019); Josh Allen, Kentucky (2018); Glenn Dorsey, LSU (2007)

MANNING AWARD (Nation's top quarterback) — Mac Jones, Alabama (2020); Joe Burrow, LSU (2019); Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Tim Tebow, Florida (2008); JaMarcus Russell, LSU (2006)

ASSOCIATED PRESS COLLEGE PLAYER OF THE YEAR — DeVonta Smith, Alabama (2020); Joe Burrow, LSU (2019); Derrick Henry, Alabama (2015); Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M (2012); Tim Tebow, Florida (2007)

ARA SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD — Barrett Jones, Alabama (2011)

TED HENDRICKS TROPHY (Nation's best defensive ends) — Jadeveon Clowney, South Carolina (2012)

POP WARNER AWARD — CJ Conrad, Kentucky (2017); Max Garcia, Florida (2014)

NFF LEGACY AWARD — Mike McNeely, Florida (2014)

### SEC FOOTBALL ACADEMIC & COMMUNITY SERVICE STANDOUTS

• 42 SEC football student-athletes have won 38 national academic and community service awards since 2006. The SEC has had 1/3 of the last 12 CoSIDA/ESPN Academic All-Americans of the Year in football, two recipients of the William V. Campbell Trophy (known as the "Academic Heisman"), 19 first-team CoSIDA/ESPN Academic All-America first team recipients, two recipients of the Wuerffel Trophy, eight National Football Foundation Scholar-Athletes and 28 representatives on the AFCA Good Works Team, including team captain Malcolm Mitchell of Georgia in 2015 and captain D.T. Shackelford of Ole Miss in 2014. The SEC has seen a football student-athlete win three of the last six Lowe's Senior CLASS Awards.

#### 2006

CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team – Hayden Lane, OL, Kentucky  
National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Chris Leak, QB, Florida  
AFCA Good Works Team – William Brown, OL, South Carolina; Quentin Moses, DE, Georgia; Jacob Tamme, TE, Kentucky; James Wilhoit, PK, Tennessee

#### 2007

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Jacob Tamme, TE, Kentucky  
CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Jacob Tamme, TE, Kentucky  
AFCA Good Works Team – Jason Cook, FB, Ole Miss; Kelin Johnson, SS, Georgia;

#### 2008

CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Tim Masthay, P, Kentucky  
CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America of the Year – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida  
AFCA Good Works Team – Tim Masthay, P, Kentucky  
Wuerffel Trophy – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida

#### 2009

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida  
NFF William V. Campbell Trophy – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida  
CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America First Team – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Colin Peek, TE, Alabama  
CoSIDA/ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America of the Year – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida  
AFCA Good Works Team – Tim Tebow, QB, Florida; Jeff Owens, DL, Georgia

#### 2010

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Greg McElroy, QB, Alabama; Derek Sherrod, OT, Mississippi State  
CoSIDA/ESPN Academic All-America First Team – Greg McElroy, QB, Alabama; Barrett Jones, OL, Alabama; Drew Butler, P, Georgia

#### 2011

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete - Drew Butler, P, Georgia  
Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Barrett Jones, OL, Alabama; Drew Butler, P, Georgia  
AFCA Good Works Team - Aron White, TE, Georgia; Jacob Lewellen, DL, Kentucky  
ARA Sportsmanship Award -- Barrett Jones, OL, Alabama

#### 2012

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete - Barrett Jones, C, Alabama  
NFF William V. Campbell Trophy - Barrett Jones, C, Alabama  
Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Barrett Jones, C, Alabama; Dylan Breeding, P, Arkansas  
AFCA Good Works Team - Barrett Jones, C, Alabama; Philip Lutzenkirchen, TE, Auburn; Aaron Murray, QB, Georgia

#### 2013

National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete - Aaron Murray, QB, Georgia  
Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Aaron Murray, QB, Georgia;  
AFCA Good Works Team - Carey Spear, PK, Vanderbilt

#### 2014

AFCA Good Works Team - Deterrian Shackelford, Ole Miss (Captain); Chris Conley, Georgia; Andrew East, Vanderbilt; Max Godby, Kentucky  
Community Spirit Award - Dylan Thompson, South Carolina  
Pop Warner Award - Max Garcia, Florida  
NFF Legacy Award - Mike McNeely, Florida

#### 2015

Lowe's Senior CLASS Award - Dak Prescott, Mississippi State  
AFCA Good Works Team - Jonathan Wallace, Auburn; Malcolm Mitchell, Georgia (Captain); Landon Foster, Kentucky  
Community Spirit Award - Malcolm Mitchell, Georgia

#### 2016

Lowe's Senior CLASS Award - O.J. Howard, Alabama  
AFCA Good Works Team - Jeb Blazevich, Georgia; Oren Burks, Vanderbilt  
CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Brooks Ellis, LB, Arkansas  
National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete – Brooks Ellis, LB, Arkansas

#### 2017

AFCA Good Works Team - Daniel Carlson, Auburn; Aaron Davis, Georgia; Courtney Love, Kentucky; Courtney Openshaw, Vanderbilt  
CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - John David Moore, TE, LSU; Tyler Stovall, ST, Auburn  
Wuerffel Trophy - Courtney Love, Kentucky

#### 2018

AFCA Good Works Team - Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia  
CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Miles Butler, Kentucky

#### 2019

Lowe's Senior CLASS Award - Derrick Brown, Auburn  
AFCA Good Works Team - Jake Fromm, Georgia; Landon Young, Kentucky, Spencer Eason-Riddle, South Carolina.  
CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - Rodrigo Blankenship, Georgia; Blake Best, Kentucky.

#### 2020

AFCA Good Works Team - Luke Fortner, Kentucky  
CoSIDA Academic All-America First-Team - *Announced May of 2021.*

Since the AFCA recognition program began, the SEC leads all conferences with 76 athletes, followed by the Atlantic Coast Conference with 46, and the Big 12 Conference with 38. Georgia is in first place with 20 honorees, followed by Kentucky with 16. Super Bowl XLII, XLVI and XLI champion quarterbacks Eli and Peyton Manning were members of the 2002 and 1997 Allstate AFCA Good Works Teams, respectively.

# 2021 SEC Football

## SEC FOOTBALL

### SEC IN THE NFL

- The Southeastern Conference led the nation yet again in 2021 with 363 former players on opening weekend 53-man active rosters, including injured reserve.
- The SEC has had more of its former players on NFL rosters in the last 10 seasons than any other conference. Since 2010, the SEC has averaged 356 players per year on NFL opening weekend rosters.
- During the last 16 completed NFL seasons (2005-20), the SEC had had five of its former players named NFL MVP (2005 – Shaun Alexander, RB, Alabama with Seattle; 2008-09-13, Peyton Manning, QB, Tennessee with Indianapolis and Denver; 2015, Cam Newton, QB, Auburn with Carolina).
- During the last 15 Super Bowls (2006-20), three former SEC players have been named game MVP five times (2006 – Hines Ward, WR, Georgia with Pittsburgh; 2007 – Peyton Manning, QB, Tennessee with Indianapolis; 2008 and 2012 – Eli Manning, QB, Ole Miss with New York Giants. Von Miller of Texas A&M was named MVP of Super Bowl 50, although his final year was the Aggies final season prior to joining the SEC.

### SEC ON NFL ROSTERS

2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
272	283	257	340	345	355	362	368	379	432	356

- The SEC led the nation's conferences in NFL Draft picks for the 15th consecutive year in 2021 with 65 selections, which establishes a new SEC and national record. The previous record was 64, also held by the SEC.
- This marks the seventh straight year for the SEC to see 50 or more players taken in the NFL Draft. Only twice in the last 26 years has another conference other than the SEC seen 50 or more players drafted.
- All 14 SEC teams had selections in the 2021 NFL Draft.
- This is the fifth consecutive year the SEC has seen 25 or more players selected through the first three rounds of the NFL Draft.
- The SEC has averaged over 50 selections per draft since 2006.
- Alabama led the SEC and tied for the national lead with 10 players drafted. This is the fifth consecutive season for nine or more players drafted from the Crimson Tide.
- For the 10th time in the last 11 years, the SEC once again led the nation in First Round NFL Draft selections, as the league produced 12 opening-round draft picks, which tied for the second most in history.
- During the last 15 NFL Drafts, the SEC has a nation-leading 147 players taken in the opening round, an average of nearly 10 per season.
- The SEC had 10 of the first 20 selections of the 2021 NFL Draft.
- The SEC now has 123 First Round NFL Draft selections since 2010.
- Since 2010, the SEC has over double (123) the total amount of First Round selections than the next closest conference (ACC – 60).
- Six different SEC teams (Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, LSU, South Carolina) had a player taken in the First Round of the 2021 NFL Draft.
- The SEC now has 46 Top-10 picks since 2009 and 52 since 2007.
- In the first 20 picks of the 2021 NFL Draft, the SEC had as many players taken as all other conferences combined.
- Since 2009, Top 10 NFL picks by league: SEC (46); ACC (20); Big 12 (20); Pac-12 (19); B1G (12), Notre Dame (4), MAC (3); AAC (2); BYU (2); Mountain West (1).
- Alabama led the SEC and nation with a SEC and school record six First Round selections in the 2021 NFL Draft. The six opening round picks also tied the all-time national record.
- Alabama has had a First Round selection in each of the past 13 NFL Drafts, the longest streak in SEC History and 2nd-longest in college football history, as well as the most First Round picks nationally since 2007 with 39.

