IOWA FOOTBALL

38 BOWL GAMES • 11 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS • 35 CONSENSUS ALL-AMERICANS • 18 CFB HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

2026 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Sept. 5	Northern Illinois	W, 40-0
Sept. 12	^ Iowa State	W, 16-13
Sept. 19	Northern Iowa	W, 55-0
Sept. 26	at #18/18 Michigan	W, 20-19
Oct. 3	#5/6 Ohio State	L, 14-31
Oct. 9	at Washington	W, 41-24
Oct. 24	at Minnesota	L, 10-13
Oct. 31	RV/#25 Wisconsin	W, 30-0
Nov. 7	at RV/#23 Northwestern	W, 24-10
Nov. 14	**Purdue**	**6:30 p.m. (NBC)**
Nov. 21	at Illinois	1:30 p.m. (BTN)
Nov. 27	Nebraska	11 a.m. (CBS)

*All times Central and subject to change | ^ Iowa Corn Cy-Hawk Series | * Big Ten Conference game*

ON THE AIR

TELEVISION: NBC

Play-by-Play: Noah Eagle
Analyst: Todd Blackledge
Sideline: Kathryn Tappen

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Flagship 1040 WHO in Des Moines, 600 WMT AM in Cedar Rapids | 50+ stations in Iowa | The Varsity Network | YouTube

Play-by-Play: Gary Dolphin
Analyst: Pat Angerer
Sideline: Rob Brooks
Engineer: Cory Sheets

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Student Radio: KRUI (Ryan Paris, Dravin Murti)

Live Stats: iowa.statbroadcast.com

SERIES HISTORY

Overall Purdue leads, 50-41-3
Last Meeting Iowa won 20-14 on 10/7/23 in Iowa City

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#16/15 IOWA (7-2, 4-2) | GAME 10 | PURDUE (3-6, 2-4)

HAWKEYES
Head Coach: Kirk Ferentz
Record at Iowa: 216-130 (28th)
Career Record: 228-151

BOILERMAKERS
Head Coach: Barry Odom
Record at PUR: 5-15 (2nd)
Career Record: 49-48

Nov. 14, 2026 • 6:30 p.m. (CT) • Iowa City, Iowa • Kinnick Stadium (69,250) • NBC

1ST & 10



Fourth-year RB L.J. Phillips, Jr., rushed for 128 yards in Week 10 at Northwestern. It was his first 100-yard game as a Hawkeye and the 10th 100-yard game of his career.

• Iowa has won eight straight Kinnick Stadium night games, dating back to 2022.
• The Hawkeyes were 19th in the initial College Football Playoff rankings that were released on Nov. 3. Iowa has been in the rankings 36 weeks since its inception – the 15th-most in the nation.
• November is for the Hawkeyes… Iowa has won 24 of its last 29 games in the month of November dating back to 2019.
• L.J. Phillips, Jr., rushed for 128 yards in Week 10 at Northwestern, becoming Iowa's fifth different 100-yard rusher in 2026. It's the first time in program history Iowa has had five 100-yard rushers in a single season.
• Braeden Jackson had a 96-yard kickoff return for a touchdown in Week 10 at Northwestern. He is the fifth player in program history to have two kickoff returns for a TD and one of four players in the nation this season with multiple returns for TDs.
• Over his last two games, QB Hank Brown is completing 80 percent of his passes (36-of-45) for 348 yards and three touchdowns.
• WR Tony Diaz had a 24-yard touchdown reception against Northwestern – his second straight game with a touchdown catch.
• The Hawkeye defense has allowed one touchdown over its last nine quarters (and two over the last 12 quarters) dating back to Week 8 at Minnesota. The unit is third in the FBS in scoring defense (12.2), fifth in rushing defense, (81.9), eighth in sacks (3.33) and ninth in total defense (276.7).
• Iowa has three shutouts this season -- the most for the program since 1997. The unit has 12 shutouts since 2018 – the most in the nation during that span.
• Iowa is bowl eligible for the 14th consecutive season and for the 24th time in the last 26 seasons.
• The Hawkeyes have two victories over ranked opponents this season (at Michigan, Wisconsin) – a first since 2021.
• Iowa's defense limited Washington to (-3) rushing yards in Week 6 – the second-fewest yards allowed under Kirk Ferentz and the fewest since 2004. Iowa has held five opponents under 100 rushing yards this season.
• Iowa's offense finished with 465 yards of total offense against at Washington – the most in a Big Ten game under OC Tim Lester.
• Iowa's offensive line has allowed eight sacks in its first nine games (eighth in FBS), while the rushing attack averages 173.8 yards per contest, ranking 47th nationally.
• Third-year linebacker Cam Buffington – a Butkus Award semifinalist -- has a team-high 82 tackles and has led the team in tackles in five games. He has four 10+ tackle games, including a career-high 15 stops against Iowa State – the most in a game by a Hawkeye since Jay Higgins in 2024. He is second in the Big Ten (23rd nationally), averaging 9.1 tackles per game.
• Iowa has sold out 33 consecutive games in Kinnick Stadium.

THE NUMBERS GAME

12

The Hawkeyes have 12 shutouts since 2018 -- the most in the nation in that span. Iowa's defense has three shutouts in 2026 -- the most for the program since 1997.

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L.J. Phillips, Jr., became the fifth Hawkeye running back to hit the 100-yard mark in Week 10 at Northwestern. It's the first time in program history Iowa has had five different 100-yard rushers.

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Iowa has a 97+ yard touchdown drive in three straight games. Iowa is the only FBS team since at least 2015 to accomplish the feat.

OFFENSIVE

PLAYERS TO WATCH



9 • HANK BROWN • 4TH YR • QB • 6-4 • 218

Nashville, Tenn. (Lipscomb Academy/Auburn)

• 9 career starts, 16 career games played... missed Washington game b/c of injury
• Is 125-of-190 for 1,316 yards, 9 TDs and 4 INTs in '26... was 16-of-21 for 126 yards and 1 TD at NU... went 20-of-24 for 222 yards and 2 TDs vs. Wisconsin... Iowa's highest comp. % in a Big Ten game since at least 1995... earned B1G Off. POW and Manning Award Stars of the Week honors on 11/2... went 21-of-35 for 227 yards and 2 TDs at Michigan... named to Davey O'Brien Elite 8 List for Week 4... was 13-of-19 for 142 yards and 2 TDs in 4th quarter... was 12-of-12 for 153 yards and 2 TDs vs. UNI, tying Iowa's completion % record
• Saw action in 3 games at Iowa in '25, going 11-of-21 for 107 yards and 1 TD... started two games in '24 at Auburn, completing 27-of-43 attempts for 403 yards with 6 TDs... went 17-of-25 for 235 yards with 4 TDs in a win over New Mexico
• Played for Trent Dilfer at Lipscomb Academy... threw for 3,264 yards and 47 TDs (5th in Tennessee state history), completing 73.3 percent of his passes... parents, Eric and Lesley, were high school classmates with Tim Lester



21 • LJ PHILLIPS, JR • 4TH YR • RB • 5-8 • 211

Wichita, Kan. (Northwest/South Dakota)

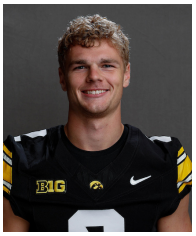
• 16 career starts, 40 career games played
• Has 55 carries for 243 yards in '26... missed Week 2-4 b/c of injury... had 21 carries for 128 yards in Week 10 at NU in first start as Hawkeye... 10th career 100-yard game
• First-team AA by Walter Camp, AFCA and SI; 2nd-team by AP and Phil Steele in '25... rushed for 1,921 yards and 19 TDs, leading the FCS in rushing
• Transfer from South Dakota
• Had 301 rushing yards against No. Colorado
• Has 2,437 career rushing yards and 23 TDs



26 • XAVIER WILLIAMS • 3RD YR • RB • 5-10 • 228

Schererville, Ind. (Lake City Central)

• 2 career starts, 19 career games played
• Has 47 rushes for 272 yards and 3 TDs in '26... had 20 carries for 78 yards vs. Wisconsin... had 6 att. for 151 yards and 3 TDs vs. UNI with TD runs of 48, 37 and 25 yards... averaged 25.2 yards per carry
• Has two career 100-yard games... saw action in 10 games with 1 start in '25... had 285 yards on 49 att. with three TDs.



2 • REECE VANDER ZEE • SO • WR • 6-0 • 187

Rock Rapids, Iowa (Central Lyon/GLR)

• 19 career starts, 26 career games played... changed uniforms from No. 15 to No. 2
• Has 28 rec. for 403 yards and 4 TDs in '26... had 5 rec. for 51 yards vs. WIS... had a 37-yard TD at Minnesota... had 5 rec. for 66 yards and 2 TDs at Michigan, including the GW 16-yd. as time expired... tied career high in TDs... had 3 rec. for 69 yards and 1 TD at Washington
• Had 15 catches for 219 yards and TDs in '25... threw a 5-yard TD to Mark Gronowski in Week 12 at USC... had 14 receptions for 176 yards and 3 TDs as a first year in '24
• Prep QB as senior... last played WR as a junior... two-time all-state... District 1 MVP



14 • TONY DIAZ • 3RD YR • WR • 5-10 • 184

San Marcos, Texas (San Marcos/UTRGV)

• 21 career starts, 21 career games played... a.k.a. The Boogeyman
• Has 35 rec. (on 63 targets) for 504 yards and 3 TDs in 9 games... had a 24-yard TD catch at NU... had 5 rec. for 75 yards and 1 TD vs. WIS... had 8 catches for 95 yards vs. Iowa State... 5 rec. for 59 yards vs. OSU... 7 rec. for 84 yards and 1 TD vs. NIU in his Iowa debut... HM Earl Campbell Award NPOW honoree in Week 1
• AP honorable mention AA and Phil Steele freshman All-American in '25... Southland Freshman of the Year honoree
• Made 68 catches for 875 yards and 11 TDs in '25... ranked sixth in FCS in receiving TDs
• Had four 100-yard receiving games, including a career-high 172 yards vs. Incarnate Word on 17 receptions -- the third-most in Southland history



8 • EVAN JAMES • 2ND YR • WR • 5-10 • 170

Apopka, Fla. (Leesburg/Furman)

• 13 career starts, 18 career games played... Jet Award Midseason List
• Has 7 catches for 58 yards... averaging 12.4 yards per punt return
• Had a 77-yard punt return for a TD in Week 1 vs. NIU in his first game as a Hawkeye
• Led Furman with 65 receptions for 796 yards and eight total TDs (7 receiving) in '25
• Had two 100-yard games



81 • DJ VONNAHME • 3RD YR • TE • 6-4 • 241

Breda, Iowa (Carroll Kuemper)

• 10 career starts, 24 career games played... missed UNI game b/c of injury
• John Mackey Award Watch List... preseason 2nd team AA by Sporting News
• Has 32 rec. for 314 yards and 3 TDs in '26... also has a rushing TD... had 5 rec. for 54 yards and 1 TD vs. WIS and a 4-yard TD run... had season-high 6 rec. for 64 yards vs. OSU... had 2 catches for 44 yards with 2 TDs at Washington
• Had 29 receptions for 434 yards and 3 TDs in '25
• Had 7 catches for 146 yards and 1 TD in ReliaQuest Bowl win over Vanderbilt... the 146 yards are the second-most yards by an Iowa tight end all-time
• First-team all-state... was a QB in high school; safety on defense



87 • ADDISON OSTRENGA • 5TH YR • TE • 6-4 • 249

Sun Prairie, Wis. (Sun Prairie)

• 17 career starts, 44 career games played... missed all but 2 games in '25 b/c of Achilles injury
• Has 12 receptions for 99 yards and 1 TD in '26... had 3 rec. for 36 yards, including a 29-yarder on game-winning drive at Michigan... had a 14-yard TD rec. vs. UNI -- 4th career TD
• Had 15 catches for 114 yards and 1 TD in '24... tied for team lead with 31 catches for 192 yards and 2 TDs in '23
• Has 60 career catches for 419 yards and 4 TDs



59 • TREVOR LAUCK • 4TH YR • LT • 6-5 • 314

Indianapolis, Ind. (Roncalli)

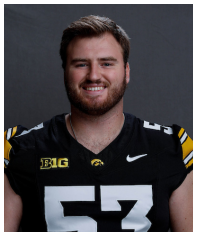
• 22 career starts, 25 career games played
• Midseason AA by Athletic... Lombardi Semifinalist
• OL paved way for 298 rushing yards in season opener, 422 vs. UNI (7th-most in program history), 263 at Washington
• Joe Moore Award and 3rd-team All-B1G in '25... allowed six pressures and zero sacks across 303 blocking snaps.
• Saw action in three games in '24
• Offensive Lineman of the Year as a prep junior



64 • LEIGHTON JONES • 4TH YR • LG • 6-2 • 288

Brownsburg, Ind. (Brownsburg)

• 9 career starts, 24 career games played
• Made his first career start against NIU... team rushed for 298 yards vs. NIU, 422 vs. UNI -- 7th-most all-time
• Reserve OL in '25... saw action in 11 games
• Named Mr. Football for O-Line as a senior... won state wrestling title as a senior



53 • MICHAEL MYSLINSKI • 6TH YR • C • 6-2 • 290

Jacksonville, Fla. (Bishop Kenny)

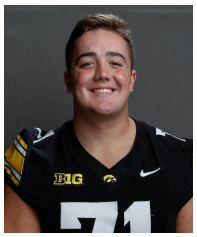
• 1 career start, 19 career games played... sixth-year player
• Made first career start in Week 10 at Northwestern... has appeared in five games this season
• Named to 2026 Player Council... Comeback Player of the Year Award in 2025
• Four-time Academic All-Big Ten selection



58 • KADE PIEPER • 4TH YR • RG • 6-3 • 298

Norfolk, Neb. (Catholic)

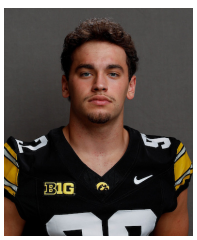
• 22 career starts, 34 career games played
• AP, Sporting News, Athletic Midseason All-American... Lombardi Semifinalist
• Paved way for 298 yards vs. NIU, 422 yards vs. UNI
• Was Iowa's lowest ranked scholarship prospect in Class of '23
• PFF All-American in '25... Joe Moore Award... 3rd team All-B1G
• Two-time Solon Beef Days Hay Bale champion ('24, '25)
• Three-time all-state selection in high school



71 • JACK DOTZLER • 5TH YR • RT • 6-6 • 309

Waunakee, Wis. (Waunakee)

• 9 career starts, 28 career games played
• Made first career start against NIU... team rushed for 298 yards vs. NIU, 422 vs. UNI, 263 at Washington
• Saw action in all 13 games in '25
• Two-time Big Ten Distinguished Scholar and Academic All-Big Ten
• Offensive Lineman of the Year as a prep junior



92 • CADEN BUHR • 2ND YR • K • 5-10 • 203

Bettendorf, Iowa (Bettendorf)

• 10 career games played
• Is 14-for-16 in FG attempts in '26 (3-3 from 20-29; 3-3 from 30-39; 5-5 from 40-49 and 3-5 from 50+)... season long of 54 yards vs. WIS
• Drilled GW FG from 42 yards with 15 seconds left in win over Iowa State... first career game-winner... made career-high 3 FG vs. ISU and WIS... named B1G Special Teams POW on 9/14 and Lou Groza Star of Week on 9/15... made 2 FG vs. OSU, 2 at Washington... 3-for-3 in FG att. vs. WIS.
• Two-time all-state and all-district selection
• Connected on a 57-yard FG as a high school senior

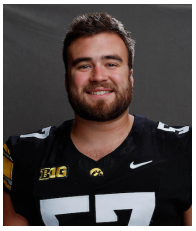
DEFENSIVE
PLAYERS TO WATCH



44 • KENNETH MERRIEWEATHER • 4TH YR • DE • 6-3 • 270
Detroit, Mich. (Martin Luther King)
- 9 career starts, 28 career games played
- Has 13 tackles, 1.5 TFL, 1 sack, 2 QH and 1 PB in '26... made first career start against NIU
- Played in 13 games in '25, making 14 tackles and having 1 TFL
- Named to Michigan's Dream Team as a senior, where he played DE, LB and TE... won back-to-back state titles... had 18 TFL and 12 sacks as a senior



96 • BRYCE HAWTHORNE • 4TH YR • DL • 6-3 • 298
Osseo, Minn. (Osseo/South Dakota State)
- 10 career starts, 39 career games played
- Has 34 tackles, 8 TFL, 3.5 sacks and 1 QH in '26... made a career-high 8 tackles with 3 TFL at Minnesota... had six tackles and 1 sack at NU... five tackles in win over Iowa State... had 5 tackles, 2.5 TFL vs. Ohio St.
- Had 15 tackles, 3 TFL and 1 INT in '25
- Recorded 22 tackles, 5.5 TFL and had 2 QB hurries at SD State... helped team advance to FCS national semifinals
- Played basketball and football at Osseo HS



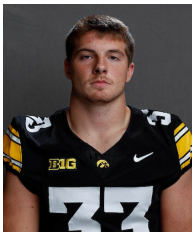
57 • WILL HUBERT • 5TH YR • DT • 6-3 • 291
Omaha, Neb. (Papillion-La Vista)
- 9 career starts, 26 career games played... joined team as a walk-on
- Has 17 tackles, 1.5 TFL, 1 sack, 3 QH and 1 FF in '26... had 1 TFL, 1 sack and 1 FF at Minnesota... made first career start against NIU in Week 1
- Saw action in nine games in '25
- Led state of Nebraska in TFL and sacks as a junior and senior



97 • IOSE EPENESA • 2ND YR • DE • 6-3 • 269
Glen Carbon, Ill. (Edwardsville)
- 9 career starts, 13 career games played
- Has 14 tackles, 2.5 TFL, 1 sack and 2 QH in '26... made his first start vs. NIU
- Polynesian College Football POY Watch List
- Father, Eppy, and two brothers, A.J. and Eric, played football at Iowa... A.J. is a defensive end for the Philadelphia Eagles



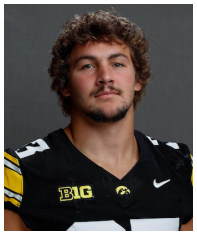
43 • KAHMARI BROWN • 3RD YR • DL • 6-2 • 259
Jacksonville, Fla. (White Oak/Elon)
- 23 career starts, 31 career games played
- Has 17 tackles, 2.5 TFL, 2 sacks, 3 QH and 1 FF in '26... had 5 tackles, 1.5 TFL, 1 sack vs. Ohio St.
- 2nd-team AP AA in '25... 4th team AA by Phil Steele... freshman AA in '24
- First Elon player to record double-digit sacks (12) and tied school's career sacks record (16.5) in two seasons
- Had 66 tackles and 16 TFL in '25
- Has 18 career sacks and 27 career TFL



33 • CAM BUFFINGTON • 3RD YR • MIKE • 6-3 • 238
Winfield, Iowa (Winfield-Mt. Union)
- 9 career starts, 15 career games played... Butkus Award Semifinalist... 2nd team Midseason AA by Athletic
- Has team-high 82 tackles (47 solo), 9 TFL, 3 sacks and 4 QH... ranks 23rd nationally (2nd in Big Ten), averaging 9.1 tackles per game... has led team in tackles in 5 games
- Has 4 10+ tackle games... had car.-high 15 tack. (most by a Hawkeye since '24) in Week 2 vs. Iowa State... named Lott IMPACT Trophy Player of the Week on 9/16... had 11 tackles at Michigan, 10 tackles, 1 TFL at MINN, 8 tackles, 2 sacks vs. Washington, 12 tackles, 1 sack at NU
- Saw action in six games in '25 primarily on special teams... made 7 tackles
- Four-time all-state selection... played eight-man football... state long jump champion



36 • JAYDEN MONTGOMERY • 5TH YR • WILL • 5-10 • 225
Suamico, Wis. (Bay Port)
- 15 career starts, 42 career games played
- William V. Campbell Trophy semifinalist... named to Jason Witten Collegiate Many of the Year Watch List... 2nd on team with 55 tackles, 8 TFL and 3.5 sacks in '26... had career-high 11 tackles vs. Ohio St., 8 tackles, 1 sack at Washington, 9 tackles, 1 sack at NU; 6 tackles, 1.5 TFL and 1 FR vs. WIS
- Had 36 tackles, 1 TFL, 2 PB and 2 QH in '25
- Appeared in 21 games on special teams in '23 and '24 seasons
- Member of the 2025 Player Council
- Son of former Hawkeye DL Jerry Montgomery (who played for Kirk Ferentz)



23 • LANDYN VAN KEKERIX • 5TH YR • LEO • 6-2 • 238
Rock Valley, Iowa (Boyden Hull/Rock Valley)
- 3 career starts, 30 career games played
- Has 29 tackles, 0.5 TFL, 0.5 sacks, 1 PB in '26... had career-high 11 tackles at Michigan in Week 4
- Member of the 2026 Player Council... earned the Reggie Roby Special Teams Award in '25 and Next Man In Award in '24
- Class 3A Player of the Year as a prep senior... played LB and WR



11 • JACOB WALLACE • 2ND YR • CASH • 5-10 • 186
Upper Marlboro, Md. (DeMatha Catholic)
- 6 career starts, 12 career games played
- Has 29 tackles, 2.5 TFL, 1 sack, 2 INTs, 2 PB and 1 QH in '26... made first career start in Week 1 vs. NIU... had first career INT in Week 3 vs. UNI... 6 tackles at Wash., 3 tackles, 1 INT vs. Wisconsin, 6 tackles vs. NU
- Appeared in 3 games as a first-year in '25... had five tackles in last two games
- Second-team all-state... 2024 McDonald's All-America nominee in basketball



8 • DESHAUN LEE • 5TH YR • DB • 5-10 • 189
Belleville, Mich. (Belleville)
- 35 career starts, 44 career games played
- Has 30 tackles, 3 INTs and 6 PB in '26... had Iowa's first INT of season in Week 1 vs. NIU, INT at Michigan in Week 4 and an INT at MINN... 6 career INTs
- HM All-B1G in '25... had 34 tackles, 2 INTs, 1 TFL and 6 PB in '25
- Had 42 tackles, 1 INT, 1 TFL, 4 PB in '24 and 32 tackles and 3 PB in '23
- First-team Michigan Dream Team as senior on defense... also honorable mention all-state as a wide receiver



6 • ZACH LUTMER • 4TH YR • FS • 6-1 • 203
Rock Rapids, Iowa (Central Lyon/GLR)
- 22 career starts, 37 career games played
- Lott Impact Trophy Quarterfinalist
- Has 52 tackles (3rd-most on team), 5 PB and 1 FF in '26... had a career-high 12 tackles in Week 4 at Michigan, 11 tackles vs. OSU, at MINN
- 2nd-team All-B1G in '25... ranked 4th on team in tackles (68) with a team-high 3 INT, 5.5 TFL,1 sack, 6 PB and 1 FR... had a 34-yard pick six vs. Minnesota
- Was a QB/DB in high school, leading team to state title as senior



18 • XAVIER STYLES • 3RD YR • SS • 6-1 • 207
Lakewood, Ohio (St. Edward City/Robert Morris)
- 11 career starts, 22 career games played
- Has 24 tackles (18 solo), 1 TFL and 4 PB in '26... made first start at Iowa in Week 6 at Washington... 6 tackles at NU
- Third-team All-Conference by Phil Steele in '25... started 7 games (appeared in 11) in '25 at Robert Morris... had 37 tackles, 2 FF, 7 PB and 1 INT



3 • JAYLEN WATSON • 3RD YR • DB • 5-11 • 187
Detroit, Mich. (Toledo Central (Ohio)
- 11 career starts, 32 career games played
- Has 26 tackles, 0.5 TFL, 7 PB and 1 QH in '26... had 6 tackles vs. OSU... 3 tackles and 3 PB at Michigan in Week 4
- Saw action in all 13 games with 2 starts in '25... had 15 tackles and 1 PB... played in 10 games as a first-year in '24
- First-team all-state as a senior... was named his team's Iron Man



49 • BOSTON EVERITT • 2ND YR • P • 6-0 • 199
Hope Island, Australia (University of Melbourne)
- 9 career game played... has been punting for 2 years
- Ray Guy Award Midseason List... averaging 43.4 yards on 39 punts in '26... 22 punts have been inside the 20, 14 have been fair caught and 7 have gone 50+ yards... had a career-long 60-yard punt at Minnesota
- Played mainly basketball and Australian rules football
- Father, Peter "Spida" Everitt, played in the AFL

THE SERIES

• Purdue holds a 50-41-3 advantage in the series that began with a 16-0 Iowa win in 1910. Iowa has won two straight in the series.

• Iowa won the last meeting, 20-14, in 2023 in Kinnick Stadium. The Hawkeyes are 23-21-2 all-time in games played in Iowa City.

• Saturday's game is the first time Barry Odom has squared off against the Hawkeyes as a head coach. Odom was an assistant coach at Missouri in 2010 when Iowa beat the Tigers in the 2010 Insight Bowl.

• Iowa and the Boilermakers battled to a 21-21 tie at West Lafayette in 1994. That contest marked the last tie game for Iowa before the college football tiebreaker system was put in place.

SERIES RESULTS

10/22/1910	W, 16-0 (H)
11/11/1911	W, 11-0 (A)
11/6/1915	L, 13-19 (A)
10/21/1916	W, 24-6 (H)
10/21/1921	W, 13-6 (A)
10/28/1922	W, 56-0 (H)
10/13/1923	W, 7-0 (H)
11/16/1929	L, 0-7 (A)
10/18/1930	L, 0-20 (H)
11/14/1931	L, 0-22 (A)
11/12/1932	L, 0-18 (H)
11/18/1933	W, 14-6 (A)
11/10/1934	L, 6-13 (H)
11/16/1935	L, 6-12 (A)
11/14/1936	L, 0-13 (H)
10/30/1937	L, 0-13 (A)
10/29/1938	T, 0-0 (H)
11/4/1939	W, 4-0 (A)
11/2/1940	L, 6-21 (H)
10/25/1941	L, 6-7 (A)
10/31/1942	W, 13-7 (H)
10/23/1943	L, 7-28 (#4) (A)
10/21/1944	L, 7-26 (#11) (H)
10/13/1945	L, 0-40 (#15) (A)
9/28/1946	W, 16-0 (H)
11/1/1947	L, 0-21 (#16) (A)
10/16/1948	L, 13-20 (H)
10/1/1949	W, 21-7 (A)
10/21/1950	W, 33-21 (H)
10/6/1951	L, 30-34 (A)
10/11/1952	L, 14-41 (#16) (A)
11/7/1953	W, 26-0 (A)
11/6/1954	W, 25-14 (#8) (H)
10/15/1955	T, 20-20 (H)
10/27/1956	W, 21-20 (A)
10/24/1959	L, 7-14 (#14) (A)
10/22/1960	W, 21-14 (#10) (H)
10/28/1961	L, 0-9 (A)
10/27/1962	L, 3-26 (H)
10/26/1963	L, 0-14 (A)
10/24/1964	L, 14-19 (H)
10/9/1965	L, 14-17 (#6) (H)
10/8/1966	L, 0-35 (A)
10/28/1967	L, 22-41 (#7) (H)
10/26/1968	L, 15-44 (#7) (A)
10/18/1969	L, 31-35 (#17) (A)
10/17/1970	L, 3-24 (H)
10/2/1971	L, 13-45 (A)
10/7/1972	L, 0-24 (H)
11/3/1973	L, 23-48 (H)
11/2/1974	L, 14-38 (A)
11/15/1975	L, 18-19 (A)
11/13/1976	L, 0-21 (H)
10/22/1977	L, 21-34 (A)
10/28/1978	L, 7-34 (#17) (H)
11/3/1979	L, 14-20 (#15) (H)
11/8/1980	L, 13-58 (#17) (A)
11/7/1981	W, 33-7 (H)
11/6/1982	L, 7-16 (A)
10/15/1983	W, 31-14 (H)
10/13/1984	W, 40-3 (#14) (A)
11/16/1985	W, 27-24 (A)
11/15/1986	W, 42-14 (H)
10/24/1987	W, 38-14 (H)
10/22/1988	W, 31-7 (A)
11/18/1989	W, 24-0 (A)
11/17/1990	W, 38-9 (H)
10/25/1991	W, 31-21 (A)
10/24/1992	L, 16-27 (H)
10/30/1993	W, 26-17 (H)
10/29/1994	T, 21-21 (A)
11/1/1997	W, 35-17(#18) (H)
10/31/1998	L, 14-36 (A)
10/6/2001	L, 14-23 (#21) (A)
10/5/2002	W, 31-28 (H)
11/8/2003	L, 14-27 (#16) (A)
11/6/2004	W, 23-21 (H)
10/8/2005	W, 34-17 (A)
10/7/2006	W, 47-17 (H)
10/20/2007	L, 6-31 (A)
11/15/2008	W, 22-17 (H)
11/19/2011	W, 31-21 (A)
11/10/2012	L, 24-27 (H)
11/9/2013	W, 38-14 (A)
11/27/2014	W, 24-10 (A)
11/21/2015	W, 40-20 (H)
10/15/2016	W, 49-35 (A)
11/18/2017	L, 15-24 (H)
11/3/2018	L, 36-38 (A)
10/19/2019	W, 26-20 (H)
10/24/2020	L, 20-24 (A)
10/16/2021	L, 7-24 (H)
11/5/2022	W, 24-3 (A)
10/7/2023	W, 20-14 (H)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Iowa City, Iowa
Founded: 1847
Enrollment: 31,563
President: Barbara J. Wilson
Tippie Director of Athletics: Beth Goetz
Conference: Big Ten
Nickname: Hawkeyes
Mascot: Herky
Colors: Black and Gold (PMS 116)
First Year of Football: 1889
All-Time Record: 714-586-39
All-Time Bowl Record: 19-18-1
National Championships: 1921,'22'56,'58,'60

STADIUM INFORMATION

Stadium: Kinnick Stadium
Field: Duke Slater Field
Opened: 1929
Capacity: 69,250
Playing Surface: Field Turf
All-Time Record: 325-197-15

IOWA COACHES GAME DAY LOCATIONS

OFFENSE

Tim Lester (booth)	Offensive Coordinator
Billy VandeMerkt (field)	Quarterbacks
Jay Norvell (field)	Running Backs
Jon Budmayr (field)	Wide Receivers
George Barnett (field)	Offensive Line
Abdul Hodge (field)	Tight Ends

DEFENSE

Phil Parker (field)	Defensive Coordinator/DBs
Kelvin Bell (field)	Defensive Line
Jay Niemann (booth)	Assistant Defensive Line
Seth Wallace (field)	Asst. HC/Asst. Def. Coord./LBs

SPECIAL TEAMS

Chris Polizzi (field)	Special Teams Coordinator

2026 BIG TEN STANDINGS

Team	Big Ten	Pct.	Overall	Pct.
UCLA	6-0	1.000	9-0	1.000
Indiana	5-1	.833	8-1	.889
USC	4-2	.667	7-2	.778
IOWA	**4-2**	**.667**	**7-2**	**.778**
Wisconsin	4-2	.667	6-3	.667
Illinois	4-2	.667	6-3	.667
Oregon	4-2	.667	6-3	.667
Ohio State	4-2	.667	6-3	.667
Northwestern	3-3	.500	6-3	.667
Minnesot	3-3	.500	5-4	.556
Michigan	2-4	.333	5-4	.556
Penn State	2-4	.333	5-4	.556
Nebraska	2-4	.333	5-4	.556
Washington	2-4	.333	5-4	.556
Purdue	2-4	.333	3-6	.333
Maryland	1-5	.167	3-6	.333
Michigan State	1-5	.167	3-6	.333
Rutgers	1-5	.167	2-7	.222

UNDER THE LIGHTS

Saturday's game is the 29th night game inside Kinnick Stadium. Iowa is 21-7 under the lights, which includes an eight-game winning streak.

• Iowa won 27-0 over Nevada in 2022, 26-16 over Michigan State in 2023, 42-10 over Wisconsin and 13-10 over Nebraska in 2024, 34-7 over UAlbany, 47-7 over UMass and 25-24 over Penn State in 2025 and 16-13 over Iowa State on Sept. 12.

ALONE AT THE TOP

Kirk Ferentz is in his 28th season as Iowa's head football coach, where he is the longest tenured active head coach in college football and all-time winningest coach in Big Ten Conference history. Ferentz broke the record during the 2025 season, passing Ohio State's Woody Hayes atop the prestigious list. He currently has 215 career victories.

• Ferentz has 137 Big Ten wins, which rank third all-time, trailing Hayes (153) and Michigan's Bo Schembechler (143).

• Ferentz won his 200th career game at Iowa State in 2023. He is the 27th coach at an FBS institution to reach the 200-career win milestone and the 99th coach across all divisions. Former Hawkeye head coach Hayden Fry finished his career with 236 victories.

• Ferentz has 11 career bowl game victories -- the most as a member of the Big Ten Conference.

YEAR AFTER YEAR

Three of Iowa's assistant coaches -- Phil Parker (27), Seth Wallace (15) and Kelvin Bell (13) -- have combined to coach 55 combined seasons with the Iowa football program under Kirk Ferentz. Strength coach Raimond Braithwaite is in his 22nd year with the program.

• Three assistants Kelvin Bell, Abdul Hodge and Jay Norvell played for the Iowa football program and 14 additional staff members are University of Iowa graduates.

STAFF CHANGE

The Hawkeyes have three new coaches on the 2026 coaching staff in special teams coordinator Chris Polizzi, running backs coach Jay Norvell and quarterbacks coach Billy VandeMerkt (Polizzi and VandeMerkt were analysts in 2025).

• Polizzi is in his fifth year on the Hawkeye staff, as he was a graduate assistant with the program from 2012-14. He has two decades of collegiate coaching experience, most recently serving as the defensive coordinator at Tulsa from 2023-24.

• Norvell, a former Hawkeye defensive back and captain of the 1985 Rose Bowl team, joins the staff as running backs coach. Norvell, who has four decades of coaching experience, began his coaching career as a graduate assistant under Hayden Fry (when Kirk Ferentz was the offensive line coach). He coached in the NFL for six seasons and was a head coach at Nevada (2017-22) and Colorado State (2022-25).

• VandeMerkt was elevated to quarterbacks coach in the offseason following the 2025 season.

WELCOMING BACK AN ICON

Former Hawkeye and longtime coach Tom Moore joined the program as a senior consultant during the spring. Moore lettered for the Hawkeyes in 1959 and 1960 as a quarterback and kicker before serving as a graduate assistant in 1961 and 1962.

• Moore celebrated his 88th birthday last Saturday.

• Moore has been around the game for more than six decades across collegiate and professional football. He is a four-time Super Bowl champion, and he helped five teams win conference titles. Moore coached under Chuck Noll with the Steelers and Tony Dungy in Indianapolis.

MIDSEASON HONORS

Hank Brown – Davey O'Brien Midseason List
Cam Buffington – Butkus Award Semifinalist, The Athletic Second-Team Midseason All-American
Boston Everitt – Ray Guy Midseason Watch List
Kirk Ferentz - Dodd Trophy Midseason List, Bear Bryant Award Watch List
Evan James - Jett Award Midseason List
Trevor Lauck – Lombardi Award Semifinalist, The Athletic First-Team Midseason All-American
Zach Lutmer - Lott Impact Trophy Quarterfinalist
Kade Pieper - Lombardi Award Semifinalist, AP Midseason All-American, Sporting News Midseason All-America Team, The Athletic First-Team Midseason All-American
Cael Winter – Burlsworth Trophy nominee
Offensive Line – Joe Moore Award Midseason Honor Roll

MORE NOTABLES

• Fourth-year RB Kamari Moulton suffered a season-ending injury in Week 8 at Minnesota. The Florida native finished the season with 541 rushing yards on 86 attempts with four touchdowns. He had 208 yards in Week 6 at Washington.

• Iowa's defense held Northwestern to a season-low 10 points. The Wildcats had scored 23+ points in each of their previous eight games.

• The Hawkeyes' 30-0 shutout win over Wisconsin was the first over an AP-ranked team in 66 years -- since a 42-0 win at No. 6 Northwestern in 1960. Head coach Kirk Ferentz was named the Dodd Trophy Coach of the Week following the victory.

• Iowa has outscored the Badgers, 67-0, over the past two seasons and 155-26 during the five-game winning streak.

• The Hawkeyes are the first team to shut out Wisconsin in consecutive seasons since Michigan had a four-year streak from 1977-80.

• Iowa is 3-1 in three road games this season, picking up road victories at Michigan, Washington and Northwestern. It is the second straight year the program has won three road contests.

• The Hawkeyes handed Northwestern its first loss at the new Ryan Field.

• Iowa's Week 4 road win at No. 18 Michigan was the team's first ranked Big Ten road victory since 2015 (at Northwestern) and it was the Hawkeyes' first road win over a ranked Wolverine team since 2002.

• The win in Ann Arbor snapped Michigan's 58-game home winning streak when leading at halftime, which was the second-longest streak nationally.

