

# 2023 UTSA Roadrunners Football UTSA vs. East Carolina Saturday, Oct. 28 Alamodome · San Antonio, Texas Postgame Notes

## TEAM RECORDS AND SERIES NOTES

- UTSA improved to 5-3 overall and 4-0 in the American Athletic Conference. East Carolina fell to 1-7, 0-4.
- This was the first meeting between UTSA and East Carolina.
- The Roadrunners ran their winning streak to four games.
- The Roadrunners are 24-3 (.889) in regular season conference games under fourth-year head coach Jeff Traylor.
- Including the 2021 and 2022 Conference USA Championship Games, UTSA is 26-3 (.896) against league competition under Traylor.
  UTSA has won 12 consecutive regular season conference games and is 52-37 (.584) all-time in regular season conference games.
  - UTSA has won its last 14 contests against conference competition when including the two C-USA Championship Games.
- The Roadrunners have won 19 of their last 21 home games and are 21-3 (.875) at the Alamodome under Jeff Traylor.
- UTSA is now 9-4 in Homecoming games, including 4-0 in the Jeff Traylor era.
  - The Roadrunners have won their last five Homecoming contests.
- UTSA is 35-13 (.729) under Jeff Traylor, the best record and winning percentage for a UTSA head coach through 48 games in program history.

### **TEAM NOTES**

- UTSA boasted 515 total yards, including 395 in the air and 120 on the ground.
- UTSA surpasses 500 yards of total offense for the 18th time in program history and the first time since Sept. 24, 2022 vs. Texas Southern.
  East Carolina picked up 366 yards, 225 passing and 141 rushing.
  - The UTSA defense allowed just 20 points, with one ECU defensive score.
- UTSA is averaging 42.0 points per game in American Athletic Conference play.

### INDIVIDUAL NOTES

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- Senior WR **Joshua Cephus** had four receptions for 183 yards and a touchdown.
  - The third-most receiving yards by a UTSA player and the most since De'Corian Clark vs. Texas Southern (9/24/22).
    - It is the second-most receiving yards by a UTSA player against an FBS opponent.
  - His 84-yard receiving touchdown in the second quarter marks the longest passing play in school history.
    - The play represents the second occasion in 2023 that a UTSA pass has been completed for over 70 yards.
    - Eddie Lee Marburger tossed a 72-yarder to Devin McCuin against Army (9/15/23).
    - Cephus recorded 124 yards after the catch today.
  - He now has 56 receptions, 681 yards and seven touchdowns this season.
  - He surpassed the 3,000-yard barrier for his career, as he now has 3,169 and 25 TDs on a school-record 280 catches.
- Senior WR Tykee Ogle-Kellogg caught five passes for 85 yards and two touchdowns.
- o Ogle-Kellogg now has 24 receptions, 434 yards and six TDs this season and 80 receptions, 1,217 yards and 14 TDs for his career.
- Senior QB Frank Harris completed 20 of 32 passes for 394 yards and four touchdowns
  - Harris was the last UTSA quarterback to toss four or more touchdown passes, previously accomplishing the feat on Dec. 12, 2022, against North Texas.
  - He has now surpassed the 300-yard threshold for the second time this season and 12th time in his career.
  - o Harris completed passes to eight different receivers.
  - Redshirt sophomore OLB Trey Moore posted seven total tackles, including five solo and three sacks.
    - o Moore broke Clarence Hicks' single-season sacks record of 10.5 set in 2021 and now has totaled 12 on the year.
    - Moore has recorded 20 sacks in his career, the second-most in program history and two shy of UTSA Hall of Famer Marcus Davenport's record for career sacks (22 – 2014-17).
    - This marks the third occasion this season in which Moore has logged at least three sacks and he is the third player in program history to record at least 3.0 in a game.
- Senior S Elliot Davison recorded his second interception of the season and ninth of his career.
  - Senior LB Jamal Ligon registered seven tackles, including five unassisted.
    - He now has 259 career tackles to rank third in school history.
- Junior PK Chase Allen made a pair of field goals and all five extra-point attempts.
  - He is now 8 of 10 on field goals and 28 for 28 on PATs this season.
  - Senior P Lucas Dean punted four times for a 45.5-yard average with a long of 54 yards.
    - He is now averaging 41.0 yards this season with 10 inside the 20-yard line and five of 50-plus yards.
    - He owns the school record with a 43.6-yard average for his career.

### ADDITIONAL NOTES

- UTSA's captains were Brandon Brown, Trey Moore and Rashad Wisdom.
  - Today's attendance was 22,629.