### 2021 FIRST-ROUND SELECTIONS BY CONFERENCE

<b>SEC: 12</b>
ACC: 6
B1G: 7
Big 12: 0
Pac-12: 3
AAC: 2
Independent: 1
FCS: 1
Big 12: 0

### FIRST-ROUND SELECTIONS SINCE 2010

#### SEC: 123

ACC: 60
Big Ten: 57
Pac-12: 49
Big 12: 42

### SEC FIRST ROUND SELECTIONS SINCE 2010

2021: 12
2020: 15
2019: 9
2018: 10
2017: 12
2016: 8
2015: 7
2014: 11
2013: 12
2012: 9
2011: 11
2010: 7

### SEC IN THE NFL SUCCESS

- Former Southeastern Conference football players have had success in the National Football League. Here is a snapshot of that success since 2000.

#### 2000s All-Decade Team

OG - Alan Faneca, LSU (Pittsburgh, N.Y. Jets, Arizona)  
C - Kevin Mawae, LSU (Seattle, N.Y. Jets, Tennessee)  
QB - Peyton Manning, Tennessee (Indianapolis)  
RB - Jamal Lewis, Tennessee (Baltimore, Cleveland)  
RB - Shaun Alexander, Alabama (Seattle, Washington)  
DT - Richard Seymour, Georgia (New England, Oakland)  
CB - Champ Bailey, Georgia (Washington, Denver)

#### NFL MVPs

2003 - Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)  
Jamal Lewis, Baltimore (Tennessee)  
2004 - Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)  
2005 - Shaun Alexander, Seattle (Alabama)  
2008 - Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)  
2009 - Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)  
2013 - Peyton Manning, Denver (Tennessee)  
2015 - Cam Newton, Carolina (Auburn)

#### Super Bowl MVPs

XL - Hines Ward, Pittsburgh (Georgia)  
XLI - Peyton Manning, Indianapolis (Tennessee)  
XLII - Eli Manning, New York Giants (Ole Miss)  
XLVI - Eli Manning, New York Giants (Ole Miss)  
50 - \*Von Miller, Denver Broncos (Texas A&M)

\*-Final season at Texas A&M was season prior to school joining the SEC.

A total of 25 former players from current Southeastern Conference institutions are on the active rosters of the Kansas City Chiefs and Tampa Bay Buccaneers, the two National Football League teams who will square off for Super Bowl LV on February 7. That number increases to 34 former players when including injured reserve and practice squad players.

This year's Super Bowl will be played at Raymond James Stadium in Tampa, marking the first time in NFL history for a team to play in a Super Bowl hosted at their home stadium.

LSU leads the SEC with seven former players represented in the Super Bowl, while Auburn and South Carolina are next with four each. Mississippi State has three.

Thirteen SEC schools will have at least one player represented in the Super Bowl.

A representative from a SEC institution has been named MVP of the Super Bowl on five occasions since 2006.

### Total 2021 NFL Draft Picks: (Selections Per School in Parenthesis)

<b>SEC: 65 (4.6)</b>
ACC: 51 (3.6)
Big Ten: 44 (3.1)
Pac-12: 28 (2.3)
Big 12: 22 (2.2)



SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

SEC DIVISIONAL TIE-BREAKER

In the event of a tie for the division championship, the following procedures will be used to break all ties to determine the SEC Football Championship Game representative. All Conference versus Conference Games (both division and non-division) will be counted in the Conference Standings.

1. **Two-Team Tie.** In the event two teams are tied for a division title, the following procedure will be used in the following order:

- A. Head-to-head competition between the two tied teams;
- B. Records of the tied teams within the division;
- C. Head-to-head competition against the team within the division with the best overall (divisional and non-divisional) Conference record, and proceeding through the division (multiple ties within the division will be broken from first to last and a tie for first place will be broken before a tie for fourth place);
- D. Overall record against non-divisional teams;
- E. Combined record against all common non-divisional teams;
- F. Record against the common non-divisional team with the best overall Conference record (divisional or non-divisional) and proceeding through other common non-divisional teams based on their order of finish within their division;
- G. Best cumulative Conference winning percentage of non-divisional opponents;

Example: Tied Teams Non-Divisional Opponents Cumulative Record

Western 1 Eastern Opponents: 14-2  
 Western 2 Eastern Opponents: 12-4  
 (Western 1 would be the representative)

H. Coin flip of the tied teams.

2. **Three-Team Tie (or more).** If three teams (or more) are tied for a division title, the following procedure will be used in the following order: (Note: If one of the procedures results in one team being eliminated and two remaining, the two-team tiebreaker procedure as stated in No. 1 above will be used):

- A. Combined head-to-head record among the tied teams;
- B. Record of the tied teams within the division;
- C. Head-to-head competition against the team within the division with the best overall Conference record (divisional and non-divisional) and proceeding through the division (multiple ties within the division will be broken from first to last and a tie for first place will be broken before a tie for fourth place);
- D. Overall Conference record against non-divisional teams;
- E. Combined record against all common non-divisional teams;
- F. Record against the common non-divisional team with the best overall Conference record (divisional and non-divisional) and proceeding through other common non-divisional teams based on their order of finish within their division; and
- G. Best cumulative Conference winning percentage of non-divisional opponents (Note: If two teams' non-divisional opponents have the same cumulative record, then the two-team tiebreaker procedures apply. If four teams are tied, and three teams' non-divisional opponents have the same cumulative record, the three-team tiebreaker procedures will be used beginning with 2.A.);

Example: Tied Teams Non-Divisional Opponents Cumulative Record

Western 1 Eastern Opponents: 14-2  
 Western 2 Eastern Opponents: 12-4  
 Western 3 Eastern Opponents: 8-8  
 (Western 1 would be the representative)

H. Coin flip of the tied teams with the team with the odd result being the representative (Example: If there are two teams with tails and one team with heads, the team with heads is the representative).

2021 SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

The Southeastern Conference's Eastern and Western Division winners will meet in Atlanta's Mercedes-Benz Stadium to battle for the league championship and the right to represent the conference in the College Football Playoff. The 30th-annual title game is set for December 4 and will be televised nationally by CBS Sports.

The game was born as a result of 1992 conference expansion, which saw Arkansas and South Carolina become the first members added in SEC history. Under NCAA regulations, a conference with 12 members may play an additional football game to determine its champion, provided the regular season is played in divisions.

The participants of the game are determined each year during the eight-game regular-season conference schedule as the teams with the best overall SEC winning percentage in each division.

The 2018 SEC Championship Game was the most-watched and highest-rated regular-season college football game on any network in seven years with a 10.1/23 rating/share and 17.5 million viewers. It also marked the second most-watched SEC Championship ever in 26 years since the game debuted in 1992. Nearly 14 million viewers watched the 2019 contest. Shifting to primetime, the Alabama-Florida SEC Championship in 2020 averaged a 4.9 and 8.92 million viewers on CBS. It was the first primetime SEC Championship since the 2006 game.

The 2009 SEC Championship Game earned an 11.8 rating and a 24 share, marking the highest-rated SEC Championship Game in history. The game matched the No. 1 Florida Gators (12-0) vs. the No. 2 Alabama Crimson Tide (12-0).

The SEC Championship Game has drawn 26 capacity crowds in its 28-year history. Only 1993 (Birmingham) and 1995 (Atlanta) were not sellouts.