2026 TEAM STAT COMPARISONS

	IOWA	PUR
Points/Game	27.8	29.4
Points Allowed/Game	12.2	32.3
1st Downs/Game	19.3	21.8
1st Downs Allowed/Game	14.9	20.6
Rush Yards/Game	173.8	117.9
Rush Yards Allowed/Game	81.9	170.8
Pass Yards/Game	200.1	267.0
Pass Yards Allowed/Game	194.8	244.7
Total Offense/Game	373.9	384.9
Total Defense/Game	276.7	415.4
INT Thrown/INT Made	6/6	5/8
Turnover Margin	-1	+2
Sacks By/Allowed/Game	3.33/0.89	1.22/2.67
3rd Down Off./Def.	.410/.290	.410/.480
Red Zone Off./Def.	.880/.730	.930/.940
Kickoff Return Avg.	47.0	22.1
Punt Return Avg.	12.0	10.0
Penalties/Yds. Per Game	5.6/44.4	5.9/45.4
Field Goals	14-16	21-22

2026 NCAA RANKINGS COMPARISON

	IOWA	PUR
Points/Game	71	58
Points Allowed/Game	3	124
1st Downs/Game	92	42
1st Downs Allowed/Game	7	94
Rush Yards/Game	47	117
Rush Yards Allowed/Game	10	99
Pass Yards/Game	103	26
Pass Yards Allowed/Game	45	116
Total Offense/Game	75	67
Total Defense/Game	9	123
INT Thrown/INT Made	53/71	38/33
Turnover Margin	74	50
Sacks/Game	7	119
Sacks Allowed/Game	8	111
3rd Down Offense	58	56
3rd Down Defense	7	131
Red Zone Offense	45	20
Red Zone Defense	10	128
Kickoff Return Avg.	1	49
Punt Return Avg.	36	61

HAWKEYES IN NCAA TOP-20

Braeden Jackson - Kickoff Return TD - 2nd (2)
Evan James - Punt Return TD - 6th (1)
Cam Buffington - Solo Tackles - 9th (5.22)
Evan James - Punt Returns - 14th (12.4)

• The Hawkeyes' Week 4 road win at Michigan was the program's eighth win all-time at the Big House (third under Ferentz). Iowa has beaten Michigan 16 times since 1900; Kirk Ferentz has been a coach in 11 of the 16 wins; eight as head coach and three as an assistant.
• The Hawkeyes played in front of 111,126 fans at the Big House, which was the fifth-largest crowd Iowa has played in front of in program history.
• RB Braeden Jackson had a 99-yard kickoff return for a touchdown in Week 4 at Michigan, which ties the seventh-longest in program history, and a 96-yarder in Week 10 at Northwestern. Iowa has returned both a punt and kickoff for a touchdown in three straight seasons.
• Iowa's 55-point margin of victory over UNI in Week 3 is the team's largest since 2018 (63-0 at Illinois).
• Second-year kicker Caden Buhr drilled a 42-yard game-winning field goal with 15 seconds remaining to give Iowa the 16-13 win over Iowa State. Since 2015, Iowa has won 10 games on a field goal in the final 30 seconds of the fourth quarter.
• Iowa's 422 rushing yards in Week 3 are the seventh-most all-time in program history and the seventh-most in the nation this season. They are the highwater mark under Ferentz and the most for the program since 1990.
• The Hawkeye offense had 640 yards of total offense and 32 total first downs in Week 3. The 32 first downs are the most in a game under Ferentz, while the yardage is second-most under Ferentz.
• Iowa's 16-13 victory over Iowa State was its eighth consecutive win in a night game inside Kinnick Stadium.
• The season-opening 40-0 victory over Northern Illinois had a 90-degree temperature at kickoff, making it third-hottest home game in program history.
• The Deans… Iowa head coach Kirk Ferentz is the longest-tenured head coach in the nation; defensive coordinator Phil Parker is the longest-tenured DC in college football.
• Retention… the Hawkeyes had eight transfers following the 2025 season – fewest among Power Four teams
• Iowa lost 27 seniors and a school-record seven NFL Draft picks from last year's team that finished with a 9-4 overall record and No. 17 in the final rankings.
• The Hawkeyes have more wins in the playoff era (104) than any other Power 4 team that hasn't made the playoff.
• Iowa's four losses during the 2025 season came by a combined 15 points. The Hawkeyes were one of five teams that didn't lose a game by more than seven points last season.
• Since Phil Parker took over as Iowa's defensive coordinator in 2012, Iowa is 79-5 (.940) when winning the turnover battle.
• Iowa's offense averaged 29.3 points last season under OC Tim Lester – the most for the program since 2018. The unit averaged 27.7 points in 2024 during Lester's first season.
• Iowa is one of seven programs nationally to have posted 12 straight winning seasons, along with Alabama, Boise State, Clemson, Georgia, Memphis and Ohio State.
• The Hawkeyes are 42-2 when scoring 21+ points since 2020. Since the start of the 2015 season, Iowa is 86-6 when leading by eight points at any point in a game and since 2018. Iowa is 22-3 when hitting the 21-point mark first in a game.
• Iowa is 69-2 when leading by 14+ points since 2015. The two losses came against Michigan State (2020) and USC (2025).
• Since 2020, the Hawkeyes are 21-10 in road games and the team has posted a winning road record dating back to the start of the 2018 season (27-14 record).
• Iowa's defense has allowed fewer than 400 yards in 57 of the last 63 games and 16 or fewer points in 35 of its last 62 games. The Hawkeyes have held 16 teams without a touchdown since the start of the 2022 season.
• The Hawkeyes are 166-8-1 when allowing 10 points or less since 1970 and 399-59-19 when allowing 10 points or less all-time.

TIGHT GAMES

Iowa has played 142 games in the Ferentz era in games decided by one score or less. The Hawkeyes are 70-72 (.499) in such contests. Over the past two-plus years, Iowa has won 10 of 19 games decided by eight points or fewer. Iowa is 2-1 in games decided by three points or less in 2026 (winning 16-13 vs. Iowa State and 20-19 vs. Michigan and losing 13-10 at Minnesota.)

OFFENSIVE NOTES

HANK & HECK

Iowa's quarterback competition began in January and spilled into the season between fourth-year Hank Brown and third-year Jeremy Hecklinski. Brown started the first five games (and seven games overall), leading the team to six victories in seven starts. He missed the Week 6 road game at Washington because of injury. Hecklinski started Week 6 and Week 8, leading the offense to 41 points and 465 yards of total offense -- the most against a Power 5 opponent under OC Tim Lester – in the road win at Washington.

HANK UNDER CENTER

Fourth-year quarterback Hank Brown has started seven of the Hawkeyes' first nine games during the 2026 season. In eight games played, the Tennessee native is 125-of-190 for 1,316 yards with nine touchdowns. He is completing 65.8 percent of his attempts.
• Brown has 11 explosive passes during the season, including three apiece in wins over Michigan and Wisconsin.
• Over the last month, Brown has twice engineered 90-yard fourth-quarter touchdown drives while trailing. At Michigan, the Hawkeyes went 91 yards on 11 plays in 1:46 to score a game-winning touchdown as time expired. In Week 8 at Minnesota, Brown directed a 98-yard, four-play drive in 1:58 for a game-tying touchdown.
• In Week 10 at Northwestern, Brown completed 16-of-21 attempts for 126 yards with one touchdown. He was 11-of-13 for 102 yards and one touchdown in in the first half.
• In Week 9 vs. Wisconsin, Brown completed 20-of-24 attempts for 222 yards and two touchdowns to garner Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week and Manning Award Stars of the Week honors on Nov. 2. He started the game 7-of-8 for 90 yards with a touchdown and was 16-of-18 for 190 yards and two touchdowns in the first half – the most in a first half by a Hawkeye since Nate Stanley (212 vs. Illinois) in 2019.

HAWKEYE FOOTBALL BY THE NUMBERS

228	Ferentz's overall career victories
216	Ferentz has 216 wins Iowa's head coach as a member of the Big Ten Conference -- the most in league history
200	Ferentz won his 200th career game at Iowa State on Sept. 9, 2023
101	NFL Draft picks under Kirk Ferentz
100	Ferentz won his 100th career Big Ten game at Penn State in 2020
62	Calvin Jones' retired number, one of two in school history
60	Hawkeyes who have played in the Super Bowl
38	Bowl games (19-18-1)
35	First-team All-America honors under Kirk Ferentz
35	Consensus All-Americans
34	Ferentz's career wins against AP-ranked opponents
32	Players have combined to earn Academic All-America honors
29	Times finished a season ranked
26	First or second round NFL draft picks under Kirk Ferentz
24	Heisman Trophy winner (1939) Nile Kinnick's retired number
20	Consensus All-Americans under Ferentz
19	Bowl Victories
18	CFB Hall of Famers
14	Players under Ferentz who have won a total of 17 national awards
12	School record 12 wins in 2015
11	Big Ten Championships
11	Bowl wins under Kirk Ferentz
11	Former players recognized on Kinnick Stadium Wall of Honor
5	National Championships (1921, 1922, 1956, 1958, 1960)
5	Five times finished the year ranked in top 10 under Ferentz
5	Former Hawkeyes in Pro Football Hall of Fame
4	Kirk Ferentz has been named B1G Coach of the Year
3	Three times won 11 games or more under Kirk Ferentz (2002, 2009, 2015)

CAPTAINS BY WEEK

NIU: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
Iowa State: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
UNI: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
Michigan: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
Ohio State: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
Washington: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
Minnesota: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
Wisconsin: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrenga, J. Montgomery
Northwestern: D. Lee, Z. Lutmer, A. Ostrena, J. Montgomery
Purdue:
Illinois:
Nebraska

• Brown's 83.3 completion percentage against the Badgers was the highest by any Iowa QB in a Big Ten game (min. 20 attempts) since at least 1995.
• In Week 4, Brown completed 21-of-35 attempts for 227 yards and two touchdowns. He was 13-of-19 for 142 yards and two touchdowns (4-of-6 on third down) in the fourth quarter in leading the Hawkeyes to a come-from-behind victory. He hit Reece Vander Zee for a 16-yard score as time expired to send the team to the walk-off win.
• Brown went the distance for the first time this season in Iowa's Week 2 victory over Iowa State. He completed 21-of-30 attempts for 191 yards, while also rushing eight times for 22 yards with one touchdown.
• In seven drives spanning Week 2 and Week 3, Brown guided the offense on seven consecutive scoring drives – two fourth-quarter field goals vs. Iowa State and five touchdowns in the first half against UNI.

PERFECTO NO. 9
Fourth-year quarterback Hank Brown was perfect in Week 3 against UNI. The Tennessee native went 12-for-12 for 153 yards and two touchdowns in the 55-0 victory.
• Brown tied a program record, becoming the second Iowa quarterback to finish with a perfect completion percentage, joining Brad Banks, who was 10-for-10 for 197 yards against Northwestern in 2002. He ran consecutive completion total to 14 straight, connecting on his first two passes in Week 4 at Michigan.
• Brown is the first Iowa quarterback to complete his first 12 passes in a game since C.J. Beathard had 15 straight completions to start the game against North Texas on Sept. 26, 2015.

CLUTCH WHEN IT COUNTS
Through the first three quarters of Iowa's Week 4 win at Michigan, fourth-year quarterback Hank Brown had completed 8-of-16 passes for 85 yards and the Hawkeyes were 2-of-8 on third down.
• Brown produced when it counted, leading Iowa to two fourth-quarter touchdowns and a road victory at the Big House. He completed 13-of-19 passes for 142 yards and two touchdowns, including the game-winner as time expired. Brown was 4-of-6 on third down in the fourth quarter alone.
• Following his efforts in his first career road start, Brown was named to the Davey O'Brien Award Great 8 List for Week 4.
• Iowa took over at its own 9-yard line with 1:46 remaining, trailing 19-14. The Hawkeyes went 91 yards over 11 plays – its longest scoring drive of the season – to stun the Wolverines. Iowa converted three third downs on the drive, including a 29-yard completion to tight end Addison Ostrenga, where he tipped the ball to himself, setting up the final play with two seconds remaining.
• The Hawkeyes took their first lead early in the fourth quarter with a seven-play, 75-yard touchdown drive. Brown hooked up with WR Tony Diaz for 32 yards and Diaz tipped another ball to DJ Vonnahme to the U-M 16. Vander Zee caught a 16-yard skinny post to give Iowa a 14-13 lead on the second play of the fourth quarter.
• Brown is the third Big Ten quarterback since 2000 to win his first career road start, joining Ohio State's Craig Krenzel in 2001 and Wisconsin's Graham Mertz in 2020.

DID THAT JUST HAPPEN?!
Iowa has had three walk-off touchdowns in the Kirk Ferentz era (1999-2026) -- Drew Tate to Warren Holloway in the 2005 Capital One Bowl victory over LSU; Ricky Stanzi to Marvin McNutt, Jr., in the road win at Michigan State in 2009; Hank Brown to Reece Vander Zee in the Big House in 2026.
• Vander Zee and Brown joined Hawkeye lore with a game-winning, walk-off touchdown in Iowa's 20-19 road victory at No. 18 Michigan in Week 4 in Ann Arbor. Vander Zee caught a 16-yard touchdown pass from Brown on a comeback route for his second touchdown of the game. He finished with five receptions for 55 yards with the two touchdowns, tying a career high. All five of Vander Zee's receptions in the game went for first downs.

GOING THE DISTANCE
Iowa has had 97+ yard touchdown drives in three straight games, becoming the only FBS team since at least 2015 to accomplish the feat. The Hawkeyes had three 97+ yard TD drives from 2016-25; the team has three this season.

98-yard TD drive – at Minnesota – Week 8
98-yard TD drive – vs. Wisconsin – Week 9
97-yard TD drive – at Northwestern – Week 10

HOW 'BOUT THE O!
Iowa's offense finished with 640 yards of total offense in the Week 3 victory over UNI. The Hawkeyes finished with 422 rushing yards – the seventh-most in program history – and the most by the program since 1990.
• The 640 yards are the 10th-most in a single game in Iowa's history, dating back to 1889.
• The Hawkeyes scored touchdowns on their first five possessions for the first time since the 2019 Holiday Bowl victory over USC. The offense finished with 42 first-half points -- the most for the program since 2005 (49 vs. Ball State) and the most in a game since 2017 (42 at Nebraska).

FIRST-YEAR STARTERS (SINCE 1999)

Since 1999, Kirk Ferentz's first year as Iowa head coach, 34 first-year players have started for the Hawkeyes.

2024 Reece Vander Zee (8 games)

2022 Kaleb Johnson, RB (6 games)
2022 Xavier Nwankpa, DB (1 game)

2021 Connor Colby, OL (11 games)
2021 Keagan Johnson, WR (9 games)
2021 Arland Bruce IV, WR (4 games)

2019 Tyler Goodson, RB (2 games)
2019 Dane Belton, DB (3 games)
2019 Jack Campbell, LB (1 game)
2019 Sam LaPorta, TE (1 game)

2018 Riley Moss, CB (6 games)
2018 Julius Brents, CB (5 games)

2017 Matt Hankins, FS (2 games)
2017 Ihmir Smith-Marsette, WR (3 games)
2017 Tristan Wirfs, OL (7 RT, 1 LT)

2016 Manny Rugamba, CB (3 games)

2015 Jerminic Smith, WR (2 games)
2015 James Daniels, LG (2 games)

2013 Matt VandeBerg, WR (2 games)
2013 Desmond King, CB (12 games)

2012 Greg Garmon, RB (1 game)

2011 Jordan Canzeri, RB (1 game)

2010 Marcus Coker, RB (2 games)
2010 James Morris, LB (4 games)

2009 Brandon Wegher, RB (2 games)

2007 Bryan Bulaga, LG (5 games)
2007 Dominique Douglas, WR (11 games)

2006 A.J. Edds, LB (1 game)

2003 Mike Jones, LG (7 games)
2003 Champ Davis, FB (1 game)

2000 Benny Sapp, CB (8 games)
2000 Bob Sanders, SS (4 games)
2000 Jonathan Babineaux, FB (3 games)

1999 Fred Barr, LB (6 games)

• Iowa had 418 yards in the first half with 24 first downs. It is believed to be the first time the program has had 400+ first-half yards since 1995 vs. New Mexico State (401 yards).
• The Hawkeyes finished with 34 first downs in the game – the most in Kirk Ferentz's Hawkeye tenure.

500+

Iowa's offense accumulated 500+ yards of total offense in two games in 2026, which are the top two offensive outputs under Iowa offensive coordinator Tim Lester.
• It is the first time since 2006 that the Hawkeye offense has had 500+ yards in multiple games in a single season.
• The Hawkeyes finished with 465 yards of total offense – 263 on ground, 202 through the air – in Week 6 at Washington. It is the high-water mark of the Lester era against a Power 5 opponent.

TOP OFFENSIVE OUTPUTS UNDER LESTER

640 – Northern Iowa – 9/19/26
507 – Northern Illinois – 9/5/26
492 – Illinois State – 8/31/24
465 – at Washington – 10/9/26
462 – Troy – 9/14/24
435 – UMass – 9/13/25

3 X 100

Iowa was without its top two running backs – Kamari Moulton and L.J. Phillips – because of injury in Week 3 against UNI, and it didn't matter. The Hawkeyes had three running backs record 100-yard games – a first for the program since 1983 when Eddie Phillips (172), Owen Gill (104) and Norm Granger (128) rushed for a school-record 517 yards in a win at Minnesota.
• Third-year running back Xavier Williams finished with 151 yards on six attempts with three touchdowns, averaging 25.2 yards per carry. He had touchdown runs of 48, 16 and 37 yards for his first career three-touchdown game. Williams needed only four attempts to notch his second career 100-yard game.
• Second-year running back Braeden Jackson had 11 carries for 125 yards and one touchdown on the ground to go along with a 24-yard touchdown reception for his first career score. He had a career-long 62-yard scoring run in the fourth quarter – a long by a Hawkeye this season.
• Second-year running back Nathan McNeil made his first career start, finishing with 111 yards and two touchdowns to go along with three receptions for 37 yards.
• The running back trio finished with six rushing touchdowns in the game – the most for the program since 2017 at Nebraska.

RUN THE BALL

• Iowa's rushing attack is averaging 173.8 yards over the first nine games of the 2026 season, which ranks 47th nationally.
• The Hawkeyes rushed for 298 yards in Week 1 against Northern Illinois, 422 yards in Week 3 against UNI and 263 yards in Week 6 at Washington.
• Iowa has had five different players – Kamari Moulton (2), Nathan McNeil (1), Braeden Jackson (1), Xavier Williams (1) and L.J. Phillips, Jr. (1) – rush for 100 yards in a game in 2026. It is the first time in school history that Iowa has had five players record 100+ yards rushing games in the same season.
• Iowa has 16 games with 200+ rushing yards under OC Tim Lester. The Hawkeyes are 15-1 in those contests.

HECK OF A START

Third-year quarterback Jeremy Hecklinski led the Hawkeyes to a Week 6 road victory at Washington in his first collegiate start. The Marietta, Georgia, native completed 14-of-19 passes, including his final 12 passes, for 202 yards and three touchdowns – a season high by a Hawkeye QB this season.
• Hecklinski is the fourth Iowa quarterback in the Kirk Ferentz era to have three touchdowns in his debut, joining Jon Beutjer (4) in 2000, Ricky Stanzi (2008) and Nate Stanley (2017).
• He is the fourth player under Ferentz to win their first career start on the road, joining Jason Manson (2006 at Syracuse), C.J. Beathard (2014 at Purdue) and Jackson Stratton (2024 at Maryland). He was also the first player to beat Washington at Husky Stadium in his first career start since 2005.

NATIONAL RANKINGS

CFP Rankings (Nov. 3)	AP Poll (Week 11)	Coaches Poll (Week 11)
1. Miami (Fla.)	1. Georgia (53)	1. Georgia (54)
2. Georgia	2. Utah (12)	2. Utah (14)
3. Utah	3. Notre Dame (5)	3. Notre Dame (4)
4. Indiana	4. UCLA	4. UCLA (1)
5. Alabama	5. Miami (Fla.)	5. Indiana (2)
6. Kentucky	6. Indiana	6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Texas	7. Alabama	7. Alabama
8. UCLA	8. Texas	8. Texas
9. BYU	9. Tennessee	9. Tennessee
10. Ole Miss	10. Texas Tech	10. Texas Tech
11. Notre Dame	11. Wake Forest	11. Wake Forest
12. Ohio State	12. BYU	12. BYU
13. Tennessee	13. Kentucky	13. Kentucky
14. LSU	14. Houston	14. USC
15. Texas Tech	15. USC	**15. IOWA**
16. Wake Forest	**16. IOWA**	16. Houston
17. Houston	17. Boise State	17. Ole Miss
18. Missouri	18. Oregon	18. Boise State
19. IOWA	19. Ole Miss	19. Oregon
20. USC	20. South Carolina	20. Ohio State
21. South Carolina	21. Ohio State	21. Arizona
22. Arizona	22. Arizona	22. LSU
23. Oregon	23. New Mexico	23. SMU
24. Florida	24. LSU	24. South Carolina
25. Boise State	25. SMU	25. New Mexico

HAWKEYES IN THE POLLS

Date	AP	COACHES	S16	CFP
Preseason	22	22	RV (30)	--
Sept. 8	21	21	--	--
Sept. 13	18	20	--	--
Sept. 20	17	17	RV (22)	--
Sept. 27	14	14	15	--
Oct. 4	20	18	RV (29)	--
Oct. 11	17	16	RV (18)	--
Oct. 18	15	14	15	--
Oct. 25	RV (26)	24	RV (24)	--
Nov. 1	21	20	RV (21)	19
Nov. 9	16	15	RV (17)	--

IOWA IN OVERTIME

Iowa holds a 7-5 record in overtime games. Iowa won its first overtime contest, defeating Penn State 26-23 on Nov. 4, 2000, in State College, Pa. The Hawkeyes are 3-4 in single overtime, 3-0 in double overtime and 1-1 in triple overtime. Iowa is 2-2 in overtime in Kinnick Stadium and 5-3 in overtime road games. Following are Iowa's overtime games:

Date	Result	OTs	Opponent
11/4/00	W, 26-23	Double	at Penn State
9/28/02	W, 42-35	Single	at Penn State
10/22/05	L, 20-23	Single	vs. Michigan
9/09/06	W, 20-13	Triple	at Syracuse
10/27/07	W, 34-27	Double	vs. Michigan St.
11/14/09	L, 24-27	Single	at Ohio State
9/10/11	L, 41-44	Triple	at Iowa State
10/13/12	W, 19-16	Double	at Michigan St.
10/26/13	W, 17-10	Single	vs. Northwestern
11/28/14	L, 34-37	Single	vs. Nebraska
9/9/17	W, 44-41	Single	at Iowa State
10/21/17	L, 10-17	Single	at Northwestern

• Iowa is 8-1 since 2006 in games where its back-up QB makes a first career start – Jason Manson (2006), Jake Christensen (2008), C.J. Beathard (2014), Alex Padilla (2021), Joey Labas (2022), Deacon Hill (2023), Jackson Stratton (2024) and Hecklinski (2026).
• Hecklinski, who earned Manning Award Star of the Week honors in Week 6, is 41-of-67 for 472 yards and four touchdowns in 2026.

L.J. JOINS THE PARTY

In his first career start as a Hawkeye, fourth-year L.J. Phillips, Jr., became the fifth different Iowa running back to post a 100-yard rushing game in 2026. He finished with 128 yards on 21 attempts in Week 10 at Northwestern.
• It was Phillips' 10th career 100-yard game and first at the FBS level. He had a season-long 45-yard run in the second quarter.
• Phillips, who missed three games from Week 2-4 because of injury, has 55 carries for 243 yards in 2026.

X STEPS IN

Third-year Xavier Williams earned his second career start in Week 9 vs. Wisconsin in place of an injured Kamari Moulton. The Indiana native finished with 20 carries for 78 yards to pace the team for the second time this season. Williams has 47 rushes for 272 yards and three touchdowns in 2026.
• In Week 2, Williams finished with 151 yards on six attempts with three touchdowns, averaging 25.2 yards per carry against UNI. He had touchdown runs of 48, 16 and 37 yards for his first career three-touchdown game. Williams needed only four attempts to notch his second career 100-yard game.

MR. DIAZ

Third-year wide receiver Tony Diaz has a team-high 35 receptions for 504 yards and three touchdowns in his first nine games as a Hawkeye. The Texan has been targeted 63 times combined in the first nine contests. His 504 yards are the most by an Iowa wide receiver since 2019 (Ihmir Smith-Marsette, 722; Tyrone Tracy, 589).
• Diaz made a splash in his Hawkeye debut, making seven receptions for 84 yards with a touchdown. He had three catches for 32 yards and drew a pass interference penalty in the end zone on Iowa's opening drive of the season, which culminated with a 6-yard touchdown reception.
• Diaz had eight receptions for 95 yards in Week 2 against Iowa State, which included a 56-yard reception to set up the team's first touchdown. He had a 57-yard catch in Week 7 at Minnesota -- the longest by a Hawkeye since 2024.
• In Week 9, Diaz had four catches for 75 yards with a 4-yard touchdown reception in the 30-0 win over Wisconsin and he had a 24-yard touchdown reception in Week 10 at Northwestern.

RVZ PRODUCES

Third-year Reece Vander Zee has 28 receptions for 403 yards in 2026, which are both single-season career bests. Vander Zee caught a career-long 37-yard touchdown pass in Week 8 at Minnesota, giving him four touchdown receptions this season, which are also a career high.
• Vander Zee had a career-high 69 receiving yards against Washington and five receptions for 51 yards in Week 9 vs. Wisconsin.
• In Week 4 at Michigan, he had five receptions for 66 yards with two touchdowns. His 16-yard walk-off touchdown gave Iowa the 20-19 road win at the Big House.

DJ… VONNAHME

During the 2025 season, DJ Vonnahme went from a relative unknown to Iowa's top tight end and leading receiver. He paced the team with 29 catches for 534 yards and three touchdowns, which included a career-high seven-catch, 146-yard output in the ReliaQuest Bowl victory over Vanderbilt. The 146 yards were the second-most by a tight end in program history.
• Over his final five games of the season, Vonnahme had 19 catches for 370 yards and three touchdowns.
• In eight games in 2026 (he missed Week 3 because of injury), Vonnahme has 32 receptions for 314 yards – third-most on the team.
• Vonnahme had a season-high six receptions for 64 yards in Week 5 against Ohio State. He caught two touchdown passes in Week 6 at Washington for his first career multi-touchdown game. Vonnahme was the first Hawkeye tight end with a multi-TD half since T.J. Hockenson in 2018 at Illinois.
• Vonnahme is the fourth Iowa tight end under head coach Kirk Ferentz to have 2+ receiving touchdowns in a road game, joining Ray Hamilton (2014 at Illinois), Noah Fant (2017 at Nebraska) and T.J. Hockenson (2018 at Indiana; 2018 at Illinois).
• In Week 9 vs. Wisconsin, Vonnahme had five receptions for 54 yards with one receiving and one rushing touchdown to earn John Mackey Tight End of the Week honors on Nov. 3. His rushing TD was the first by a Hawkeye tight end since Hockenson (at Minnesota) in 2018.

HAWKEYES IN THE NFL

Iowa football players have a long tradition of being well prepared for professional football following their college playing careers. Since 2010, 61 Hawkeyes have been selected in the NFL Draft. Today, 44 Hawkeyes are on NFL rosters (as of Sept. 3, 2026).

NAME	TEAM	POS.
Erick All	Cincinnati Bengals	TE
Dane Belton	New York Jets	DB
Yahya Black	Pittsburgh Steelers	DL
Jack Campbell	Detroit Lions	LB
Sebastian Castro	Pittsburgh Steelers (PS)	DB
Connor Colby	San Francisco 49ers	G
Cooper DeJean	Philadelphia Eagles	DB
Gennings Dunker	Pittsburgh Steelers	OL
A.J. Epenesa	Philadelphia Eagles	DE
Noah Fant	New Orleans Saints	TE
Chauncey Gholston	New York Giants	DL
Tyler Goodson	Atlanta Falcons	RB
T.J. Hall	New Orleans Saints (PS)	DB
Jack Heflin	New York Jets	DL
Jay Higgins	Baltimore Ravens	LB
T.J. Hockenson	Minnesota Vikinga	TE
Amani Hooker	Tennessee Titans	S
Alaric Jackson	Los Angeles Rams	LT
Kaleb Johnson	Green Bay Packers	RB
Logan Jones	Chicago Bears	C
George Kittle	San Francisco 49ers	TE
Casey Kreiter	Arizona Cardinals	LS
Hayden Large	Chicago Bears (IR)	TE
Logan Lee	Pittsburgh Steelers	DL
Sam LaPorta	Detroit Lions	TE
Tyler Linderbaum	Las Vegas Raiders	C
Max Llewellyn	Miami Dolphins (PS)	DE
Kaevon Merriweather	Jacksonville Jaguars (PS)	S
Riley Moss	Denver Broncos	DB
Anthony Nelson	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	OLB
Nick Niemann	Green Bay Packers	LB
Xavier Nwankpa	Kansas City Chiefs	S
Mason Richman	Seattle Seahawks (IR)	OL
Karson Sharar	Arizona Cardinals	LB
Brandon Smith	Pittsburgh Steelers (PS)	WR
Ihmir Smith-Marsette	Arizona Cardinals (PS)	WR
Beau Stephens	Seattle Seahawks	G
Drew Stevens	Washington Commanders	K
Geno Stone	Buffalo Bills	S
Tory Taylor	Chicago Bears	P
Lukas Van Ness	Green Bay Packers	DE
Kristian Welch	Green Bay Packers (PS)	LB
Kaden Wetjen	Pittsburgh Steelers	WR
Tristian Wirfs	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	LT

DJ & CO.

Along with third-year DJ Vonnahme, the Hawkeyes boast a deep tight end room under Abdul Hodge. Fifth-year Addison Ostrenga returns after missing all but two games last season because of injury, while fourth-year Zach Ortwerth and second-years Thomas Meyer and Mason Woods add to the room's depth.

• Ostrenga, who was Iowa's starter to open the 2025 season, has 60 career catches for 419 yards and four touchdowns. He had a 14-yard touchdown reception in Week 3 vs. UNI – his first score in three seasons.

• Iowa's tight ends have a combined 56 receptions for 508 yards and five total touchdowns this year.

O-LINE RETOOLS

Despite losing three starters to graduation and the NFL, the Hawkeyes have reloaded at a position where it won the Joe Moore Award as the nation's best offensive line in 2025. Iowa returned a pair of starters this season in preseason All-American Kade Pieper and tackle Trevor Lauck.

• The o-line started the same five players from Week 1-9 before sixth-year Michael Myslinski stepped in at center in Week 10 when Cael Winter missed the game because of injury. It was Myslinski's first career start. It is the first time since the 2024 season that Iowa had to alter its starting lineup on the offensive line.

• Iowa's offensive line, who has been named to the Joe Moore Award Midseason Honor Roll, has allowed eight sacks in nine games (the fewest in the Big Ten and eighth-fewest nationally) and the unit has paved the way for 173.8 rushing yards per contest.

DEFENSIVE NOTES

HAWKEYE SHUTOUTS

• Iowa's defense has posted three shutouts in 2026 – the 19th, 20th and 21st shutouts of the Kirk Ferentz era.

• The three shutouts are the most for the program since 1997 and the most in a single season under Ferentz.

• The Hawkeyes have 12 shutouts since 2018, the most in the nation in that span.

• In Week 1 with eight new starters, Iowa limited Northern Illinois to 120 yards and seven total first downs en route to a season-opening shutout. Iowa held the Huskies to 22 yards in the first quarter and 24 in the first half. NIU didn't pick up its initial first down until the 4:10 mark in the third quarter (which came via penalty).

• The 120 yards are tied for the sixth fewest allowed under Ferentz, while the seven first downs are tied for the seventh fewest.

• In Week 3 against UNI, Iowa allowed 155 yards of total offense (53 on ground, 102 through air) and nine first downs.

• In Week 9 vs. Wisconsin, the Hawkeyes forced three turnovers and limited the Badgers to 235 yards of total offense. Wisconsin had just 52 yards on the ground as it was shutout for the second straight year – a first by either team in the 100-game history in the series.

BUILDING BLOCKS

• Iowa has allowed 255 or fewer yards in five games this season and under 200 yards in a pair of contests.

• Through nine games, Iowa's defense is third in the nation in scoring defense (12.2), fifth in rushing defense (81.9), seventh in sacks (3.33), third-down defense (.291) and first-down defense (134), ninth in total defense (276.7) and 10th in red zone defense (.727)

• Iowa is leading the Big Ten in scoring defense and red zone defense, while ranking second in rushing defense and sacks.

STOPPING THE RUN

Iowa's rush defense in Week 6 was stout and that might be an understatement. The Hawkeyes limited Washington to (-3) rushing yards in the 41-24 victory – the second-fewest yards allowed in a game in head coach Kirk Ferentz's tenure.

• Washington's running backs had 12 carries for 19 yards in the game and that total was wiped out and then some thanks to six Hawkeye sacks for 22 yards.

• Iowa's rush defense is allowing 81.9 yards in nine games – fifth fewest in the nation -- and the defense has allowed just two rushing touchdowns on the season.

EVERYWHERE CAM

Third-year linebacker Cam Buffington has a team-high 82 tackles in nine games, averaging 9.1 stops per game to rank second in the Big Ten (and rank 23rd nationally). He has 47 solo tackles (which are tops in the Big Ten and No. 9 in FBS), nine TFL, three sacks and four QB hurries.

• Buffington, who has led the team in tackles in five games, has four double-digit tackle games this season. He had a career-high 15 tackles, including nine solo stops, in Iowa's Week 2 victory over Iowa State, 11 stops in Week 4 at Michigan, 10 in Week 8 at Minnesota and 12 in Week 10 at Northwestern. He was named the Lott IMPACT Trophy Player of the Week on Sept. 16.

• His 15 tackles are the most by a Hawkeye since Jay Higgins in 2024.

DISRUPTIVE BRYCE

Third-year Bryce Hawthorne is being disruptive on the defensive line as he has 34 tackles, eight TFL and 3.5 sacks from the tackle position. The Minnesota has had 5+ tackles in four games, including a career-high eight stops with three TFL in Week 8 at Minnesota.

MAKING STOPS

Three Hawkeyes – DB Zach Lutmer and LBs Cam Buffington and Landyn Van Kekerix – all had double-digit tackle games in Iowa's Week 4 win at Michigan. Lutmer had a career-high 12 tackles, Buffington had 11 and Van Kekerix had a career-best 10 stops.

• Lutmer had his second straight 10+ tackle game in Week 5 against Ohio State, while LB Jayden Montgomery finished with a career-high 11 stops. Lutmer notched his third 10+ tackle game, finishing with 11 stops to lead the team in Week 8 at Minnesota

• Iowa has had four different players make 10+ tackles in a game this season.

SACK-R-US

Iowa tied a season-high with six sacks in Week 6 at Washington and Week 10 at Northwestern. Four different Hawkeyes had sacks in Seattle and six different players tallied a sack in Evanston.

• Sixteen different Hawkeyes have tallied a sack in 2026 with Joseph Anderson leading the way with four sacks, while Jayden Montgomery and Bryce Hawthorne have 3.5 and Cam Buffington has 3.

• Iowa is second in the Big Ten (and seventh nationally), averaging 3.33 sacks per game.

TURNOVER TRACKER

Iowa's defense has forced nine turnovers this season – six via interception and three fumbles.

• Fifth-year DB Deshaun Lee has a team-high three interceptions, tallying picks in Week 1, Week 4 and Week 8. He has six career interceptions. The Michigan native is second in the Big Ten (11th nationally) in total interceptions in 2026.

• Two second-year athletes – Jacob Wallace and Rashad Godfrey, Jr. -- recorded their first career interceptions in Week 3 against UNI. Wallace notched his second pick in Week 9 against Wisconsin.

• The Hawkeyes are 79-5 since 2012 when winning the turnover battle.

LEADING THE SECONDARY

Fourth-year defensive back Zach Lutmer leads Iowa's secondary unit, making the move to safety in 2026. The Rock Rapids, Iowa, native started all 13 games at CASH a season ago.

• Lutmer was Iowa's Team MVP in 2025 after collecting 71 tackles (44 solo), including 5.5 TFL, one sack, three interceptions, seven break-ups and one touchdown – a pick-six in Iowa's dominant home win over Minnesota.

• Lutmer, who is a preseason All-American and is on the Nagurski, Bednarik and Lott IMPACT Trophy Watch Lists, has 52 tackles, 1.5 TFL and five pass breakups.

• He had a career-high 12 tackles to lead the team in Week 4 at Michigan, and he followed it up with 11 stops in Week 5 vs. Ohio State. He also had a team-best 11 tackles in Week 8 at Minnesota.

BALL HAWKS

• Iowa has had at least one interception return for a touchdown in each of the last 18 seasons and 23 of the last 24. It is the second longest active streak in the nation.
• The program's current streak began with an Amari Spievey pick-6 in 2008.
• There have been 56 pick 6s in program history with 42 coming under Kirk Ferentz and only three came prior to Hayden Fry. Thirty-nine have come inside Kinnick Stadium and four in bowl games.

FBS Active Streaks – Consecutive Seasons With a Pick 6

Team	Seasons	Year Started
Utah	*23	2004
Iowa	18	2008
Louisiana Tech	*15	2011

**Pick streak extended in 2026*

SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

HELLO MY NAME IS…

The Hawkeyes special teams room is brand new. Led by first-year special teams coordinator, Chris Polizzi, the unit will break in new players across the board in 2026. Kicker Drew Stevens and return specialist Kaden Wetjen are in the NFL following record-breaking Iowa careers, while punter Rhys Dakin transferred to Michigan State.
• Long snapper Ike Speltz is the only returnee in the room that saw action a season ago.

BRAEDEN TO THE CRIB X 2

Second-year RB Braeden Jackson has two kickoff returns for touchdowns in 2026, joining exclusive company in Iowa football history. He is the fifth player all-time to return multiple kickoffs for touchdowns, joining Kaden Wetjen, Derrell Johnson-Koulianos, Ihmir Smith-Marsette and Kahlil Hill.
• He is one of two Hawkeyes, along with Smith-Marsette, to have multiple kickoff return TDs in a single season.
• Jackson had a 99-yard kickoff return (untouched) for a score in Week 4 at Michigan, tying for the seventh-longest in program history. He had a 96-yard (untouched) return in Week 10 at Northwestern, marking the 13th-longest all-time.
• Iowa has had a kick return for a touchdown in three consecutive seasons and the team has four kickoff return TDs since 2024. The special teams unit has returned both a punt and kickoff for a touchdown in three straight seasons.
• The return in Ann Arbor was the first kickoff return for a touchdown allowed by Michigan since 2019.
• Jackson was the first player in the Big Ten to record a kickoff return for a touchdown in 2026 and he is one of four players nationally with multiple kickoff returns for a touchdown. Jackson is the only Power Conference player with multiple kickoff returns for a touchdown.
• Jackson is averaging 50.4 yards on five returns this year. Iowa's kickoff return unit is No. 1 nationally, averaging 47 yards per return.