The SEC, along with AMB Sports & Entertainment (AMBSE) and the Georgia World Congress Center Authority (GWCCA), have an agreement to host the SEC Championship Game at Mercedes-Benz Stadium in Atlanta through 2026. The new agreement allows the SEC the option of adding up to two successive five-year extensions. The Georgia Dome hosted the SEC Championship Game for 23 years beginning in 1994, with capacity crowds in the last 21 consecutive years. By the end of the new agreement, including options, the Championship will have been played in Atlanta a total of 43 years.

Year	Score	Attendance
1992	Alabama 28, Florida 21	83,091
1993	Florida 28, Alabama 13	76,345
1994	Florida 24, Alabama 23	74,751
1995	Florida 34, Arkansas 3	71,325
1996	Florida 45, Alabama 30	74,132
1997	Tennessee 30, Auburn 29	74,896
1998	Tennessee 24, Miss. State 14	74,795
1999	Alabama 34, Florida 7	71,500
2000	Florida 28, Auburn 6	73,427
2001	LSU 31, Tennessee 20	74,843
2002	Georgia 30, Arkansas 3	74,835
2003	LSU 34, Georgia 13	74,913
2004	Auburn 38, Tennessee 28	74,892
2005	Georgia 34, LSU 14	73,717
2006	Florida 38, Arkansas 28	73,374
2007	LSU 21, Tennessee 14	73,832
2008	Florida 31, Alabama 20	75,892
2009	Alabama 32, Florida 13	75,514
2010	Auburn 56, South Carolina 17	75,802
2011	LSU 42, Georgia 10	74,515
2012	Alabama 32, Georgia 28	75,624
2013	Auburn 59, Missouri 42	75,632
2014	Alabama 42, Missouri 13	73,526
2015	Alabama 29, Florida 15	75,320
2016	Alabama 54, Florida 16	74,632
2017	Georgia 28, Auburn 7	76,534
2018	Alabama 35, Georgia 28	77,141
2019	LSU 37, Georgia 10	74,150
2020	Alabama 52, Florida 46	16,500

Here's a chart of team history in the SEC Championship Game:

Team	Appearances	W-L	Pct.
Alabama	13	9-4	.692
Florida	13	7-6	.538
Georgia	7	3-4	.429
Auburn	6	3-3	.500
LSU	5	4-1	.800
Tennessee	5	2-3	.400
Arkansas	3	0-3	.000
Missouri	2	0-2	.000
Mississippi State	1	0-1	.000
South Carolina	1	0-1	.000

## SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

### SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME RACE RECAPS

1992 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida and Georgia (6-2 in the SEC) were co-champions in the Eastern Division. The Gators won the tie-breaker by virtue of a 26-24 win over the Bulldogs earlier in the season. Alabama (8-0) was the outright Western Division champion, even with a game against Auburn in the final weekend, which the Tide won, 17-0.

1993 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division and Alabama won the Western Division. The Gators finished 1/2 game ahead of Tennessee (UT tied Alabama, 17-17). Alabama, at 5-2-1, finished two games ahead second-place Arkansas. Auburn was 8-0 in the SEC, but was ineligible for the conference title.

1994 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 7-1, two games ahead of Tennessee. Alabama won the Western Division with an 8-0 SEC mark, three games ahead of Miss. State.

1995 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 8-0, one game ahead of Tennessee. Arkansas won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, one game ahead of Auburn and Alabama.

1996 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 8-0, one game ahead of Tennessee. Alabama won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, tying LSU. However, the Tide defeated the Tigers, 26-0, earlier in the year to win the tie-breaker.

1997 - Eastern Division race not finalized until after the final weekend. Tennessee defeated Vanderbilt, 17-10, to win the division on the final weekend. Tennessee, at 7-1 in the SEC, finished one game ahead of Georgia and Florida. Auburn had won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, tying LSU. However, Auburn defeated LSU, 31-28, earlier in the year to win the tie-breaker.

1998 - Western Division race not finalized until after the final weekend. Miss. State defeated Ole Miss, 28-6, on Thanksgiving night, to win division on final weekend. Arkansas and Miss. State finished in tie for the division title. However, Miss. State defeated Arkansas, 22-21, earlier that season to win the tie-breaker. Arkansas defeated LSU 41-14 on the final weekend, but when State defeated Ole Miss, the chase for the Championship Game had been won. Tennessee had clinched the Eastern Division before the final weekend and defeated Vanderbilt, 41-0, to finished the SEC at 8-0.

1999 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 7-1, one game ahead of Tennessee. Alabama won the Western Division with a 7-1 SEC mark, one game ahead of Miss. State.

2000 - Both races decided before final weekend. Florida won the Eastern Division, finishing SEC play at 7-1, two games ahead of South Carolina, Georgia and Tennessee. Auburn won the Western Division with a 6-2 SEC mark, one game ahead of LSU. LSU lost to Arkansas in the final weekend, 14-3. Even if the Tigers would have beaten the Razorbacks, Auburn would have won the tie-breaker over LSU due to a 34-17 win earlier in the season.

2001 - Both races go down to the final weekend. Due to game postponements on Sept. 15, games were reschedule for Dec. 1. On that weekend, Tennessee defeated Florida, 34-32, in Gainesville, and LSU defeated Auburn, 27-14, in Baton Rouge, to clinch berths in the SEC Championship Game. The Vols won the East with a 7-1 mark while LSU had a 5-3 mark and tied with Auburn for the West, but won the head-to-head tiebreaker.

2002 - Western division race not finalized until after the final weekend. Georgia clinched the Eastern Division championship on Nov. 16 after defeating Auburn, 24-21, in Auburn. The 7-1 Bulldogs finish one game ahead of Florida, which was 6-2. Arkansas wins the Western Division on the season's final weekend, defeating LSU, 21-20, in Little Rock on Nov. 29. The Razorbacks, LSU Tigers and Auburn Tigers are tied at 5-3 but Arkansas wins the head-to-head tiebreakers.

2003 - Both races decided on final weekend. Tennessee defeats Kentucky, 20-7, to force a three-way tie for Eastern Division championship between Vols, Georgia and Florida. Using tie-breaker involving the BCS standings, Georgia has the highest BCS ranking and has defeated Tennessee (next highest ranking) during regular season to secure SEC Championship Game berth. LSU defeats Arkansas, 55-24, and Ole Miss beats Mississippi State, 31-0, to force a tie for the Western Division championship. LSU's 17-14 win over Ole Miss the week before earns the Tigers the Western Division berth.

2004 - Auburn clinches berth in the SEC Championship Game on Oct. 30, tying the earliest since the game began in 1992 (Alabama, 1993). The Tigers (8-0) finish two games ahead in the standings of second-place LSU (6-2). Tennessee clinches berth as Eastern Division representative with 38-33 win against Vanderbilt on Nov. 20. The Vols (7-1) would win their next game on the following weekend against Kentucky to claim the division title outright. Georgia was second in the Western Division with a 6-2 mark.

2005 - Georgia (6-2) clinched Eastern Division Championship with a 45-13 win over Kentucky on Nov. 19. The Bulldogs finish one full game ahead of South Carolina and Florida in the standings. LSU clinched Western Division title with a 19-17 win over Arkansas on Nov. 25. The Tigers finished tied for the Western Division title (7-1), but defeated Auburn, 20-17, on Oct. 22, to win the tie-breaker.

2006 - Florida (7-1) clinched Eastern Division Championship and berth in the SEC Championship Game on Nov. 4, by defeating Vanderbilt, 25-19. Arkansas clinched the Western Division title and SEC Championship Game berth with a 28-14 win over Mississippi State on Nov. 18.

2007 - LSU (6-2) clinched Western Division berth in the SEC Championship Game on Week 11 after Alabama and Auburn both lose. Tennessee (6-2) gets Eastern Division berth with 52-50 four-overtime victory over Kentucky in Week 13. The Vols win the tie-breaker with Georgia (6-2), defeating the Bulldogs 35-14 in Week 6.

2008 - Alabama (8-0) clinched Western Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 11 (Nov. 1) after defeating LSU, 27-21. Florida (7-1) clinched Eastern Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 12 (Nov. 8) after defeating Vanderbilt, 42-14.

2009 - Florida (8-0) clinched Eastern Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 9 (Oct. 31) after defeating Georgia, 41-17. Alabama (8-0) clinched Western Division berth in SEC Championship Game on Week 11 (Nov. 14) after defeating Mississippi State, 31-3.

2010 - Both spots in the SEC Championship Game were clinched on Week 11 (Nov. 13). Auburn (8-0) clinched Western Division berth with a 49-31 win against Georgia. South Carolina (5-3) clinched Eastern Division berth with a 36-14 win against Florida.

2011 - Georgia (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game in Week 12 (Nov. 19) with a 19-10 win over Kentucky while LSU (8-0) clinched its berth in Week 13 (last weekend of the regular season) with a 41-17 win over Arkansas

2012 - Georgia (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game in Week 11 (Nov. 10) with a 38-0 win over Auburn. Alabama clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game in Week 13 (Nov. 24) with a 49-0 win over Auburn.

2013 - For the first time since 2003, both races were determined on the final weekend. Auburn (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game with a dramatic 34-28 win off a 109-yard missed field goal return for a touchdown on the game's final play at Auburn. SEC newcomer Missouri (7-1) clinched a berth in the SEC Championship Game with a 28-21 home win over Texas A&M.

2014 - For the second straight season, both divisional races were determined on the final weekend. Missouri won the SEC East outright by closing the season with three straight SEC wins, including two on the road for their second straight trip to Atlanta. Alabama won the Western Division outright as well, with Ole Miss defeating Mississippi State in the Egg Bowl, while Alabama topped Auburn in the Iron Bowl.

2015 - Florida (7-1) won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot after defeating Vanderbilt on Nov. 7. Alabama (7-1) claimed the Western Division with a victory over Auburn in the Iron Bowl on the final day of the regular season. It was the fourth straight season where the Western Champion was the Iron Bowl winner.

2016 - Florida (6-2) won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot after defeating LSU in Baton Rouge on Nov. 19. Alabama claimed the Western Division with a victory over Mississippi State on Nov. 12. This marked the first time since 2010 that saw the SEC Championship Game set prior to the final weekend of the regular season.

2017 - Georgia (7-1) won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot on Nov. 4 after defeating South Carolina 24-10 in Athens. Georgia's clinching of a spot in the SEC Championship Game on Nov. 4 is the earliest a team has done so since Florida (Oct. 31) in 2009. Auburn (7-1) claimed the Western Division with a victory over Alabama the final day of the regular season. Alabama and Auburn were co-champions of the division, with Auburn representing the SEC Western Division in Atlanta due to head-to-head tiebreaker.

2018 - Georgia won the Eastern Division, clinching a spot on Nov. 3 after defeating Kentucky 34-17 in Lexington. Alabama claimed the Western Division with a 29-0 victory over LSU in Baton Rouge later that same day. It is the earliest that both participants in the SEC Championship Game have ever been determined.

2019 - Georgia won the Eastern Division for the third consecutive year, clinching a spot on Nov. 16 after defeating Auburn 21-14 in Auburn. LSU claimed the Western Division for the first time since 2011 with a 56-20 victory over Arkansas in Baton Rouge on Nov. 23.

2020- Florida clinched the Eastern Division while Alabama claimed the Western Division on Dec. 5, two weeks prior to the SEC Championship Game. Due to COVID-19, the regular season was derived of 10 conference games only.

### SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME RACE RECAP

The earliest a berth has been clinched in the SEC Championship Game is Oct. 30 (Auburn, 2004, & Alabama, 1993).

In 17 of 54 divisional races (including 2019), a championship game berth has not been decided until the weekend prior to the SEC Championship Game. That occurred in 1997 (Tennessee), 1998 (Mississippi State), 2001 (Tennessee and LSU), 2002 (Arkansas), 2003 (Georgia and LSU), 2005 (LSU), 2007 (Tennessee), 2011 (LSU), 2012 (Alabama), 2013 (Auburn and Missouri), 2014 (Alabama and Missouri), 2015 (Alabama) and 2017 (Auburn).)

# 2021 SEC Football

## 2020 SEC FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

### 2020 SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

The 29th annual SEC Football Championship Game was played on Dec. 19 at Mercedes-Benz Stadium in Atlanta, with Alabama outscoring Florida. It was Alabama's first SEC Championship appearance since 2018. The SEC Champion has now advanced to the Playoff each year since its inception.

Shifting to primetime, the Alabama-Florida SEC Championship averaged a 4.9 and 8.92 million on CBS. It was the first primetime SEC Championship since the 2006 game.

The 2009 SEC Championship Game earned a 11.8 rating and a 24 share, the highest rated SEC Championship Game in history.

The game was first played at Birmingham's Legion Field in 1992 and 1993 and moved to the Georgia Dome in 1994.

The Championship Game has drawn 27 capacity crowds in its 29-year history. Only 1993 (Birmingham) and 1995 (Atlanta) were not sellouts.

Year	Score	Attendance
1992	Alabama 28, Florida 21	83,091
1993	Florida 28, Alabama 13	76,345
1994	Florida 24, Alabama 23	74,751
1995	Florida 34, Arkansas 3	71,325
1996	Florida 45, Alabama 30	74,132
1997	Tennessee 30, Auburn 29	74,896
1998	Tennessee 24, Miss. State 14	74,795
1999	Alabama 34, Florida 7	71,500
2000	Florida 28, Auburn 6	73,427
2001	LSU 31, Tennessee 20	74,843
2002	Georgia 30, Arkansas 3	74,835
2003	LSU 34, Georgia 13	74,913
2004	Auburn 38, Tennessee 28	74,892
2005	Georgia 34, LSU 14	73,717
2006	Florida 38, Arkansas 28	73,374
2007	LSU 21, Tennessee 14	73,832
2008	Florida 31, Alabama 20	75,892
2009	Alabama 32, Florida 13	75,514
2010	Auburn 56, South Carolina 17	75,802
2011	LSU 42, Georgia 10	74,515
2012	Alabama 32, Georgia 28	75,624
2013	Auburn 59, Missouri 42	75,632
2014	Alabama 42, Missouri 13	73,526
2015	Alabama 29, Florida 15	75,320
2016	Alabama 54, Florida 16	74,632
2017	Georgia 28, Auburn 7	76,534
2018	Alabama 35, Georgia 28	77,141
2019	LSU 37, Georgia 10	74,150
2020	Alabama 52, Florida 46	16,500

### 2020 SEC FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Alabama 52, Florida 46

Dec. 19, 2020 • Mercedes-Benz Stadium (16,500) • Atlanta, Ga.

Alabama	14	21	0	17	<b>52</b>
Florida	10	7	14	15	<b>46</b>

#### Scoring Summary:

1st 12:20 UA - Najee Harris 8 yd run (Will Reichard kick), 9 plays, 70 yards, TOP 2:40 7-0  
 1st 10:05 UF - K. Toney 51 yd pass from K. Trask (E. McPherson kick) 6 plays, 73 yards, TOP 2:09 7-7  
 1st 06:07 UA - DeVonta Smith 31 yd pass from Mac Jones (Will Reichard kick) 1 plays, 31 yards, TOP 0:14 14-7  
 1st 01:57 UF - E. McPherson 40 yd field goal 10 plays, 56 yards, TOP 4:04 14-10  
 2nd 11:27 UA - Najee Harris 7 yd pass from Mac Jones (Will Reichard kick) 12 plays, 73 yards, TOP 5:23 21-10  
 2nd 02:28 UA - Najee Harris 23 yd pass from Mac Jones (Will Reichard kick) 13 plays, 70 yards, TOP 5:59 28-10  
 2nd 01:09 UF - K. Trask 1 yd run (E. McPherson kick), 4 plays, 75 yards, TOP 1:19 28-17  
 2nd 00:06 UA - Najee Harris 17 yd pass from Mac Jones (Will Reichard kick) 8 plays, 78 yards, TOP 0:58 35-17  
 3rd 13:25 UF - T. Grimes 50 yd pass from K. Trask (E. McPherson kick) 4 plays, 75 yards, TOP 1:35 35-24  
 3rd 00:18 UF - N. Wright 3 yd run (E. McPherson kick), 12 plays, 80 yards, TOP 4:58 35-31  
 4th 11:29 UA - Najee Harris 1 yd run (Will Reichard kick), 10 plays, 75 yards, TOP 3:49 42-31