CLUTCH BUHR

Second-year kicker Caden Buhr was clutch in Iowa's Week 2 victory over Iowa State, connecting on a career-best three field goals, including a 42-yard game-winner with 15 seconds remaining to give the Hawkeyes the 16-13 Iowa Corn Cy-Hawk Series win. He was named the Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week on Sept. 14 and a Lou Groza Award Star of the Week on Sept. 15.
• It was Buhr's first career game-winner, and it was the 10th Iowa game since 2015 that the Hawkeyes have won on a field goal in the final 30 seconds of the fourth quarter.
• Buhr was a perfect 2-for-2 in Week 5 against Ohio State, connecting from 43 and 48 yards and he made two field goals in the Week 6 road win at Washington, including a career-long 51-yarder. It was his first career make from 50+.
• In Week 9, Buhr had his second career three field goal game, connecting from 24, 28 and 54 yards. The 54-yarder was a career long and his second consecutive make from 50+ yards. He followed it up with a 52-yarder in Week 10 at Northwestern.
• Buhr has made nine straight field goals dating back to Week 5 vs. Ohio State. He has made his last three attempts from 50+ yards.
• Buhr has made 14-of-16 field goals this season, including 11 straight from under 50 yards. He is 3-of-3 from 20-29 yards, 3-for-3 from 30-39, 5-for-5 from 40-49 and 3-for-5 from 50+. He is 22nd nationally, averaging 1.56 field goals per game through the first nine games and he is 24th in field goal percentage (.875).

IOWA'S GAME-WINNING FIELD GOALS IN FINAL 0:10 SINCE 1996

2008 vs. Penn State – Daniel Murphy – 31 yards (0:01)
2015 vs. Pittsburgh – Marshall Koehn – 57 yards (0:00)
2016 vs. Michigan – Keith Duncan – 33 yards (0:00)
2019 at Nebraska – Keith Duncan – 48 yards (0:01)
2023 at Nebraska – Marshall Meeder – 48 yards (0:00)
2024 vs. Nebraska – Drew Stevens – 53 yards (0:00)
2025 vs. Michigan State – Drew Stevens – 44 yards (0:00)

IOWA'S GAME-WINNING FIELD GOALS IN OVERTIME SINCE 1996

2000 at Penn State – Nate Kaeding – 26 yards (2OT)
2012 at Michigan State – Mike Meyer – 41 yards (2OT)

NO COOP, NO WEJ… ENTER EJ

Second-year wide receiver Evan James showed off his lightning speed in his Hawkeye debut in Week 1, returning a punt 77-yards for a touchdown in the third quarter. It was the 15th longest punt return for a touchdown in Iowa history.
• James had three punt returns for 108 yards in Week 1 against Northern Illinois, averaging 36 yards per return.
• The Florida native has 22 returns for 273 yards, averaging 12.4 yards, which ranks 14th in FBS (second in the Big Ten).
• James, who is on the Jet Award Midseason List, is one of 44 players nationally to return a punt for a touchdown this year.
• Iowa has had at least one punt return for a touchdown in each of the past four seasons.

AUSSIE HAWKEYE

Second-year punter Boston Everitt is averaging 43.4 yards on 39 punts in his first nine games as a Hawkeye. He ranks 42nd in the NCAA and sixth in the Big Ten in punting average.
• The Aussie has 22 punts downed inside the 20, including four in Week 2 against Iowa State. He has had 14 punts fair caught and seven travel 50+ yards, including a career-long 60-yarder in Week 8 at Minnesota.
• Everitt, a native of Hope Island, Australia, continues Iowa's Australian pipeline, following Tory Taylor and Rhys Dakin.

TEAM NOTES

HAWKEYE FREAKS

Three Hawkeyes – No. 8 Kade Pieper, No. 27 Kahmari Brown and No. 37 Zach Lutmer – appeared on Bruce Feldman's college football freaks list for the 2026 season.
• Pieper set an Iowa record (4.13) for fastest short shuttle among offensive guards along with posting a 37.4 vertical jump and 1.52 10-yard dash. This offseason, he set the program record for heaviest squat by an a guard, squatting 680 pounds.
• Brown, an Elon transfer, had a 10-3 broad jump, 40.2 vertical jump and was timed at 1.56 in his 10-yard split.
• Lutmer showed off elite agility by clocking a 3.81-second shuttle time, setting a new record for Iowa DBs. That 3.81 would match the fastest shuttle time ever recorded at the NFL Combine (Brandin Cooks, 2014). Lutmer also did a 41.9-inch vertical jump and squatted 575 pounds.

A NEW HAY BALE SHERIFF IN TOWN

OL Cael Winter earned the distinction as the 2026 Solon Beef Days Hay Bale toss champion on July 17. He finished with a toss of 13-feet, six inches, to defeat teammate Lucas Allgeyer. Winter joins fellow offensive lineman Kade Pieper as a hay bale champion, as Pieper won titles in 2024 and 2025.

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

The 2026 Leadership Council includes sixth-year Michael Myslinksi, fifth-years Jack Dotzler, Luke Gaffney, Will Hubert, Deshaun Lee, Jayden Montgomery, Addison Ostrenga and Landyn Van Kekerix, fourth-years Hank Brown, Trevor Lauck, Zach Lutmer, Kamari Moulton and Kade Pieper and third-years Cam Buffington, Jeremy Hecklinski, Reece Vander Zee and Jaylen Watson.

• The purpose of the group is to assist in formulating policies and being involved in team decision-making throughout the year. Players were selected following coaching staff and player input.

HAWKEYE GRADUATES

Eight Hawkeyes will play the 2026 football season as college graduates. Players who have earned their degrees include: Hank Brown (enterprise leadership), Alex Eichmann (business analytics and information systems), Luke Gaffney (finance and risk management and insurance), Will Hubert (exercise science), Jack Laughlin (business analytics and information systems), Deshaun Lee (enterprise leadership), Michael Myslinski (enterprise leadership) and Landyn Van Kekerix (enterprise leadership).

HAWKEYE LEGACIES

• Iowa has six players on its 2026 roster whose fathers played for the Hawkeyes: LB Iose Epenesa (Epenesa, 1997), DB Eli Kampman (Aaron, 1998-01), LB Julian Manson (Jason, 2002-06), LB Jayden Montgomery (Jerry, 1998-01), WR Apollo Payne (O.J., 2002-03) and TE Mason Woods (LeVar, 1998-00).

• Epenesa's brothers, A.J. and Eric, played at Iowa from 2017-19 and 2021-24, respectively. DE Drew Campbell is the younger brother of Hawkeye All-American LB Jack Campbell.

• WR Alex Eichmann's grandfather, Richard "Dick" Gibbs, played at Iowa from 1965-66.

• Six Hawkeyes had relatives that played for the Hawkeyes -- DB Jaylen Watson's uncle is former Hawkeye RB Fred Russell, OL Lucas Allgeyer's uncle, Ken, played offensive line at Iowa and cousin, Nick, was an All-Big Ten pitcher for the Hawkeyes, LB Jayden Montgomery's mother, Natalie, played volleyball at Iowa, OL George Nahas' father, Jim, played baseball at Iowa, WR Isaiah Oliver's dad, Dean, played basketball at Iowa and his grandfather, Don Niver, and uncle, Ryan Niver, ran track for the Hawkeyes and LB Eli Kampman's uncle, Joe Slattery, played football at Iowa.

• LB Nolan DeLong's sister, Isabelle, is a member of the Iowa rowing team, while TE Luke Brewer's sister, Carly, is on the Hawkeye softball team.

HAWKEYE HISTORY

Iowa has played 1,339 games since beginning football in 1889. Iowa's overall record is 714-586-39 (.546). That includes a 445-232-16 (.652) record in home games, a 273-354-23 (.434) record in games away from Iowa City, a 375-399-25 (.482) mark in Big Ten games and a 325-197-15 (.617) record in Kinnick Stadium.

TROPHY COLLECTION

• The Hawkeyes are 2-1 in trophy games this season after downing Iowa State, 16-13, in an Iowa Corn Cy-Hawk Series matchup on Sept. 12 in Iowa City, falling 13-10 on a walk-off field goal in Week 8 at Minnesota and dominating Wisconsin, 30-0, on Halloween.

• Iowa is 39-16 in its last 55 trophy games (includes bowl games and conference cham¬-pionships). The Hawkeyes are 34-12 in their last 46 rivalry trophy games (Iowa State, Minnesota, Nebraska, Wisconsin).

Trophy	Opponent	Date	Result	Streak
Cy-Hawk	Iowa State	9/13/26	W, 16-13	Iowa-1
Heartland	Wisconsin	10/31/26	W, 30-0	Iowa-5
Floyd of Rosedale	at Minnesota	10/24/26	L, 10-13	Minnesota-1
Heroes	at Nebraska	11/28/25	W, 40-16	Iowa-3

BIG TEN PERFECTION

University of Iowa head coach Kirk Ferentz has twice navigated the Big Ten regular season schedule with an undefeated record. The Hawkeyes were 8-0 in 2002 and shared the Big Ten championship with Ohio State. The Hawkeyes were 8-0 in 2015, winning the Big Ten West Division title.

• Since 1954, when the conference schedule expanded to seven games, only seven Big Ten coaches, including Ferentz, have multiple undefeated Big Ten seasons. They include: Duffy Daugherty (Michigan State; 1965, 1966), Ferentz (Iowa; 2002, 2015), Jim Harbaugh (Michigan; 2022, 2023), Woody Hayes (Ohio State; 1954, 1957, 1968, 1970, 1975); Urban Meyer (Ohio State; 2012, 2013); Bo Schembechler (Michigan; 1971, 1980, 1989); Jim Tressel (Ohio State; 2002, 2006).

BIG TEN BOWL GAMES SINCE 2001

• The Hawkeyes have been bowl eligible 23 times in the last 25 seasons. Iowa accepted an invitation to the 2020 Music City Bowl, but the game was canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

• Iowa head coach Kirk Ferentz won the 11th bowl game of his career in the Hawkeyes' 34-27 victory over No. 14 Vanderbilt to win the 2025 ReliaQuest Bowl. The victory gave Ferentz the most bowl wins in Big Ten Conference history, passing Penn State's Joe Paterno. Ferentz has an 11-10 bowl record.

• Twenty coaches have won 10 or more bowl games in their career. Among active coaches, only Dabo Swinney (12) has more bowl victories than Ferentz. Michigan coach Kyle Wittingham is tied with Ferentz with 11 bowl wins.

• Since the 2001 season, only Ohio State (16), Wisconsin (12), USC (12), Oregon (12), Penn State (12) and Minnesota (12) have more bowl wins (including FBS Playoffs, BCS championship game and CFP), than Iowa. Iowa is 18-18-1 all-time in bowl games. The following are the records for Big Ten teams in bowl games since 2001:

Team	Record	Pct.	Team	Record	Pct.
USC	12-8	.600	**IOWA**	**11-11**	**.500**
Maryland	8-5	.615	Nebraska	7-9	.438
Minnesota	12-7	.632	N'western	7-7	.500
Ohio State	16-12	.571	Purdue	5-7	.417
Rutgers	7-5	.583	UCLA	6-9	.400
Wisconsin	12-10	.545	Washington	7-10	.412
Michigan St.	8-7	.533	Michigan	7-15	.318
Penn State	12-11	.522	Illinois	4-5	.444
Oregon	12-13	.480	Indiana	3-5	.375

HAWK TALK WITH KIRK FERENTZ

Moon Family Head Football Coach Kirk Ferentz is featured on "Hawk Talk with Kirk Ferentz" each week during the regular season. The weekly radio show is hosted by Gary Dolphin, the play-by-play voice of the Iowa Hawkeyes. The show airs live each Wednesday from 6:30-8 p.m. CT from VUE Rooftop at the Hilton Garden Inn in Iowa City. Fans can attend shows in person, listen live on the Hawkeye Radio Network or watch on Iowa's official YouTube account or KCRG 9.2.



HEAD COACH KIRK FERENTZ

Kirk Ferentz (pronounced FAIR-rintz, rhymes with parents) is in his 28th season as Moon Family Head Football Coach at Iowa in 2026. He is the dean of NCAA Division I football coaches and is the winningest coach in Big Ten Conference history. His contract runs through the 2029 season.

• Named Big Ten Coach of the Year four times in his career (2002, 2004, 2009, 2015). Only Michigan's Bo Schembechler (6) has more conference coach of the year awards.

• Guided Iowa to Big Ten titles in 2002 and 2004, and Big Ten West Division titles in 2015, 2021 and 2023.

• Named Woody Hayes, Eddie Robinson, and Bobby Dodd Coach of the Year in 2015

• Was a finalist for the Maxwell Football Club, Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year award.

• Ferentz became the all-time wins leader in Big Ten Conference history, passing Ohio State's Woody Hayes during the 2025 season. He has 137 Big Ten wins, which are the third-most all-time, trailing only Hayes (153) and Bo Schembechler (143).

• Named the 2002 Associated Press and Walter Camp National Coach of the Year and AFCA Regional Coach of the Year.

• Iowa made two BCS bowl appearances, including a 24-14 win in the 2010 FedEx Orange Bowl, and one CFP Bowl (2016).

• Iowa has played in 12 January bowl games with five January bowl victories (2004 Outback Bowl, 2005 Capital One Bowl, 2009 Outback Bowl, 2010 FedEx Orange Bowl, 2019 Outback Bowl). Ferentz has 11 bowl wins -- the most in Big Ten history.

• Fourteen different players have won 17 national awards during Ferentz's tenure.

• Iowa has posted an 207-107 (.660) overall mark and a 134-79 (.630) Big Ten record since 2001. Ferentz has placed in the top half of the conference 19 times, including Big Ten titles in 2002 and 2004, a second-place finish in 2009, and West Division titles in 2015, 2021 and 2023.

• At Iowa, Ferentz holds an overall record of 216-130 (.621) and a 137-93 (.594) mark in Big Ten games. He is Iowa's all-time winningest football coach with 216 wins. In 27+ seasons as a college head coach, he holds a career mark of 228-151 (.602), giving him the most wins among active head coaches.

• The only Division I head coach to coach three sons at the same college. Brian was a Hawkeye letterman from 2003-05, James was a three-year starter on the Hawkeye offensive line before graduating in May, 2013 and Steve was a senior offensive lineman in 2016.

• James Ferentz retired following an eight-year NFL career in 2024; he is currently the tight ends coach for the Houston Texans. Steve Ferentz is in his first year as a defensive assistant with the Las Vegas Raiders, while Brian Ferentz is in his second season at Fresno State, serving as the offensive line coach.

FERENTZ RECORD AT IOWA (28TH SEASON)

YEAR	OVERALL	(PCT)	BIG TEN	(PCT)	BOWL
2026	7-2	.778	4-2	.667	--
2025	9-4	.692	6-3	.667	ReliaQuest
2024	8-5	.615	6-3	.667	Music City
*2023	6-4	.600	6-2	.750	Citrus
2022	8-5	.583	5-4	.616	Music City
2021	10-4	.714	7-2	.778	Citrus
2020	6-2	.750	6-2	.750	Music City
2019	10-3	.769	6-3	.667	Holiday
2018	9-4	.692	5-4	.556	Outback
2017	8-5	.615	4-5	.444	Pinstripe
2016	8-5	.615	6-3	.667	Outback
2015	12-2	.857	8-0	1.000	Rose
2014	7-6	.538	4-4	.500	TaxSlayer
2013	8-5	.615	5-3	.625	Outback
2012	4-8	.333	2-6	.250	--
2011	7-6	.538	4-4	.500	Insight
2010	8-5	.615	4-4	.500	Insight
2009	11-2	.846	6-2	.750	Orange
2008	9-4	.692	5-3	.625	Outback
2007	6-6	.500	4-4	.500	--
2006	6-7	.462	2-6	.250	Alamo
2005	7-5	.583	5-3	.625	Outback
2004	10-2	.833	7-1	.875	Citrus
2003	10-3	.769	5-3	.625	Outback
2002	11-2	.846	8-0	1.000	Orange
2001	7-5	.583	4-4	.500	Alamo
2000	3-9	.250	3-5	.375	--
1999	1-10	.091	0-8	.000	--
Overall	**216-130**	**.624**	**137-93**	**.595**	**23 bowl games**

** four overall wins, including one conference win vacated*

OVERALL WINS (all games played as member of B1G)

	Coach, Team	Wins	Seasons	Years
1.	**Kirk Ferentz, IOWA**	**216**	**27+**	**1999-pr.**
2.	Woody Hayes, OSU	205	28	1951-78
3.	Amos Alonzo Stagg, CHI	199	37	1896-32
4.	Bo Schembechler, MICH	194	21	1969-89
5.	Joe Paterno, PSU	162	19	1993-11
6.	Hayden Fry, IOWA	143	20	1979-98
7.	Henry Williams, MINN	136	22	1900-21
8.	Robert Zuppke, ILL	131	29	1913-41
9.	Lloyd Carr, MICH	122	13	1995-07
10.	Barry Alvarez, WIS	119	18	1990-05

BIG TEN CONFERENCE WINS

	Coach, Team	Wins	Seasons	Years
1.	Woody Hayes, OSU	153	28	1951-78
2.	Bo Schembechler, MICH	143	21	1969-89
3.	**Kirk Ferentz, IOWA**	**137**	**27**	**1999-pr.**
4.	Amos Alonzo Stagg, CHI	115	37	1896-32
5.	Hayden Fry, IOWA	96	20	1979-98
6.	Joe Paterno, PSU	95	19	1993-11
7.	Lloyd Carr, MICH	81	13	1995-07
8.	Robert Zuppke, ILL	76	29	1913-41
9.	Duffy Daugherty, MSU	72	19	1954-72
10.	John Cooper	70	13	1988-00

HAWKEYES UNDER FERENTZ

Overall	216-130
vs. ranked teams	36-60
vs. unranked teams	181-69
vs. Big Ten teams	137-93
vs. Big Ten teams (home)	75-36
vs. Big Ten teams (away)	63-56
vs. Big Ten teams (neutral)	0-3
When rushing for 150 yards or more	137-22
When rushing for 200 yards or more	88-7
When passing for 250 yards or more	52-26
When passing for 300 yards or more	18-8
When Iowa player rushes for 100 yards	118-26
When opponent has 100-yard rusher	28-55
When opponent has 300-yard passer	20-15
When scoring 30 points or more	116-9
When scoring 20 points or more	172-47
When opponent scores 25 points or more	21-73
When holding opponent to 10 pts or less	92-4
When Iowa scores first	168-42
When Iowa leads at halftime	175-33
When Iowa trails at halftime	34-90
When game is tied at halftime	13-8
When Iowa leads after 3 quarters	182-24
When Iowa trails after 3 quarters	26-94
When game is tied after 3 quarters	12-9
Games decided by 10 points or less	76-68
Games decided by 7 points or less	61-66
Games decided by 3 points or less	31-44
When Iowa has a positive turnover margin	140-25
When opponent has a positive turnover margin	31-70
When the turnover margin is equal	46-30
When returning a punt/kickoff for a score	23-7
Overtime games	7-5
When temperature is 50 degrees or above	149-95
When temperature is below 50 degrees	63-28
When temperature is over 90 degrees	7-4
When raining:	19-13

PHIL PARKER'S IOWA DEFENSE

• Phil Parker, the longest tenured defensive coordinator in college football, was named the recipient of the Frank Broyles Award and the AFCA Assistant Coach of the Year in 2023. He was also named PFF's top defensive coordinator in April, 2023.

• Since Parker took over as Iowa's defensive coordinator, Iowa is second in the Big Ten and fourth nationally in points (18.47), first in the Big Ten and third nationally in total offense (317.38), first in the Big Ten and second nationally in yards per play (4.75) and the unit is fourth in interceptions (211) and is fifth in interceptions returned for touchdowns (29).

• Iowa's defense allowed 400 yards or less in 57 of the last 63 games.

• The Hawkeyes led the nation in fewest yards per play allowed on defense in consecutive seasons -- 3.99 in 2022 and 4.08 in 2023.

• Iowa's defense has allowed fewer than 20 points per game in 11 consecutive seasons -- by far the longest active streak in the nation.

• Iowa is 18-4 under Parker all-time when returning an interception for a touchdown and 79-5 when winning the turnover battle.

• The Hawkeyes have top-six scoring defenses nationally four times in the past seven years. The scoring defense has ranked in the top 20 in the nation in each of the last 11 years.

• Iowa's 3.986 yards per play during the 2022 season were the lowest by any team at the FBS level since Florida State's 3.853 in 2012.

• Iowa's 270.8 yards per game surrendered in 2022 was the fewest by an Iowa defense since 1981.

• Iowa has 261 interceptions since the start of the 2009 season -- fourth-most nationally in that span. The "Ball-Hawks" had a school record 25 interceptions in 2021.

• A principle of Parker's defense is to limit explosive plays, forcing the offense to sustain a drive. Iowa surrendered just 15 explosive plays out of 883 defensive snaps over 13 games during the 2022 season.

• Iowa has had six players win the Big Ten Tatum-Woodson Defensive Back of the Year since 2012: Micah Hyde, 2012; Desmond King, 2015; Josh Jackson, 2017; Amani Hooker, 2018; Riley Moss, 2021, Cooper DeJean, 2023).

IOWA'S DEFENSE UNDER PHIL PARKER (AS DEF. COOR.)

YEAR	SCORING DEFENSE	TOTAL DEFENSE	INTS.
2026	12.2 (3)	276.7 (9)	6 (71)
2025	15.6 (11)	318.4 (20)	11 (52)
2024	17.8 (11)	318.4 (20)	16 (14)
2023	13.2 (4)	274.8 (5)	10 (55)
2022	13.3 (2)	270.8 (2)	15 (14)
2021	19.2 (13)	328.9 (17)	25 (1)
2020	16.0 (6)	313.8 (8)	11 (23)
2019	14.0 (5)	308.2 (12)	7 (25)
2018	17.8 (11)	293.6 (7)	20 (3)
2017	19.9 (17)	357.5 (36)	21 (1)
2016	18.8 (13)	351.2 (23)	9 (81)
2015	20.4 (19)	341.0 (22)	19 (10)
2014	25.6 (50)	344.2 (22)	13 (38)
2013	18.9 (9)	303.1 (6)	13 (53)
2012	22.9 (33)	381.6 (49)	10 (75)

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INTERCEPTIONS SINCE 2009

	Name	INT	Yds.
1.	Alabama	271	4282
2.	Oregon	268	3548
3.	Clemson	262	3376
4.	**IOWA**	**261**	**3619**
5.	Louisiana Tech	244	3813
6.	Ohio State	242	3433
	San Diego State	242	3008
8.	Boise State	240	3035
	BYU	240	3444
	Oklahoma State	240	3252

INTERCEPTIONS RETURNED FOR A TOUCHDOWN SINCE 2009

	Name	TDs
1.	Alabama	44
2.	Louisiana Tech	42
3.	Utah	40
4.	**IOWA**	**36**
	Ohio State	36
6.	TCU	35
7.	Tennessee	34
8.	Southern Miss	32
9.	Oregon	31
10.	Clemson/Boise State/Florida	30

SCORING DEFENSE SINCE 2009

	Name	G	Pts.	PPG.
1.	Alabama	245	3893	15.89
2.	Ohio State	234	4280	18.29
3.	**IOWA**	**226**	**4185**	**18.52**
4.	Wisconsin	228	4249	18.64
5.	Georgia	240	4502	18.76
6.	Clemson	242	4735	19.57
7.	Penn State	229	4536	19.81
8.	Notre Dame	229	4637	20.25
9.	Michigan	224	4688	20.93
10.	LSU	228	4778	20.96

YARDS PER PLAY SINCE 2009

	Name	Plays	Yards	Y/Play
1.	Alabama	15657	71510	4.57
2.	**IOWA**	**15244**	**72506**	**4.76**
3.	Georgia	15446	74707	4.84
	Clemson	16183	78320	4.84
5.	Pittsburgh	15609	76412	4.90
6.	Oklahoma	15715	78815	5.02
	Marshall	15171	76234	5.02
8.	Ohio State	15403	78509	5.10
9.	Florida State	15794	80720	5.11
10.	BYU	15636	80098	5.12

ASSISTANT COACHES



SETH WALLACE (FIELD)

ASSISTANT HEAD COACH | ASSISTANT DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR/LINEBACKERS COACH

16th year at Iowa... first assistant HC under Ferentz... 10th year as assistant DC... coached two Butkus-Fitzgerald Big Ten LB of the Year (Jack Campbell '22, Jay Higgins, '24)... Higgins had school record 171 tackles and was an AA in '23, earned AA honors and was B1G LB of the Year in '24... Campbell was consensus AA, won Butkus Award, Campbell Trophy and Nagurski-Woodson Big Ten Def. Player of the Year.



TIM LESTER (BOOTH)

OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR

Third year at Iowa... 24 years of coaching experience -- 12 as head coach, 12 as OC... was a senior analyst with Green Bay Packers in 2023... spent six years as head coach at Western Michigan, winning 37 games and playing in three bowl games... coached top 35 offenses nationally for four straight seasons... 16 200+ rushing games during Iowa tenure... team rushed for 422 yards -- 7th-most all-time in Week 3.



PHIL PARKER (FIELD)

DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR/SECONDARY COACH

28th year at Iowa... member of Ferentz's original staff... 15th season as defensive coordinator... top 20 scoring defense 11 straight years... has coached six Tatum-Woodson Defensive Back of the Year honorees since 2012... Frank Broyles Award winner and AFCA Assistant Coach of the Year in 2023... Broyles semifinalist in 2022... 261 interceptions since 2009.



CHRIS POLIZZI (FIELD)

SPECIAL TEAMS COORDINATOR

Two decades of college football experience... Iowa has two kickoff returns for a TD and one punt return for a TD... fifth year on staff, first as special teams coordinator... was Tulsa's defensive coordinator and safeties coach from 2023-24... previous stops at UCLA, Utah, Iowa, Western Carolina and Tennessee Tech...was coached by Seth Wallace at Lake Forest (Illinois) College.



GEORGE BARNETT (FIELD)

OFFENSIVE LINE COACH

Sixth year at Iowa... 20+ seasons of offensive line coaching experience, including seven years at Miami (Ohio), where he was assistant head coach in 2016... 2025 unit won Joe Moore Award as nation's top O-Line... coached Tyler Linderbaum (2021) and Logan Jones (2025) to consensus All-America and to the Rimington Trophy... all five OL earned All-Big Ten honors in '24 and '25 and all were NFL Draft picks... team rushed for 422 yards in Week 3 -- 7th-most all-time.



RAIMOND BRAITHWAITE (FIELD)

DIRECTOR, STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

22nd year as a member of Iowa's strength and conditioning staff... named director in March, 2021... 31 Hawkeyes have been selected in NFL Draft since Braithwaite was elevated to lead the program... Iowa has 20 winning seasons, two Big Ten titles, two Big Ten West titles and appeared in 20 bowl games during his tenure.



KELVIN BELL (FIELD)

DEFENSIVE LINE COACH

14th year at Iowa... eighth as Iowa's defensive line coach... also serves as recruiting coordinator... Iowa had defensive lineman selected in top four rounds in three straight drafts (2019-21)... Lukas Van Ness was a first-round pick in 2023... Iowa alum.



JON BUDMAYR (FIELD)

WIDE RECEIVERS COACH

Fifth year at Iowa, third as wide receivers coach... previously served as senior special assistant to head coach and an offensive analyst... spent two years as OC at Colorado State and six years at Wisconsin.



JAY NORVELL (FIELD)

RUNNING BACKS COACH

Four decades of collegiate and professional coaching experience... UI graduate and former Hawkeye defensive back under Hayden Fry where he was a first-team All-Big Ten selection, team captain and Iowa's MVP of 1985 Rose Bowl team.. head coach at Nevada (2017-22) and Colorado State (2022-25)... began coaching career in 1986-87 under Hayden Fry... team had three 100-yard rushers and 422 rushing yards in Week 3 -- the 7th-most in school history.



ABDUL HODGE (FIELD)

TIGHT ENDS COACH

Fifth year at Iowa... coached Sam LaPorta, who was named the 2022 Kwalick-Clark Big Ten Tight End of the Year and FWAA Freshman All-American DJ Vonnahme... All-American and three-time All-Big Ten linebacker at Iowa... won two Big Ten titles and played in four January bowl games... had four-year NFL career.



JAY NIEMANN (BOOTH)

ASST. DEFENSIVE LINE/ASST. DEF. RECRUITING COORD.

Eighth year at Iowa... served as defensive coordinator at Rutgers from 2016-18 and Northern Illinois from 2011-15... sons Ben and Nick Niemann, both Iowa alums, are in the NFL.



BILLY VANDEMERKT (FIELD)

QUARTERBACKS COACH

Second year at Iowa... was an offensive analyst in 2025... spent four seasons in NFL as an offensive assistant with New York Jets... coached at Western Michigan under Iowa OC Tim Lester... threw for 6,432 yards and 56 TDs during four-year career at Saint Joseph's College.

IOWA PROGRAM NOTES

• The Hawkeyes have earned bowl eligibility in 23 of the last 25 seasons. Iowa is 11-10 in bowl games since 2001. The Hawkeyes are 19-18-1 in 38 bowl games. Iowa has won five January bowl games under Ferentz.

• Iowa is the only school to have two head football coaches since 1979. Hayden Fry took over prior to the 1979 season and coached through the 1998 season, posting a record of 143-89-6. Current coach Kirk Ferentz (216-130) replaced Fry and is in his 28th season. Ferentz also served as Iowa's offensive line coach from 1981-89 under Fry.

• Iowa won the Big Ten West Division title in 2021 and 2023 to earn a spot in the Big Ten Championship Game. The Hawkeyes played in the Big Ten title game for the first time in program history on Dec. 5, 2015. Iowa earned Big Ten Conference championships in 2002 and 2004 and placed second in 2009. Iowa (8-0, 2002; 8-0, 2015) is one of three Big Ten teams to post a perfect mark in conference play since 1998 (BCS era), joining Michigan State (1) and Ohio State (5).

• Iowa has ranked in the top 10 in the final Associated Press and CNN/USA Today coaches polls five times since 2002, including a ranking of seventh in both polls at the conclusion of the 2009 season. Iowa ranked eighth in 2002, 2003 and 2004. The Hawkeyes finished 2015 ranked ninth in the AP Poll and 10th in the USA Today Coaches Poll. In the Big Ten, only Ohio State has more top 10 finishes since 2002.

• Since 1936 when the first AP Poll was released, Iowa has appeared in the poll 368 times. The Hawkeyes have been the nation's top-ranked team 11 times.

• Iowa set a school record with 12 wins in 2015. The Hawkeyes won 11 games in 2002 (11-2), and 2009 (11-2). In 2009, Iowa started 9-0 and won 10 regular season games for just the fourth time in school history.

• Iowa won 10 or more games in three consecutive years (2002-04) for the first time in school history.

• Kirk Ferentz has been named Big Ten Coach of the Year four times (2002, 2004, 2009, 2015) and was named National Coach of the Year in 2002 and 2015. Only Michigan's Bo Schembechler (6) has more conference coach of the year honors. Iowa's Hayden Fry and Penn State's Joe Paterno both won the award three times.

• Iowa has had 17 individual national award winners under head coach Kirk Ferentz. They include Brad Banks (2002 Davey O'Brien, Top Quarterback; 2002 Associated Press National Player of the Year); Dallas Clark (2002 Mackey, Top Tight End); Nate Kaeding (2002 Groza, Top Kicker); Robert Gallery (2003 Outland, Top Lineman); Shonn Greene (2008 Doak Walker, Top Running Back); Brandon Scherff (2014 Outland, Top Lineman), Desmond King (2015 Jim Thorpe), Josey Jewell (2017 Lott IMPACT), T.J. Hockenson (2018, Mackey, Top Tight End), Tyler Linderbaum, (Rimington, Top Center), Jack Campbell (Campbell Trophy, Butkus Award), Tory Taylor (Ray Guy), Kaden Wetjen (2X Jett Award) and Logan Jones (Rimington).

• Iowa's offensive line earned the Joe Moore Award in 2016 and 2025, an honor bestowed upon the top offensive line unit in the country. Iowa is one of three two-time winners.

• Iowa is the only school in the nation with a consensus All-American in the last seven seasons.

• Iowa's football record in the 2000 decade was 80-45 (.640), a record that ranks as the best decade in Iowa football history, based on total wins. Iowa posted a record of 77-40-4 (.652) during the 1980's and the Hawkeyes were 62-53-2 (.538) in the 1990's. Iowa was 81-49 (.623) from 2010-19.

• Iowa had 47 wins from 2015-19, the most of any five-year period in school history.

IOWA FOOTBALL AND THE NFL

• The Hawkeyes have had 241 former players-in the NFL since 1999, Kirk Ferentz's first year as head coach (101 draft picks/140 free agents).

• Iowa had a program record seven NFL Draft picks in the 2026 draft.

• Four players -- Tristian Wirfs, George Kittle, Jack Campbell and Cooper DeJean -- were first-team All-Pros during the 2025 season.

• Iowa has produced 36 first-team NFL All-Pros -- 16th-most among collegiate programs.

• Former Iowa OL Mason Richman was a member of the Super Bowl champion Seattle Seahawks for Super Bowl LX.

• Former Iowa consensus All-American Cooper DeJean helped the Philadelphia Eagles win Super Bowl LIX. DeJean intercepted Chiefs quarterback Patrick Mahomes and returned the theft 38 yards for a touchdown in the second quarter. It was DeJean's first interception in the NFL. DeJean became the youngest player in NFL history to score a defensive touchdown on his birthday (regular or postseason).

• Tampa Bay OL Tristian Wirfs made NFL history, becoming the first player to earn first-team All-Pro honors as a right tackle and left tackle. He was joined on the NFL Pro Bowl roster by George Kittle and Tyler Linderbaum.

• At least one Iowa Hawkeye has been selected in every NFL Draft since 1978 (48 consecutive years).

• Iowa has had 13 First Round NFL Draft picks under head coach Kirk Ferentz.

• Iowa had two first round picks in the 2023 NFL Draft -- LB Lukas Van Ness (Packers) and LB Jack Campbell (Lions). It is the fourth time in program history Iowa has had two players selected in the first round.

• C Tyler Linderbaum and TE Sam LaPorta were named to the 2023 Pro Bowl. LaPorta was also a second-team All-Pro selection. TE George Kittle was first-team All-Pro in 2023.

• OT Tristan Wirfs and TEs George Kittle and T.J. Hockenson were both selected to the Pro Bowl in 2022. Wirfs and Kittle were Second Team NFL All-Pro selections.

• Two former Hawkeyes -- Jake Gervase and Alaric Jackson -- were members of the Los Angeles Rams' 2022 Super Bowl champion team.

• OT Tristan Wirfs earned first-team All-Pro and was a Pro Bowl selection in 2021.

• TE T.J. Hockenson (eighth overall, Detroit) and TE Noah Fant (20th overall, Denver) became the first tight ends from the same school to be drafted in the first round of a single NFL Draft (2019).

• OL Brandon Scherff (Washington) was named first-team All-Pro in 2020. TE T.J. Hockenson (Detroit), TE George Kittle (San Francisco) and Scherff (Washington) were named to the 2020 Pro Bowl.

• TE George Kittle (San Francisco) was a first-team All-Pro in 2019. OL Marshal Yanda (Baltimore) was named second-team All-Pro that same season.

• DB Desmond King (Los Angeles Chargers), LS Casey Kreiter (Denver), TE George Kittle (San Francisco), and OL Marshal Yanda (Baltimore) were named All-Pro in 2018.

• Over the past 25 years, 227-of-275 (82.5 percent) of Iowa's senior starters have been drafted in the NFL or signed NFL free agent contracts.

• Iowa has had 10 first round picks in the last 15 NFL drafts -- OL Bryan Bulaga, 2010; DE Adrian Clayborn, 2011; OL Riley Reiff, 2012; OL Brandon Scherff, 2015, TE T.J. Hockenson, TE Noah Fant, 2019; OL Tristan Wirfs, 2020; OL Tyler Linderbaum, 2022; LB Lukas Van Ness, 2023, LB Jack Campbell, 2023.

• Iowa had six players drafted in the 2012 NFL Draft, which tied for the most in the Big Ten and tied for fourth in the country.

• Former Hawkeye Marshal Yanda (Baltimore OL) was an eight-time Pro-Bowler (2011-16, 2018, 2019) and was named NFL All-Pro in 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019. He retired following the 2019 season.

• In NFL 2011 regular season statistics, former Hawkeye linebackers Chad Greenway (Minnesota) and Pat Angerer (Indianapolis) finished third and fourth, respectively, in tackles. Greenway was named to the Pro Bowl in 2012 and 2013.

• Three former Hawkeyes were involved in the 2012 Super Bowl. DB Tyler Sash played for the Super Bowl champion New York Giants, while LB Jeff Tarpinian was on the injured reserve roster of the New England Patriots. Former Iowa center Brian Ferentz was New England's tight ends coach.

• Former Iowa DB Sean Considine and OL Marshal Yanda won Super Bowl rings with the 2012 Baltimore Ravens in the 2013 Super Bowl.

• Former Iowa LB James Morris (injured reserve) earned a Super Bowl ring with the New England Patriots in 2015. Former TE Tony Moeaki played for the Seattle Seahawks in the same game.

• Former center James Ferentz was a member of the 2016 Super Bowl champion Denver Broncos.

• Former DT Jonathan Babineaux played for the Atlanta Falcons in Super Bowl LI. Former DE Adrian Clayborn and former DB Charles Godfrey were on the Atlanta injured reserve roster.

• Former OL Cole Croston was on the New England Patriots roster in Super Bowl LII. Former C James Ferentz and WR Riley McCarron were on the Patriots practice squad.

• Former DL Adrian Clayborn (active), OL James Ferentz, WR Riley McCarron (injured reserve), and OL Cole Croston (practice squad) earned Super Bowl rings as members of the New England Patriots in Super Bowl LIII.

• Former LB Anthony Hitchens and LB Ben Niemann played for the Super Bowl champion Kansas City Chiefs in 2020. Former QB C.J. Beathard, TE George Kittle, and OL Ross Reynolds were on the NFC Champion San Francisco 49ers.