4th 09:53 UA - Will Reichard 20 yd field goal 4 plays, 8 yards, TOP 1:28 45-31  
 4th 06:33 UF - D. Pierce 1 yd run (E. McPherson kick), 9 plays, 75 yards, TOP 3:20 45-38  
 4th 04:59 UA - DeVonta Smith 15 yd pass from Mac Jones (Will Reichard kick) 4 plays, 66 yards, TOP 1:31 52-38  
 4th 02:07 UF - K. Pitts 22 yd pass from K. Trask (K. Trask rush) 10 plays, 75 yards, TOP 2:52 52-46

	Alabama	Florida
FIRST DOWNS	33	26
NET YARDS RUSHING	187	54
NET YARDS Passing	418	408
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	605	462
PUNTS-YARDS	2-87	2-83
Avg. / Punt	43.5	41.5
KICKOFFS-YARDS	9-422	7-425
Avg. Yards / Kickoff	46.9	60.7
Net Yards / Kickoff	37.7	42.1
RETURNS		
Punt: Total - Yards - TDs	1-20-0	1-2-0
Punt: Avg. / Return	20.0	2.0
Kickoff: Total - Yards - TDs	4-70-0	3-63-0
Kickoff: Avg. / Return	17.5	21.0
INT: Total - Yards - TDs	0-0-0	1-19-0
Fumble: Total - Yards - TDs	0-0-0	0-0-0
MISCELLANEOUS		
Possession Time	34:21	25:39
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	6-6	4-4
Touchdowns	5-6	4-4
Sacks: Total - Yards	5-19	2-9
PAT: Total - Made	7-7	5-5
Field Goals: Total - Made	1-1	1-1

Full Game Statistics: <https://www.secsports.com/boxscore/football/401237074>

MVP: Najee Harris was named the SEC Championship MVP. He is the fourth Alabama running back to take home the honor, joining Eddie Lacy (2012), Derrick Henry (2015), Josh Jacobs (2018), and the sixth RB in championship game history.

#### NOTES

- Alabama wins its 28 SEC Championship and ninth SEC Championship game title (9-4 overall record). It is the seventh consecutive championship game victory for the Crimson Tide. - Alabama improves to 6-4 vs. Florida in the championship game having won four straight over the Gators.  
 - 98 combined points is the second highest in championship game history. Record is 101 in 2013 Auburn 59, Missouri 42.  
 - This is the fourth time a team scored 50+ points with Alabama doing it twice (54 in 2016, 52 in 2020)  
 - Najee Harris set championship game record with 5 TDs (2 rush, 3 TD). Harris tied the championship game record with 3 receiving TDs (Florida's Reidel Anthony in 1996). Harris is the sixth player to record a rushing (2) and receiving touchdown (3) in the championship game.  
 - Harris' 245 all-purpose yards is the second most, trailing Auburn's Tre Mason's 312 in 2013. - Mac Jones passed for a championship game record 418 yards (401, UF Danny Wueffel, 1996) and 33 completions (30, UF Shane Matthews, 1992). His 5 TD passes is second behind Wuerffel's 6 in 1996.  
 - Kyle Trask's 408 yards is the second most passing yards in SECCG history.  
 - Both teams combined for a SECCG 826 passing yards. Previous record was 670 in 1996 (401 by UF, 269 by UA).

#### SEC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME HISTORY

Team	App.	Record	Titles
Alabama	13	9-4 (.692)	9 (1992, 1999, '09, '12, '14, '15, '16, '18, '20)
Florida	13	7-6 (.538)	7 (1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 2000, 2006, 2008)
Georgia	8	3-5 (.375)	3 (2002, 2005, 2017)
Auburn	6	3-3 (.500)	3 (2004, 2010, 2013)
LSU	6	5-1 (.8033)	5 (2001, 2003, 2007, 2011, 2019)
Tennessee	5	2-3 (.400)	2 (1997, 1998)
Arkansas	3	0-3 (.000)	
Missouri	2	0-2 (.000)	
Mississippi State	1	0-1 (.000)	
South Carolina	1	0-1 (.000)	

## 2022 SEC FOOTBALL WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### August 27

Vanderbilt at Hawaii

### September 3

Utah State at Alabama  
Cincinnati at Arkansas  
Mercer at Auburn  
Utah at Florida  
Georgia vs. Oregon (Atlanta)  
Miami (Ohio) at Kentucky  
Troy at Ole Miss  
Memphis at Mississippi State  
Missouri at Middle Tennessee State  
Georgia State at South Carolina  
Ball State at Tennessee  
Sam Houston State at Texas A&M  
Elon at Vanderbilt

### September 4

LSU vs. Florida State (New Orleans)

### September 10

Alabama at Texas  
South Carolina at Arkansas  
San Jose State at Auburn  
Kentucky at Florida  
Samford at Georgia  
Southern at LSU  
Central Arkansas at Ole Miss  
Mississippi State at Arizona  
Missouri at Kansas State  
Tennessee at Pittsburgh  
Appalachian State at Texas A&M  
Wake Forest at Vanderbilt

### September 17

UL-Monroe at Alabama  
Missouri State at Arkansas  
Penn State at Auburn  
South Florida at Florida  
Youngstown State at Kentucky  
Mississippi State at LSU  
Ole Miss at Georgia Tech  
Abilene Christian at Missouri  
Georgia at South Carolina  
Akron at Tennessee  
Miami (Florida) at Texas A&M  
Vanderbilt at Northern Illinois

### September 24

Vanderbilt at Alabama  
Arkansas vs. Texas A&M (Arlington)  
Missouri at Auburn  
Kent State at Georgia  
Northern Illinois at Kentucky  
New Mexico at LSU  
Tulsa at Ole Miss  
Bowling Green at Mississippi State  
Charlotte at South Carolina  
Florida at Tennessee

### October 1

Alabama at Arkansas  
LSU at Auburn  
Eastern Washington at Florida  
Kentucky at Ole Miss  
Texas A&M at Mississippi State  
Georgia at Missouri  
South Carolina State at South Carolina

### October 8

Texas A&M at Alabama  
Missouri at Florida  
Auburn at Georgia  
South Carolina at Kentucky  
Tennessee at LSU  
Arkansas at Mississippi State  
Ole Miss at Vanderbilt

### October 15

Arkansas at BYU  
LSU at Florida  
Vanderbilt at Georgia  
Mississippi State at Kentucky  
Auburn at Ole Miss  
Alabama at Tennessee

### October 22

Mississippi State at Alabama  
Ole Miss at LSU  
Vanderbilt at Missouri  
Texas A&M at South Carolina  
Tennessee-Martin at Tennessee

### October 29

Arkansas at Auburn  
Florida vs. Georgia (Jacksonville)  
Missouri at South Carolina  
Kentucky at Tennessee  
Ole Miss at Texas A&M

### November 5

Liberty at Arkansas  
Tennessee at Georgia  
Alabama at LSU  
Auburn at Mississippi State  
Kentucky at Missouri  
Florida at Texas A&M  
South Carolina at Vanderbilt

### November 12

LSU at Arkansas  
Texas A&M at Auburn  
South Carolina at Florida  
Vanderbilt at Kentucky  
Alabama at Ole Miss  
Georgia at Mississippi State  
Missouri at Tennessee

### November 19

Austin Peay at Alabama  
Ole Miss at Arkansas  
Western Kentucky at Auburn  
Georgia at Kentucky  
UAB at LSU  
East Tennessee State at Mississippi State  
New Mexico State at Missouri  
Tennessee at South Carolina  
UMass at Texas A&M  
Florida at Vanderbilt

### November 24

Mississippi State at Ole Miss

### November 26

Auburn at Alabama  
Florida at Florida State  
Georgia Tech at Georgia  
Louisville at Kentucky  
Arkansas at Missouri  
South Carolina at Clemson  
LSU at Texas A&M  
Tennessee at Vanderbilt

### Dec. 3

SEC Football Championship (Atlanta)



## 2022 SEC FOOTBALL TEAM-BY-TEAM SCHEDULE

### ALABAMA

Sept. 3 UTAH STATE  
 Sept. 10 at Texas  
 Sept. 17 UL-MONROE  
 Sept. 24 VANDERBILT  
 Oct. 1 at Arkansas  
 Oct. 8 TEXAS A&M  
 Oct. 15 at Tennessee  
 Oct. 22 MISSISSIPPI STATE  
 Oct. 29 Open Date  
 Nov. 5 at LSU  
 Nov. 12 at Ole Miss  
 Nov. 19 AUSTIN PEAY  
 Nov. 26 AUBURN

### ARKANSAS

Sept. 3 CINCINNATI  
 Sept. 10 SOUTH CAROLINA  
 Sept. 17 MISSOURI STATE  
 Sept. 24 vs. Texas A&M (Arlington)  
 Oct. 1 ALABAMA  
 Oct. 8 at Mississippi State  
 Oct. 15 at BYU  
 Oct. 22 Open Date  
 Oct. 29 at Auburn  
 Nov. 5 LIBERTY  
 Nov. 12 LSU  
 Nov. 19 OLE MISS  
 Nov. 26 at Missouri

### AUBURN

Sept. 3 MERCER  
 Sept. 10 SAN JOSE STATE  
 Sept. 17 PENN STATE  
 Sept. 24 MISSOURI  
 Oct. 1 LSU  
 Oct. 8 at Georgia  
 Oct. 15 at Ole Miss  
 Oct. 22 Open Date  
 Oct. 29 ARKANSAS  
 Nov. 5 at Mississippi State  
 Nov. 12 TEXAS A&M  
 Nov. 19 WESTERN KENTUCKY  
 Nov. 26 at Alabama

### FLORIDA

Sept. 3 UTAH  
 Sept. 10 KENTUCKY  
 Sept. 17 SOUTH FLORIDA  
 Sept. 24 at Tennessee  
 Oct. 1 EASTERN WASHINGTON  
 Oct. 8 MISSOURI  
 Oct. 15 LSU  
 Oct. 22 Open Date  
 Oct. 29 vs. Georgia (Jacksonville)  
 Nov. 5 at Texas A&M  
 Nov. 12 SOUTH CAROLINA  
 Nov. 19 at Vanderbilt  
 Nov. 26 at Florida State

### GEORGIA

Sept. 3 vs. Oregon (Atlanta)  
 Sept. 10 SAMFORD  
 Sept. 17 at South Carolina  
 Sept. 24 KENT STATE  
 Oct. 1 at Missouri  
 Oct. 8 AUBURN  
 Oct. 15 VANDERBILT  
 Oct. 22 Open Date  
 Oct. 29 vs. Florida (Jacksonville)  
 Nov. 5 TENNESSEE  
 Nov. 12 at Mississippi State  
 Nov. 19 at Kentucky  
 Nov. 26 GEORGIA TECH

### KENTUCKY

Sept. 3 MIAMI (OHIO)  
 Sept. 10 at Florida  
 Sept. 17 YOUNGSTOWN STATE  
 Sept. 24 NORTHERN ILLINOIS  
 Oct. 1 at Ole Miss  
 Oct. 8 SOUTH CAROLINA  
 Oct. 15 MISSISSIPPI STATE  
 Oct. 22 Open Date  
 Oct. 29 at Tennessee  
 Nov. 5 at Missouri  
 Nov. 12 VANDERBILT  
 Nov. 19 GEORGIA  
 Nov. 26 LOUISVILLE

### LSU

Sept. 4 (Sun.) vs. Florida St. (New Orleans)  
 Sept. 10 SOUTHERN  
 Sept. 17 MISSISSIPPI STATE  
 Sept. 24 NEW MEXICO  
 Oct. 1 at Auburn  
 Oct. 8 TENNESSEE  
 Oct. 15 at Florida  
 Oct. 22 OLE MISS  
 Oct. 29 Open Date  
 Nov. 5 ALABAMA  
 Nov. 12 at Arkansas  
 Nov. 19 UAB  
 Nov. 26 at Texas A&M

### OLE MISS

Sept. 3 TROY  
 Sept. 10 CENTRAL ARKANSAS  
 Sept. 17 at Georgia Tech  
 Sept. 24 TULSA  
 Oct. 1 KENTUCKY  
 Oct. 8 at Vanderbilt  
 Oct. 15 AUBURN  
 Oct. 22 at LSU  
 Oct. 29 at Texas A&M  
 Nov. 5 Open Date  
 Nov. 12 ALABAMA  
 Nov. 19 at Arkansas  
 Nov. 24 (Thur.) MISSISSIPPI STATE

### MISSISSIPPI STATE

Sept. 3 MEMPHIS  
 Sept. 10 at Arizona  
 Sept. 17 at LSU  
 Sept. 24 BOWLING GREEN  
 Oct. 1 TEXAS A&M  
 Oct. 8 ARKANSAS  
 Oct. 15 at Kentucky  
 Oct. 22 at Alabama  
 Oct. 29 Open Date  
 Nov. 5 AUBURN  
 Nov. 12 GEORGIA  
 Nov. 19 EAST TENNESSEE STATE  
 Nov. 24 (Thur.) at Ole Miss

### MISSOURI

Sept. 3 at Middle Tennessee State  
 Sept. 10 at Kansas State  
 Sept. 17 ABILENE CHRISTIAN  
 Sept. 24 at Auburn  
 Oct. 1 GEORGIA  
 Oct. 8 at Florida  
 Oct. 15 Open Date  
 Oct. 22 VANDERBILT  
 Oct. 29 at South Carolina  
 Nov. 5 KENTUCKY  
 Nov. 12 at Tennessee  
 Nov. 19 NEW MEXICO STATE  
 Nov. 26 ARKANSAS

### SOUTH CAROLINA

Sept. 3 GEORGIA STATE  
 Sept. 10 at Arkansas  
 Sept. 17 GEORGIA  
 Sept. 24 CHARLOTTE  
 Oct. 1 SOUTH CAROLINA STATE  
 Oct. 8 at Kentucky  
 Oct. 15 Open Date  
 Oct. 22 TEXAS A&M  
 Oct. 29 MISSOURI  
 Nov. 5 at Vanderbilt  
 Nov. 12 at Florida  
 Nov. 19 TENNESSEE  
 Nov. 26 at Clemson

### TENNESSEE

Sept. 3 BALL STATE  
 Sept. 10 at Pittsburgh  
 Sept. 17 AKRON  
 Sept. 24 FLORIDA  
 Oct. 1 Open Date  
 Oct. 8 at LSU  
 Oct. 15 ALABAMA  
 Oct. 22 TENNESSEE-MARTIN  
 Oct. 29 KENTUCKY  
 Nov. 5 at Georgia  
 Nov. 12 MISSOURI  
 Nov. 19 at South Carolina  
 Nov. 26 at Vanderbilt

### TEXAS A&M

Sept. 3 SAM HOUSTON STATE  
 Sept. 10 APPALACHIAN STATE  
 Sept. 17 MIAMI (FLORIDA)  
 Sept. 24 vs. Arkansas (Arlington)  
 Oct. 1 at Mississippi State  
 Oct. 8 at Alabama  
 Oct. 15 Open Date  
 Oct. 22 at South Carolina  
 Oct. 29 OLE MISS  
 Nov. 5 FLORIDA  
 Nov. 12 at Auburn  
 Nov. 19 UMASS  
 Nov. 26 LSU

### VANDERBILT

Aug. 27 at Hawaii  
 Sept. 3 ELON  
 Sept. 10 WAKE FOREST  
 Sept. 17 at Northern Illinois  
 Sept. 24 at Alabama  
 Oct. 1 Open Date  
 Oct. 8 OLE MISS  
 Oct. 15 at Georgia  
 Oct. 22 at Missouri  
 Oct. 29 Open Date  
 Nov. 5 SOUTH CAROLINA  
 Nov. 12 at Kentucky  
 Nov. 19 FLORIDA  
 Nov. 26 TENNESSEE



# 2022 SEC FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

(As of September 21 - Tentative and Subject to Change)