• Former OL Tristan Wirfs was the starting right tackle as a rookie for the 2021 Super Bowl champion Tampa Bay Buccaneers. Former DL Anthony Nelson was a reserve defensive end for the Bucs. Former LB Ben Niemann and LB Anthony Hitchens were on the AFC Champion Kansas City Chiefs.

• Entering the 2026 season, every Iowa senior starting tight end (19) under Kirk Ferentz has been drafted in the NFL or signed by an NFL team. The NFL has employed 23 Iowa tight ends since 1999 (14 drafted/9 free agents).

• All 11 members of Iowa's starting defensive unit in 2008 were either drafted or signed to NFL free agent contracts following the draft.

• All five members of Iowa's offensive line in 2024 and 2025 ended as NFL Draft picks.

	IOWA	OPP
Scoring	**250**	**110**
Points per game	27.8	12.2
Points Off Turnovers	13	24
First Downs	**174**	**134**
Rushing	71	43
Passing	90	77
Penalty	13	14
Rushing Yardage	**1564**	**737**
Yards gained rushing	1681	954
Yards lost rushing	117	217
Rushing attempts	296	298
Average per rush	5.3	2.5
Average per game	173.8	81.9
TDs Rushing	14	2
Passing Yardage	**1801**	**1753**
Comp-Att-Int	168-261-6	159-268-6
Average per pass	6.9	6.5
Average per catch	10.7	11.0
Average per game	200.1	194.8
TDs Passing	13	10
Total offense	**3365**	**2490**
Total plays	557	566
Average per play	6.0	4.4
Average per game	373.9	276.7
Kick returns: #-Yards	**6-282**	**15-280**
Punt returns: #-Yards	**26-312**	**8-62**
Int returns: #-Yards	**6-50**	**6-0**
Kick return average	**47.0**	**18.7**
Punt return average	**12.0**	**7.8**
Int return average	**8.3**	**0.0**
Fumbles-Lost	**12-4**	**6-3**
Penalties-Yards	**50-400**	**58-455**
Average per game	44.4	50.6
Punts-Yards	**40-1694**	**60-2614**
Average per punt	42.4	43.6
Net punt average	39.2	38.0
Kickoffs-Yards	**52-3193**	**27-1709**
Average per kick	61.4	63.3
Net kick average	39.5	33.6
Time of possession / game	**29:42**	**30:18**
3rd-down conversion	**47/115**	**37/127**
3rd-down pct	41%	29%
4th-down conversion	**2/6**	**6/14**

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | OVERALL TEAM STATISTICS

	IOWA	OPP
4th-down pct	33%	43%
Sacks by-Yards	**30-174**	**8-63**
Misc Yards	**0**	**0**
Touchdowns scored	**30**	**12**
Field goals - attempts	**14-16**	**9-10**
On-Side kicks	**0-0**	**0-1**
Red-zone scores	**(23-26) 88%**	**(16-22) 73%**
Red-zone touchdowns	**(16-26) 62%**	**(10-22) 45%**
PAT-attempts	**(26-28) 93%**	**(9-9) 100%**
2-point conversion-attempts	**(1-1) 100%**	**(1-2) 50%**
Attendance	**346250**	**261512**
Games / Avg per game	5/69250	4/65378
Neutral site games	-	0/0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Iowa	84	78	41	47	0	250
Opponents	20	23	38	29	0	110

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Kamari Moulton	6	541	31	0	0	0	572	95.3
Tony Diaz	9	67	504	0	0	0	571	63.4
Braeden Jackson	8	193	78	0	252	0	523	65.4
Reece Vander Zee	9	0	403	39	0	0	442	49.1
Xavier Williams	9	272	58	0	30	0	360	40.0
Evan James	9	0	58	273	0	0	331	36.8
DJ Vonnahme	8	12	314	0	0	0	326	40.8
L.J. Phillips Jr.	6	243	30	0	0	0	273	45.5
Nathan McNeil	6	131	40	0	0	0	171	28.5
Addison Ostrenga	9	0	99	0	0	0	99	11.0
Jarriett Buie	7	0	63	0	0	0	63	9.0
Hank Brown	8	51	0	0	0	0	51	6.4
Deshaun Lee	9	0	0	0	0	45	45	5.0
O'Lontae Dean	2	43	0	0	0	0	43	21.5
Zach Ortwerth	9	0	41	0	0	0	41	4.6
Thomas Meyer	9	0	32	0	0	0	32	3.6
Dayton Howard	8	0	28	0	0	0	28	3.5
Mason Woods	3	0	22	0	0	0	22	7.3
Jimmy Sullivan	2	15	0	0	0	0	15	7.5
Jeremy Hecklinski	5	5	0	0	0	0	5	1.0
Cam Buffington	9	4	0	0	0	0	4	0.4
Jacob Wallace	9	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.3
Rashad Godfrey Jr.	9	0	0	0	0	2	2	0.2
Brevin Doll	5	-3	0	0	0	0	-3	-0.6
Team	9	-10	0	0	0	0	-10	-1.1
Total	**9**	**1564**	**1801**	**312**	**282**	**50**	**4009**	**445.4**
Opponents	**9**	**737**	**1753**	**62**	**280**	**0**	**2832**	**314.7**

Rushing

Player	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Kamari Moulton	6	86	547	6	541	6.3	4	56	90.2
Xavier Williams	9	47	288	16	272	5.8	3	48	30.2
L.J. Phillips Jr.	6	55	249	6	243	4.4	0	45	40.5
Braeden Jackson	8	25	193	0	193	7.7	2	62	24.1
Nathan McNeil	6	22	135	4	131	6.0	2	25	21.8
Tony Diaz	9	8	67	0	67	8.4	0	20	7.4
Hank Brown	8	27	104	53	51	1.9	2	21	6.4
O'Lontae Dean	2	11	51	8	43	3.9	0	10	21.5
Jimmy Sullivan	2	1	15	0	15	15.0	0	15	7.5
DJ Vonnahme	8	3	12	0	12	4.0	1	8	1.5
Jeremy Hecklinski	5	2	16	11	5	2.5	0	16	1.0
Cam Buffington	9	1	4	0	4	4.0	0	4	0.4
Evan James	9	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Brevin Doll	5	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.6
Team	9	6	0	10	-10	-1.7	0	0	-1.1
Total	**9**	**296**	**1681**	**117**	**1564**	**5.3**	**14**	**62**	**173.8**
Opponents	**9**	**298**	**954**	**217**	**737**	**2.5**	**2**	**34**	**81.9**

Passing

Player	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Hank Brown	8	135.4	125-190-4	65.8	1316	9	57	164.5
Jeremy Hecklinski	5	134.1	41-67-2	61.2	472	4	33	94.4
Jimmy Sullivan	2	77.3	2-4-0	50.0	13	0	9	6.5
Total	**9**	**134.2**	**168-261-6**	**64.4**	**1801**	**13**	**57**	**200.1**
Opponents	**9**	**122.1**	**159-268-6**	**59.3**	**1753**	**10**	**57**	**194.8**

Receiving

Player	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Tony Diaz	9	35	504	14.4	3	57	56.0
DJ Vonnahme	8	32	314	9.8	3	45	39.3
Reece Vander Zee	9	28	403	14.4	4	37	44.8
Addison Ostrenga	9	12	99	8.3	1	29	11.0
Kamari Moulton	6	9	31	3.4	0	9	5.2
Braeden Jackson	8	9	78	8.7	1	33	9.8
Xavier Williams	9	7	58	8.3	1	23	6.4
Evan James	9	7	58	8.3	0	18	6.4
Thomas Meyer	9	6	32	5.3	0	11	3.6
Jarriett Buie	7	5	63	12.6	0	17	9.0
L.J. Phillips Jr.	6	5	30	6.0	0	8	5.0
Nathan McNeil	6	5	40	8.0	0	19	6.7
Zach Ortwerth	9	4	41	10.3	0	15	4.6
Dayton Howard	8	2	28	14.0	0	17	3.5
Mason Woods	3	2	22	11.0	0	17	7.3
Total	**9**	**168**	**1801**	**10.7**	**13**	**57**	**200.1**
Opponents	**9**	**159**	**1753**	**11.0**	**10**	**57**	**194.8**

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Evan James	22	273	12.4	1	77
Reece Vander Zee	4	39	9.8	0	15
Total	**26**	**312**	**12.0**	**1**	**77**
Opponents	**8**	**62**	**7.8**	**0**	**27**

Interceptions

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Deshaun Lee	3	45	15.0	0	28
Jacob Wallace	2	3	1.5	0	3
Rashad Godfrey Jr.	1	2	2.0	0	2
Total	**6**	**50**	**8.3**	**0**	**28**
Opponents	**6**	**0**	**0.0**	**0**	**0**

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Braeden Jackson	5	252	50.4	2	99
Xavier Williams	1	30	30.0	0	30
Total	**6**	**282**	**47.0**	**2**	**99**
Opponents	**15**	**280**	**18.7**	**0**	**36**

Fumbles Recovered

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Jayden Montgomery	1	0	0.0	0	0
Ty Hudkins	1	0	0.0	0	0
Rashad Godfrey Jr.	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	**3**	**0**	**0.0**	**0**	**0**
Opponents	**4**	**9**	**2.3**	**0**	**9**

Scoring

			PAT						
Player	**td**	**fg**	**kick**	**rush**	**rcv**	**pass**	**dxp**	**saf**	**pts**
Caden Buhr	-	14-16	26-28	-	-	-	-	-	68
Braeden Jackson	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Reece Vander Zee	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	26
Kamari Moulton	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Xavier Williams	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
DJ Vonnahme	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Tony Diaz	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Hank Brown	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Nathan McNeil	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Addison Ostrenga	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Evan James	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	**30**	**14-16**	**26-28**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**250**
Opponents	**12**	**9-10**	**9-9**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**110**

Field Goals

Player	**fg**	**pct.**	**01-19**	**20-29**	**30-39**	**40-49**	**50-99**	**lg**	**blk**
Caden Buhr	14-16	87.5	0-0	3-3	3-3	5-5	3-5	54	0
Opponents	**9-10**	**90.0**	**0-0**	**3-3**	**2-2**	**3-4**	**1-1**	**51**	**0**

FG Sequence

Team Name	**Iowa**	**Opponents**
NIU	53,(45),(34)	
Iowa St.	(45),(32),(42)	(29),(51)
UNI		
Michigan	51	(41),(22)
Ohio St.	(43),(48)	(28),40
Washington	(51),(27)	(30)
Minnesota	(32)	(31),(46)
Wisconsin	(24),(28),(54)	
Northwestern	(52)	(45)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made

Total Offense

Player	**g**	**plays**	**rush**	**pass**	**total**	**avg/g**
Hank Brown	8	217	51	1316	1367	170.9
Kamari Moulton	6	86	541	0	541	90.2
Jeremy Hecklinski	5	69	5	472	477	95.4
Xavier Williams	9	47	272	0	272	30.2
L.J. Phillips Jr.	6	55	243	0	243	40.5
Braeden Jackson	8	25	193	0	193	24.1
Nathan McNeil	6	22	131	0	131	21.8
Tony Diaz	9	8	67	0	67	7.4
O'Lontae Dean	2	11	43	0	43	21.5
Jimmy Sullivan	2	5	15	13	28	14.0
DJ Vonnahme	8	3	12	0	12	1.5
Cam Buffington	9	1	4	0	4	0.4
Brevin Doll	5	1	-3	0	-3	-0.6
Team	9	0	-10	0	-10	-1.1
Total	**9**	**557**	**1564**	**1801**	**3365**	**373.9**
Opponents	**9**	**566**	**737**	**1753**	**2490**	**276.7**

Punting

Player	**no.**	**yds**	**avg**	**lg**	**tb**	**fc**	**i20**	**50+**	**blk**
Boston Everitt	39	1694	43.4	60	4	14	22	7	0
Team	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	**40**	**1694**	**42.4**	**60**	**4**	**14**	**22**	**7**	**1**
Opponents	**60**	**2614**	**43.6**	**71**	**1**	**21**	**11**	**10**	**0**

Kickoffs

Player	**no.**	**yds**	**avg**	**tb**	**ob**	**retn**	**net**	**ydln**
Eli Ozick	52	3193	61.4	27	1			
Total	**52**	**3193**	**61.4**	**27**	**1**	**15**	**39.5**	**25**
Opponents	**27**	**1709**	**63.3**	**19**	**2**	**6**	**33.6**	**31**

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | TEAM DEFENSE

			Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
##	Player	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
33	Cam Buffington	9	47	35	82	9-27	3-19	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
36	Jayden Montgomery	9	31	24	55	8-30	3.5-19	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
6	Zach Lutmer	9	26	26	52	1.5-4	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.
96	Bryce Hawthorne	9	17	17	34	8-32	3.5-24	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
8	Deshaun Lee	9	19	11	30	.	.	3-45	6	.	.	.	.	.
23	Landyn Van Kekerix	9	13	16	29	0.5-4	0.5-4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
11	Jacob Wallace	9	21	8	29	2.5-7	1-6	2-3	2	1	.	.	.	.
3	Jaylen Watson	9	19	7	26	0.5-1	.	.	7	1	.	.	.	.
18	Xavier Styles	9	18	6	24	1-2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.
51	Luke Gaffney	9	7	12	19	2-14	2-14	.	2	2	.	.	.	.
43	Kahmari Brown	9	10	9	19	2.5-20	2-20	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
57	Will Hubert	9	7	10	17	1.5-8	1-8	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
97	Iose Epenesa	9	8	6	14	2.5-3	1-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
13	Drew Campbell	9	4	9	13	4-20	2.5-18	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
44	Kenneth Merrieweather	9	4	9	13	1.5-3	1-1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
1	Darion Jones	9	8	4	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	Tyler Brown	2	6	5	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
46	Preston Ries	9	5	4	9	2.5-18	2.5-18	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
92	Brice Stevenson	8	4	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
5	Anthony Hawkins	9	4	4	8	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
7	Rashad Godfrey Jr.	9	5	3	8	.	.	1-2	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
20	Ty Hudkins	5	3	5	8	.	.	.	2	.	1-0	.	.	.
22	Derek Weisskopf	9	4	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
4	Julian Manson	6	3	4	7	1.5-2	1-2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
84	Joseph Anderson	7	4	3	7	4-12	4-12	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
31	Nolan DeLong	9	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91	Devan Kennedy	6	1	3	4	0.5-1	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
10	Burke Gautcher	6	2	2	4	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40	Chima Chineke	3	1	2	3	1-7	1-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
42	David Fason	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	Jack Janda	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Carson Cooney	6	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	Alex Mota	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	Zach Ortwerth	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	DJ Vonnahme	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
0	Cody Haddad	3	1	.	1	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Brevin Doll	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
88	Emmanuel Olagbaju	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
69	Ike Speltz	9	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	Eli Robbins	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
21	Marcello Vitti	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Billy Weivoda	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
47	Jack Laughlin	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Totals	**9**	**315**	**260**	**575**	**56-218**	**30-174**	**6-50**	**34**	**23**	**3-0**	**5**	**0**	**0**
	Opponents	9	328	244	572	28-123	8-63	6-0	26	15	4-9	10	2	0

Date	Opponent		Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
09/05/2026	NIU	W	40-0	5	3	16	2	0	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
09/12/2026	Iowa St.	W	16-13	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
09/19/2026	UNI	W	55-0	4	4	28	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/26/2026	at Michigan	W	20-19	2	2	13	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/03/2026	Ohio St.	L	14-31	2	2	11	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
10/09/2026	at Washington	W	41-24	4	4	24	3	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
10/24/2026	at Minnesota	L	10-13	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
10/31/2026	Wisconsin	W	30-0	5	5	27	3	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
11/07/2026	at Northwestern	W	24-10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Totals 23 of 26 (88.5%)			**26**	**23**	**132**	**16**	**7**	**9**	**7**	**7**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**

Opponents Inside Iowa Red-Zone

Date	Opponent		Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	TDs	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game
09/05/2026	NIU	W	40-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/12/2026	Iowa St.	W	16-13	3	3	13	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
09/19/2026	UNI	W	55-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
09/26/2026	Michigan	W	20-19	4	2	10	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
10/03/2026	Ohio St.	L	14-31	6	4	24	3	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	1
10/09/2026	Washington	W	41-24	4	4	24	3	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
10/24/2026	Minnesota	L	10-13	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
10/31/2026	Wisconsin	W	30-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
11/07/2026	Northwestern	W	24-10	2	1	7	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
	Totals 16 of 22 (72.7%)			**22**	**16**	**88**	**10**	**2**	**8**	**6**	**7**	**3**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS (BIG TEN ONLY)

Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Caden Buhr	9-10	90.0	0-0	3-3	1-1	2-2	3-4	54	0
Opponents	**7-8**	**87.5**	**0-0**	**2-2**	**2-2**	**3-4**	**0-0**	**46**	**0**

Scoring

			PAT						
Player	**td**	**fg**	**kick**	**rush**	**rcv**	**pass**	**dxp**	**saf**	**pts**
Caden Buhr	-	9-10	14-14	-	-	-	-	-	41
Reece Vander Zee	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	26
DJ Vonnahme	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Braeden Jackson	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Kamari Moulton	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Tony Diaz	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Hank Brown	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	**16**	**9-10**	**14-14**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**139**
Opponents	**11**	**7-8**	**8-8**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**97**

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	TOT
Iowa	43	34	27	35	0	139
Opponents	20	13	35	29	0	97

Punting

Player	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Boston Everitt	26	1121	43.1	60	3	6	13	4	0
Team	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	**27**	**1121**	**41.5**	**60**	**3**	**6**	**13**	**4**	**1**
Opponents	**33**	**1438**	**43.6**	**59**	**0**	**12**	**8**	**6**	**0**

Punt Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Evan James	15	125	8.3	0	30
Total	**15**	**125**	**8.3**	**0**	**30**
Opponents	**8**	**62**	**7.8**	**0**	**27**

Kick Returns

Player	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Braeden Jackson	5	252	50.4	2	99
Xavier Williams	1	30	30.0	0	30
Total	**6**	**282**	**47.0**	**2**	**99**
Opponents	**10**	**203**	**20.3**	**0**	**36**

All Purpose

Player	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Tony Diaz	6	49	303	0	0	0	352	58.7
Braeden Jackson	6	38	54	0	252	0	344	57.3
Reece Vander Zee	6	0	326	0	0	0	326	54.3
Kamari Moulton	4	301	0	0	0	0	301	75.3
L.J. Phillips Jr.	5	238	30	0	0	0	268	53.6
DJ Vonnahme	6	10	247	0	0	0	257	42.8
Xavier Williams	6	110	30	0	30	0	170	28.3
Evan James	6	0	20	125	0	0	145	24.2
Addison Ostrenga	6	0	65	0	0	0	65	10.8
Zach Ortwerth	6	0	35	0	0	0	35	5.8
Deshaun Lee	6	0	0	0	0	28	28	4.7
Thomas Meyer	6	0	27	0	0	0	27	4.5
Dayton Howard	6	0	17	0	0	0	17	2.8
Jarriett Buie	5	0	17	0	0	0	17	3.4
Hank Brown	5	17	0	0	0	0	17	3.4
Nathan McNeil	3	3	3	0	0	0	6	2.0
Cam Buffington	6	4	0	0	0	0	4	0.7
Total	**6**	**760**	**1174**	**125**	**282**	**28**	**2369**	**394.8**
Opponents	**6**	**539**	**1421**	**62**	**203**	**0**	**2225**	**370.8**

Total Offense

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Field Goals

Player	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Caden Buhr	9-10	90.0	0-0	3-3	1-1	2-2	3-4	54	0
Opponents	**7-8**	**87.5**	**0-0**	**2-2**	**2-2**	**3-4**	**0-0**	**46**	**0**

Scoring

			PAT						
Player	**td**	**fg**	**kick**	**rush**	**rcv**	**pass**	**dxp**	**saf**	**pts**
Caden Buhr	-	9-10	14-14	-	-	-	-	-	41
Reece Vander Zee	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	26
DJ Vonnahme	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Braeden Jackson	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
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2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | TEAM DEFENSE (BIG TEN ONLY)

			Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
##	Player	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	fr-yds	ff	kick	saf
33	Cam Buffington	6	30	25	55	6-23	3-19	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
36	Jayden Montgomery	6	26	21	47	5.5-23	3.5-19	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
6	Zach Lutmer	6	21	23	44	1.5-4	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
8	Deshaun Lee	6	15	10	25	.	.	2-28	4	.	.	.	.	.
96	Bryce Hawthorne	6	15	9	24	7.5-28	3-20	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
11	Jacob Wallace	6	19	4	23	2-7	1-6	1-0	2	1	.	.	.	.
23	Landyn Van Kekerix	6	11	11	22	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
18	Xavier Styles	6	17	5	22	1-2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
3	Jaylen Watson	6	16	4	20	0.5-1	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	.
43	Kahmari Brown	6	8	7	15	2-15	1.5-15	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
51	Luke Gaffney	6	7	7	14	2-14	2-14	.	1	2	.	.	.	.
57	Will Hubert	6	6	7	13	1-8	1-8	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
97	Iose Epenesa	6	6	5	11	2-2	1-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
44	Kenneth Merrieweather	6	3	7	10	1.5-3	1-1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
2	Tyler Brown	1	4	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Drew Campbell	6	3	5	8	2.5-10	1-8	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
46	Preston Ries	6	5	3	8	2-14	2-14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	Rashad Godfrey Jr.	6	4	2	6	.	.	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
1	Darion Jones	6	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	Brice Stevenson	6	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	Ty Hudkins	2	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	Derek Weisskopf	6	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
84	Joseph Anderson	5	3	1	4	2-2	2-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	Anthony Hawkins	6	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
31	Nolan DeLong	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	Zach Ortwerth	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91	Devan Kennedy	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Brevin Doll	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
69	Ike Speltz	6	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81	DJ Vonnahme	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Carson Cooney	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Totals	**6**	**232**	**176**	**408**	**39-156**	**22-127**	**3-28**	**19**	**17**	**2-0**	**3**	**0**	**0**
	Opponents	6	202	172	374	20-91	7-52	5-0	17	14	4-9	10	1	0

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Game	Score	First Downs	Rushing Att-Net	Pass. Yards	Passing (C-A-INT)	Total Offense	Punts-Avg.	Fumbles Lost	Penalty Yds.	TFL	Sacks	TOP
NIU	0	7	31-7	113	13-24-1	120	11-41.8	1-1	7-61	4-9	0-0	26:09
at IOWA	40	27	38-289	218	21-40-1	507	3-43.7	0-0	7-65	7-39	6-38	33:51
Iowa State	13	9	34-138	117	10-19-0	255	7-43.9	0-0	6-45	1-4	0-0	30:18
at IOWA	16	13	29-93	191	21-30-0	284	6-44.0	0-0	4-25	3-7	0-0	29:42
Northern Iowa	0	9	41-422	218	14-33-2	155	9-45.4	1-0	4-35	3-19	1-11	27:45
at IOWA	55	33	25-53	102	18-23-0	640	4-44.5	0-0	7-83	7-16	2-9	32:15
IOWA	20	16	24-58	227	21-35-0	285	6-42.3	1-0	5-34	1-2	1-2	25:31
at Michigan	19	21	40-153	276	17-28-1	429	4-42.5	0-0	8-75	3-8	2-7	34:29
Ohio State	31	24	47-160	324	20-27-0	484	4-41.8	1-0	9-49	4-28	2-23	38:02
at IOWA	14	15	21-39	199	17-32-1	238	2-40.0	1-1	6-45	7-35	4-29	21:58
IOWA	41	22	38-263	202	14-19-0	465	4-42.0	1-0	8-73	9-54	6-50	28:19
at Washington	24	24	25-(-3)	320	34-51-0	317	7-47.3	0-0	7-50	3-6	0-0	31:41
IOWA	10	15	30-90	198	20-37-3	288	7-39.9	4-1	6-27	10-29	3-15	31:07
at Minnesota	13	11	35-72	137	14-27-1	209	9-41.8	1-0	6-50	3-11	1-8	28:52
Wisconsin	0	9	24-52	183	13-27-1	362	6-46.5	2-2	8-70	5-26	1-6	36:21
at IOWA	30	21	42-140	222	20-24-0	235	3-44.0	3-1	2-10	4-13	2-10	23:39
IOWA	24	14	33-170	181	16-21-1	296	3-40.3	2-1	5-45	8-23	6-21	28:02
at Northwestern	10	19	37-105	126	24-32-0	286	5-40.4	0-0	3-20	2-12	1-8	31:58

SPECIALTY STATISTICS

ON THE AVERAGE

DOWN	PLAYS	YARDS	AVG.
First Down	251	1669	6.6
Second Down	198	1081	5.5
Third Down	118	635	5.4
Fourth Down	6	12	2.0

IOWA BY QUARTERS

QUARTER	IOWA	OPPONENTS
First	84	20
Second	68	23
Third	41	38
Fourth	47	29
OT	-	-

POINTS OFF TURNOVERS

	T/O GAINED	PTS. SCORED
IOWA	9	13
Opponent	10	24

INDIVIDUAL

Points	18, 2x, last Jeremy Hecklinski at Washington, 10/9/26
Rushing Attempts	26, Kamari Moulton at Washington, 10/9/26
Yards Rushing	208, Kamari Moulton at Washington, 10/9/26
Pass Attempts	35 (21 comp.), Hank Brown at Michigan, 9/26/26
Pass Completions	21 (35 att.), 2x, last Hank Brown at Michigan, 9/26/26
Yards Passing	227 (21-of-35), Hank Brown at Michigan, 9/26/26
Receptions	8, Tony Diaz vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26
Yards Receiving	95, Tony Diaz vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26
Yards Total Offense	233, Hank Brown vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
All-Purpose Yards	206, Kamari Moulton at Washington, 10/9/26
Yards Punt Returns	108, Evan James vs. NIU, 9/5/26
Yards Kickoff Returns	119, Braeden Jackson at Michigan, 9/26/26
Field Goals Made	3, 2x, last by Caden Buhr vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Extra Points	7, Caden Buhr vs. UNI, 9/19/26
Interceptions	1, 6x, last by Jacob Wallace vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Tackles	15, Cam Buffington vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26
Sacks	2, 2x, Cam Buffington and Preston Ries at Washington, 10/9/26
TFL's	3, Bryce Hawthorne at Minnesota, 10/25/26

TEAM OFFENSE (IOWA HIGHS)

Points	55 vs. UNI, 9/19/26
Rushing Attempts	42 vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Net Yards Rushing	422 vs. UNI, 9/19/26
Pass Attempts	40 (21 comp.) vs. NIU, 9/5/26
Pass Completions	21 (35 att.), 3x, last at Michigan, 9/26/26
Yards Passing	227 (21-of-35) at Michigan, 9/26/26
Yards Total Offense	640 vs. UNI, 9/19/26
Total Plays	78 vs. NIU, 9/5/26
First Downs	33 vs. UNI, 9/19/26

TEAM DEFENSE (OPPONENT LOWS)

Points	0, 3x, vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Rushing Attempts	24 vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Net Yards Rushing	(-3) at Washington, 10/9/26
Pass Attempts	19 (10 comp.), vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26
Pass Completions	10 (19 att.) vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26
Yards Passing	102 vs. UNI, 9/19/26
Yards Total Offense	120 vs. NIU, 9/5/26
Total Plays	51 vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
First Downs	7 vs. NIU, 9/5/26

LONGEST PLAYS

Run	62	Braeden Jackson vs. UNI, 9/19/26
Reception	57	Tony Diaz at Minnesota, 10/25/26
Field Goal	54	Caden Buhr vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Interception Return	28	Deshaun Lee at Minnesota, 10/25/26
Fumble Return	0	3x, last by Rashad Godfrey Jr. vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Punt Return	77	Evan James vs. NIU, 9/5/26
Kickoff Return	99	Braeden Jackson at Michigan, 9/26/26
Scoring drive	98 (7 plays, 2:52, TD)	2x, last vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Non-scoring drive	65 (12 plays, 6:32)	at Minnesota, 10/25/26

CAREER 300-YARD PASSING // 100-YARD RUSHING/RECEIVING PERFORMANCES

PASSING

RUSHING

BRAEDEN JACKSON (1)

Date	Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD
9/19/26	Northern Iowa	11	125	1

NATHAN MCNEIL (1)

Date	Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD
9/19/26	Northern Iowa	12	111	2

KAMARI MOULTON (3)

Date	Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD
11/23/24	Maryland	12	114	1
9/5/26	Northern Illinois	11	183	2
10/9/26	Washington	26	208	2

L.J. PHILLIPS, JR. (10)

Date	Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD
$9/13/25	Northern Colorado	35	301	2
$9/20/25	Drake	19	143	4
$10/4/25	Murray State	24	244	4
$10/11/25	at Indiana State	34	187	1
$10/25/25	Illinois State	26	129	0
$11/1/25	North Dakota	24	106	1
$11/8/25	South Dakota State	27	168	2
$11/29/25	Drake	14	132	1
$12/6/25	at Mercer	15	159	2
11/8/26	at Northwestern	21	128	0

$ at South Dakota

XAVIER WILLIAMS (1)

Date	Opponent	Att.	Yds.	TD
8/30/25	UAlbany	11	122	1
9/19/26	Northern Iowa	6	151	3

RECEIVING

TONY DIAZ (4)

Date	Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD
$9/6/25	at Prairie View	6	121	1
$9/27/25	at Southeastern Louisiana	4	113	1
$10/25/25	Incarnate Word	17	172	1
$11/15/25	at McNeese State	7	134	3

$ at UTRGV

EVAN JAMES (3)

Date	Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD
$9/13/25	at Campbell	10	134	1
$10/25/25	The Citadel	8	126	0
$11/8/25	at Chattanooga	8	146	1

$ at Furman

DJ VONNAHME (1)

Date	Opponent	Rec.	Yds.	TD
12/31/25	Vanderbilt	7	146	1

CAREER DOUBLE-DIGIT TACKLE GAMES

Name	'23	'24	'25	'26	TOTAL
Cam Buffington	--	--	--	3	3
Zach Lutmer	--	--	--	3	3
Kahmari Brown	--	--	*1	--	1
Tyler Brown	--	--	*1	--	1
Jayden Montgomery	--	--	--	1	1
Landyn Van Kekerix	--	--	--	1	1

CAREER SACKS

Name	'23	'24	'25	'26	TOTAL
Kahmari Brown	--	*4.5	*12.0	2.0	18.5
Bryce Hawthorne	--	*4.5	--	3.5	8.0
Joseph Anderson	--	--	--	4.0	4.0
Jayden Montgomery	--	--	--	3.5	3.5
Cam Buffington	--	--	--	3.0	3.0
Drew Campbell	--	--	--	2.5	2.5
Emmanuel Olagbaju	--	--	*2.5	--	2.5
Luke Gaffney	--	--	--	2.0	2.0
Preston Ries	--	--	--	2.0	2.0
Tyler Brown	--	*0.5	*1.0	--	1.5
Kenneth Merrieweather	--	0.5	--	1.0	1.5
Lance Ingold	--	--	*1.5	--	1.5
Chima Chineke	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Will Hubert	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Zach Lutmer	--	--	1	--	1.0
Julian Manson	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Jacob Wallace	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Jaylen Watson	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Devan Kennedy	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Preston Ries	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Brice Stevenson	*0.5	--	--	--	0.5
Landyn Van Kekerix	--	--	--	0.5	0.5

CAREER TACKLES FOR LOSS

Name	'23	'24	'25	'26	TOTAL
Kahmari Brown	--	*9	*16	2.5	27.5
Bryce Hawthorne	--	*5.5	3	8.0	16.5
Cam Buffington	--	--	--	9.0	9.0
Jayden Montgomery	--	--	1	8.0	9.0
Zach Lutmer	--	--	5.5	1.5	7.0
Tyler Brown	--	*1.5	*5	--	6.5
Brice Stevenson	*0.5	*2.5	*3.5	--	6.5
Emmanuel Olagbaju	*0.5	*1	*3	--	4.5
Joseph Anderson	--	--	--	4.0	4.0
Drew Campbell	--	--	--	4.0	4.0
Anthony Hawkins	--	--	*4	--	4.0
Iose Epenesa	--	--	1	2.5	3.5
Kenneth Merrieweather	0.5	0.5	1	1.5	3.0
Preston Ries	--	--	0.5	2.5	3.0
Luke Gaffney	--	--	--	2.0	2.0
Lance Ingold	--	--	*2	--	2.0
Deshaun Lee	--	1	1	--	2.0
Jacob Wallace	--	--	--	2.0	2.0
M. Borcherding-Johnson	--	--	1	--	1.0
Chima Chineke	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Cody Haddad	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Will Hubert	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Julian Manson	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Xavier Styles	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Burke Gautcher	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Rashad Godfrey, Jr.	--	--	0.5	--	0.5
Will Hubert	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Devan Kennedy	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Julian Manson	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Jacob Wallace	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Jaylen Watson	--	--	--	0.5	0.5
Landyn Van Kekerix	--	--	--	0.5	0.5

CAREER INTERCEPTIONS

Name	'23	'24	'25	'26	TOTAL
Deshaun Lee	--	1	2	3	6
Zach Lutmer	--	1	3	--	4
Anthony Hawkins	--	--	*2	--	2
Jacob Wallace	--	--	--	2	2
Tyler Brown	--	--	*1	--	1
Cam Buffington	--	--	1	--	1
Rashad Godfrey Jr.	--	--	--	1	1
Bryce Hawthorne	--	--	1	--	1
Xavier Styles	--	--	*1	--	1

** statistics achieved at previous school*

IOWA HAD...

RUSHING

20+ attempts — **21, L.J. Phillips at Northwestern, 11/7/26**
30+ attempts — 35, Kaleb Johnson at Maryland, 11/23/24
100 yards — **208, Kamari Moulton at Washington, 10/9/26**
200 yards — **208, Kamari Moulton at Washington, 10/9/26**
Team 400 yards — 408 vs. Tulsa, 9/13/97
3 TDs — **Xavier Williams vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
4 TDs — Akrum Wadley at Northwestern, 10/17/15
50+ yard rush — **56, Kamari Moulton at Washington, 10/9/26**
75+ yard rush — 75, Kaleb Johnson at Michigan State, 10/19/24
100-yard rusher by QB — 130, Mark Gronowski vs. Penn State, 10/18/25
2 100-yard performances — **151, Xavier Williams vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
(same game) — **125, Braeden Jackson vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
111, Nathan McNeil vs. UNI, 9/19/26
3 100-yard performances — **151, Xavier Williams vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
(same game) — **125, Braeden Jackson vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
111, Nathan McNeil vs. UNI, 9/19/26
Four consecutive 100-yard games — Kaleb Johnson, 2024 (ILST, ISU, TROY, MINN)

PASSING

30-39 attempts — **35, Hank Brown at Michigan, 9/26/26**
40-49 attempts — 43, Nate Stanley vs. Penn State, 10/12/19
50 attempts — 56, Jake Rudock at Maryland, 10/18/14
30-39 completions — 32, Jake Rudock at Maryland, 10/18/14
100% completions (min. 10 att.) — **12-12 (153 yards), Hank Brown vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
300 yards — 308, Nate Stanley vs. Illinois, 11/23/19
400 yards — 426, Scott Mullen vs. Indiana, 10/23/99
Team 400 yards — 426 vs. Indiana, 10/23/99
75+ yard completion — 75, Nate Stanley at Wisconsin, 11/9/19
3 TDs — **Jeremy Hecklinski at Washington, 10/9/26**
4 TDs — Nate Stanley (6) at Indiana, 10/13/18
5 TDs — Nate Stanley (6) at Indiana, 10/13/18
6 TDs — Nate Stanley at Indiana, 10/13/18
15 straight completions to start game — C.J. Beathard vs. North Texas, 9/25/15
4 interceptions — Spencer Petras vs. Purdue, 10/16/21
5 interceptions — Ricky Stanzi vs. Indiana, 10/31/09

RECEIVING

10+ receptions — 13, Kevin Kasper at Ohio State, 10/30/99
150 yards — 151, Marvin McNutt at Purdue, 11/19/11
200 yards — 233, Deven Harberts at Indiana, 10/29/88
75+ yard reception — 75, Tyrone Tracy, Jr., at Wisconsin, 11/9/19
2 100-yard performances — 4-107-2 TD, T.J. Hockenson at Indiana, 10/13/18
(same game) — 4-101-TD, Noah Fant at Indiana, 10/13/18
2 WR 100-yard performances — 10-129-1 TD, Keenan Davis vs. Pittsburgh, 9/17/11
(same game) — 8-112, Marvin McNutt vs. Pittsburgh, 9/17/11
2 TDs — **DJ Vonnahme at Washington, 10/9/26**
3 TDs — Marvin McNutt vs. Indiana, 10/22/11
4 TDs — Ed Hinkel vs. Minnesota, 11/19/05
10 or more receivers catch a pass — **10 vs. UNI, 9/19/26**

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TD rush, TD pass, TD catch in same game — Mark Gronowski at USC, 11/18/25
Scored 5 touchdowns on first five possessions — **vs. UNI, 9/19/26**

DEFENSIVE

15+ tackles — **15, Cam Buffington vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26**
3.0+ sacks — 3.0, Aaron Graves vs. Illinois State, 8/31/24
3.0+ TFL — **3.0, Bryce Hawthorne at Minnesota, 10/25/26**
4.0+ TFL — 4.0, Joe Evans vs. Tennessee, 1/1/24
3+ players with 10+ tackles — **Lutmer (12), Buffington (11), Van Kekerix (10) at Michigan, 9/26/26**
Had 6+ sacks — **6 at Northwestern, 11/7/26**
Had 12+ TFL — 12 vs. Purdue, 10/7/23
Intercepted 5+ passes — 6 at Maryland, 10/1/21
Forced 6+ turnovers — 7 (6 INT, 1 Fumble) at Maryland, 10/1/21
Held under 75 yards rushing — **72 at Minnesota, 10/25/26**
Held under 100 yards passing — 69 yards at Nebraska, 11/28/25
Under 200 yards total offense — **155 yards vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
Safety scored — at Nebraska, 11/28/25
Forced 2+ safeties — vs. South Dakota State, 9/3/22

FIELD GOALS

50 yards — **52, Caden Buhr at Northwestern, 11/7/26**
Made multiple from 50 yards — 54 and 50, Drew Stevens at Maryland, 11/23/24
4 FG made — Drew Stevens at Maryland (5), 11/23/24
5 FG made — Drew Stevens at Maryland, 11/23/24

TOUCHDOWN RETURNS (Yardage)

Kickoff — **96 yards, Braeden Jackson at Northwestern, 11/7/26**
Game-opening kickoff — 100 yards, Kaden Wetjen at Rutgers, 9/19/25
Punt — **77 yards on PR, Evan James vs. NIU, 9/5/26**
Punt (after block) — Paki O'Meara vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/4/10
Two Punts — 83 yards, 63 yards, Kevonte Martin-Manley, vs. Western Michigan, 9/21/13
Interception — 34 yards, Zach Lutmer vs. Minnesota, 10/25/25
2 Interceptions returned for TD (Ind.) — 30, 55 yards, Riley Moss vs. Indiana (9/4/21)
2 interceptions returned for TD (team) — Xavier Nwankpa (52), Cooper DeJean (14) vs. Kentucky, 12/31/22
Fumble — 11, Joe Evans at Ohio State, 10/22/22
Blocked Field Goal — Logan Lee vs. Minnesota, 11/13/21
Blocked PAT — 99 yards, D.J. Johnson at Penn State, 9/28/02

TEAM

Shut out opponent at Kinnick Stadium — **30-0 vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26**
Shut out opponent on the road — 37-0 at Wisconsin, 10/11/25
Shut out back-to-back opponents — 1953, Purdue (26-0) & Minnesota (27-0)
Won in overtime — 44-41 (OT) at Iowa State, 9/9/17
Blocked a punt — Preston Ries vs. UAlbany, 8/30/25
Blocked two punts — Lukas Van Ness vs. Iowa State, 9/10/22
Punt blocked and returned for TD — Henry Marchese (block), Kyler Fisher (TD) at Nebraska, 11/26/21
Blocked a field goal — Ethan Hurkett at Rutgers, 9/19/25
Blocked a PAT — D.J. Johnson at Penn State, 9/28/02
Did not punt — vs. Akron, 8/31/02
Recovered an onside kick (kicking team) — 1st quarter vs. Illinois, 10/7/17
Recovered an onside kick (receiving team) — **4th quarter at Northwestern, 11/7/26**
Scored a safety: — 3rd quarter at Nebraska, 11/28/25
Converted a fake punt: — **Buffington 4-yard rush at Minnesota, 10/25/26**
Scored a 2-point conversion — **Hecklinski to Vander Zee, vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26**
Game-winning field goal — **Caden Buhr, 42 yards (0:15), vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26**
Game-winning touchdown (:00 left) — **Brown to Vander Zee, at Michigan, 9/26/26**
Did not commit a penalty — vs. Troy, 9/14/24
Did not score an offensive TD and won — vs. South Dakota State, 9/3/22
Scored 50 points — **55 vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
Scored 60 points — 63 at Illinois, 10/17/18
600 yards of total offense — **640 vs. UNI, 9/19/26**
Scored on first play of game — Amani Hooker (30-yd. INT return), vs. Ohio State, 11/4/17
Scored 3 or more non-offensive TDs — (2 punts, 2 INTs), vs. Western Michigan, 9/21/13
Rallied from 20+ points to win — Pittsburgh (down 21, won 31-27)
Scored in all three phases (Off., Def., Sp. Teams) — vs. Minnesota, 10/25/25
Scored a TD in all three phases (Off., Def. Sp. Teams) — vs. Minnesota, 10/25/25

AN OPPONENT HAD...