Date Team	Aug. 27	Sept. 3	Sept. 10	Sept. 17	Sept. 24	Oct. 1	Oct. 8	Oct. 15	Oct. 22	Oct. 29	Nov. 5	Nov. 12	Nov. 19	Nov. 26
<b>ALABAMA</b>		UTAH STATE Tuscaloosa	TEXAS Austin	UL-MONROE Tuscaloosa	VANDERBILT Tuscaloosa	ARKANSAS Fayetteville	TEXAS A&M Tuscaloosa	TENNESSEE Knoxville	MISSISSIPPI STATE Tuscaloosa		LSU Baton Rouge	OLE MISS Oxford	AUSTIN PEAY Tuscaloosa	AUBURN Tuscaloosa
<b>ARKANSAS</b>		CINCINNATI Fayetteville	SOUTH CAROLINA Fayetteville	MISSOURI STATE Fayetteville	TEXAS A&M Arlington	ALABAMA Fayetteville	MISSISSIPPI STATE Starkville	BYU Provo		AUBURN Auburn	LIBERTY Fayetteville	LSU Fayetteville	OLE MISS Fayetteville	MISSOURI Columbia
<b>AUBURN</b>		MERCER Auburn	SAN JOSE STATE Auburn	PENN STATE Auburn	MISSOURI Auburn	LSU Auburn	GEORGIA Athens	OLE MISS Oxford		ARKANSAS Auburn	MISSISSIPPI STATE Starkville	TEXAS A&M Auburn	WESTERN KENTUCKY Auburn	ALABAMA Tuscaloosa
<b>FLORIDA</b>		UTAH Gainesville	KENTUCKY Gainesville	SOUTH FLORIDA Gainesville	TENNESSEE Knoxville	EASTERN WASHINGTON Gainesville	MISSOURI Gainesville	LSU Gainesville		GEORGIA Jacksonville	TEXAS A&M College Station	SOUTH CAROLINA Gainesville	VANDERBILT Nashville	FLORIDA STATE Tallahassee
<b>GEORGIA</b>		OREGON Atlanta	SAMFORD Athens	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia	KENT STATE Athens	MISSOURI Columbia	AUBURN Athens	VANDERBILT Athens		FLORIDA Jacksonville	TENNESSEE Athens	MISSISSIPPI STATE Starkville	KENTUCKY Lexington	GEORGIA TECH Athens
<b>KENTUCKY</b>		MIAMI (OH) Lexington	FLORIDA Gainesville	YOUNGSTOWN STATE Lexington	NORTHERN ILLINOIS Lexington	OLE MISS Oxford	SOUTH CAROLINA Lexington	MISSISSIPPI STATE Lexington		TENNESSEE Knoxville	MISSOURI Columbia	VANDERBILT Lexington	GEORGIA Lexington	LOUISVILLE Lexington
<b>LSU</b>		FLORIDA STATE New Orleans (Sept. 4)	SOUTHERN Baton Rouge	MISSISSIPPI STATE Baton Rouge	NEW MEXICO Baton Rouge	AUBURN Auburn	TENNESSEE Baton Rouge	FLORIDA Gainesville	OLE MISS Baton Rouge		ALABAMA Baton Rouge	ARKANSAS Fayetteville	UAB Baton Rouge	TEXAS A&M College Station
<b>OLE MISS</b>		TROY Oxford	CENTRAL ARKANSAS Oxford	GEORGIA TECH Atlanta	TULSA Oxford	KENTUCKY Oxford	VANDERBILT Nashville	AUBURN Oxford	LSU Baton Rouge	TEXAS A&M College Station		ALABAMA Oxford	ARKANSAS Fayetteville	MISSISSIPPI STATE Oxford (Nov. 24)
<b>MISSISSIPPI STATE</b>		MEMPHIS Starkville	ARIZONA Tucson	LSU Baton Rouge	BOWLING GREEN Starkville	TEXAS A&M Starkville	ARKANSAS Starkville	KENTUCKY Lexington	ALABAMA Tuscaloosa		AUBURN Starkville	GEORGIA Starkville	ETSU Starkville	OLE MISS Oxford (Nov. 24)
<b>MISSOURI</b>		MIDDLE TENNESSEE Murfreesboro	KANSAS STATE Manhattan	ABILENE CHRISTIAN Columbia	AUBURN Auburn	GEORGIA Columbia	FLORIDA Gainesville		VANDERBILT Columbia	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia, S.C.	KENTUCKY Columbia	TENNESSEE Knoxville	NEW MEXICO STATE Columbia	ARKANSAS Columbia
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>		GEORGIA STATE Columbia	ARKANSAS Fayetteville	GEORGIA Columbia	CHARLOTTE Columbia	SOUTH CAROLINA ST. Columbia	KENTUCKY Lexington		TEXAS A&M Columbia	MISSOURI Columbia, S.C.	VANDERBILT Nashville	FLORIDA Gainesville	TENNESSEE Columbia	CLEMSON Clemson
<b>TENNESSEE</b>		BALL STATE Knoxville	PITT Pittsburgh	AKRON Knoxville	FLORIDA Knoxville	LSU Baton Rouge	LSU Baton Rouge	ALABAMA Knoxville	TENNESSEE- MARTIN Knoxville	KENTUCKY Knoxville	GEORGIA Athens	MISSOURI Knoxville	SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia	VANDERBILT Nashville
<b>TEXAS A&amp;M</b>		SAM HOUSTON STATE College Station	APPALACHIAN STATE College Station	MIAMI College Station	ARKANSAS Arlington	MISSISSIPPI STATE Starkville	ALABAMA Tuscaloosa		SOUTH CAROLINA Columbia	OLE MISS College Station	FLORIDA College Station	AUBURN Auburn	UMASS College Station	LSU College Station
<b>VANDERBILT</b>		ELON Nashville	WAKE FOREST Nashville	NORTHERN ILLINOIS DeKalb, Ill.	ALABAMA Tuscaloosa		OLE MISS Nashville	GEORGIA Athens	MISSOURI Columbia		SOUTH CAROLINA Nashville	KENTUCKY Lexington	FLORIDA Nashville	TENNESSEE Nashville

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# 2021 SEC Football

## A YEAR LIKE NO OTHER

The events of 2020 posed a series of complex, unprecedented challenges for the entire sports world. However, the Southeastern Conference and its 14 members were some of the unquestioned leaders in all of sports for successfully navigating issues unique to competing in a healthy environment. The league's patient resolve, keen ability to listen to all constituencies while blocking out waves of societal and media noise and the unwavering determination to do what is best for the SEC and its student-athletes were put to the test throughout the year. And as is often the case with all things SEC, that test was front and center on the national stage.

The SEC's leadership through the COVID-19 pandemic served its student-athletes well. Thousands of student-athletes were able to participate in their lifelong passions in a healthy way. Memories were created that otherwise would have never come to pass. The SEC made no hasty decisions that could have torpedoed the fall sports season early. Under the constant spotlight on the SEC, the conference fostered a culture of extreme collaboration among the leaders of the league in order to allow the SEC's 14 schools to move together in lockstep through adversity, difficult decisions and unrelenting social pressures.

The SEC established a new start date to the 2020 season and re-engineered its football schedule to become the example of how to successfully operate – and still celebrate athletic achievement – during a global crisis.

While football garnered the most attention, the SEC also conducted fall championships in soccer and cross country. The conference also safely participated in volleyball, and men's and women's golf, providing the highest level of amateur competition to student-athletes who otherwise would have been sidelined in the fall, then continued through the winter and spring with a full slate of sports and championship events.

## SEC INITIATIVES

### SEC Council on Racial Equity and Social Justice

The Southeastern Conference moved quickly to formally launch The Council on Racial Equity and Social Justice. The league-wide council includes more than 60 athletes who are in the SEC's existing student-athlete engagement program, plus administrative leaders from each campus and head coaches from each sport. The Council has focused on five key areas:

- Increasing access and representation for underrepresented minorities
- Providing enhanced support for underrepresented minorities
- Improving education on racial and social issues for all stakeholders
- Deepening commitments to local communities
- Raising awareness of racial inequity and social injustice

The Conference has teamed with the SEC Network to keep the topic top-of-mind. The Network continues to feature interviews, TV specials, and regular series with impactful content such as:

#### *Beyond the Whiteboard*

A Conversation with Black Head Women's Basketball Coaches

#### *The Historic Change that United Mississippi Rivals*

A Look at the Creation of the New Flag

#### *Black History Always*

30-second vignettes on Significant Black SEC Historical Figures

#### *Voices for Change Series*

Featuring SEC Student-Athletes

## SEC Voter Education and Participation Program

On September 3, 2020, the SEC announced its first ever voter and civic engagement effort. Through the SEC Voter Education and Participation Program, all 14 member universities committed to support non-partisan engagement of SEC student-athletes, coaches and staff in the November 2020 general election and in future local, state and federal elections. "Voting is an important way to fulfill one's civic duty in America," Sankey said. "The SEC Voter Education and Participation Program focuses on creating an opportunity for our universities to help our student-athletes, coaches and staff understand and participate in the election process."

## College Football Playoff Foundation Extra Yard for Teachers

The SEC earmarked funds it traditionally receives from the College Football Playoff Foundation's Extra Yard for Teachers program specifically to go to low resource schools in SEC communities.