RUSHING

30+ attempts — 39, Mohamed Ibrahim at Minnesota, 11/19/22
200 yards — 29-217, Emmett Johnson a. Nebraska, 11/28/25
Team 400+ yards — 433, at Indiana, 9/30/00
3 TDs — Nico Iamaleava vs. Tennessee, 1/1/24
2 100-yard performances — 149, Carlos Hyde at Ohio State, 10/19/13
(same game) — 102, Braxton Miller at Ohio State, 10/19/13

PASSING

40-49 attempts — 42, Alessio Milivojevic vs. MSU, 11/22/25
50 attempts — 50, Aidan O'Connell at Purdue, 10/24/20
30-39 completions — 32, Cooper Legas vs. Utah State, 9/2/23
300 yards — 324, Julian Sayin, vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26
Team 400 yards — 458, at Purdue, 10/15/16
4 TDs — Will Howard at Ohio State, 10/5/24

RECEIVING

10+ receptions — 11, Jeremiah Smith vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26
200+ yards — 206, Jeremiah Smith vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26
175-199 yards — 206, Jeremiah Smith vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26
150-174 yards — 206, Jeremiah Smith vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26
2 TDs — 2, Jeremiah Smith vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26
3 TDs — Emeka Egbuka at Ohio State, 10/5/24
2 100-yard performances — 130, JJ Buchanan at Michigan, 9/26/26
(same game) — 106, Andrew Marsh at Michigan, 9/26/26
10 or more receivers catch a pass — 10 at Washington, 10/9/26

DEFENSIVE

3+ players with 10+ tackles — Catalano, Posa, Jung vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Had 6+ sacks — 6 vs. Wisconsin, 11/12/22
Intercepted 5+ passes — 5 vs. Indiana, 10/31/09
Forced 6+ turnovers — 6 (3 INT, 3 Fumbles) at Ohio State, 10/22/22
Held Iowa under 75 yards rushing — 21-39 yards, vs. Ohio State, 10/3/26
Held Iowa under 100 yards passing — 68 vs. Penn State, 10/18/25
Held Iowa under 200 yards total offense — 164 yards vs. Nebraska, 11/29/24
Safety scored — vs. Oregon, 11/8/25

FIELD GOALS

50+ yards — 51, Kyle Konrardy vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26
3 FG made — Kyle Cunanan (3) at Nebraska, 11/28/25

TOUCHDOWN RETURNS

Kickoff — 100 yards, Will Likely vs. Maryland, 10/31/15
Punt — 72 yards, Drew Wagner vs. Northwestern, 10/26/24
Punt (after block) — 6 yards, Tremaine McCollum vs. Florida, 1/2/06
Interception — Theran Johnson (85 yards) vs. Northwestern, 10/26/24
Fumble — Cal Haladay (42 yards) vs. Michigan State, 9/30/23
Blocked FG — Elliot Washington II (35 yards) vs. Penn State, 10/18/25
Blocked PAT — Jason Simmons (85 yards) at Ohio State, 11/2/91

TEAM

Shut out Iowa at Kinnick Stadium — 31-0 vs. Wisconsin, 10/24/98
Shut out Iowa on the road — 31-0 at Penn State, 9/23/23
Shut out Iowa at a neutral site — 35-0 vs. Tennessee, 1/1/24
Won in overtime — at Northwestern, 10/21/17
Blocked a punt — Mason Carrier at Minnesota, 10/25/26
Punt blocked and returned for TD — Ryan Lewis (block), Pat Amara, Jr., (TD), vs. Pittsburgh, 9/19/15
Blocked a field goal — Nash Hutmacher, at Nebraska, 11/24/23
Blocked a field goal and returned for TD — Xavier Gilliam (block), Elliot Washington II (TD) vs. Penn State, 10/18/25
Blocked a PAT — vs. Illinois, 11/18/23
Did not punt — at Michigan State, 10/19/24
Recovered an onside kick — at Ohio State, 10/19/13
Scored a safety — vs. Oregon, 11/8/25
Scored a 2-point conversion — E. Brown to D. Roebuck at Washington, 10/9/26
Game-winning field goal_Luke Drzewiecki, 46 yards (:00), at Minnesota, 10/25/26
Did not commit a penalty — at Minnesota, 11/19/22
Did not score an offensive TD and won — vs. Minnesota, 10/21/23
Scored 50 points — 54 at Ohio State, 10/22/22
Scored 60 points — 61 at Penn State, 9/17/94
600 yards of total offense — 604 at Wisconsin, 11/13/99
Scored on first play of game — Christian McCaffery (75 rush) vs. Stanford, 1/1/16

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | STARTERS

OFFENSE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	QB	RB/WR	TE	WR	WR	TE/WR/RB
Northern Illinois	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Brown	Moulton	Vonnahme	Vander Zee	Diaz	Ostrenga
Iowa State	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Brown	Moulton	Vonnahme	Vander Zee	Diaz	Meyer
UNI	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Brown	McNeil	Ostrenga	Vander Zee	Diaz	Ortwerth
at Michigan	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Brown	Moulton	Meyer	Vander Zee	Diaz	James
Ohio State	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Brown	Moulton	Vonnahme	Vander Zee	Diaz	James
at Washington	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Hecklinski	Moulton	Vonnahme	Vander Zee	Diaz	Ostrenga
at Minnesota	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Hecklinski	Moulton	Vonnahme	Vander Zee	Diaz	Ostrenga
Wisconsin	Lauck	Jones	Winter	Pieper	Dotzler	Brown	Williams	Ostrenga	Vander Zee	Diaz	James
at Northwestern	Lauck	Jones	Myslinksi	Pieper	Dotzler	Brown	Phillips	Ostrenga	Vander Zee	Diaz	James
Purdue											
at Illinois											
Nebraska											
CONS. STARTS	**22**	**9**	**1**	**23**	**9**	**2**	**1**	**4**	**9**	**21**	**2**
CAREER STARTS	**22**	**9**	**1**	**23**	**9**	**9**	**16**	**17**	**19**	**21**	**13**

DEFENSE	DE	DT	DT	DE	WLB	MLB	LEO/CASH	CB	CB	SS	FS
Northern Illinois	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Wallace	Watson	Lee	Hawkins	Lutmer
Iowa State	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Van Kekerix	Watson	Lee	Hawkins	Lutmer
UNI	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Wallace	Watson	Lee	Brown	Lutmer
at Michigan	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Van Kekerix	Watson	Lee	Brown	Lutmer
Ohio State	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Van Kekerix	Watson	Lee	Hawkins	Lutmer
at Washington	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Wallace	Watson	Lee	Styles	Lutmer
at Minnesota	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Wallace	Watson	Lee	Styles	Lutmer
Wisconsin	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Wallace	Watson	Lee	Styles	Lutmer
at Northwestern	Merriweather	Hubert	Hawthorne	Epenesa	Montgomery	Buffington	Wallace	Watson	Lee	Styles	Lutmer
Purdue											
at Illinois											
Nebraska											
CONS. STARTS	**9**	**9**	**9**	**9**	**17**	**9**	**4**	**11**	**9**	**4**	**22**
CAREER STARTS	**9**	**9**	**10**	**9**	**17**	**9**	**6**	**11**	**35**	**11**	**22**

STARTS BY POSITION

QUARTERBACKS

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Hank Brown	9	7	--	2	--
Jeremy Hecklinski	2	2	--	--	--

RUNNING BACKS

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Nathan McNeil	1	1	--	--	--
Kamari Moulton	16	6	8	2	--
Lendon Phillips, Jr.	16	1	13	2	--
Xavier Williams	2	1	1	--	--

RECEIVERS

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Jarriett Buie	5	--	--	5	--
Tony Diaz	21	9	12	--	--
Dayton Howard	3	--	3	--	--
Evan James	13	4	9	--	--
Reece Vander Zee	19	9	2	8	--

TIGHT ENDS

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Zach Ortwerth	10	1	4	4	1
Addison Ostrenga	17	6	1	4	6
Thomas Meyer	2	2	--	--	--
DJ Vonnahme	10	5	5	--	--

OFFENSIVE LINE

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Jack Dotzler	9	9	--	--	--
Leighton Jones	9	9	--	--	--
Trevor Lauck	22	9	13	--	--
Michael Myslinski	1	1	--	--	--
Kade Pieper	22	9	13	--	--
Cael Winter	8	8	--	--	--

DEFENSIVE END

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Kahmari Brown	23	--	12	11	--
Iose Epenesa	9	9	--	--	--
Kenneth Merrieweather	9	9	--	--	--

DEFENSIVE LINE

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Bryce Hawthorne	10	9	1	--	--
Will Hubert	9	9	--	--	--
Lance Ingold	3	--	3	--	--
Brice Stevenson	26	--	12	7	7

LINEBACKERS

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Jayden Montgomery	17	9	8	--	--
Cam Buffington	9	9	--	--	--
Landyn Van Kekerix	3	3	--	--	--

DEFENSIVE BACKS

Name	Career	'26	'25	'24	'23
Tyler Brown	16	2	14	--	--
Anthony Hawkins	17	3	14	--	--
Deshaun Lee	35	9	11	9	6
Zach Lutmer	22	9	13	--	--
Xavier Styles	11	4	7	--	--
Jacob Wallace	6	6	--	--	--
Jaylen Watson	11	9	2	--	--

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | IOWA SCORING DRIVES

Opponent	Plays	Yards	T.O.P.	Result	Qtr.	Play
Northern Illinois (6)	10	75	5:08	TD	1st	Brown to Diaz, 6 yards
	2	66	0:42	TD	1st	Moulton, 50-yard rush
	4	70	1:48	TD	1st	Moulton, 37-yard rush
	6	46	3:20	TD	2nd	Hecklinski to Williams, 8 yards
	6	31	2:10	FG	2nd	Buhr, 45-yarder
	14	41	2:17	FG	2nd	Buhr, 34-yarder
Iowa Avg. Drive	7.0	54.8	2:34			
Iowa State (4)	5	75	2:17	TD	2nd	Brown, 1-yard rush
	10	46	3:29	FG	2nd	Buhr, 45-yarder
	11	43	6:10	FG	4th	Buhr, 32-yarder
	9	31	4:13	FG	4th	Buhr, 42-yarder
Iowa Avg. Drive	8.8	48.8	4:02			
Northern Iowa (8)	8	75	3:49	TD	1st	McNeil, 2-yard rush
	6	78	3:04	TD	1st	Brown to Jackson, 24 yards
	4	90	2:01	TD	1st	Williams, 49-yard rush
	2	37	0:57	TD	2nd	Brown to Ostrenga, 14 yards
	3	58	1:05	TD	2nd	Williams, 16-yard rush
	8	90	1:34	TD	2nd	McNeil, 12-yard rush
	5	66	2:41	TD	3rd	Williams, 37-yard rush
	2	65	0:58	TD	4th	Jackson, 62-yard rush
Iowa Avg. Drive	4.8	69.9	2:01			
Michigan (2)	7	75	2:27	TD	4th	Brown to Vander Zee, 16 yards
	11	91	1:46	TD	4th	Brown to Vander Zee, 16 yards
Iowa Avg. Drive	9	83.0	2:07			
Ohio State (3)	11	50	3:17	FG	1st	Buhr, 43-yarder
	10	40	4:17	FG	1st	Buhr, 48-yarder
	8	75	3:17	TD	4th	Jackson, 2-yard rush
Iowa Avg. Drive	9.7	55.0	3:37			
Washington (7)	7	32	2:30	FG	1st	Buhr, 51-yarder
	8	56	3:18	FG	1st	Buhr, 27-yarder
	1	56	0:14	TD	1st	Moulton, 56-yard rush
	8	69	4:29	TD	2nd	Hecklinksi to Vonnahme, 20 yards
	5	69	2:00	TD	2nd	Hecklinsk to Vonnahme, 24 yards
	8	83	3:59	TD	3rd	Hecklinki to Vander Zee, 8 yards
	8	75	5:40	TD	4th	Moulton, 3-yard rush
Iowa Avg. Drive	6.4	62.9	3:10			
Minnesota (2)	4	-3	1:27	FG	2nd	Buhr, 32-yard rush
	4	98	1:58	TD	4th	Brown to Vander Zee, 37 yards
Iowa Avg. Drive	4.0	47.5	1:43			

DRIVE ANALYSIS

Distance	Iowa		Opponent	
Length	TD	FG	TD	FG
(minus)	0	2	0	0
0-9	0	1	0	1
10-19	0	0	1	0
20-29	0	1	0	0
30-39	1	3	0	2
40-49	1	4	0	3
50-59	2	2	1	2
60-69	5	1	1	1
70-79	11	0	6	0
80-89	1	0	3	0
90-99	6	0	0	0

GAME OPENING DRIVES

	Iowa			Opponent		
Game	Pts	Plys	Yds	Pts	Plys	Yds
N. Illinois	6	10	75	0	3	2
Iowa St.	0	6	20	0	3	9
UNI	7	8	75	0	6	25
at MIchigan	0	6	33	0	7	15
Ohio St.	0	2	(-11)	7	2	14
at Wash.	3	7	32	0	3	(-4)
at Minnesota	0	3	4	3	4	1
Wisconsin	3	10	67	0	3	0
at N'western	7	7	75	0	7	32
Purdue						
at Illinois						
Nebraska						

2ND HALF OPENING DRIVES

	Iowa			Opponent		
Game	Pts	Plys	Yds	Pts	Plys	Yds
N. Illinois	0	5	15	0	3	(-10)
Iowa St.	0	4	21	3	8	41
UNI	0	3	5	0	3	4
at MIchigan	0	4	5	0	8	35
Ohio St.	0	3	3	0	3	2
at Wash.	7	8	83	7	8	75
at Minnesota	0	5	30	7	10	71
Wisconsin	7	10	71	0	4	16
at N'western	0	7	25	0	4	29
Purdue						
at Illinois						
Nebraska						

3RD DOWN AND ...

Iowa														
Yds	NIU	ISU	UNI	MICH	OSU	WASH	MINN	WIS	NW	PUR	ILL	NEB	Total
1-3	1-2	4-7	3-3	2-4	1-2	3-4	2-2	3-5	6-8	0-0	0-0	0-0	25-36
4-6	2-5	1-2	0-3	1-2	2-2	0-3	2-7	3-4	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	12-30
7-9	1-2	0-2	0-0	2-5	0-2	0-1	0-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	4-15
10-14	2-5	0-3	0-2	1-3	2-5	0-1	0-4	1-2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	6-26
15+	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-2	0-2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-6
TOTALS	6-14	5-15	3-8	6-14	5-11	3-9	4-16	8-15	7-13	0-0	0-0	0-0	47-113

Opponent													
Yds	NIU	ISU	UNI	MICH	OSU	WASH	MINN	WIS	NW	PUR	ILL	NEB	Total
1-3	1-2	3-5	1-3	2-2	3-4	2-4	0-3	3-4	1-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	16-31
4-6	0-6	1-2	0-4	2-4	3-4	2-6	2-5	1-2	0-3	0-0	0-0	0-0	11-36
7-9	1-4	0-4	1-2	1-3	1-2	1-2	0-1	0-2	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	5-21
10-14	0-2	0-0	1-5	0-1	1-4	1-2	0-5	1-4	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	4-24
15+	1-1	0-2	0-1	0-3	0-1	1-4	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-15
TOTAL	3-15	4-13	3-15	5-13	8-15	7-18	2-15	4-13	1-11	0-0	0-0	0-0	38-127

Wisconsin (6)	10	67	5:48	FG	1st	Buhr, 24-yarder
	12	75	6:07	TD	1st	Brown to Vonnahme, 4 yards
	7	98	2:52	TD	2nd	Brown to Diaz, 4 yards
	4	7	0:45	FG	2nd	Buhr, 28-yarder
	10	71	5:28	TD	3rd	Vonnahme, 2-yard rush
	7	24	4:03	FG	3rd	Buhr, 54-yarder
Iowa Avg. Drive	8.3	57.0	4:11			
Northwestern (3)	7	75	3:50	TD	1st	Brown, 21-yard rush
	7	97	4:10	TD	2nd	Brown to Diaz, 24 yards
	4	-1	1:13	FG	3rd	Buhr, 52-yarder
Iowa Avg. Drive	6.0	57.0	3:04			
Season Iowa Avg. Drive	**6.9**	**60.0**	**2:57**			

LONGEST DRIVES
Plays: 14 plays, vs. NIU, 9/5/26
Yards: 98 yards (7 plays, 2:52), 2x, last at Wisconsin, 10/31/26
Time of Possession: 6:10 (11 plays, 43 yards) vs. Iowa State, 9/12/26

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | 20-YARD+ PLAYS

RUSHING

62 (TD)	Braeden Jackson	UNI
56 (TD)	Kamari Moulton	Washington
50 (TD)	Kamari Moulton	NIU
48 (TD)	Xavier Williams	UNI
45	L.J. Phillips	Northwestern
37 (TD)	Xavier Williams	UNI
37 (TD)	Kamari Moulton	NIU
27	Braeden Jackson	NIU
25	Nathan McNeil	UNI
25	Xavier Williams	UNI
24	Nathan McNeil	UNI
23	Kamari Moulton	NIU
21 (TD)	Hank Brown	Northwestern
20	Tony Diaz	Wisconsin
20	Kamari Moulton	NIU

PASSING

57	Hank Brown to Tony Diaz	Minnesota
56	Hank Brown to Tony Diaz	Iowa State
45	Hank Brown to DJ Vonnahme	Wisconsin
45	Hank Brown to Tony Diaz	Wisconsin
37 (TD)	Hank Brown to Reece Vander Zee	Minnesota
33	Jeremy Hecklinski to Braeden Jackson	Washington
32	Hank Brown to Tony Diaz	Michigan
31	Jeremy Hecklinksi to Reece Vander Zee	Washington
30	Jeremy Hecklinksi to Reece Vander Zee	Washington
29	Hank Brown to Addison Ostrenga	Michigan
25	Hank Brown to Tony Diaz	Ohio State
24 (TD)	Hank Brown to Tony Diaz	Northwestern
24 (TD)	Jeremy Hecklinksi to DJ Vonnahme	Washington
24 (TD)	Hank Brown to Braeden Jackson	UNI
24	Jeremy Hecklinksi to Tony Diaz	NIU
23	Hank Brown to Xavier Williams	Wisconsin
21	Hank Brown to DJ Vonnahme	Michigan
20 (TD)	Jeremy Hecklinksi to DJ Vonnahme	Washington

PUNT RETURN

77 (TD)	Evan James	NIU
30	Evan James	Washington

KICKOFF RETURN

99 (TD)	Braeden Jackson	Michigan
96 (TD)	Braeden Jackson	Northwestern
20	Braeden Jackson	Wisconsin

INTERCEPTION RETURN

28	Deshaun Lee	Minnesota

FUMBLE RETURN

OTHER

BY LENGTH

Yards	No.	TD
20-29	19	5
30-39	8	3
40-49	4	1
50-59	5	3
60-69	1	1
70-79	1	1
80-89	0	0
90+	2	2
TOTAL	**39**	**15**

BY PLAY TYPE

Type	No.	TD
Rushing	15	7
Passing	18	5
Punt Returns	2	1
Kick Returns	3	2
Int. Returns	1	0
Fumble Returns	0	0
Other	0	0
TOTAL	**39**	**15**

LONGEST PLAYS OF 2026

RUSHING
62, Braeden Jackson vs. UNI, 9/19/26

RUSHING TOUCHDOWN
62, Braeden Jackson vs. UNI, 9/19/26

RECEIVING
57, Tony Diaz at Minnesota, 10/24/26

RECEIVING TOUCHDOWN
37, Reece Vander Zee at Minnesota, 10/24/26

PUNT RETURN
77, Evan James vs. NIU, 9/5/26

KICK RETURN
99, Braeden Jackson at Michigan, 9/26/26

INTERCEPTION RETURN
28, Deshaun Lee at Minnesota, 10/24/26

FUMBLE RETURN
0, Ty Hudkins vs. NIU, 9/5/26

PUNT
60, Boston Everitt at Minnesota, 10/24/26

FIELD GOAL
53, Caden Buhr vs. Wisconsin, 10/31/26

GAME-BY-GAME LONGEST PLAYS

IOWA

Yds	Opponent	Player(s)
77	Northern Illinois	Evan James, punt return
56	Iowa State	Tony Diaz, reception
62	Northern Iowa	Braeden Jackson, rush
99	Michigan	Braeden Jackson, kickoff return
25	Ohio State	Tony Diaz, reception
56	Washington	Kamari Moulton, rush
57	Minnesota	Tony Diaz, reception
45	Wisconsin	DJ Vonnahme, reception and Tony Diaz, reception
96	Northwestern	Braeden Jackson, kickoff return

OPPONENT

Yds	Opponent	Player(s)
22	Northern Illinois	Kelan McInerney, reception
34	Iowa State	Aiden Flora, rush
28	Northern Iowa	Ayden Price, reception
49	Michigan	JJ Buchanan, reception
57	Ohio State	Jeremiah Smith, reception
29	Washington	Trez Davis, reception
39	Minnesota	Jalen Smith, reception
57	Wisconsin	Tyrell Henry, reception
22	Northwestern	Luke Dehnicke, reception

IOWA BIG PLAYS

	Rushing			Passing				Special Teams		
Opponent	20-29	30-39	40+	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	FG Blk	XPT Blk	Punt Blk
Northern Illinois	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iowa State	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
UNI	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
at MIchigan	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ohio State	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Washington	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
at Minnesota	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Wisconsin	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
at Northwestern	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Purdue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Illinois	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nebraska	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	**8**	**2**	**5**	**8**	**5**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**

OPPONENT BIG PLAYS

	Rushing			Passing				Special Teams		
Opponent	20-29	30-39	40+	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	FG Blk	XPT Blk	Punt Blk
Northern Illinois	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Iowa State	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNI	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
at MIchigan	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
Ohio State	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0
at Washington	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Minnesota	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Wisconsin	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
at Northwestern	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Purdue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Illinois	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nebraska	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	**1**	**1**	**0**	**17**	**3**	**2**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**1**

TURNOVERS FORCED

	Iowa					Opponent			
Opponent	Fum	Int	Tot	Pts Off	Margin	Fum	Int	Tot	Pts Off
Northern Illinois	1	1	2	0	+1	0	1	1	0
Iowa State	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNI	0	2	2	7	+2	0	0	0	0
at Michigan	0	1	1	0	+1	0	0	0	0
Ohio State	0	0	0	0	-2	1	1	2	14
at Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Minnesota	0	1	1	3	-3	1	3	4	0
Wisconsin	2	1	3	3	2	1	0	0	0
at Northwestern	0	0	0	0	-2	1	1	2	10
Purdue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Illinois	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nebraska	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	**3**	**6**	**9**	**13**	**-1**	**4**	**6**	**9**	**24**

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS - OFFENSE

#0 JARRIETT BUIE

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 3 vs. Missouri (12/30/24)
Rec. Yards: 30 vs. Missouri (12/30/24)
Rec. Long: 19 vs. Troy (9/14/24)

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2023	0	0	---	0	0
2024	9	94	10.4	0	19
2025	0	0	---	0	0
2026	5	63	12.6	0	17
Career	**14**	**157**	**12.6**	**0**	**19**

#1 KJ PARKER

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 2 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
Rec. Yards: 12 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
Rec. Long: 10 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
TD: 1 vs. UMass (9/13/25)

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	3	18	6.0	1	10
2026	0	0	---	0	0
Career	**3**	**18**	**6.0**	**1**	**10**

#2 REECE VANDER ZEE

LAST TIME OUT
3 catches, 36 yards
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 5, 3X, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
Rec. Yards: 69, 2X, last at MINN (10/24/26)
Rec. Long: 37 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
TD: 2, 2X, last at Michigan (9/26/26)
Pass Att: 1 at USC (11/15/25)
Pass Comp: 1 at USC (11/15/25)
Pass Yards: 5 at USC (11/15/25)
TD: 1 at USC (11/15/25)
PR Att: 2, 2X, last vs. ISU (9/12/26)
PR Yards: 23 vs. ISU (9/12/26)
PR Long: 15 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2024	14	176	12.6	3	19
2025	15	219	14.6	2	29
2026	28	403	14.4	4	37
Career	**57**	**798**	**14.0**	**9**	**37**

Punt Returns	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	4	39	9.8	0	15

#3 JIMMY SULLIVAN

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Pass Att: 4 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Pass Comp: 2 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Pass Yards: 13 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Pass Long: 9 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Rush Att: 1 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Rush Yards: 15 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Rush Long: 15 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)

Passing	Comp	Att	Pct	Yds	TD	Int	Lng
2026	2	4	.500	13	0	0	9

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	1	15	15.0	0	15

#5 NATHAN MCNEIL

LAST TIME OUT
1 attempt, 3 yards
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 12 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush Yards: 111 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush Long: 25 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush TD: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Catches: 3, 2X, last vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rec. Yards: 37 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rec. Long: 32 vs. UMass (9/13/25)

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	37	169	4.6	0	24
2026	22	131	6.0	2	25
Career	**59**	**300**	**5.1**	**2**	**25**

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	5	45	9.0	0	32
2026	5	40	8.0	0	15
Career	**10**	**85**	**8.5**	**0**	**32**

#7 DAYTON HOWARD

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 2, 2X, last vs. Indiana (9/27/25)
Rec. Yards: 42 at Rutgers (9/19/25)
Rec. Long: 42 at Rutgers (9/19/25)
TD: 1, 2X, last at USC (11/15/25)

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2024	4	62	15.5	1	33
2025	8	91	11.4	1	42
2026	2	28	14.0	0	17
Career	**14**	**181**	**12.9**	**2**	**42**

#8 EVAN JAMES

LAST TIME OUT
1 punt return, 1 yard
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 2, 2X, last at Samford (9/27/25)
Rush Yards: 35 at Samford (9/27/25)
Rush Long: 18, 2X, last at Clemson (11/22/25)
Rush TD: 1 at Samford (9/27/25)
Catches: 10 at Campbell (9/13/25)
Rec. Yards: 146 at Chatt. (11/8/25)
Rec. Long: 61 at Chatt. (11/8/25)
Rec. TD: 2 vs. VMI (11/15/25)
PR Att: 5 at MINN (10/24/26)
PR Yards: 108 vs. NIU (9/5/26)
PR Long: 77 vs. NIU (9/5/26)
PR TD: 1 vs. NIU (9/5/26)

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	7	72	10.3	1	18
2026	1	0	0.0	0	0
Career	**8**	**72**	**9.0**	**1**	**18**

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	65	796	12.2	7	61
2026	7	58	8.3	0	18
Career	**72**	**854**	**11.9**	**7**	**61**

Punt Returns	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	22	273	12.4	1	77

#9 HANK BROWN

LAST TIME OUT
16-21, 126 yards, 1 TD | 3 attempts, 18 yards, 1 TD
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Pass Att: 35 at Michigan (9/26/26)
Pass Comp: 21, 2X, last at Michigan (9/26/26)
Pass Yards: 235 vs. New Mexico (9/14/24)
Pass Long: 57, 2X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Pass TD: 4 vs. New Mexico (9/14/24)
Rush Att: 8 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Rush Yards: 22 vs. Iowa St (9/12/26)
Rush Long: 21 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
Rush TD: 1, 3X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)

Passing	Comp	Att	Pct	Yds	TD	Int	Lng
2023	7	9	.778	132	0	0	53
2024	27	43	.628	403	6	3	57
2025	11	21	.524	107	1	1	32
2026	125	190	.658	1316	9	4	57
Career	**170**	**263**	**.646**	**1958**	**16**	**8**	**57**

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2023	---	---	---	---	---
2024	3	10	3.3	0	9
2025	3	(-3)	(-1.0)	1	1
2026	27	51	1.9	2	21
Career	**33**	**58**	**1.8**	**3**	**21**

#10 JEREMY HECKLINSKI

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Pass Att: 19 at Washington (10/9/26)
Pass Comp: 14 at Washington (10/9/26)
Pass Yards: 202 at Washington (10/9/26)
Pass Long: 33 at Washington (10/9/26)
Pass TD: 3 at Washington (10/9/26)
Rush Att: 1, 2X, last vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Rush Yards: 16 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Rush Long: 16 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Rush TD: 1 vs. Minnesota (10/25/25)

Passing	Comp	Att	Pct	Yds	TD	Int	Lng
2025	2	2	1.000	8	0	0	6
2026	41	67	.612	472	4	2	33
Career	**43**	**69**	**.623**	**480**	**4**	**2**	**33**

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	1	6	6.0	1	6
2026	2	5	2.5	0	16
Career	**3**	**11**	**3.7**	**1**	**16**

#13 BREVIN DOLL

LAST TIME OUT
DNP (injury)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 2 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
Rush Yards: 3 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
Rush Long: 2 vs UMass (9/13/25)
Tackles: 1 at WASH (10/9/26)
Ast: 1 at WASH (10/9/26)

Rushing	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	2	3	1.5	0	2
2026	1	(-3)	---	0	0
Career	**3**	**0**	**0.0**	**0**	**2**

#14 TONY DIAZ

LAST TIME OUT
1 attempts, 2 yards | 2 catches, 43 yards, 1 TD
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 2 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Rush Yards: 20 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
Rush Long: 20 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
Catches: 17 vs. Incarnate Word (10/25/25)
Rec. Yards: 172 vs. Incarnate Word (10/25/25)
Rec. Long: 75 at McNeese State (11/15/25)
Rec. TD: 3 at McNeese State (11/15/25)

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	1	(-14)	---	0	0
2026	8	67	8.4	0	20
Career	**9**	**53**	**5.9**	**0**	**20**

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	68	875	12.9	11	75
2026	35	504	14.4	3	57
Career	**103**	**1,379**	**13.4**	**14**	**75**

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#15 O'LONTAE DEAN

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 10 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush Yards: 38 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush Long: 10 vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	11	43	3.9	0	10

#17 ALEX EICHMANN

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 1 at Wisconsin (10/11/25)
Rec. Yards: 2 at Wisconsin (10/11/25)
Rec. Long: 2 at Wisconsin (10/11/25)
Tackles: 3 at Nebraska (11/28/25
Solo: 1 vs. Penn State (10/18/25)
Ast: 3 at Nebraska (11/28/25)

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	1	2	2.0	0	2

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int/Yds	QBH	PBU	FF
2025	1	3	4	0-0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0

#19 MASON WOODS

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rec. Yards: 22 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rec. Long: 17 vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	2	22	11.0	0	17

#21 L.J. PHILLIPS, JR.

LAST TIME OUT
21 attempts, 128 yards | 2 catches, 14 yards
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 35 vs. Northern Colorado (9/13/25)
Rush Yards: 301 vs. Northern Colorado (9/13/25)
Rush Long: 67 vs. Murray State (10/4/25)
Rush TD: 4, 2X, last vs. Murray State (10/4/25)
KR: 1, 2X, last at Youngstown State (10/19/24)
KR Yards: 6 vs. North Dakota State (12/9/23)
KR Long: 6 vs. North Dakota State (12/9/23)
Catches: 4, 2X, last vs. Illinois State (10/25/25)
Rec. Yards: 45 at UNI (10/18/25)
Rec. Long: 23 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)

Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2023	17	96	5.6	2	14
2024	29	176	6.1	2	32
2025	294	1,921	6.5	19	67
2026	55	249	4.4	0	45
Career	**396**	**2,437**	**6.2**	**23**	**67**

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2023	---	---	---	---	---
2024	1	7	7.0	0	7
2025	28	195	7.0	1	19
2026	5	30	6.0	0	8
Career	**34**	**232**	**6.8**	**1**	**19**

#22 BRAEDEN JACKSON

LAST TIME OUT
2 attempts, 15 yards | 2 catch, (-4) yards |
1 KO return, 96 yard, 1 TD at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 11 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush Yards: 125 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush Long: 62 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush TD: 1, 2X, last vs. OSU (10/3/26)
Catches: 2, 2X, last at NW (11/7/26)
Rec. Yards: 33 at WASH (10/9/26)
Rec. TD: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
KR: 2 at MICH (9/26/26)
KR Yards: 119 at MICH (9/26/26)
KR Long: 99 at MICH (9/26/26)
KR TD: 1, 2X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)

Rushing	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	25	193	7.7	2	62

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	9	78	8.7	1	33

Kick Returns	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	5	252	50.4	2	99

#26 XAVIER WILLIAMS

LAST TIME OUT
2 attempts, 7 yards | 1 catch, 7 yards
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 20 vs. WIS (10/31/26)
Rush Yards: 151 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush Long: 48 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Rush TD: 3 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Catches: 2, 5X, last vs. WIS (10/31/26)
Rec. Yards: 23, 2X, last vs. WIS (10/31/26)
Rec. Long: 23 vs. WIS (10/31/26)
Rec. TD: 1 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
KO Returns: 1 at MICH (9/26/26)
KR Yards: 30 at MICH (9/26/26)
KR Long: 30 at MICH (9/26/26)

Rushing	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	49	285	5.8	3	43
2026	47	272	5.8	3	48
Career	**96**	**557**	**5.8**	**3**	**48**

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	7	43	6.1	0	20
2026	7	58	8.3	1	23
Career	**14**	**101**	**7.2**	**1**	**23**

#28 KAMARI MOULTON

LAST TIME OUT
DNP (Injury)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Rush Att: 26 at Washington (10/9/26)
Rush Yards: 208 at Washington (10/9/26)
Rush Long: 68 at Maryland (11/23/24)
Rush TD: 2, 4X, last at Washington (10/9/26)
Catches: 6 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Rec Yards: 31 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Rec Long: 16, 2X, last at Wisconsin (10/11/25)

Rushing	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2023	27	93	3.4	2	18
2024	84	473	5.6	3	68
2025	170	878	5.2	5	34
2026	86	541	6.3	4	56
Career	**369**	**1,985**	**5.4**	**14**	**68**

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2024	1	12	12.0	0	12
2025	16	97	6.1	0	16
2026	9	31	3.4	0	9
Career	**26**	**139**	**5.3**	**0**	**16**

#48 ZACH ORTWERTH

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 3 vs. Wisconsin (11/2/24)
Rec Yards: 66 vs. Wisconsin (11/2/24)
Rec Long: 54 vs. Rutgers (11/11/23)

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2023	1	54	54.0	0	54
2024	11	133	12.1	0	52
2025	9	76	8.4	0	24
2026	4	41	10.3	0	15
Career	**25**	**304**	**12.1**	**0**	**54**

#81 DJ VONNAHME

LAST TIME OUT
3 catches, 10 yards
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 7 vs. Vanderbilt (12/31/25)
Rec. Yards: 146 vs. Vanderbilt (12/31/25)
Rec. Long: 51 vs. Vanderbilt (12/31/25)
Rec TD: 2 at WASH (10/9/26)
Rush Att: 2 vs. WIS (10/31/26)
Rush Yards: 10 vs. WIS (10/31/26)
Rush TD: 1 vs. WIS (10/31/26)

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2025	29	434	15.0	3	51
2026	32	314	9.8	3	45
Career	**61**	**748**	**12.3**	**6**	**51**

#85 THOMAS MEYER

LAST TIME OUT
1 catch, 11 yards
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 2 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Rec. Yards: 11 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
Rec. Long: 11 at Northwestern (11/7/26)

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2026	6	32	5.3	0	9

#87 ADDISON OSTRENGA

LAST TIME OUT
2 catches, 9 yards
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Catches: 8 vs. Rutgers (11/11/23)
Rec. Yards: 47 vs. Rutgers (11/11/23)
Rec. Long: 29, 2X, last at Michigan (9/26/26)
Rec TD: 1, 4X, last vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Receiving	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2022	1	6	6.0	0	6
2023	31	192	6.2	2	19
2024	15	114	7.6	1	29
2025	1	8	8.0	0	8
2026	12	99	8.3	1	29
Career	**58**	**383**	**6.6**	**4**	**29**

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#0 CODY HADDAD

LAST TIME OUT
DNP (injury)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Solo: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
TFL: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	1	0	1	1/2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0

#1 DARION JONES

LAST TIME OUT
2 assisted tackles
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 4 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Solo: 3 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Ast: 2 at Northwestern (11/7/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	8	4	12	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0

#2 TYLER BROWN

LAST TIME OUT
DNP (injury)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 13 at Marshall (11/8/25)
Solo: 8 at Marshall (11/8/25)
Ast: 6 vs. Louisiana (10/11/25)
TFL: 2 vs. Troy (12/5/25)
Sacks: 1 vs. Troy (12/5/25)
INT: 1 vs. Weber State (8/30/25)
PBU: 2, 2X, last vs. Troy (12/5/25)
FF: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
FR: 1 vs. Georgia State (11/9/24)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds-TD	PBU	FF	RF
2024	8	5	13	1.5/1	0.5/0	0-0-0	0	0	1
2025	40	40	80	5/23	1/10	1-0-0	7	0	0
2026	6	5	11	0/0	0/0	0-0-0	0	1	0
Career	**54**	**50**	**104**	**5.5/24**	**1.5/10**	**1-0-0**	**7**	**1**	**1**

#3 JAYLEN WATSON

LAST TIME OUT
2 solo tackles
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 7 vs. Vanderbilt (12/31/25)
Solo: 6, 2X, last vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
Ast: 1, 5X, last at Michigan (9/26/26)
TFL: 0.5 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
PBU: 3 at Michigan (9/26/26)
QBH: 1 at Minnesota (10/24/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds-TD	PBU	QBH	FF	RF
2024	3	2	5	0/0	0/0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0
2025	7	1	8	0/0	0/0	0-0-0	1	0	0	0
2026	19	7	26	0.5/1	0/0	0-0-0	7	1	0	0
Career	**29**	**10**	**39**	**0.5/1**	**0/0**	**0-0-0**	**8**	**1**	**0**	**0**

#4 JULIAN MANSON

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 4 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
Solo: 2 vs. No. Illinois (9/5/26)
Ast: 2, 2X, last vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Sacks: 1 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
TFL: 1 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
QBH: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	3	4	7	1.5/2	1/2	0	2	0	0	0

#5 ANTHONY HAWKINS

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 7 at Monmouth (9/20/25)
Solo: 6 at Monmouth (9/20/25)
Ast: 4 vs. Sacred Heart (11/22/25)
TFL: 1, 3X, last at Lehigh (12/6/25)
INT: 1, 2X, last at Tarleton State (12/13/25)
PBU: 3 vs. UAlbany (10/25/25)
FF: 1 at Monmouth (9/20/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds-TD	PBU	FF	RF
2024	2	0	2	0/0	0/0	0-0-0	0	0	0
2025	41	18	59	4/10	0/0	2-16-0	11	1	0
2026	4	4	8	0/0	0/0	0-0-0	1	0	0
Career	**47**	**22**	**69**	**4/10**	**0/0**	**2-16-0**	**12**	**1**	**0**

#6 ZACH LUTMER

LAST TIME OUT
4 tackles, 1 PBU
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 12 at Michigan (9/26/26)
Solo: 8 at USC (11/15/25)
Ast: 7, 2X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
TFL: 1, 6X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Sacks: 1 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
INT: 1, 4X, last vs. MSU (11/22/25)
INT TD: 1 vs. MINN (10/25/25)
PBU: 4 vs. MSU (11/22/25)
FF: 1 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
FR: 1 at Wisconsin (10/11/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds-TD	QBH	PBU	FF	RF
2024	11	3	14	0/0	0/0	1-0-0	0	0	0	0
2025	44	27	71	5.5/16	1/1	3-72-1	0	7	0	1
2026	26	26	52	1.5/4	0/0	0-0-0	0	5	1	0
Career	**81**	**56**	**137**	**7/20**	**1/1**	**4-72-1**	**0**	**12**	**1**	**1**

Punt Returns	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lng
2024	1	(-1)	(-1)	0	---

#7 RASHAD GODFREY, JR.

LAST TIME OUT
3 tackles, 1 PBU
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 9 tackles at Nebraska (11/28/25)
Solo: 6 at Nebraska (11/28/25)
Ast: 3 at Nebraska (11/28/25)
TFL: 0.5 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
INT: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
PBU: 1 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
FF: 1 at Nebraska (11/28/25)
FR: 1 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds-TD	QBH	PBU	FF	RF
2025	10	5	15	0.5/1	0/0	0-0-0	0	0	1	0
2026	5	3	8	0/0	0/0	1-2-0	0	1	0	1
Career	**15**	**8**	**23**	**0.5/1**	**0/0**	**1-2-0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**1**

#8 DESHAUN LEE

LAST TIME OUT
5 tackles, 1 PBU
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 9 at Iowa State (9/9/23)
Solo: 6, 2X, last vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
Ast: 5 at Iowa State (9/9/23)
TFL: 1, 2X, last vs. Minnesota (10/25/25)
INT: 1, 6X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
PBU: 2, 2X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds-TD	QBH	PBU	FF	RF
2023	19	13	32	0/0	0/0	0-0-0	0	3	0	0
2024	28	14	42	1/1	0/0	1-14-0	0	4	0	0
2025	29	5	34	1/2	0/0	2-0-0	0	6	0	0
2026	19	11	30	0/0	0/0	3-45-0	0	6	0	0
Career	**95**	**43**	**138**	**2/3**	**0/0**	**6-59-0**	**0**	**19**	**0**	**0**

#10 BURKE GAUTCHER

LAST TIME OUT
DNP (injury)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 2, 2X, last vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
Solo: 1, 2X, last vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
Ast: 1, 2X, last vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
TFL: 0.5 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	2	2	4	0.5/1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0

#11 JACOB WALLACE

LAST TIME OUT
6 tackles (1 TFL)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 6, 2X, last at NW (11/7/26)
Solo: 5 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
Ast: 3 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Sacks: 1 vs. OSU (10/3/26)
TFL: 1 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
INT: 1, 2x, last vs. WIS (10/31/26)
PBU: 1 at Michigan (9/26/26)
QBH: 1 at Minnesota (10/24/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds-TD	PBU	QBH	FF	RF
2025	2	3	5	0/0	0/0	0-0-0	0	0	0	0
2026	21	8	29	2.5/7	1/6	2-3-0	1	1	0	0
Career	**18**	**10**	**28**	**2.5/7**	**1/6**	**2-3-0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**

#13 DREW CAMPBELL

LAST TIME OUT
3 tackles (1 sack)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 3, 2X, last at NW (11/7/26)
Solo: 2 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
Ast: 2, 2X, last vs. WIS (10/31/26)
Sacks: 1, 2X, last at NW (11/7/26)
TFL: 1, 2X, last at WASH (10/9/26)
QBH: 1 at Michigan (9/26/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	4	9	13	4/20	2.5/18	0	1	0	0	0

#14 ALEX MOTA

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 1, 2X, last vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Solo: 1 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Ast: 1 at Wisconsin (10/11/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	0	1	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	1	0	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
Career	**1**	**0**	**2**	**0/0**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#15 CARSON COONEY

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 1, 2x, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
Solo: 1 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Ast: 1 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	1	1	2	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0

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#18 XAVIER STYLES

LAST TIME OUT
6 tackles, 1 PBU
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 9 at Washington (10/9/26)
Solo: 8 at Washington (10/9/26)
Ast: 2, 5X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)
INT: 1 vs. Wagner (11/8/25)
PBU: 2 at Mercyhurst (11/15/25)
FF: 1, 2X, last at Saint Francis (10/25/25)
RF: 1 vs. West Liberty (9/13/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2024	1	1	2	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2025	23	13	36	0/0	0/0	6	0	2	1	0
2026	18	6	24	1/2	0/0	3	0	0	0	0
Career	**42**	**20**	**62**	**1/2**	**0/0**	**9**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0**

#20 TY HUDKINS

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 4 vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
Solo: 1, 4X, last vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
Ast: 3 vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
RF: 1 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
PBU: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2024	1	0	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2025	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	3	5	8	0/0	0/0	2	0	0	1	0
Career	**4**	**5**	**9**	**0/0**	**0/0**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**

#21 MARCELLO VITTI

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 1 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Ast: 1 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	0	1	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0

#22 DEREK WEISSKOPF

LAST TIME OUT
1 solo tackle
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 3 vs. Minnesota (10/25/25)
Solo: 1, 5X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)
Ast: 3 vs. Minnesota (10/25/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	1	3	4	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	4	3	7	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
Career	**5**	**6**	**11**	**0/0**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#23 LANDYN VAN KEKERIX

LAST TIME OUT
4 tackles, 1 PBU
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 10 at Michigan (9/26/26)
Solo: 4 at Michigan (9/26/26)
Ast: 6 at Michigan (9/26/26)
Sacks: 0.5 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
TFL: 0.5 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
PBU: 1 at NW (11/7/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2024	4	1	5	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2025	5	0	5	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	13	16	29	0.5/4	0.5/4	1	0	0	0	0
Career	**22**	**17**	**39**	**0.5/4**	**0.5/4**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#26 ELI ROBBINS

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Solo: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	1	0	1	0/0	0/0	1	0	0	0	0

#31 NOLAN DELONG

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 3 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
Solo: 1, 4X, last at Washington (10/9/26)
Ast: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	1	1	2	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	3	3	6	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
Career	**4**	**4**	**8**	**0/0**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#33 CAM BUFFINGTON

LAST TIME OUT
12 tackles (1 TFL)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 15 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Solo: 9 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Ast: 6, 3X, last vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
TFL: 2, 2X, last at WASH (10/9/26)
Sacks: 2 at Washington (10/9/26)
INT: 1 vs. Minnesota (10/25/25)
PBU: 1 vs. Minnesota (10/25/25)
QBH: 2 vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	PBU	QBH	FF	RF
2025	6	1	7	0/0	0/0	1-26	1	0	0	0
2026	47	35	82	9/27	3/19	0-0	0	4	0	0
Career	**53**	**36**	**89**	**9/27**	**3/19**	**1-26**	**1**	**4**	**0**	**0**

#36 JAYDEN MONTGOMERY

LAST TIME OUT
9 tackles (1 sack)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 11 vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
Solo: 6, 2X, last at NW (11/7/26)
Ast: 7 vs. Ohio State (10/3/26)
Sacks: 1, 3X, last at NW (11/7/26)
TFL: 2 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
FR: 1 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
PBU: 1, 2X, last at USC (11/15/25)
QBH: 1, 2X, last at NEB (11/28/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	PBU	QBH	FF	RF
2023	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2024	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2025	24	20	44	1/4	0/0	0-0	2	2	0	0
2026	31	24	55	8/30	3.5/19	0-0	0	0	0	1
Career	**49**	**41**	**90**	**9/34**	**3.5/19**	**0-0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**1**

#40 CHIMA CHINEKE

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
Solo: 1 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
Ast: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
TFL: 1 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
Sacks: 1 vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	1	2	3	1.0/7	1.0/7	0	0	0	0	0

#42 DAVID FASON

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
Solo: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2026	2	0	2	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0

#43 KAHMARI BROWN

LAST TIME OUT
4 tackles, 2 QBH
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 13 at William & Mary (10/18/25)
Solo: 6, 3X, last at William & Mary (10/18/25)
Ast: 7 at William & Mary (10/18/25)
Sacks: 3 at William & Mary (10/18/25)
TFL: 3.5 at William & Mary (10/18/25)
QBH: 3 at Western Carolina (9/13/25)
PBU: at ETSU (9/20/25)
FF: 2 at North Carolina A&T (11/22/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2024	16	17	33	9/51	4.5/39	0	2	1	0	0
2025	55	27	66	16/106	12/98	1	8	3	0	0
2026	10	9	19	2.5/20	2.0/20	0	3	1	0	0
Career	**65**	**53**	**118**	**27.5/177**	**18.5/57**	**1**	**13**	**5**	**0**	**0**

#44 KENNETH MERRIEWEATHER

LAST TIME OUT
2 solo tackles (1 sack)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 3, 3X, last at MINN (10/24/26)
Solo: 3 at USC (11/15/25)
Ast: 3 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
TFL: 1, 2X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)
Sacks: 1 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
QBH: 1, 3X, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
PBU: 1 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2024	0	1	1	0.5/6	0.5/6	0	0	0	0	0
2025	7	7	14	1/3	0/0	0	1	0	0	0
2026	4	9	13	1.5/3	1/1	1	2	0	0	0
Career	**11**	**17**	**28**	**3/12**	**1.5/7**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#45 JACK JANDA

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Solo: 2 vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	PBU	QBH	FF	RF
2026	2	0	2	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0

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#46 PRESTON RIES

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 4 at Washington (10/9/26)
Solo: 4 at Washington (10/9/26)
Ast: 1, 7X, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
Sacks: 2 at Washington (10/9/26)
TFL: 2 at Washington (10/9/26)
Blk: 1 vs. UAlbany (8/30/25)
PBU: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	4	3	7	0.5/1	0/0	0	0	0	0	1
2026	5	4	9	2.5/18	2.5/18	1	0	0	0	0
Career	**9**	**7**	**16**	**3.0/19**	**2.5/18**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**

#47 JACK LAUGHLIN

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
Ast: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	PBU	QBH	FF	RF
2026	0	1	1	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0

#51 LUKE GAFFNEY

LAST TIME OUT
3 tackles (1 sack), 1 QBH
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 3, 5X, last at NW (11/7/26)
Solo: 2 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Ast: 3 vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Sacks: 1, 2X, last at NW (11/7/26)
TFL: 1, 2X, last at NW (11/7/26)
PBU: 1, 3X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
QBH: 1, 4X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2024	0	1	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2025	0	1	1	0/0	0/0	1	0	0	0	0
2026	8	11	19	2/14	2/14	2	2	0	0	0
Career	**8**	**13**	**21**	**2/14**	**2/14**	**3**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#56 MADDUX BORCHERDING-JOHNSON

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 2 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
Solo: 2 vs. UMass (9/13/25)
Ast: 1 vs. Minnesota (10/25/25)
TFL: 1 vs. UMass (9/13/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	2	1	3	1/1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
Career	**2**	**1**	**3**	**1/1**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#57 WILL HUBERT

LAST TIME OUT
3 tackles, 1 QBH
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 3, 5X, last at NW (11/7/26)
Solo: 2, 2X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Ast: 2, 4X, last at NW (11/7/26)
Sacks: 1 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
TFL: 1 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
FF: 1 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
FR: 1 vs. Northwestern (10/26/24)
QBH: 1, 3X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	QBH	PBU	FF	RF
2024	1	3	4	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	1
2025	1	1	2	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2026	7	10	17	1.5/8	1/8	0-0	3	0	1	0
Career	**9**	**14**	**23**	**1.5/8**	**1/8**	**0-0**	**3**	**0**	**1**	**1**

#84 JOSEPH ANDERSON

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 2 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Solo: 1, 5X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Ast: 1, 3X, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/2026)
Sacks: 1.5 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
TFL: 1.5 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
QBH: 1 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	1	0	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	4	3	7	4/12	4/12	0	1	0	0	0
Career	**5**	**3**	**8**	**4/12**	**4/12**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#88 EMMANUEL OLAGBAJU

LAST TIME OUT
DNP (injury)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 6 vs. Sioux Falls (8/29/24)
Solo: 3 vs. Sioux Falls (8/29/24)
Ast: 3, 2X, last at UNI (10/4/25)
Sacks: 1, 2X, last at South Dakota (11/1/25)
TFL: 1, 3X, last at South Dakota (11/1/25)
QBH: 3 vs. Youngstown State (10/11/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	QBH	PBU	FF	RF
2025	3	6	9	2.5/21	2.5/21	0-0	4	0	0	0
2026	0	1	0	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Career	**3**	**7**	**9**	**2.5/21**	**2.5/21**	**0-0**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#91 DEVAN KENNEDY

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 2 vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Solo: 1, 2X, last vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/26)
Ast: 1, 3X, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/2026)
TFL: 0.5 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)
Sacks: 0.5 vs. UNI (9/19/2026)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	1	0	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	1	3	4	0.5/1	0.5/1	0	0	0	0	0
Career	**2**	**3**	**5**	**0.5/1**	**0.5/1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#92 BRICE STEVENSON

LAST TIME OUT
No Statistics
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 6, 3X, last vs. Lafayette (11/1/25)
Solo: 3, 2X, last at Lehigh (11/8/25)
Ast: 5, 2X, last at Bucknell (11/15/25)
Sacks: 0.5 vs. Lafayette (10/21/23)
TFL: 1.5 vs. Bucknell (11/16/24)
QBH: 2 vs. Fordham (10/12/24)
PBU: 1 vs. Bucknell (11/16/24)
FF: 1, 2X, last vs. N. Illinois (9/5/26)
RF: 1 at Rhode Island (8/31/24)
QBH: 1 at Bucknell (11/15/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	QBH	PBU	FF	BLK
2023	4	13	17	0.5/3	0.5/3	0-0	0	0	0	0
2024	8	22	30	2.5/2	0/0	0-0	2	1	1	0
2025	12	25	37	3.5/3	0/0	0-0	2	0	0	1
2026	4	4	8	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	1	0
Career	**28**	**64**	**92**	**6.5/8**	**0.5/3**	**0-0**	**4**	**1**	**2**	**1**

#95 LANCE INGOLD

LAST TIME OUT
DNP
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 7 at Mississippi State (9/20/25)
Solo: 2, 2X, last vs. WMU (11/18/25)
Ast: 6 at Mississippi State (9/20/25)
Sacks: 1 at UMass (11/12/25)
TFL: 1 at UMass (11/12/25)
QBH: 1, 2X, last vs. Kent State (11/28/25)
FF: 1 at UMass (11/12/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	QBH	PBU	FF	RF
2024	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2025	7	10	17	2/21	1.5/19	0-0	0	2	1	0
2026	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Career	**7**	**10**	**17**	**2/21**	**1.5/19**	**0-0**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0**

#96 BRYCE HAWTHORNE

LAST TIME OUT
6 tackles (1 sack)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 8 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Solo: 5 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Ast: 4, 2X, last vs. Iowa State (9/12/26)
Sacks: 1.5 vs. Montana (12/7/24)
TFL: 3 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
QBH: 1, 3X, last at Michigan (9/26/26)
INT: 1 at Wisconsin (10/11/25)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	Int-Yds	QBH	PBU	RF
2023	4	1	5	1/3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2024	9	13	22	5.5/26	4.5/35	0-0	2	0	0
2025	8	7	15	3/10	0/0	1-0	0	0	0
2026	17	17	34	8/32	3.5/24	0-0	1	0	0
Career	**38**	**38**	**76**	**17.5/81**	**8/59**	**1-0**	**3**	**0**	**0**

#97 IOSE EPENESA

LAST TIME OUT
2 solo tackles (1 sack)
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Tackles: 3 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Solo: 2, 2X, last at Northwestern (11/7/26)
Ast: 2, 2X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
TFL: 1, 2X, last at Washington (10/9/26)
Sack: 1 at Northwestern (11/7/26)
QBH: 1, 2X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)

Defense	Solo	Ast	Total	T/Loss	Sacks	PBU	QBH	FF	RF	Blk
2025	1	0	1	1/1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0
2026	8	6	14	2.5/3	1/1	0	2	0	0	0
Career	**9**	**6**	**15**	**3.5/4**	**1/1**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**

#25 ELI OZICK

LAST TIME OUT
5 kickoffs, 322 yards, 4 TB
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
PAT: 7 at Tennessee State (9/6/25)
PAT Att: 7, 2X, last vs. South Dakota (9/27/25)
FG: 3 at North Dakota (11/8/25)
FGA: 3, 2X, last at North Dakota (11/8/25)
Long: 54, 2X, last at Indiana State (10/18/25)
Points: 12 vs. UNI (11/15/25)

Scoring	FGs	Lng	PATs	Points
2023	0-0	0	1-1	1
2024	3-5	54	3-3	12
2025	16-18	54	62-63	110
Career	**19-23**	**54**	**66-67**	**123**

Field Goals	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total	Blk
2023	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0
2024	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	2-4	3-5	0
2025	0-0	5-5	6-6	4-5	1-2	16-18	0
Career	**0-0**	**5-5**	**7-7**	**4-5**	**3-6**	**19-23**	**0**

#49 BOSTON EVERITT

LAST TIME OUT
3 punts, 121 yards, 40.3 avg, long 43, 1 I20
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
Punts: 6, 3X, last at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Yards: 279 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Avg: 46.5 at Minnesota (10/24/26)
Long: 60 at Minnesota (10/24/26)

Punting	No	Yds	Avg	Lng	50+	In-20	TB	FC
2026	39	1694	43.4	60	7	22	4	14

#92 CADEN BUHR

LAST TIME OUT
3-3 PAT, 1-1 FG
at Northwestern

CAREER HIGHS
PAT: 7 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
PAT Att: 8 vs. UNI (9/19/26)
FG: 3, 2X, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
FGA: 3, 3X, last vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
Long: 54 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)
Points: 12 vs. Wisconsin (10/31/26)

Scoring	FGs	Lng	PATs	Points
2026	14-16	54	26-28	68

Field Goals	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total	Blk
2026	0-0	3-3	3-3	5-5	3-5	14-16	0

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL | SUPERLATIVES UNDER COACH FERENTZ

MOST POINTS

1.	63 at Illinois	11/17/18
2.	62 vs. North Texas	9/25/15
	62 vs. Northwestern	11/9/02
4.	59 vs. Western Michigan	9/21/13
	59 vs. Northwestern	11/10/01
6.	57 vs. Akron	8/31/02
7.	56 at Nebraska	11/24/17
	56 vs. Ball State	9/3/05
	56 vs. Buffalo	9/6/03

FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED

1.	**0 vs. Wisconsin**	**10/31/26**
	0 vs. Northern Iowa	**9/19/26**
	0 vs. Northern Illinois	**9/5/26**
	0 at Wisconsin	10/11/25
	0 vs. Illinois State	8/31/24
	0 vs. Rutgers	11/11/23
	0 vs. Kentucky	12/31/22
	0 vs. Nevada	9/17/22
	0 at Northwestern	10/26/19
	0 vs. Rutgers	9/7/19
	0 at Illinois	11/17/18
	0 vs. Maryland	10/20/18
	0 at Illinois	11/19/16
	0 vs. Ball State	9/26/10
	0 vs. Minnesota	11/21/09
	0 at Minnesota	11/22/08
	0 vs. Florida International	9/6/08
	0 vs. Syracuse	9/8/07
	0 vs. Ball State	9/3/05
	0 vs. Kent State	9/1/01
	0 vs. Northern Illinois	9/18/99

MOST FIRST DOWNS

1.	**32 vs. Northern Iowa**	**9/19/26**
2.	30 vs. Middle Tennessee	9/28/19
	30 vs. Kent State	9/1/01
4.	29 at Iowa State	9/9/17
	29 vs. Indiana	9/30/00
	29 vs. Indiana	10/23/99
7.	28 vs. North Texas	9/16/17
	28 at Purdue	11/9/13
	28 vs. Louisiana-Monroe	9/24/11
	28 vs. Ball State	9/26/10
	28 at Indiana	10/11/08
	28 vs. Minnesota	11/19/05
	28 vs. Buffalo	9/6-03

FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED

1.	5 vs. Rutgers	9/7/19
	5 vs. Syracuse	9/8/07
3.	6 vs. South Dakota State	9/3/22
	6 vs. Eastern Illinois	9/4/10
	6 at Minnesota	11/22/08
	6 vs. Penn State	10/23/04
7.	**7 vs. Northern Illinois**	**9/5/26**
	7 vs. Rutgers	11/11/23
	7 vs. Maryland	10/20/18
9.	8 vs. Western Michigan	9/16/23
	8 vs. Ball State	9/26/10
	8 vs. Arizona	9/19/09
	8 vs. UMass	9/13/25

MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS

1.	60 at Iowa State	9/14/13
	60 vs. Kent State	9/4/04
3.	59 vs. North Texas	9/16/17
	59 vs. Northwestern	11/10/01
5.	58 at Maryland	11/23/24
	58 vs. Western Michigan	9/21/13
	58 vs. Missouri State	9/7/13
7.	56 vs. Minnesota	11/16/02
8.	55 at Illinois	11/15/14
9.	54 vs. Wisconsin	11/2/24
10.	53 vs. UAlbany	10/30/25
	53 at Purdue	10/15/16
	53 vs. Minnesota	11/17/01

FEWEST RUSHING ATT., OPPONENT

1.	17 by Maryland	10-1/21
	17 by North Texas	9/16/17
	17 by Miami (Ohio)	9/7/02
4.	18 by USC	12/27/19
	18 by Purdue	10/19/19
6.	19 by Iowa State	9/14/19
	19 by Kent State	9/4/05
8.	20 by Western Michigan	9/21/13
	20 by Michigan State	10/30/10
	20 by Michigan	10/26/02
	20 by Utah State	9/21/02
	20 by Texas Tech	11/29/01

MOST RUSHING YARDS

1.	**422 vs. Northern Iowa**	**9/19/26**
2.	376 vs. Akron	8/31/02
3.	365 at Purdue	10/15/16
	365 vs. Minnesota	11/16/02
5.	351 vs. Middle Tennessee	9/28/19
6.	329 vs. Wisconsin	11/2/24
7	318 at Purdue	11/9/13
8.	313 at Nebraska	11/24/17
9.	310 vs. UAlbany	8/30/25
10.	304 at Illinois	11/15/14

FEWEST RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED

1.	(-13) vs. Kent State	9/4/04
2.	(-3) vs. Washington	10/9/26
3.	6 vs. Northern Iowa	9/15/18
4.	**7 vs. Northern Illinois**	**9/5/26**
	7 at Minnesota	11/22/08
6.	10 vs. Montana	9/2/06
7.	14 vs. Miami (Ohio)	9/7/02
8.	18 vs. Northwestern	10/29/22
9.	19 vs. Iowa State	9/8/18
	19 vs. Wisconsin	10/12/05

MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED

1	61 vs. Indiana	10/23/99
2.	56 at Maryland	10/18/14
3.	55 vs. Ball State	9/6/14
	55 vs. Florida	1/1/06
5.	50 at Penn State	10/27/18
6.	51 vs. Northwestern	10/31/20
	51 vs. Minnesota	11/20/99
8.	48 vs. Pittsburgh	9/17/11
9.	47 vs. Michigan State	11/12/11
10.	46 vs. Michigan State	10/5/13
	46 vs. Purdue	11/6/04

MOST PASSES COMPLETED

1.	36 vs. Indiana	9/30/99
2.	35 vs. Ball State	9/6/14
3.	32 at Maryland	10/18/14
	32 vs. Florida	1/1/06
5.	31 vs. Northern Iowa	8/30/14
	31 vs. Pittsburgh	9/17/11
7.	30 vs. Indiana	9/30/00
8.	29 vs. Ohio State	10/30/99
9.	28 vs. Minnesota	11/20/99

FEWEST PASSES ATT., OPPONENT

1.	9 by Georgia Tech	1/5/10
2.	10 by Northwestern	10/27/12
3.	13 by Nebraska	9/23/00
	13 by Iowa State	9/11/99
5.	14 by Wisconsin	11/22/14
	14 by Minnesota	11/8/14
	14 by Northwestern	10/26/13
	14 by Nebraska	11/23/12
9.	15 by Minnesota	11/19/22
	15 by Nebraska	9/4/99
11.	16 by Maryland	10/20/18
	16 by Northern Illinois	9/1/12
	16 by Wisconsin	11/13/99

FEWEST PASSES COMP., OPPONENT

1.	2 by Georgia Tech	1/5/10
2.	6 by Maryland	10/20/18
	6 by Northern Illinois	9/1/12
	6 by Iowa State	9/11/99
5.	7 by Rutgers	11/11/23
	7 by Western Michigan	9/16/23
	7 by Minnesota	11/19/22
	7 by LSU	1/1/14
	7 by Indiana	10/11/14
	7 by Northwestern	10/27/12
	7 by Syracuse	9/8/07
	7 by Buffalo	9/6/03
13.	8 by Wisconsin	10/11/25
	8 by Nebraska	11/23/12
	8 by Ball State	9/26/10
15.	9 by Nebraska	11/28/25
	9 by Minnesota	10/28/17
	9 by Northwestern	11/1/14
	9 by Maine	8/30/08
	9 by Penn State	11/13/04
	9 by Minnesota	10/23/04

MOST PASSING YARDS

1.	426 vs. Indiana	10/23/99
2.	399 vs. Pittsburgh	9/17/11
3.	380 vs. Indiana	9/30/00
4.	377 vs. Minnesota	11/19/05
5.	364 at Minnesota	11/18/06
6.	357 vs. Purdue	10/8/05

FEWEST PASSING YARDS ALLOWED

1.	12 vs. Georgia Tech	1/5/10
2.	47 vs. Rutgers	9/7/19
	47 vs. Maryland	10/20/18
4.	54 vs. Northern Illinois	9/1/12
5.	56 vs. Ball State	9/26/10
6.	58 vs. Buffalo	9/6/03
7.	63 vs. Nebraska	11/23/12
8.	69 at Nebraska	11/28/25
9.	72 at Purdue	9/27/14
10.	73 vs. Minnesota	11/20/04
11.	74 vs. Maryland	10/31/15
12.	75 vs. Northwestern	11/1/14
13.	79 vs. Syracuse	9/8/07
14.	81 at Northwestern	11/4/23
15.	82 at Wisconsin	10/11/25
	82 vs. Nevada	9/17/22
	82 at Illinois	11/17/18

MOST TOTAL OFFENSE

1.	644 vs. Middle Tennessee	9/28/19
2.	**640 vs. Northern Iowa**	**9/19/26**
3.	613 vs. Minnesota	11/19/05
4.	602 vs. Northwestern	11/10/01
5.	593 vs. Akron	8/31/02
6.	587 at Illinois	11/14/14
7.	562 vs. Ball State	9/26/10
8.	552 vs. Indiana	10/23/99
9.	546 at Minnesota	11/18/06
10.	545 vs. Northern Iowa	9/15/18

FEWEST TOTAL YARDS ALLOWED

1.	103 vs. Syracuse	9/8/07
2.	110 vs. Kent State	9/4/04
3.	112 vs. Ball State	9/26/10
4.	115 vs. Maryland	10/20/18
5.	119 vs. UMass	9/13/25
6.	**120 vs. Northern Illinois**	**9/5/26**
	120 vs. South Dakota State	9/3/22
7.	125 vs. Rutgers	9/7/19
8.	127 vs. Rutgers	11/11/23
9.	133 vs. Minnesota	10/25/25
10.	134 at Minnesota	11/22/08

PUNTING AVERAGE (MIN. OF 4)

1.	53.0 at Northwestern	10/21/17
2.	52.3 at Penn State	9/23/23
3.	51.8 at Purdue	11/5/22
4.	51.6 vs. Illinois	11/18/23
5.	51.5 vs. Western Michigan	9/9/00
6.	51.4 vs Tennessee	1/1/24
7.	51.1 at Iowa State	9/11/21
8.	51.0 vs. Arizona	9/19/09
9.	50.7 vs. Iowa State	9/10/22
10.	50.6 at Wisconsin	10/14/23
11.	50.4 vs. Michigan	12/2/23
12.	50.2 vs. Penn State	11/4/00
13.	50.0 vs. Kentucky	1/1/22
	50.0 vs. Wisconsin	11/13/99
15.	49.6 vs. Minnesota	9/21/24

MOST TIME OF POSSESION

1.	41:53 vs. Kent State	9/4/04
2.	40:55 vs. Maryland	10/20/18
3.	40:45 vs. North Texas	9/16/17
4.	39:00 at Maryland	10/1/21
5.	38:42 vs. Northern Illinois	9/1/12
6.	38:27 vs. Michigan	10/26/02
7.	38:22 vs. Rutgers	11/11/23
8.	38:18 vs. Missouri State	9/7/13
9.	38:07 at Indiana	10/11/08
10.	38:03 at Iowa State	9/14/13
11.	37:56 vs. Arizona	9/19/09
12.	37:38 vs. Rutgers	9/7/19
13.	37:37 at Minnesota	11/22/08
14.	37:36 vs. Nebraska	11/28/14

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NORTHERN ILLINOIS (0-1) at #22/22 IOWA (1-0)

SATURDAY, SEPT. 5, 2026 | DUKE SLATER FIELD AT KINNICK STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Northern Illinois	0	0	0	0	0
#22/22 Iowa	20	13	7	0	40

ATTENDANCE: 69,250
TEMPERATURE: 90 degrees, sunny
TIME OF GAME: 3:07

IOWA NOTES

• The Hawkeyes have won 11 of their last 13 season openers since 2014 and are now 23-4 in openers under head coach Kirk Ferentz.
• The shutout is the 19th under Ferentz and it is the second season-opening shutout in the last three seasons.
• Iowa's 40 points are the most scored in an opener since 2024. The team's 33 first-half points were the most in the first-half of a season opener since 2005 (49 points vs. Ball State).

INDIVIDUAL NOTES
• Fourth-year quarterback Hank Brown completed 12-of-20 attempts for 129 yards and one touchdown, while third-year quarterback Jeremy Hecklinski was 7-of-16 for 76 yards and one touchdown.
• Brown led the offense on three touchdown drives on his first three possessions. Iowa scored 27 points and had 283 yards in five offensive series.
• Hecklinski guided the unit to seven points, 154 yards and one touchdown on five series.
• Fourth-year Kamari Moulton recorded his second career 100-yard game, finishing with 11 carries for a career-high 183 yards and two touchdowns, tying a career-best.
• Moulton had a 50-yard touchdown run – the second-longest rush of his career – and a 37-yard score in the first quarter. He had 132 yards in the opening quarter alone, surpassing his previous career best (118 at Maryland, 2024).
• Moulton's 183 yards are the most for a Hawkeye in a season opener since Tavian Banks (203 yards) in 1997 and the most in a game since Kaleb Johnson (at Minnesota) in 2024.
• Third-year WR Tony Diaz had seven catches for 84 yards with one touchdown.
• Diaz had three receptions for 32 yards (and drew a pass interference penalty in the end zone) on Iowa's opening possession of the season, which culminated with a 6-yard touchdown reception.
• His 84 yards are the most by a Hawkeye wide receiver since Jacob Gill's 138 yards at UCLA in 2024.
• His seven receptions are the most by an Iowa wideout since Kaleb Brown had seven against Illinois in 2023.
• Third-year RB Xavier Williams had an 8-yard touchdown reception on a screen in the second quarter, making the score 27-0. It was his first career receiving touchdown (fourth overall TD).
• Second-year WR Evan James had a 77-yard punt return for a touchdown in the third quarter. It is the 15th longest punt return for a score in program history.
• Iowa has had a punt return for a touchdown in each of the past four seasons.
• Fifth-year DB Deshaun Lee had his fourth career interception in the second quarter and he returned the pick 17 yards to the NIU 45.
• Fourth-year DL Brice Stevenson forced a fumble and third-year Ty Hudkins recovered in the fourth quarter. They were the first of both of their careers.
• Kicker Caden Buhr finished 2-of-3 on field goal attempts, connecting from 45 and 34 yards. They were the first attempts of his collegiate career.