## SEC Student-Athlete Enhancement Grant

The SEC added racial equity, social justice and diversity and inclusion to the list of permissible types of programs funded by the conference's student-athlete enhancement grant facilitated through applicable campus units.

## TOGETHER It Just Means More Public Service Announcements

In conjunction with the opening weekend of football games, the SEC launched a series of television public service announcements with the "TOGETHER, It Just Means More" message. The initial announcement was 60 seconds long and aired during every football game played on the September 26, 2020, opening day. Later, the SEC launched four 30-second announcements that featured all sponsored sports and universities.

## Virtual Career Tour

For the fifth consecutive year, but this time with a different twist, the SEC conducted its successful Student-Athlete Career Tour. The pandemic could not stop this important student-athlete engagement initiative as it was conducted in a virtual format, hosting 68 student-athletes from all 14 SEC universities.

The program allows graduating student-athletes to connect with human resource recruiters in various careers and submit resumes for entry-level jobs and internships. The students also learn about interview preparation, and ways to build effective business relationships through authenticity, curiosity, and social media best practices. This year, the group met with executives at several corporations in the Atlanta area including Cox Communications, The Atlanta Hawks, and Chick-fil-A.

## SEC Celebrates Academic Achievement with Graduate Patch

A total of 194 Southeastern Conference football student-athletes representing all 14 SEC universities will wear the SEC graduate patch during the 2021 season. The SEC introduced the patch in 2016 season for student-athletes in all sports who have already earned their degree but have not exhausted their eligibility. The SEC logo patch on their uniforms is replaced with a special patch with the word "Graduate" underneath the conference logo. The patch is similar in design for all conference schools, but it is school-specific in color.







# COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF

## EVERY GAME COUNTS

The College Football Playoff (CFP) is a postseason event to determine college football's national champion on the field, while emphasizing the significance of college football's unique regular season where every game counts.

## RANKINGS

The selection committee ranks the teams based on the members' evaluation of the teams' performance on the field, using conference championships won, strength of schedule, head-to-head results, and comparison of results against common opponents to decide among teams that are comparable.

## TRADITION

The New Year's holiday period belongs to college football, with two semifinal games rotating annually among the Cotton Bowl, Fiesta Bowl, Orange Bowl, Peach Bowl, Rose Bowl and Sugar Bowl.

## CHAMPIONSHIP MONDAY

The two teams that win the Playoff Semifinals compete for the College Football Playoff National Championship. The national championship game is in a different city each year, always on a Monday night.

## UNIVERSAL ACCESS

Every Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) team has equal access to the College Football Playoff based on its performance during the regular season. No team automatically qualifies.

## GOVERNANCE

University presidents and chancellors from all 10 FBS conferences and Notre Dame serve as the board of managers and govern the administrative operations, with commissioners and Notre Dame athletics director (the Management Committee) managing the event. A small staff in the CFP office in Irving, Texas, carries out the day-to-day responsibilities.

## SELECTION COMMITTEE

A talented group of 13 high-integrity individuals with experience as coaches, student-athletes, college administrators and journalists, along with sitting athletics directors, comprise the selection committee. Members of the committee are Mitch Barnhart, Gary Barta (chair), Paola Boivin, Tom Burman, Charlie Cobb, Boo Corrigan, Chris Del Conte, Rick George, Will Shields, R.C. Slocum, Joe Taylor, John Urschel and Rod West.





# COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF

## SELECTION COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES

- Rank the top 25 teams and assign the top four to semifinals sites.
- Assign teams to New Year's bowls.
  - Create competitive matchups.
  - Attempt to avoid rematches of regular-season games and repeat appearances in specific bowls.
  - Consider geography.

## PARTICIPANTS IN THE NEW YEAR'S BOWLS

Both participants in the Orange, Rose and Sugar Bowls are contracted outside the playoff arrangement (Big Ten and Pac-12 to Rose Bowl; SEC and Big 12 to Sugar Bowl; ACC to Orange Bowl against the highest-ranked available team from the SEC, Big Ten and Notre Dame). If a conference champion qualifies for the playoff, then the bowl will choose a replacement from that conference. When those bowls host the semifinals and their contracted conference champions do not qualify, then the displaced champion(s) will play in one of the other New Year's bowls.

When not hosting semifinals, the Cotton, Fiesta and Peach Bowls will welcome the highest-ranked teams, any displaced conference champions, and the top-ranked champion from a non-contract conference. The highest-ranked available teams will fill any other berths. The selection committee will make the pairings.

## SCHEDULE

							
<b>2021-22</b>	DEC. 31	JAN. 1	DEC. 30	DEC. 31	JAN. 1	JAN. 1	<b>JAN. 10</b> INDIANAPOLIS
<b>2022-23</b>	JAN. 2	DEC. 31	DEC. 31	DEC. 30	JAN. 2	JAN. 2	<b>JAN. 9</b> LOS ANGELES
<b>2023-24</b>	JAN. 1	DEC. 30	DEC. 29	DEC. 30	JAN. 1	JAN. 1	<b>JAN. 8</b> HOUSTON
<b>2024-25</b>	DEC. 28	DEC. 30	DEC. 28	DEC. 28	JAN. 1	JAN. 1	<b>JAN. 6</b> TBD
<b>2025-26</b>	DEC. 27	DEC. 27	DEC. 27	DEC. 30	JAN. 1	JAN. 1	<b>JAN. 5</b> TBD



# 2021-22 SCHEDULE



## BOWL SEASON™

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**DEC. 17**  
Nassau, Bahamas  
12 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 17**  
Orlando, FL  
6 PM | ESPN2



**DEC. 18**  
Boca Raton, FL  
11 AM | ESPN



**DEC. 18**  
Atlanta, GA  
12 PM | ABC



**DEC. 18**  
Albuquerque, NM  
2:15 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 18**  
Shreveport, LA  
3:30 PM | ABC



**DEC. 18**  
Mobile, AL  
5:45 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 18**  
Los Angeles, CA  
7:30 PM | ABC



**DEC. 18**  
New Orleans, LA  
9:15 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 20**  
Myrtle Beach, SC  
2:30 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 21**  
Boise, ID  
3:30 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 21**  
Frisco, TX  
7:30 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 22**  
Fort Worth, TX  
TBD | ESPN




**DEC. 23**  
Tampa, FL  
7 PM | ESPN




**DEC. 24**  
Honolulu, HI  
8 PM | ESPN




**DEC. 25**  
Montgomery, AL  
2:30 PM | ESPN




**DEC. 27**  
Detroit, MI  
11 AM | ESPN




**DEC. 27**  
Annapolis, MD  
2:30 PM | ESPN




**DEC. 28**  
Birmingham, AL  
12 PM | ESPN




**DEC. 28**  
University Park, TX  
3:15 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 28**  
Memphis, TN  
6:45 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 28**  
San Diego, CA  
8:00 PM | FOX



**DEC. 28**  
Phoenix, AZ  
10:15 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 29**  
Boston, MA  
11 AM | ESPN



**DEC. 29**  
Bronx, NY  
2:15 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 29**  
Orlando, FL  
5:45 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 29**  
San Antonio, TX  
9:15 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 30**  
Charlotte, NC  
11:30 AM | ESPN



**DEC. 30**  
Nashville, TN  
3 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 30**  
Atlanta, GA  
7 PM | ESPN




**DEC. 30**  
Las Vegas, NV  
10:30 PM | ESPN



**DEC. 31**  
Jacksonville, FL  
11 AM | ESPN



**DEC. 31**  
El Paso, TX  
12:30 PM | CBS



**DEC. 31**  
Miami, FL  
3:30/7:30 PM | ESPN  
CFP Semifinal




**DEC. 31**  
Arlington, TX  
3:30/7:30 PM | ESPN  
CFP Semifinal




**DEC. 31**  
Tucson, AZ  
4:30 PM | TBD




**JAN. 1**  
Tampa, FL  
12 PM | ESPN2




**JAN. 1**  
Glendale, AZ  
1 PM | ESPN




**JAN. 1**  
Orlando, FL  
1 PM | ABC




**JAN. 1**  
Pasadena, CA  
5 PM | ESPN




**JAN. 1**  
New Orleans, LA  
8:45 PM | ESPN



**JAN. 4**  
Houston, TX  
TBD | ESPN



**TBD**  
San Francisco, CA  
TBD



**JAN. 10**  
Indianapolis, IN  
8 PM | ESPN

\*All times ET and all Bowls subject to change.