MISCELLANEOUS
• Iowa finished with 507 yards of total offense in the game.
• The Hawkeyes had 251 yards in the first quarter and 372 yards in the first half. The 372 yards are the most in an opening half since 2019 vs. Middle Tennessee State (358).
• The Hawkeyes have scored 40, 34 and 40 points in offensive coordinator Tim Lester's first three seasons with the program.
• Iowa's 507 yards of total offense are the most in a game under Lester.
• The total offense is the most in a season opener since finishing with 593 (2002).
• It was the most yards by a Hawkeye offense since 2019 against Middle Tennessee (644).
• Iowa's defense limited the Huskies to 120 yards of total offense and seven first downs. The 120 yards are tied for the sixth-fewest allowed in a game during the Kirk Ferentz era, while the seven first downs are tied for the seventh-fewest allowed.
• NIU had 22 yards in the first quarter and 24 in the first half. The Huskies didn't pick up their initial first down until the 4:10 mark in the third quarter (and it came via penalty).
• Iowa's 289 rushing yards are its most in a game since rushing for 310 yards against Albany in 2025.
• Iowa has rushed for 200 or more yards in 13 games under Lester.
• Iowa forced two turnovers and won the turnover battle, 2-1.
• The Hawkeyes are 76-5 when winning the turnover battle since 2012.
• Eleven Hawkeyes – Leighton Jones (OL), Cael Winter (OL), Jack Dotzler (OL), Tony Diaz (WR), Hank Brown (QB), Cam Buffington (LB), Jacob Wallace (DB), Anthony Hawkins (DB), Kenneth Merriweather (DL), Will Hubert (DL) and Iose Epenesa (DL) – made their first career starts at Iowa.
• The 90-degree temperature at kickoff is the tied for the fourth-hottest home game in program history.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
9:52 - IOWA - Tony Diaz, 6-yard pass from Hank Brown (10 plays, 75 yards, 5:08)
6:46 - IOWA - Kamari Moulton, 50-yard run (2 plays, 66 yards, 0:42)
4:10 - IOWA - Kamari Moulton, 37-yard run (4 plays, 70 yards, 1:48)

Second Quarter
7:40 - IOWA - Xavier Williams, 8-yard pass from Jeremy Hecklinski (6 plays, 46 yards, 3:20)
3:34 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 45-yard FG (6 plays, 31 yards, 2:10)
0:02 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 34-yard FG (14 plays, 41 yards, 2:17)

Third Quarter
2:20 - IOWA - Evan James, 77-yard punt return (2:57)

TEAM STATS

NIU	TEAM STATS	IOWA
7	First Downs	26
31-7	Rushes-Yards	38-289
113	Passing Yards	218
13-24-1	Com-Att-Int	21-40-1
55-120	Total Offense	78-507
11-41.8	Punts-Avg.	3-43.7
1-1	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
7-61	Penalties-Yards	7-60
26:09	Possession Time	33:51

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
NIU: Telly Johnson, Jr. 8-16; Jaiduan Cranford 2-9; Elijah Porter 3-6
IOWA: Kamari Moulton 11-183, 2 TD; Braeden Jackson 3-30; Jeremy Hecklinski 1-16

PASSING:
NIU: Taron Dickens 9-14, 96 yards; Jalen Macon 4-10, 17 yards
IOWA: Hank Brown 12-20, 129 yards, 1 TD; Jeremy Hecklinski 7-16, 76 yards, 1 TD; Jimmy Sullivan 2-4, 13 yards

RECEIVING:
NIU: La'Don Bryant 4-42; Kelan McInerney 3-55; Glen Weber 2-10
IOWA: Tony Diaz 7-84; DJ Vonnahme 4-42; Addison Ostrenga 3-20; Reece Vander Zee 2-32

TACKLES:
NIU: Jashawn Nelson 10; Malik Armstrong 6, Jack Murray 6, Kyon Conyers 6
IOWA: Cam Buffington 6, Zach Lutmer 4, Julian Manson 4, Bryce Hawthorne 4, Landyn Van Kekerix 4

IOWA STATE (1-1) at #21/21 IOWA (2-0)

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12, 2026 | DUKE SLATER FIELD AT KINNICK STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Iowa State	0	10	3	0	13
#21/21 Iowa	0	10	0	6	16

ATTENDANCE: 69,250
TEMPERATURE: 77 degrees
TIME OF GAME: 3:16

IOWA NOTES

• The last nine meetings in the series have been decided by 10 points or less, including five straight by a single possession.
• The Hawkeyes have now won eight straight night games at Kinnick Stadium, dating back to 2022.
• The last three Iowa Corn Cy-Hawk Series matchups have been decided by game-winning, fourth quarter field goals.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

• K Caden Buhr had a game-winning 42-yard field goal with 15 seconds remaining to give Iowa the 16-13 victory.
• It was his first career game-winning field goal.
• It was Iowa's first game-winning field goal since Drew Stevens connected from 44 yards in a 20-17 win over Michigan State on Nov. 22, 2025.
• Buhr connected on a 45-yard field goal in the second quarter along with a 32-yarder and a 42-yarder in the fourth, tying the game at 10 and 13 and taking the lead at 16. The 45-yarder tied a career long.
• Fourth-year quarterback Hank Brown completed 21-of-30 attempts for 191 yards. He also had 8 rushes for 22 yards and one touchdown.
• Brown had a 1-yard touchdown run in the second quarter – the second rushing TD of his career.
• Third-year Tony Diaz had 8 receptions (on 12 targets) for 95 yards, including a 56-yarder to set up Iowa's first touchdown.
• The 56-yard catch was Iowa's longest reception since 2024.
• Third-year LB Cam Buffington finished with a career-high 15 tackles – his first career double-digit tackle game. He had 10 tackles alone in the first half.
• P Boston Everitt had six punts for 264 yards, averaging 44 yards per attempt.
• Four of his six punts were downed inside the 20 and one traveled 50+ yards.

MISCELLANEOUS

• Iowa's defense limited the Cyclones to 255 yards of total offense and nine first downs.
• The Hawkeyes had a 181-124 advantage in total offense in the first half.
• Iowa's offense had 45 yards in its first four possessions of the first half and 121 yards in its final two possessions, which resulted in 10 points.

SCORING SUMMARY

Second Quarter
14:17 - ISU - Kole Konrardy, 29-yard FG (9 plays, 34 yards, 4:34)
7:51 - ISU - Vince Benetti, 4-yard pass from Jaylen Raynor (10 plays, 66 yards, 5:34)
5:34 - IOWA - Hank Brown, 1-yard run (5 plays, 75 yards, 2:17)
0:28 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 45-yard FG (10 plays, 46 yards, 3:29)

Third Quarter
10:26 - ISU - Kole Konrardy, 51-yard FG (8 plays, 41 yards, 4:54)

Fourth Quarter
6:22 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 32-yard FG (11 plays, 43 yards, 6:10)
0:15 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 42-yard FG (9 plays, 31 yards, 4:13)

TEAM STATS

ISU	TEAM STATS	IOWA
9	First Downs	13
34-138	Rushes-Yards	29-93
117	Passing Yards	191
10-19-0	Com-Att-Int	21-30-0
53-255	Total Offense	59-284
7-43.9	Punts-Avg.	6-44.0
0-0	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
6-45	Penalties-Yards	4-25
30:18	Possession Time	29:42

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
ISU: Aiden Flora 19-89; Jaylen Raynor 8-18; Omari Hayes 1-15
IOWA: Kamari Moulton 15-57; Hank Brown 8-22, 1 TD; Nathan McNeil 2-9

PASSING:
ISU: Jaylen Raynor 10-19, 117, 1 TD
IOWA: Hank Brown 21-30, 191

RECEIVING:
ISU: Omari Hayes 3-39; Vince Benetti 2-10, 1 TD; Carter Pabst 1-24
IOWA: Tony Diaz 8-95; Kamari Moulton 6-31; Reece Vander Zee 3-32

TACKLES:
ISU: Sullivan Schlimgen 9, Drew Surges 6, Carson Willich 6
IOWA: Cam Buffington 15, Jaylen Watson 5, Bryce Hawthorne 5

NORTHERN IOWA (1-2) at #18/20 IOWA (3-0)

SATURDAY, SEPT. 19, 2026 | DUKE SLATER FIELD AT KINNICK STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Northern Iowa	0	0	0	0	0
#18/20 Iowa	21	21	7	6	55

ATTENDANCE: 69,250
TEMPERATURE: 76 degrees
TIME OF GAME: 3:18

IOWA NOTES

• The Hawkeyes are 3-0 for the first time since the 2023 season and for the 11th time under head coach Kirk Ferentz.
• Iowa notched its second shutout of the season and the 20th shutout of the Ferentz era.
• It is the first time since the 2022 season that the team has had multiple shutouts in a single season.
• The Hawkeyes rushed for 422 yards (seventh-most in program history) and had 640 yards (the second-most in a game under Ferentz and the most since 2019 vs. Middle Tennessee State (644).)
• The 422 yards are the most rushing yards under Ferentz.
• The 55-point margin of victory is the largest for the team since 2018 (63-0) at Illinois.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

• QB Hank Brown completed 12-of-12 passes for 153 yards and two touchdowns – a 24-yarder to Braeden Jackson in the first quarter and a 14-yarder to Addison Ostrenga in the second.
• Brown is the second Iowa quarterback to finish with a perfect completion percentage, joining Brad Banks, who was 10-for-10 for 197 yards against Northwestern in 2002.
• Brown is the first Iowa quarterback to complete his first 12 passes in a game since C.J. Beathard had 15 straight completions to start the game against North Texas on Sept. 26, 2015.
• Iowa had three running backs go over the 100-yard mark in the game for the first time since 1983 (Phillips 172, Gill 104, Granger 128).
• RB Xavier Williams notched his second career 100-yard game, finishing with a career-high 151 yards on six attempts (25.2 average) with three touchdowns. He had a career-long 48-yard touchdown run in the first quarter, a 16-yarder in the second and a 37-yarder in the third.
• Williams needed only four carries to reach the 100-yard mark.
• He is the first player to have three rushing touchdowns in a game since Mark Gronowski at Rutgers in 2025.
• RB Nathan McNeil recorded his first career 100-yard game, finishing with 111 yards on 12 attempts with two touchdowns – a 2-yard score in the first and a 12-yarder in the second.
• The two touchdowns were the first two scores of his collegiate career.
• He also had three receptions for 37 yards.
• RB Braeden Jackson had 11 carries for 125 yards with one touchdown – a career-long 62-yarder in the fourth quarter. It was the longest rush by a Hawkeye this season.
• Jackson also had a 24-yard touchdown reception in the first quarter for his first career catch and TD.
• TE Addison Ostrenga had a 14-yard touchdown reception in the second quarter. It was his fourth career touchdown (first since the 2024 season).
• LB Cam Buffington finished with six tackles and two TFL. He has led the team in tackles in each of the three contests.
• DB Jacob Wallace and DB Rashad Godfrey, Jr., both notched their first career interceptions.

MISCELLANEOUS

• Iowa's offense scored a touchdown on its first five possessions of the game.
• The last time Iowa scored a touchdown on its first five possessions was in the 2019 Holiday Bowl victory over USC.
• Iowa's quarterbacks completed its first 16 passes for 190 yards to open the game.
• The Hawkeyes had 418 yards of total offense (217 on the ground/201 through the air) with 24 first downs in the first half.
• It is believed to be the first time Iowa has had 400+ yards in the first half since 1995 vs. New Mexico State (401 yards).
• Iowa scored 42 points in the first half against UNI – a first for the program since 2005 (49 points vs. Ball State)
• The last time Iowa scored 42 points any either half was in the second half at Nebraska in 2017.
• The Hawkeyes finished with 640 yards of total offense – the second-most in a game under Kirk Ferentz and the most under OC Tim Lester.
• It is the second time this season Iowa has had 500+ yards of total offense.
•The last time the Hawkeyes had 500+ yards in multiple games in a single season came in 2006.
• Iowa finished with 422 rushing yards – the seventh-most in a game in program history and the most since 1990. Iowa's running backs finished with six touchdowns in the game.
• The last time Iowa had six combined rushing touchdowns was 2017 at Nebraska (Akrum Wadley, 3; Toren Young, 1l Ivory Kelly-Martin, 1; James Butler, 1).
• Iowa's defense surrendered 155 yards and allowed just nine first downs. The unit has two shutouts this season and has allowed fewer than 200 yards in two of the three contests.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
11:11 - IOWA - Nathan McNeil, 2-yard run (8 plays, 75 yards, 3:49)
5:48 - IOWA - Braeden Jackson, 24-yard pass from Hank Brown (6 plays, 78 yards, 3:04)
0:24 - IOWA - Xavier Williams, 48-yard run (4 plays, 90 yards, 2:01)

Second Quarter
12:59 - IOWA - Addison Ostrenga, 14-yard pass from Hank Brown (2 plays, 37 yards, 0:57)
10:06 - IOWA - Xavier Williams, 16-yard run (3 plays, 58 yards, 1:05)
0:46 - IOWA - Nathan McNeil, 12-yard run (8 plays, 90 yards, 1:34)

Third Quarter
7:03 - IOWA - Xavier Williams, 37-yard run (5 plays, 66 yards, 2:41)

Fourth Quarter
12:37 - IOWA - Braeden Jackson, 62-yard run (2 plays, 65 yards, 0:58)

TEAM STATS

UNI	TEAM STATS	IOWA
9	First Downs	32
25-53	Rushes-Yards	41-422
102	Passing Yards	218
14-33-2	Com-Att-Int	18-23-0
58-155	Total Offense	64-640
9-45.4	Punts-Avg.	4-44.5
1-0	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
4-35	Penalties-Yards	7-83
27:45	Possession Time	32:15

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
UNI: Caleb Kamara 7-21; Ben Gordon 5-12; Taj Hughes 2-5
IOWA: Xavier Williams 6-151, 3 TD; Braeden Jackson 11-125, 1 TD; Nathan McNeil 12-111, 2 TD

PASSING:
UNI: Jaxon Dailey 11-27, 91; Cale McThenia 3-6, 11
IOWA: Hank Brown 12-12, 153, 2 TD; Jeremy Hecklinski 6-11, 65

RECEIVING:
UNI:Ayden Price 2-32; Christain Collins 2-9; Tay Norman 2-9
IOWA: Nathan McNeil 3-37; Evan James 3-35; Jarriett Buie 2-24

TACKLES:
UNI: Calvin Jaworski 10, Mekhi Toms 5, Andrew Price 5, John Powers 5
IOWA: Cam Buffington 6, Darion Jones 4, Will Hubert 3, Drew Campbell 3, Nolan Delong 3, Julian Manson 3

#17 IOWA (4-0, 1-0) at #18 MICHIGAN (3-1, 0-1)

SATURDAY, SEPT. 26, 2026 | MICHIGAN STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
#17 IOWA	7	0	0	13	20
#18 Michigan	7	3	3	6	19

ATTENDANCE: 111,126
TEMPERATURE: 70 degrees
TIME OF GAME: 3:24

IOWA NOTES

• The Hawkeyes are 4-0 for the first time since the 2021 season and for the seventh time under head coach Kirk Ferentz.
• Saturday's win is Iowa's first road win over a ranked opponent since 2015 at Northwestern.
• It is Iowa's first win over a ranked Wolverine team on the road since 2002.
• It is Iowa's eighth win all-time at the Big House and the third under Ferentz.
• The 111,126 crowd is the fifth-largest road crowd Iowa has played in front of in program history.
• The Hawkeyes snapped Michigan's 58-game winning streak when leading at halftime, which was the second-longest streak nationally.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES
• WR Reece Vander Zee had a 16-yard touchdown reception as time expired to give Iowa a 20-19 victory over Michigan on Sept. 26 in the Big House.
• It was Iowa's first walk-off touchdown since Marvin McNutt, Jr., at Michigan State in 2009 and the third since 2005 (Warren Holloway vs. LSU, 2005 Capital One Bowl).
• Vander Zee had five receptions for 66 yards and two touchdowns, tying a career-high set in his Hawkeye debut.
• QB Hank Brown completed 21-of-35 attempts for 227 yards and two touchdowns – both to Vander Zee. The were his fourth and fifth TD passes this season.
• Brown was 13-of-16 for 142 yards and two touchdowns, while going 4-of-6 on third down in the fourth quarter.
• Brown completed 14 consecutive passes (12 straight vs. UNI, first two at Michigan) spanning two games before a drop in the first quarter against the Wolverines.
• RB Braeden Jackson went untouched for 99-yard kickoff return for a touchdown in the first quarter to tie the game at seven. It was Iowa's first kickoff return of the 2026 season.
• The 99-yard touchdown return for a touchdown ties for the seventh longest in program history.
• Iowa has had a kick return for a touchdown in three consecutive seasons. The team has returned both a punt and kickoff for a touchdown in three straight seasons.
• It is the first kickoff return for a touchdown allowed by Michigan since 2019.
• Iowa had three players – DB Zach Lutmer (12), LB Cam Buffington (11) and LB Landyn Van Kekerix (10) – with double digit tackles for the first time since October 12, 2024, against Washington – Jay Higgins (14), Nick Jackson (11), Xavier Nwankpa (10).
• Lutmer and Van Kekerix both notched career-highs in tackles.
• DB Deshaun Lee had his second interception of the season (fifth of his career), picking off his high school teammate Bryce Underwood at the 2-yard line in the third quarter.

MISCELLANEOUS
• Michigan held Iowa to 77 yards in the first half with five first downs.
• Michigan's offense finished with 429 yards of total offense. It is just the fifth time in the last 58 games that Iowa has allowed 400+ yards.
• In the last 30 years, Michigan has lost two home games when out-gaining its opponent by 100+ yards -- 2026 vs. Iowa, 2010 vs. Iowa.
• Iowa's defense has forced a punt on the opponent's opening possession in each of the last 10 games dating back to the 2025 season.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
1:58 - U-M - JJ Buchanan, 18-yard pass from Bryce Underwood (9 plays, 89 yards, 3:58)
1:44 - IOWA - Braeden Jackson, 99-yard kickoff return

Second Quarter
12:58 - U-M - Trey Butkowski, 41-yard FG (8 plays, 59 yards, 3:43)

Third Quarter
1:29 - U-M - Trey Butkowski, 22-yard FG (11 plays, 43 yards, 5:44)

Fourth Quarter
14:02 - IOWA - Reece Vander Zee, 16-yard pass from Hank Brown (7 plays, 75 yards, 2:27)
11:59 - U-M - JJ Buchanan, 49-yard pass from Bryce Underwood (2-PT failed) (6 plays, 75 yards, 2:03)
0:00 - IOWA - Reece Vander Zee, 16-yard pass from Hank Brown (11 plays, 91 yards, 1:46)

TEAM STATS

IOWA	TEAM STATS	U-M
16	First Downs	21
24-58	Rushes-Yards	40-153
227	Passing Yards	276
21-35-0	Com-Att-Int	17-28-1
59-285	Total Offense	68-429
6-42.3	Punts-Avg.	4-42.5
1-0	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
5-34	Penalties-Yards	8-75
25:31	Possession Time	34:29

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
IOWA: Kamari Moulton 13-44; Braeden Jackson 4-13; Xavier Williams 4-5
U-M: Jordan Marshall 11-59; Savion Hiter 14-53; Bryce Underwood 14-36

PASSING:
IOWA: Hank Brown 21-35, 227, 2 TD
U-M: Bryce Underwood 17-28, 276, 2 TD, 1 INT

RECEIVING:
IOWA: Reece Vander Zee 5-66, 2 TD; DJ Vonnahme 4-44; Tony Diaz 3-46
U-M: Andrew Marsh 7-106; JJ Buchanan 5-130, 2 TD; Hogan Hansen 2-13

TACKLES:
IOWA: Zach Lutmer 12; Cam Buffington 11; Landyn Van Kekerix 10; Tyler Brown 9
U-M: Jyaire Hill 7; Rod Moore 6; Troy Bowles 6

#5/6 OHIO STATE (4-1, 2-0) at #14/14 IOWA (4-1, 1-1)

SATURDAY, OCT. 3, 2026 | DUKE SLATER FIELD AT KINNICK STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
#5/6 Ohio State	10	7	7	7	31
#14 IOWA	6	0	0	8	14

ATTENDANCE: 69,250
TEMPERATURE: 69 degrees
TIME OF GAME: 3:11

IOWA NOTES

• The game was the 32nd straight sellout inside Kinnick Stadium.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

• QB Hank Brown completed 12-of-27 attempts for 132 yards in the game with one interception – his first of the season. He left the game in the fourth quarter because of injury.
• QB Jeremy Hecklinski went 5-of-5 for 67 yards in his lone series in the fourth quarter, leading the team on an eight play, 75-yard touchdown drive.
• RB Braeden Jackson had a 2-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. It was his third straight game with a touchdown (two rushing, one kickoff return)
• TE DJ Vonnahme had six receptions for 64 yards – both season highs.
• DB Zach Lutmer had a team-high 11 tackles – his second-straight double-digit tackle game – and 0.5 TFL before exiting the game because of injury in the third quarter.
• LB Jayden Montgomery had a career-high 11 tackles and 0.5 TFL in the game. It was his first career game with 10+ tackles.
• Iowa has had four players notch 10+ tackle games on the year.
• K Caden Buhr drilled 43 and 48-yard field goals in the first quarter. It is his third game making at least two field goals this season.
• Buhr is 7-of-9 on field goal attempts this season and is a perfect 7-of-7 from under 50 yards.

MISCELLANEOUS

• Ohio State finished with a 484-to-238 advantage in total offense.
• The Hawkeyes converted a two-point conversion in the fourth quarter on a Jeremy Hecklinski to Reece Vander Zee pitch and catch. It was the team's first successful 2-point attempt since 2023.
• Iowa lost the turnover battle, 2-0, and the Buckeyes turned the miscues into 14 points. It was the first time this season the Hawkeyes lost the turnover battle.
• The Hawkeyes lost their first fumble on a strip sack on the second offensive play of the game.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
13:18 - OSU - Devin McCuin, 15-yard pass from Julian Sayin (2 plays, 14 yards, 0:55)
10:01 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 43-yard FG (11 plays, 50 yards, 3:17)
4:17 - OSU - Connor Hawkins, 28-yard FG (10 plays, 50 yards, 5:44)
0:00 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 48-yard FG (10 plays, 40 yards, 4:17)

Second Quarter
0:12 - OSU - Jeremiah Smith, 12-yard pass from Julian Sayin (9 plays, 84 yards, 1:36)

Third Quarter
6:11 - OSU - Jeremiah Smith, 57-yard pass from Julian Sayin (5 plays, 75 yards, 2:46)

Fourth Quarter
12:47 - OSU - Ja'Kobi Jackson, 7-yard run (10 plays, 70 yards, 5:05)
9:30 - IOWA - Braeden Jackson, 2-yard rush (Reece Vander Zee pass from Jeremy Hecklinski) (8 plays, 75 yards, 3:17)

TEAM STATS

OSU	TEAM STATS	IOWA
25	First Downs	15
47-160	Rushes-Yards	21-39
324	Passing Yards	199
20-27-0	Com-Att-Int	17-32-1
74-484	Total Offense	53-238
2-40.0	Punts-Avg.	4-41.8
1-0	Fumbles-Lost	1-1
9-49	Penalties-Yards	6-45
38:02	Possession Time	21:58

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
OSU: Ja'Kobi Jackson 14-72, 1 TD; Bo Jackson 16-70; Isaiah West 7-21
IOWA: Kamari Moulton 11-27; L.J. Phillips 4-16; Tony Diaz 1-8

PASSING:
OSU: Julain Sayin 20-27, 324, 3 TD
IOWA: Hank Brown 12-27, 132, 1 INT; Jeremy Hecklinski 5-5, 67

RECEIVING:
OSU: Jeremiah Smith 11-206, 2 TD; Devin McCuin 4-80; Brandon Inniss 2-14
IOWA: DJ Vonnahme 6-64; Tony Diaz 5-59; Reece Vander Zee 2-35

TACKLES:
OSU: Payton Pierce 6; Qua Russaw 5; Eddrick Houston 4; Zion Grady 4
IOWA: Zach Lutmer 11, Jayden Montgomery 11, Deshaun Lee 7, Jaylen Watson 6

#20/18 IOWA (5-1, 2-1) at WASHINGTON (3-3, 0-3)

FRIDAY, OCT. 9, 2026 | HUSKY STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
#20/18 IOWA	13	14	7	7	41
Washington	0	3	15	6	24

ATTENDANCE: 66,231
TEMPERATURE: 57 degrees, rainy
TIME OF GAME: 3:22

IOWA NOTES

• Friday's win is Iowa's first regular season victory on the West Coast since 1965 – 27-7 at Oregon State.
• It was Iowa's first game in Seattle since 1963.
• The Hawkeyes have won four straight and 14 of their last 16 Friday contests since 2015.
• Iowa has won five of its last six Friday night contests since 2020.
• The Hawkeyes have won their last five games following their first loss in five straight years.
• The loss is Washington's second defeat in its last 12 non-Saturday home games since 2010 (10-2 record).

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

• QB Jeremy Hecklinski finished 14-of-19 for 202 yards and three touchdowns in his first career start. The three TDs are a high by an Iowa QB this season.
• Hecklinski connected with DJ Vonnahme for a 20 and 24-yard touchdown in the second quarter and an 8-yarder to Reece Vander Zee in the third quarter.
• Hecklinski is the fourth Iowa quarterback in the Kirk Ferentz era to have three touchdowns in his debut, joining Jon Beutjer (4) in 2000, Ricky Stanzi (2008) and Nate Stanley (2017).
• Iowa is 8-1 since 2006 in games where its back-up QB makes a first career start – Jason Manson (2006), Jake Christensen (2008), C.J. Beathard (2014), Alex Padilla (2021), Joey Labas (2022), Deacon Hill (2023), Jackson Stratton (2024) and Hecklinski (2026).
• RB Kamari Moulton notched his first career 200-yard game (third career 100-yard contest), finishing with 26 carries for a career-high 208 yards and two touchdowns.
• He is the first Hawkeye to go over 200 yards since Kaleb Johnson (206 vs. Minnesota) in 2024.
• Moulton had a 56-yard touchdown run in the first quarter – his longest rush of the season and second-longest of his career.
• He had a 3-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. It is his fourth career two touchdown game.
• Moulton had eight carries for 97 yards and a touchdown in the first quarter and he went over 100 yards on his first carry of the second quarter.
• TE DJ Vonnahme had two receptions for 44 yards and two touchdowns -- a 20 and 24-yarder in the second quarter. They are Vonnahme's first two touchdowns this season (fourth and fifth of his career). It is his first career multi-TD game.
• WR Reece Vander Zee had three catches for 69 yards in the game, including an 8-yard touchdown reception in the third quarter – his third of the season.
• Vander Zee's 69 yards are a career-high, while his three TDs this season matches a career-best.
• LB Preston Ries and LB Cam Buffington both had a career-high two sacks.
• DB Xavier Styles had nine tackles in his first career start as a Hawkeye to lead the team.
• K Caden Buhr drilled a 51- and 27-yard field goal in the first quarter.
• The 51-yarder was Buhr's first career make from 50+ yards.
• Buhr has made two or more field goals in four games this season.

MISCELLANEOUS

• Iowa finished with 41 points, marking the first time in 15 years that the team has scored 40+ points three times in its first six games of the season.
• The 41 points are the most against a Big Ten opponent since 2024 (42 vs. Wisconsin).
• Iowa's rushing attack churned out 263 yards – its third game with 200+ yards this season. It is a season-best against a Power 5 opponent.
• Iowa has rushed for 200+ yards in 16 games under OC Tim Lester; the team is 15-1 in such contests.
• The Hawkeyes finished with 465 yards – the fourth-most in a game and most in a Big Ten game under Lester.
• The Hawkeye defense tied a season-high six sacks by four different players.
• Iowa allowed minus-3 rushing yards, the second fewest under Kirk Ferentz and the second time the Hawkeyes have held an opponent to negative rushing yards (minus-13 vs. Kent State in 2004).
• Iowa opened the game with a seven-play, 32-yard scoring drive. It was the third time this season the team has scored on its opening possession (NIU, UNI, Washington).
• The Hawkeyes scored 27 points in the first half – the most in a Big Ten game since 2025 (31 vs. Minnesota).
• It was the third time this season Iowa has scored at least 27 points in the first half.
• Iowa outgained the Huskies, 279-109, in the first half. UW didn't go over 100 yards of total offense until its final offensive possession of the first half.
• The Hawkeye defense limited Washington to 14 total yards and one first down in the first quarter.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
12:30 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 51-yard FG (7 plays, 32 yards, 2:30)
7:07 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 27-yard FG (8 plays, 56 yards, 3:18)
0:10 - IOWA - Kamari Moulton, 56-yard run (1 play, 56 yards, 0:14)

Second Quarter
9:05 - IOWA - DJ Vonnahme, 20-yard pass from Jeremy Hecklinski (8 plays, 69 yards, 4:29)
5:07 - IOWA - DJ Vonnahme, 24-yard pass from Jeremy Hecklinski (5 plays, 69 yards, 2:00)
1:56 - UW - Tyler Robles, 30-yard FG (12 plays, 63 yards, 3:11)

Third Quarter
11:10 - UW - Chris Lawson, 10-yard pass from Elijah Brown (8 plays, 75 yards, 3:50)
7:05 - IOWA - Reece Vander Zee, 8-yard pass from Jeremy Hecklinski (8 plays, 83 yards, 3:59)
1:25 - UW - Dezmen Roebuck, 2-yard pass from Elijah Brown (11 plays, 75 yards, 5:40)

Fourth Quarter
12:06 - IOWA - Kamari Moulton, 3-yard run (8 plays, 75 yards, 4:19)
0:00 - UW - Mason James, 3-yard pass from Elijah Brown (12 plays, 84 yards, 3:15)

TEAM STATS

IOWA	TEAM STATS	UW
22	First Downs	24
38-263	Rushes-Yards	25-(-3)
202	Passing Yards	317
14-19-0	Com-Att-Int	34-51-0
57-465	Total Offense	76-317
4-42.0	Punts-Avg.	7-47.3
1-0	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
8-73	Penalties-Yards	7-50
28:19	Possession Time	31:41

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
IOWA: Kamari Moulton 26-208, 2 TD; L.J. Phillips 10-42
UW: Brian Bonner 10-17; Trey Cooley 2-2

PASSING:
IOWA: Jeremy Hecklinski 14-19, 202, 3 TD
UW: Elijah Brown 28-39, 251, 3 TD; Demond Williams, Jr. 6-11, 69

RECEIVING:
IOWA: Reece Vander Zee 3-69, 1 TD; Tony Diaz 3-23; DJ Vonnahme 2-44, 2 TD
UW: Chris Lawson, 8-86, 1 TD; Dezmen Roebuck 8-49, 1 TD; Rashid Williams 5-66

TACKLES:
IOWA: Xavier Styles 9, Jayden Montgomery 8, Cam Buffington 8, Jacob Wallace 6
UW: Alex McLaughlin 8, Rylon Dillard-Allen 7, Dylan Robinson 5, Jacob Manu 5

#15/14 IOWA (5-2, 2-2) at MINNESOTA (5-2, 3-1)

SATURDAY, OCT. 24, 2026 | HUNTINGTON BANK STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
#14/15 IOWA	0	3	0	7	10
Minnesota	3	0	7	3	13

ATTENDANCE: 53,004
TEMPERATURE: 74 degrees
TIME OF GAME: 3:17

IOWA NOTES

• The Gophers' victory snaps Iowa's five-game winning streak in Minneapolis. It is Minnesota's first home win over the Hawkeyes since 2014.
• The loss was Iowa's first against an unranked opponent since 2024 at UCLA.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

• QB Hank Brown and QB Jeremy Hecklinski both saw action in the contest.
• Brown was 11-of-21 for 136 yards with one touchdown and two interceptions.
• Hecklinski was 9-of-16 for 62 yards with one interception.
• Brown's 37-yard touchdown pass to WR Reece Vander Zee was Iowa's longest touchdown pass of the season.
• RB L.J. Phillips finished with seven carries for 25 yards to lead the team in rushing.
• DB Zach Lutmer finished with a team-leading 11 tackles – his third double-digit tackle game of the season.
• LB Cam Buffington had 10 tackles – his third double digit tackle game of the season – and DL Bryce Hawthorne had a career-high eight tackles.
• DB Deshaun Lee had an interception and 28-yard return in the second quarter. It was his team-leading third interception of the season (sixth of his career).
• P Boston Everitt had a career-long 60-yard punt in the first half.
• K Caden Buhr connected on a 32-yard field goal in the second quarter.
• He has made nine straight field goals from under 50 yards and is 10-of-12 on the year.

MISCELLANEOUS

• Minnesota held Iowa to a season-low 10 points.
• The Hawkeyes lost the turnover battle, 4-1, and the Gophers blocked an Iowa punt in the first quarter.
• Iowa committed four turnovers for the first time since its 2023 game at Penn State.
• Iowa had a successful fake punt via a 4-yard Cam Buffington rush on fourth-and-2 from the Iowa 38 in the second quarter.
• It was the Hawkeyes' first successful fake punt since 2017 vs. Illinois (Amani Hooker).
• Iowa's four-play, 98-yard touchdown drive in the fourth quarter was its longest of the season.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
12:14 - MINN - Luke Drzewiecki, 31-yard FG (4 plays, 1 yard, 1:27)

Second Quarter
6:49 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 32-yard FG (4 plays, -3 yards, 1:41)

Third Quarter
8:08 - MINN - Darius Taylor, 1-yard run (10 plays, 71 yards, 6:46)

Fourth Quarter
3:46 - IOWA - Reece Vander Zee, 37-yard pass from Hank Brown (4 plays, 98 yards, 1:58)
0:00 - MINN - Luke Drzewiecki, 46-yard FG (7 plays, 44 yards, 1:46)

TEAM STATS

IOWA	TEAM STATS	MINN
16	First Downs	11
30-90	Rushes-Yards	35-72
198	Passing Yards	137
20-37-3	Com-Att-Int	14-27-1
67-288	Total Offense	62-209
7-39.9	Punts-Avg.	9-41.8
4-1	Fumbles-Lost	1-0
6-25	Penalties-Yards	6-50
31:07	Possession Time	28:53

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
IOWA: L.J. Phillips, Jr., 7-25; Kamari Moulton 10-22; Xavier Williams 5-17
MINN: Xavier Ford 8-33; Javon Tracy 2-22; Darius Taylor 12-20, 1 TD

PASSING:
IOWA: Hank Brown 11-21, 136, 1 TD, 2 INT; Jeremy Hecklinski 9-16, 62, 1 INT
MINN: Drake Lindsey 14-26, 137, 1 INT; Javon Tracy 0-1

RECEIVING:
IOWA: DJ Vonnahme 6-31; Reece Vander Zee 4-69, 1 TD; Addison Ostrenga 2-15
MINN: Javon Tracy 7-45; Roman Voss 3-34; Jalen Smith 1-39

TACKLES:
IOWA: Zach Lutmer 11; Cam Buffington 10; Bryce Hawthorne 8; Jayden Montgomery 5
MINN: Zack Harden 12; John Nestor 11; Joey Gerlach 9; Maverick Baranowski 7

#25/RV WISCONSIN (5-3, 3-2) at RV/#24 IOWA (6-2, 3-2)

SATURDAY, OCT. 31, 2026 | KINNICK STADIUM

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
#25/RV Wisconsin	0	0	0	0	0
RV/#24 Iowa	10	10	10	0	30

ATTENDANCE: 69,250
TEMPERATURE: 56 degrees, rainy
TIME OF GAME: 3:05

IOWA NOTES

• The victory is Iowa's fifth consecutive over the Badgers – the longest streak over Wisconsin since winning 10 straight from 1985-96.
• It is Iowa's third shutout of the season and the 21st of the Kirk Ferentz era.
• It is the first time in the Ferentz era that Iowa has had three shutouts in a single season.
• The Hawkeyes have 12 shutouts since 2018, the most in the nation in that span.
• It is Iowa's first shutout over an AP-ranked opponent for the first time since 1960 (42-0 win at No. 6 Northwestern).
• It is the first time in series history (that spans 100 games) that either team has posted consecutive shutouts.
• Iowa is the first team to shut out Wisconsin in consecutive seasons since Michigan had a four-year streak from 1977-80.
• Iowa is outscoring the Badgers, 67-0, in the last two meetings and 155-26 during the five-game winning streak.
• Iowa has two wins over ranked opponents this season (at Michigan, Wisconsin) – a first since 2021.
• The win is Ferentz's 34th victory all-time against an AP ranked opponent.
• The Hawkeyes are bowl eligible for the 14th consecutive season and for the 24th time in the last 26 seasons.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES
• QB Hank Brown finished 20-of-24 for 222 yards and two touchdowns – a 4-yarder to DJ Vonnahme in the first and a 4-yarder to Tony Diaz in the second quarter. They are his seventh and eighth TD passes this season.
• Brown started 7-of-8 for 90 yards and a touchdown in the first quarter and was 16-of-18 for 190 yards and two TDs in the first half – the most by a Hawkeye in the first half of a game since Nate Stanley (212 vs. Illinois) in 2019.
• His 83.3 completion percentage is the highest by any Iowa QB in a Big Ten game (min. 20 attempts) since at least 1995.
• He had three explosive completions of 45, 45 and 23 yards – his second game with three 20+ yard completions (at Michigan) this season. Brown has 10 completions of 20+ yards this season.
• WR Tony Diaz had four receptions (in five targets) for 75 yards and one touchdown – a 4-yarder in the second quarter.
• He also had a career-best 20-yard rush in the third quarter.
• TE DJ Vonnahme finished with five catches for 54 yards and one touchdown -- a 4-yarder in the first quarter. He also had a 2-yard rushing touchdown in the third quarter – his first career TD on the ground.
• The rushing touchdown was the first by a Hawkeye tight end since T.J. Hockenson (at Minnesota) in 2018.
• Vonnahme has three touchdown catches and four total TDs over his last three games.
• RB Xavier Williams paced the team with 20 carries for 78 yards. It is the second time this season he has led the team in rushing.
• LB Jayden Montgomery recovered a Wisconsin fumble in the second quarter. It was his first career fumble recovery.
• LB Cam Buffington finished with eight tackles, including 1.5 TFL and one sack. He has led the team in tackles in four games this season.
• DB Jacob Wallace recorded his second interception of the season in the fourth quarter.
• DB Zach Lutmer forced the first fumble of his career in the fourth quarter. Lutmer has now forced five career turnovers (four interceptions, one forced fumble).
• K Caden Buhr connected three field goals from 24, 28 and a career-long 54 yarder in the third quarter.
• He has made 11 straight field goals from under 50 yards (and his last two from 50+) and is 13-of-15 on the year.
• Buhr has made three field goals in a game twice this season.

MISCELLANEOUS
• Iowa is 21-3 since 2023 when reaching the 21-point mark first in the game.
• The Hawkeyes had a 34:37-to-23:39 advantage in time of possession.
• Iowa's defense limited the Badgers to 235 yards of total offense and nine first downs.
• The Hawkeyes have limited the Badgers to 261 or fewer yards in each of the last three meetings.
• Iowa held UW to 16 yards in the first quarter and 109 yards in the first half.
• The rush defense held Wisconsin to 52 yards on the ground – its fifth game holding the opponents to 100 or fewer yards this season.
• Wisconsin's rushing total is the fewest Iowa has allowed against the Badgers since 2022 (51 yards).
• Iowa's defense forced three turnovers – two fumbles and an interception. The Hawkeyes are 79-5 when winning the turnover battle under DC Phil Parker.
• Iowa's defense stopped the Badgers on fourth-and-goal from the 1 late in the second quarter, stopping Abu Sama III for a 1-yard loss for a turnover on downs.
• Iowa had a seven-play, 98-yard touchdown drive in the second quarter, tying a season long drive.
• Iowa had zero 98+ touchdown drives from 2018-25 and the team has one in consecutive weeks in 2026.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
9:08 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 24-yard FG (10 plays, 67 yards, 5:48)
1:02 - IOWA - DJ Vonnahme, 4-yard pass from Hank Brown (12 plays, 75 yards, 6:07)

Second Quarter
1:30 - IOWA - Tony Diaz, 4-yard pass from Hank Brown (7 plays, 98 yards, 2:52)
0:00 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 28-yard FG (4 plays, 7 yards, 0:45)

Third Quarter
7:54 - IOWA - DJ Vonnahme, 2-yard run (10 plays, 71 yards, 5:28)
2:16 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 54-yard FG (7 plays, 24 yards, 4:03)

TEAM STATS

WIS	TEAM STATS	IOWA
9	First Downs	20
24-52	Rushes-Yards	42-140
183	Passing Yards	222
13-27-1	Com-Att-Int	20-24-0
51-235	Total Offense	66-362
6-46.5	Punts-Avg.	3-44.0
2-2	Fumbles-Lost	3-1
8-70	Penalties-Yards	2-10
23:39	Possession Time	36:21

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
WIS: Abu Sama III 6-23; Darrion Dupree 5-22; Colton Joseph 7-6
IOWA: Xavier Williams 20-91; L.J. Phillips, Jr. 9-27; Tony Diaz 1-20

PASSING:
WIS: Colton Joseph 5-14, 90; Ryan Hopkins 8-13, 93, 1 INT
IOWA: Hank Brown 20-24, 222, 2 TD

RECEIVING:
WIS: Jaylon Domingeaux 6-86; Tyrell Henry 2-54; Chris Brooks, Jr., 2-25
IOWA: DJ Vonnahme 5-54, 1 TD; Reece Vander Zee 5-51; Tony Diaz 4-75, 1 TD

TACKLES:
WIS: Cooper Catalano 16; Mason Posa 13; Matt Jung 12
IOWA: Cam Buffington 8; Jayden Montgomery 6; Deshaun Lee 5

#21/20 IOWA (7-2, 4-2) at RV/#23 NORTHWESTERN (6-3, 3-3)

SATURDAY, NOV. 7, 2026 | RYAN FIELD

	1	2	3	4	FINAL
#21/20 Iowa	7	7	10	0	24
RV/#23 Northwestern	0	0	3	7	10

ATTENDANCE: 31,151
TEMPERATURE: 49 degrees
TIME OF GAME: 3:07

IOWA NOTES

• Iowa has won five straight in the series over Northwestern.
• The Hawkeyes handed the Wildcats their first loss in the new Ryan Field.
• Iowa has won 24 of its last 29 games in the month of November.
• Iowa improves to 3-1 on the road this season. It is the second straight year the team has won three road contests.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

• QB Hank Brown completed 16-of-21 attempts for 126 yards and one touchdown – a 24-yarder to Tony Diaz in the second quarter.
• Brown had a 21-yard touchdown rush in the first quarter – a career-long run. It was his second rushing TD this season and third of his career.
• Brown went 5-for-5 for 45 yards on the opening TD drive and 11-of-13 for 102 yards and a TD in the first half.
• RB L.J. Phillips, Jr., recorded his first 100-yard game as a Hawkeye, finishing with 21 carries for 128 yards. It is Phillips' 10th career 100-yard game.
• He had a 45-yard run in the first quarter – a season-long.
• Phillips is the fifth different Hawkeye running back (six 100-yard games) to rush for 100 yards this season. It is the first time in program history that the team has had five different 100-yard rushers.
• WR Tony Diaz had two receptions for 43 yards and one touchdown -- a 24-yarder in the second quarter.
• It was his second straight game with a TD reception and third overall TD catch this season.
• RB Braeden Jackson had a 96-yard kickoff return for a touchdown in the third quarter. It was his second KO return for a TD this season, becoming the fourth player in the nation with multiple kickoff return for TDs.
• The 96-yarder is the 13th-longest in program history.
• It is Iowa's fourth kickoff return for a touchdown since 2024.
• Jackson is the fifth player in program history with multiple kickoff return touchdowns joining Kaden Wetjen, Derrell Johnson-Koulianos, Ihmir Smith-Marsette and Kahlil Hill.
• He is the second to have multiple kickoff returns in a single season (Smith-Marsette, 2019).
• LB Cam Buffington finished with a team-high 12 tackles with eight solo stops and one TFL. It is his fourth double-digit tackle game this season.
• OL Michael Myslinski made his first career start.
• K Caden Buhr connected on a 52-yard field goal in the third quarter. He has made his last three field goals from 50+ yards.
• Buhr has made nine consecutive field goals dating back to Week 5 vs. Ohio State.
• He is 14-of-16 on field goals this season, including 3-of-5 from 50+.

MISCELLANEOUS

• Iowa opened the game with a seven-play, 75-yard touchdown drive. It was Iowa's first opening TD drive against a Power Conference opponent in nine regular season games.
• The Hawkeyes have had a 97+ yard touchdown drive in three straight games – 98-yard TD drive at Minnesota, 98-yard TD drive vs. Wisconsin, 97-yard TD drive at Northwestern.
• Iowa is the only FBS team since at least 2015 to have a 97+ yard TD drive in three straight games.
• The Hawkeyes had three 97+ yard drives from 2016-25 and three in 2026.
• Iowa's defense tied a season high, finishing with six sacks and eight total TFL. Six different Hawkeyes notched sacks.
• It is the first time since the 2024 season that Iowa had to alter its starting lineup on the offensive line. Center Cael Winter missed the game because of injury.
• Iowa is 22-3 since 2023 when reaching the 21-point mark first in the game.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Quarter
11:10 - IOWA - Hank Brown, 21-yard run (7 play, 75 yards, 3:50)

Second Quarter
13:25 - IOWA - Tony Diaz, 24-yard pass from Hank Brown (7 plays, 97 yards, 4:10)

Third Quarter
4:14 - NU - Jackson Kleather, 45-yard FG (8 plays, 33 yards, 4:03)
4:03 - IOWA - Braeden Jackson, 96-yard kickoff return (0:00)
1:08 - IOWA - Caden Buhr, 52-yard FG (4 plays, -1 yard, 1:13)

Fourth Quarter
1:51 - NU - Joseph Himon II, 2-yard pass from Nicco Marchiol (8 plays, 51 yards, 2:17)

TEAM STATS

IOWA	TEAM STATS	NU
14	First Downs	19
33-170	Rushes-Yards	37-105
126	Passing Yards	181
16-21-1	Com-Att-Int	24-32-0
54-296	Total Offense	69-286
3-40.3	Punts-Avg.	5-40.4
2-1	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
5-45	Penalties-Yards	3-20
28:13	Possession Time	31:47

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
IOWA: L.J. Phillips, Jr., 21-128; Hank Brown 3-18, 1 TD; Braeden Jackson 2-15
NU: Nicco Marchiol 23-52; Joseph Himon II 6-27; Caleb Komolafe 7-25

PASSING:
IOWA: Hank Brown 16-21, 126, 1 TD, 1 INT
NU: Nicco Marchiol 24-32, 181, 1 TD

RECEIVING:
IOWA: Reece Vander Zee 4-36; DJ Vonnahme 3-10; Tony Diaz 2-43, 1 TD
NU: Griffin Wilde 5-52; Luke Dehnicke 5-52; Hayden Eligon II 5-33

TACKLES:
IOWA: Cam Buffington 12; Jayden Montgomery 9; Jacob Wallace/Xavier Styles/Bryce Hawthorne 6
NU: Kobie McKinzie 9; Braydon Brus 7; Robert Fitzgerald 7

2026 IOWA FOOTBALL NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YRS.	HOMETOWN/HS/LAST SCHOOL
0	Jarriett Buie	WR	6-2	198	3rd	Tampa, Fla./Jesuit
0	Cody Haddad	DB	5-11	186	2nd	Cleveland, Ohio/St. Ignatius/Ohio State
1	KJ Parker	WR	5-10	191	3rd	Bellwood, Ill./Immaculate Conception
1	Darion Jones	DB	6-1	181	1st	Omaha, Neb./Omaha North
2	Reece Vander Zee	WR	6-4	220	3rd	Rock Rapids, Iowa/Central Lyon-GLR
2	Tyler Brown	DB	5-10	201	3rd	Annapolis, Md./Archbishop Spalding/James Madison
3	Jimmy Sullivan	QB	6-1	205	2nd	Fort Wayne, Ind./Carroll
3	Jaylen Watson	DB	5-11	187	3rd	Detroit, Mich./Toledo Central (OH)
4	Julian Manson	LB	6-3	225	1st	North Liberty, Iowa/Iowa City West
4	Tradon Bessinger	QB	6-5	213	1st	Kaysville, Utah/Davis
5	Nathan McNeil	RB	5-11	202	2nd	Tampa, Fla./Wiregrass Ranch
5	Anthony Hawkins	DB	6-3	202	3rd	Annapolis, Md./Broadneck/Villanova
6	Zach Lutmer	DB	6-1	203	4th	Rock Rapids, Iowa/Central Lyon-GLR
6	Xavier Stinson	WR	6-2	202	1st	Port St. Lucie, Fla./Vero Beach
7	Rashad Godfrey, Jr.	DB	6-1	202	3rd	Plant City, Fla./Armwood
7	Dayton Howard	WR	6-5	215	4th	Kansas City, Mo./Park Hill
8	Deshaun Lee	DB	5-10	189	5th	Belleville, Mich./Belleville
8	Evan James	WR	5-10	170	2nd	Apopka, Fla./Leesburg/Furman
9	Hank Brown	QB	6-4	218	4th	Nashville, Tenn./Lipscomb Academy/Auburn
9	Kasen Thomas	LB	6-2	230	1st	Sioux City, Iowa/Bishop Heelan
10	Burke Gautcher	LB	6-3	231	2nd	Sycamore, Ill./Sycamore
10	Jeremy Hecklinski	QB	5-11	201	3rd	Marietta, Ga./Walton/Wake Forest
11	Jacob Wallace	DB	5-10	186	2nd	Upper Marlboro, Md./DeMatha
11	Brody Schaffer	WR	6-1	195	1st	Winneconne, Wis./Winneconne
12	Billy Weivoda	LB	6-2	226	1st	Atlanta, Ga./Milton
12	Diondre Smith	WR	5-10	160	1st	Jacksonville, Fla./Duncan U. Fletcher
13	Drew Campbell	DE	6-4	252	3rd	Cedar Falls, Iowa/Cedar Falls
13	Brevin Doll	RB	6-0	213	3rd	Adel, Iowa/ADM
14	Alex Mota	DB	6-0	195	4th	Marion, Iowa/Marion
14	Tony Diaz	WR	5-10	184	2nd	San Marcus, Texas/San Marcus/UTRGV
15	Carson Cooney	LB	6-3	22	2nd	Oswego, Ill./Oswego
15	O'Lontae Dean	RB	6-0	212	2nd	Plant City, Fla./Armwood
16	Ryan Fitzgerald	QB	6-2	221	2nd	Northfield, Ill./Loyola Academy
16	Ronnie Hill	DB	5-11	192	1st	Eastpointe, Mich./Stevenson
17	Alex Eichmann	WR	6-2	210	5th	Sussex, Wis./Hamilton-Sussex
18	Xavier Styles	DB	6-1	207	3rd	Lakewood, Ohio/St. Edward/Robert Morris
18	Luke Brewer	TE	6-5	239	1st	Norwalk, Iowa/Norwalk
19	Kyler Gerardy	DB	6-0	199	3rd	Eldridge, Iowa/North Scott
19	Mason Woods	TE	6-2	230	2nd	Coralville, Iowa/Iowa City West
20	Ty Hudkins	DB	6-0	201	3rd	Grand Rapids, Mich./Forest Hills Central/Purdue
21	L.J. Phillips, Jr.	RB	5-8	211	4th	Wichita, Kan./Northwest/South Dakota
21	Marcello Vitti	DB	5-10	201	1st	Detroit, Mich./Divine Child
22	Braeden Jackson	RB	5-11	206	2nd	Ankeny, Iowa/Centennial
22	Derek Weisskopf	LB	6-3	233	3rd	Victor, Iowa/Williamsburg
23	Landyn Van Kekerix	LB	6-2	238	5th	Rock Valley, Iowa/Boyden Hull/Rock Valley
25	Eli Ozick	PK	5-11	199	4th	Liberty, Mo./Liberty/North Dakota State
26	Xavier Williams	RB	5-10	228	3rd	Schererville, Ind./Lake Central
26	Eli Robbins	DB	6-0	193	1st	Des Moines, Iowa/Norwalk
28	Kamari Moulton	RB	5-9	211	4th	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./Cardinal Gibbons
29	Noah Daniel	DB	6-0	197	1st	Fort Dodge, Iowa/Fort Dodge
30	Eli Kampman	DB	6-2	197	1st	Solon, Iowa/Solon
31	Nolan DeLong	LB	6-0	231	4th	Durant, Iowa/Durant
32	Sawyer Jezierski	DL	6-3	285	1st	Edina, Minn./Edina
33	Cam Buffington	LB	6-3	238	3rd	Winfield, Iowa/Winfield-Mt. Union
34	Drew MacPherson	DB	6-1	204	2nd	Glenview, Ill. /Loyola Academy
35	Tanner Philpott	P	6-1	210	3rd	Waukee, Iowa/Waukee Northwest/Simpson College
36	Jayden Montgomery	LB	5-11	227	5th	Suamico, Wis./Bay Port
37	Brayton Alford	LB	6-0	211	1st	Carroll, Iowa/Kuemper Catholic
40	Chima Chineke	DE	6-4	262	3rd	Plano, Texas/Plano East
42	David Fason	DL	6-0	268	1st	Marion, Iowa/Prairie
43	Kahmari Brown	DL	6-2	259	3rd	Jacksonville, N.C./White Oak/Elon
44	Kenneth Merrieweather	DL	6-3	270	4th	Detroit, Mich./M.L. King
45	Jack Janda	DL	6-5	250	1st	Livonia, Mich./Detroit Catholic Central
46	Preston Ries	LB	6-1	225	3rd	Monticello, Iowa/Monticello
47	Jack Laughlin	LB	6-1	225	4th	Carlisle, Iowa/Carlisle
48	Zach Ortwerth	TE	6-4	247	4th	St. Louis, Mo./St. Louis University
49	Boston Everitt	P	6-0	199	1st	Hope Island, Australia/Carey Baptist/Melbourne
50	Will Lockhart	DL	6-3	250	2nd	Denver, Iowa/Denver
51	Luke Gaffney	DL	6-2	288	5th	Robins, Iowa/Linn-Mar
52	Will Hahn	OL	6-1	294	2nd	Decorah, Iowa/Decorah
53	Michael Myslinski	OL	6-2	299	6th	Jacksonville, Fla./Bishop Kenny
54	Matty McLaughlin	LS	6-1	195	1st	St. Louis, Mo./De Smet Jesuit
56	Maddux Borcherding-Johnson	DL	6-3	299	4th	Norwalk, Iowa/Norwalk
57	Will Hubert	DL	6-3	291	5th	Omaha, Neb./Papillion-La Vista
58	Kade Pieper	OL	6-3	298	4th	Norfolk, Neb./Catholic
59	Trevor Lauck	OL	6-5	314	4th	Indianapolis, Ind./Roncalli
60	Lucas Allgeyer	OL	6-5	297	2nd	St. Louis, Mo./MICDS
61	Cael Winter	OL	6-3	294	4th	Waukee, Iowa/Northwest
63	Josh Janowski	OL	6-2	294	3rd	Frankfort, Ill./Lincoln Way East
64	Leighton Jones	OL	6-2	288	4th	Brownsburg, Ind./Brownsburg
65	Trent Wilson	OL	6-3	290	2nd	Southlake, Texas/Southlake Carroll/James Madison
68	Will Nolan	OL	6-6	313	3rd	Arlington Heights, Ill./Hersey
69	Ike Speltz	LS	6-0	233	3rd	Van Meter, Iowa/Van Meter
70	Hudson Parliament	OL	6-4	313	1st	Brandon, S.D./Brandon Valley
71	Jack Dotzler	OL	6-6	309	5th	Waunakee, Wis./Waunakee
72	Owen Linder	OL	6-6	294	1st	Chanhassen, Minn./Chanhassen
73	Colin Whitters	OL	6-3	329	1st	Iowa City, Iowa/Iowa City West
74	Bodey McCaslin	OL	6-6	303	3rd	St. Charles, Ill./East
75	Cannon Leonard	OL	6-8	309	4th	Gilman, Ill./Iroquois West
77	George Nahas	OL	6-3	295	4th	West Des Moines, Iowa/Dowling/Iowa State
78	Gene Riordan	OL	6-5	302	1st	Hinsdale, Ill./Hinsdale Central
79	Carson Nielsen	OL	6-7	311	1st	Waterloo, Iowa/Waterloo West
80	Michael Burt	TE	6-5	252	3rd	Omaha, Neb./Creighton Prep
81	DJ Vonnahme	TE	6-4	241	3rd	Breda, Iowa/Carroll Kuemper
82	Dylan Stecker	TE	6-4	233	2nd	Spirit Lake, Iowa/Spirit Lake
83	Jackson Naeve	WR	6-0	195	3rd	Iowa City, Iowa/Regina/Iowa Western CC
84	Joseph Anderson	DE	6-6	241	3rd	St. Louis, Mo./Westminster Christian Academy
84	Apollo Payne	WR	6-3	214	2nd	Swisher, Iowa/Prairie
85	Thomas Meyer	TE	6-4	248	2nd	Clear Lake, Iowa/Clear Lake
86	Eli Johnson	TE	6-5	250	2nd	River Falls, Wis./River Falls
87	Addison Ostrenga	TE	6-4	249	5th	Sun Prairie, Wis./Sun Prairie
88	Lance Beeghley	WR	6-2	197	3rd	New Braunfels, Texas/New Braunfels/SMU
88	Emmanuel Olagbaju	DL	6-2	314	4th	Osseo, Minn/Osseo/North Dakota
89	Isaiah Oliver	WR	5-11	199	1st	Clive, Iowa/Waukee Northwest
91	Devan Kennedy	DL	6-3	281	3rd	Glendale, Ariz./Brophy College Preparatory
92	Caden Buhr	K	5-10	203	2nd	Bettendorf, Iowa/Bettendorf
92	Brice Stevenson	DL	6-0	287	4th	Tampa, Fla./Berkeley Prep/Holy Cross
95	Lance Ingold	DL	6-5	251	3rd	Rochester, Ill./Rochester/Northern Illinois
96	Bryce Hawthorne	DL	6-3	298	4th	Osseo, Minn./Osseo/South Dakota State
97	Iose Epenesa	DL	6-3	269	2nd	Glen Carbon, Ill./Edwardsville
99	Brad Fitzgibbon	DL	6-3	288	2nd	Chicago, Ill./Marist

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NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YRS.	HOMETOWN/HS/LAST SCHOOL
37	Brayton Alford	LB	6-0	211	1st	Carroll, Iowa/Kuemper Catholic
60	Lucas Allgeyer	OL	6-5	297	2nd	St. Louis, Mo./MICDS
84	Joseph Anderson	DE	6-6	241	3rd	St. Louis, Mo./Westminster Christian Academy
88	Lance Beeghley	WR	6-2	197	3rd	New Braunfels, Texas/New Braunfels/SMU
4	Tradon Bessinger	QB	6-5	213	1st	Kaysville, Utah/Davis
56	Maddux Borcherding-Johnson	DL	6-3	299	4th	Norwalk, Iowa/Norwalk
18	Luke Brewer	TE	6-5	239	1st	Norwalk, Iowa/Norwalk
9	Hank Brown	QB	6-4	218	4th	Nashville, Tenn./Lipscomb Academy/Auburn
43	Kahmari Brown	DL	6-2	259	3rd	Jackonsville, N.C./White Oak/Elon
2	Tyler Brown	DB	5-10	201	3rd	Annapolis, Md./Archbishop Spalding/James Madison
33	Cam Buffington	LB	6-3	238	3rd	Winfield, Iowa/Winfield-Mt. Union
92	Caden Buhr	K	5-10	203	2nd	Bettendorf, Iowa/Bettendorf
0	Jarriett Buie	WR	6-2	198	3rd	Tampa, Fla./Jesuit
80	Michael Burt	TE	6-5	252	3rd	Omaha, Neb./Creighton Prep
13	Drew Campbell	DE	6-4	252	3rd	Cedar Falls, Iowa/Cedar Falls
40	Chima Chineke	DE	6-4	262	3rd	Plano, Texas/Plano East
15	Carson Cooney	LB	6-3	222	2nd	Oswego, Ill./Oswego
15	O'Lontae Dean	RB	6-0	212	2nd	Plant City, Fla./Armwood
31	Nolan DeLong	LB	6-0	231	4th	Durant, Iowa/Durant
14	Tony Diaz	WR	5-10	184	3rd	San Marcos, Texas/San Marcos/UTRGV
13	Brevin Doll	RB	6-0	213	3rd	Adel, Iowa/ADM
71	Jack Dotzler	OL	6-6	309	5th	Waunakee, Wis./Waunakee
17	Alex Eichmann	WR	6-2	210	5th	Sussex, Wis./Hamilton-Sussex
97	Iose Epenesa	DL	6-3	269	2nd	Glen Carbon, Ill./Edwardsville
49	Boston Everitt	P	6-0	199	1st	Hope Island, Australia/Carey Baptist/Melbourne
42	David Fason	DL	6-0	268	1st	Marion, Iowa/Prairie
16	Ryan Fitzgerald	QB	6-2	221	2nd	Northfield, Ill./Loyola Academy
99	Brad Fitzgibbon	DL	6-3	288	2nd	Chicago, Ill./Marist
51	Luke Gaffney	DL	6-2	288	5th	Robins, Iowa/Linn-Mar
10	Burke Gautcher	LB	6-3	231	2nd	Sycamore, Ill./Sycamore
19	Kyler Gerardy	DB	6-0	199	3rd	Eldridge, Iowa/North Scott
7	Rashad Godfrey, Jr.	DB	6-1	202	3rd	Plant City, Fla./Armwood
0	Cody Haddad	DB	5-11	186	2nd	Cleveland, Ohio/St. Ignatius/Ohio State
52	Will Hahn	OL	6-1	294	2nd	Decorah, Iowa/Decorah
5	Anthony Hawkins	DB	6-3	202	3rd	Annapolis, Md./Broadneck/Villanova
96	Bryce Hawthorne	DL	6-3	298	4th	Osseo, Minn./Osseo/South Dakota State
10	Jeremy Hecklinski	QB	5-11	201	3rd	Marietta, Ga./Walton/Wake Forest
16	Ronnie Hill	DB	5-11	192	1st	Eastpointe, Mich./Stevenson
7	Dayton Howard	WR	6-5	215	4th	Kansas City, Mo./Park Hill
57	Will Hubert	DL	6-3	291	5th	Omaha, Neb./Papillion-La Vista
20	Ty Hudkins	DB	6-0	201	3rd	Grand Rapids, Mich./Forest Hills Central/Purdue
95	Lance Ingold	DL	6-5	251	3rd	Rochester, Ill./Rochester/Northern Illinois
22	Braeden Jackson	RB	5-11	206	2nd	Ankeny, Iowa/Centennial
8	Evan James	WR	5-10	170	2nd	Apopka, Fla./Leesburg/Furman
45	Jack Janda	DL	6-5	272	1st	Livonia, Mich./Detroit Catholic Central
63	Josh Janowski	OL	6-2	294	3rd	Frankfort, Ill./Lincoln Way East
32	Sawyer Jezierski	DL	6-3	285	1st	Edina, Minn./Edina
86	Eli Johnson	TE	6-5	250	2nd	River Falls, Wis./River Falls
1	Darion Jones	DB	6-1	181	1st	Omaha, Neb./Omaha North
64	Leighton Jones	OL	6-2	288	4th	Brownsburg, Ind./Brownsburg
30	Eli Kampman	DB	6-2	197	1st	Solon, Iowa/Solon
91	Devan Kennedy	DL	6-3	281	3rd	Glendale, Ariz./Brophy College Prep
59	Trevor Lauck	OL	6-5	314	4th	Indianapolis, Ind./Roncalli
47	Jack Laughlin	LB	6-1	224	4th	Carlisle, Iowa/Carlisle
8	Deshaun Lee	DB	5-10	189	5th	Belleville, Mich./Belleville
75	Cannon Leonard	OL	6-8	309	4th	Gilman, Ill./Iroquois West
72	Owen Linder	OL	6-6	294	1st	Chanhassen, Minn./Chanhassen
50	Will Lockhart	DL	6-3	250	2nd	Denver, Iowa/Denver
6	Zach Lutmer	DB	6-1	203	4th	Rock Rapids, Iowa/Central Lyon-GLR
34	Drew MacPherson	DB	6-1	204	2nd	Glenview, Ill./Loyola Academy
4	Julian Manson	LB	6-3	225	1st	North Liberty, Iowa/Iowa City West
74	Bodey McCaslin	OL	6-6	303	3rd	St. Charles, Ill./East
5	Nathan McNeil	RB	5-11	202	2nd	Tampa, Fla./Wiregrass Ranch
44	Kenneth Merrieweather	DL	6-3	270	4th	Detroit, Mich./M.L. King
85	Thomas Meyer	TE	6-4	248	2nd	Clear Lake, Iowa/Clear Lake
36	Jayden Montgomery	LB	5-11	227	5th	Suamico, Wis./Bay Port
14	Alex Mota	DB	6-0	195	4th	Marion, Iowa/Marion
28	Kamari Moulton	RB	5-9	211	4th	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./Cardinal Gibbons
53	Michael Myslinski	OL	6-2	299	6th	Jacksonville, Fla./Bishop Kenny
83	Jackson Naeve	WR	6-0	195	3rd	Iowa City, Iowa/Regina/Iowa Western CC
77	George Nahas	OL	6-3	295	4th	West Des Moines, Iowa/Dowling/Iowa State
79	Carson Nielsen	OL	6-7	311	1st	Waterloo, Iowa/Waterloo West
68	Will Nolan	OL	6-6	313	3rd	Arlington Heights, Ill./Hersey
88	Emmanuel Olagbaju	DL	6-2	314	4th	Osseo, Minn./Osseo
89	Isaiah Oliver	WR	5-11	199	1st	Clive, Iowa/Waukee Northwest
48	Zach Ortwerth	TE	6-4	247	Jr.	St. Louis, Mo./St. Louis University
87	Addison Ostrenga	TE	6-4	249	5th	Sun Prairie, Wis./Sun Prairie
25	Eli Ozick	PK	5-11	199	4th	Liberty, Mo./Liberty/North Dakota State
1	KJ Parker	WR	5-10	191	3rd	Bellwood, Ill./Immaculate Conception
70	Hudson Parliament	OL	6-4	313	1st	Brandon, S.D./Brandon Valley
84	Apollo Payne	WR	6-3	214	2nd	Swisher, Iowa/Prairie
21	Lendon Phillips, Jr.	RB	5-8	211	4th	Wichita, Kan./Northwest/South Dakota
35	Tanner Philpott	P	6-1	210	3rd	Waukee, Iowa/Waukee Northwest/Simpson College
58	Kade Pieper	OL	6-3	298	4th	Norfolk, Neb./Catholic
46	Preston Ries	LB	6-1	226	3rd	Monticello, Iowa/Monticello
78	Gene Riordan	OL	6-5	302	1st	Hinsdale, Ill./Hinsdale Central
26	Eli Robbins	DB	6-0	193	1st	Des Moines, Iowa/Norwalk
12	Diondre Smith	WR	5-10	160	1st	Jacksonville, Fla/Duncan U. Fletcher
69	Ike Speltz	LS	6-0	233	3rd	Van Meter, Iowa/Van Meter
82	Dylan Stecker	TE	6-4	233	2nd	Spirit Lake, Iowa/Spirit Lake
92	Brice Stevenson	DL	6-0	287	4th	Tampa, Fla./Berkeley Prep/Holy Cross
6	Xavier Stinson	WR	6-2	202	1st	Port St. Lucie, Fla./Vero Beach
18	Xavier Styles	DB	6-1	207	3rd	Lakewood, Ohio/St. Edward/Robert Morris
3	Jimmy Sullivan	QB	6-1	205	2nd	Fort Wayne, Ind./Carroll
9	Kasen Thomas	LB	6-2	230	1st	Sioux City, Iowa/Bishop Heelan
23	Landyn Van Kekerix	LB	6-2	238	5th	Rock Valley, Iowa/Boyden Hull/Rock Valley
2	Reece Vander Zee	WR	6-4	220	3rd	Rock Rapids, Iowa/Central Lyon-GLR
21	Marcello Vitti	DB	5-10	201	1st	Detroit, Mich./Divine Child
81	DJ Vonnahme	TE	6-4	241	3rd	Breda, Iowa/Carroll Kuemper
11	Jacob Wallace	DB	5-10	186	2nd	Upper Marlboro, Md./DeMatha
3	Jaylen Watson	DB	5-11	187	3rd	Detroit, Mich./Toledo Central (OH)
22	Derek Weisskopf	LB	6-3	233	3rd	Victor, Iowa/Williamsburg
12	Billy Weivoda	LB	6-2	226	1st	Atlanta, Ga./Milton
26	Xavier Williams	RB	5-10	228	3rd	Schererville, Ind./Lake Central
65	Trent Wilson	OL	6-3	290	2nd	Southlake, Texas/Southlake Central/James Madison
61	Cael Winter	OL	6-3	294	4th	Waukee, Iowa/Northwest
19	Mason Woods	TE	6-2	230	2nd	Coralville, Iowa/Iowa City West

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_____ Head Coach Kirk **Ferentz** _____ FAIR-ints
60 ___ Lucas **Allgeyer** _____ All-GUY-er
88 ___ Lance **Beeghley** _____ BEE-glee
_____ Wide Receivers Coach Jon **Budmayr** _____ bud-MY-ur
92 ___ Caden **Buhr** _____ Boo-er
84 ___ **Jarriett Buie** _____ JAIR-ee-it BUOY
40 ___ **Chima Chineke** _____ CHE-mah CHIN-eh-keh
71 ___ Jack **Dotzler** _____ DOAT-zler
97 ___ Iose **Epenesa** _____ Yo-say EP-uh-NESS-uh

32 ___ Sawyer Jezierski _____ Jah-ZIR-SKI
65 ___ Trevor Lauck _____ Iowk
6 ___ Zach **Lutmer** _____ LUT-mur
53 ___ Michael **Myslinski** _____ miss-LIN-ski
83 ___ Jackson **Naeve** _____ Nave
88 ___ Emmanuel Olagbaju _____ oh-lahg-bah-joo
87 ___ Addison **Ostrenga** _____ uh-STRAIN-guh
25 ___ Eli Ozick _____ Oh-Zick
58 ___ Kade **Pieper** _____ PEEP-ur

_____ Special Teams Coordinator Chris **Polizzi** ___ Po-Lee-Zee
46 ___ Preston **Ries** _____ REECE
78 ___ Gene Riordan _____ REAR-din
97 ___ Ike **Speltz** _____ SPELTZ
23 ___ Landyn **Van Kekerix** _____ van KECK-ur-x
21 ___ Marcello **Vitti** _____ Mar-CHELL-Oh VEE-tee
81 ___ DJ **Vonnahme** _____ Voh-NAH-me
22 ___ Derek **Weisskopf** _____ WISE-koff
12 ___ Billy **Weivoda** _____ Why-VOH-dah

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OFFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Yrs.	Hometown (Previous School)
WR	2	Reece Vander Zee	6-4	220	3rd	Rock Rapids, Iowa (Central Lyon-GLR)
	0	Jarriett Buie	6-1	203	3rd	Tampa, Fla. (Jesuit)
TE	81	DJ Vonnahme	6-4	241	3rd	Breda, Iowa (Kuemper Catholic)
OR	87	Addison Ostrenga	6-4	249	5th	Sun Prairie, Wis. (Sun Prairie)
LT	59	Trevor Lauck	6-5	314	4th	Indianapolis, Ind. (Roncalli)
	74	Bodey McCaslin	6-6	299	3rd	St. Charles, Ill. (East)
LG	64	Leighton Jones	6-2	288	4th	Brownsburg, Ind. (Brownsburg)
	52	Will Hahn	6-1	294	2nd	Decorah, Iowa (Decorah)
C	53	Michael Myslinski	6-2	290	6th	Jacksonville, Fla. (Bishop Kenny)
	63	Josh Janowski	6-2	294	3rd	Frankfort, Ill. (Lincoln Way East)
RG	58	Kade Pieper	6-3	298	4th	Norfolk, Neb. (Catholic)
	68	Will Nolan	6-6	313	3rd	Arlington Heights, Ill. (Hersey)
RT	71	Jack Dotzler	6-6	309	5th	Waunakee, Wis. (Waunakee)
	78	Gene Riordan	6-5	302	1st	Hinsdale, Ill. (Hinsdale Central)
WR	8	Evan James	5-11	170	2nd	Apopka, Fla. (Leesburg/Furman)
	1	KJ Parker	5-10	184	3rd	Bellwood, Ill. (Immaculate Conception)
WR	14	Tony Diaz	5-10	184	3rd	San Marcos, Texas (San Marcos/UTRGV)
	7	Dayton Howard	6-5	215	4th	Kansas City, Mo. (Park Hill)
QB	9	Hank Brown	6-4	218	4th	Nashville, Tenn. (Lipscomb Academy/Auburn)
OR	10	Jeremy Hecklinski	5-11	201	3rd	Marietta, Ga. (Walton/Wake Forest)
	3	Jimmy Sullivan	6-1	197	2nd	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Carroll)
RB	21	LJ Phillips, Jr.	5-8	211	4th	Wichita, Kan. (Northwest/South Dakota)
OR	26	Xavier Williams	5-10	225	3rd	Schererville, Ind. (Lake Central)
	5	Nathan McNeil	5-11	202	2nd	Tampa, Fla. (Wiregrass Ranch)
OR	22	Braeden Jackson	5-11	206	2nd	Ankeny, Iowa (Centennial)

DEFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Previous School)
LE	44	Kenny Merrieweather	6-3	270	4th	Detroit, Mich. (M.L. King)
	43	Kahmari Brown	6-2	259	3rd	Jacksonville, N.C. (White Oak/Elon)
LT	57	Will Hubert	6-3	291	5th	Omaha, Neb. (Papillion-La Vista)
	91	Devan Kennedy	6-3	275	3rd	Glendale, Ariz. (Brophy College Prep)
RT	96	Bryce Hawthorne	6-3	298	4th	Osseo, Minn. (Osseo/South Dakota State)
	51	Luke Gaffney	6-2	285	5th	Robins, Iowa (Linn-Mar)
RE	97	Iose Epenesa	6-3	269	2nd	Glen Carbon, Ill. (Edwardsville)
	13	Drew Campbell	6-4	252	3rd	Cedar Falls, Iowa (Cedar Falls)
Cash	11	Jacob Wallace	5-10	186	2nd	Upper Marlboro, Md. (DeMatha)
	3	Jaylen Watson	5-11	187	3rd	Detroit, Mich. (Toledo Central)
Leo	23	Landyn Van Kekerix	6-2	238	5th	Rock Valley, Iowa (Boyden Hull/Rock Valley)
	22	Derek Weisskopf	6-3	235	3rd	Victor, Iowa (Williamsburg)
MLB	33	Cam Buffington	6-3	238	3rd	Winfield, Iowa (Winfield-Mt. Union)
	31	Nolan DeLong	6-0	233	4th	Durant, Iowa (Durant)
WLB	36	Jayden Montgomery	5-11	227	5th	Suamico, Wis. (Bay Port)
	46	Preston Ries	6-1	225	3rd	Monticello, Iowa (Monticello)
LC	3	Jaylen Watson	5-11	187	3rd	Detroit, Mich. (Toledo Central)
	7	Rashad Godfrey, Jr.	6-1	202	3rd	Plant City, Fla. (Armwood)
SS	18	Xavier Styles	6-1	207	3rd	Lakewood, Ohio (St. Edward/Robert Morris)
	5	Anthony Hawkins	6-3	202	3rd	Annapolis, Md. (Broadneck/Villanova)
FS	6	Zach Lutmer	6-1	203	4th	Rock Rapids, Iowa (Central Lyon-GLR)
	20	Ty Hudkins	6-0	194	3rd	Grand Rapids, Mich. (Forest Hills Central/Purdue)
RC	8	Deshaun Lee	5-10	189	5th	Belleville, Mich. (Belleville)
	11	Jacob Wallace	5-10	186	2nd	Upper Marlboro, Md. (DeMatha)

SPECIALISTS

PK	92	Caden Buhr	5-10	203	2nd	Bettendorf, Iowa (Bettendorf)
	25	Eli Ozick	5-11	199	4th	Liberty, Mo. (Liberty/North Dakota State)
PT	49	Boston Everitt	6-0	199	1st	Hope Island, Australia (Carey Baptist/Melbourne)
	35	Tanner Philpott	6-2	200	3rd	Waukee, Iowa (Waukee Northwest/Simpson College)
LS	69	Ike Speltz	6-0	235	3rd	Van Meter, Iowa (Van Meter)
	54	Matty McLaughlin	6-1	195	1st	St. Louis, Mo. (De Smet Jesuit)
Holder	35	Tanner Philpott	6-2	200	3rd	Waukee, Iowa (Waukee Northwest/Simpson College)
	49	Boston Everitt	6-0	199	1st	Hope Island, Australia (Carey Baptist/Melbourne)
KR	22	Braeden Jackson	5-11	206	2nd	Ankeny, Iowa (Centennial)
	26	Xavier Williams	5-10	225	3rd	Schererville, Ind. (Lake Central)
PR	8	Evan James	5-11	170	2nd	Apopka, Fla. (Leesburg/Furman)
	2	Reece Vander Zee	6-4	220	3rd	Rock Rapids, Iowa (Central Lyon-GLR)

DEPTH CHART NOTES: Positions listed with OR are ordered numerically. The starting defensive lineup will vary based on formation and personnel packages.