



GAME 4 **vs. Southern**
• February 21 - 2 p.m. CT
Alex Box Stadium, Skip Bertman Field

Southern Jaguars (3-0) at #1 LSU Tigers (3-0)

DATE/TIME/ONLINE

• Tuesday, Feb. 21 at 2 p.m. CT (SEC Network +)

RADIO

LSU Sports Network; live audio at www.LSUsports.net/live; live stats at www.LSUstats.com

RANKINGS

- LSU – No. 1 in all college baseball polls
- Southern - unranked

SERIES RECORD VS. SOUTHERN

LSU leads the all-time series vs. Southern, 58-3, as the squads first met in 1970 ... the Tigers defeated the Jaguars twice last season by scores of 9-2 and 15-0 in Alex Box Stadium ... LSU had won 14 consecutive games over Southern before the Jaguars posted a 7-2 win over the Tigers on April 9, 2019, at SU's Lee-Hines Field ... the Jaguars' other all-times wins over LSU came on May 3, 2005 – a 9-5 Southern triumph in Alex Box Stadium – and on March 6, 2001, an 11-6 victory at "The Box." ... LSU is 52-2 all-time against Southern in games played at Alex Box Stadium.

PITCHING MATCHUP

LSU – So. RH Thatcher Hurd (at UCLA in 2022: 2-0, 1.06 ERA, 34.0 IP, 10 BB, 48 SO)
SU – TBA

ABOUT THE TIGERS

- LSU opened the 2023 season with a weekend series sweep of Western Michigan, outscoring the Broncos, 24-5 ... the Tigers play host to Southern on Tuesday before traveling to Round Rock, Texas, to compete in the Karbach Round Rock Classic this weekend at Dell Diamond, the home of the Texas Rangers' Triple-A affiliate, the Round Rock Express.
- Junior right-hander **Paul Skenes**, making his debut in an LSU uniform, worked six shutout frames on Friday to defeat Western Michigan, allowing just three hits with one walk and 12 strikeouts .. the 12 Ks represented the most by an LSU pitcher since April 15, 2021, when Landon Marceaux recorded 12 strikeouts versus South Carolina ... Skenes' effort also marked the most strikeouts by an LSU pitcher in a season opener since Scott Schultz fanned 12 Lamar batters in 1995 in the Winn-Dixie Showdown at the Louisiana Superdome.
- Graduate second baseman **Gavin Dugas** led LSU to a season-opening series sweep of Western Michigan over the weekend as he batted .750 (6-for-8) with two homers, two RBI, three runs, a .778 on-base percentage and 1.500 slugging percentage ... batting at the top of the order in Games 2 and 3, Dugas opened the bottom of the first inning on Saturday with LSU's first homer of the year, giving the Tigers an early lead they would not relinquish in a 5-3 victory ... on Sunday, Dugas was 3-for-3 at the plate with a homer and two runs scored; his homer led off the LSU sixth inning and extended the Tigers' lead to 6-1 in an eventual 9-2 win.
- True freshman designated hitter **Jared Jones** enjoyed a spectacular LSU debut in the Tigers' weekend sweep of Western Michigan, batting .500 (4-for-8) with two doubles, three RBI, four runs scored and a .750 slugging percentage ... Jones also walked three times and posted a .636 on-base percentage in the series ... his two-run double in Friday's 10-0 LSU win highlighted a five-run sixth inning, expanding the Tigers' lead to 8-0 ... Jones provided an RBI single in the first inning on Saturday to increase LSU's lead to 2-0 in an eventual 5-3 victory.
- The LSU pitching staff limited Western Michigan to a .105 (9-for-86) cumulative batting average in the weekend series. ... junior left-hander **Riley Cooper**, making his second career LSU start on Saturday versus Western Michigan, did not allow a hit in 5.1 scoreless innings, and he logged two walks and seven strikeouts while throwing 71 pitches to secure the victory.

Schedule/Results

Overall: 3-0 • SEC: 0-0

H: 3-0 • A: 0-0 • N: 0-0

FEBRUARY

17 (Fri.)	WESTERN MICHIGAN	W, 10-0	SECN+
18 (Sat.)	WESTERN MICHIGAN	W, 5-3	SECN+
19 (Sun.)	WESTERN MICHIGAN	W, 9-2	SECN+
21 (Tue.)	SOUTHERN	2 p.m.	SECN+
24 (Fri.)	Kansas State #	2 p.m.	D1 BSB
25 (Sat.)	Iowa #	12 p.m.	D1 BSB
26 (Sun.)	Sam Houston #	4 p.m.	D1 BSB
28 (Tue.)	at Texas	6:30 p.m.	LHN

MARCH

3 (Fri.)	BUTLER	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
4 (Sat.)	CENTRAL CONNECTICUT	1:30 p.m.	SECN+
5 (Sun.)	CENTRAL CONNECTICUT	1 p.m.	SECN+
6 (Mon.)	BUTLER	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
8 (Wed.)	LAMAR	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
10 (Fri.)	SAMFORD	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
11 (Sat.)	SAMFORD	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
12 (Sun.)	SAMFORD	1 p.m.	SECN+
14 (Tue.)	NEW ORLEANS	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
17 (Fri.)	at Texas A&M	6 p.m.	SECN
18 (Sat.)	at Texas A&M	2 p.m.	SECN+
19 (Sun.)	at Texas A&M	1 p.m.	SECN+
21 (Tue.)	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
24 (Fri.)	ARKANSAS	7 p.m.	ESPN2
25 (Sat.)	ARKANSAS	1 p.m.	SECN
26 (Sun.)	ARKANSAS	12 p.m.	ESPN2
28 (Tue.)	GRAMBLING	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
30 (Thu.)	TENNESSEE	7 p.m.	ESPN
31 (Fri.)	TENNESSEE	6 p.m.	SECN

APRIL

1 (Sat.)	TENNESSEE	1 p.m.	SECN+
4 (Tue.)	NICHOLLS	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
6 (Thu.)	at South Carolina	6 p.m.	SECN+
7 (Fri.)	at South Carolina	6 p.m.	SECN+
8 (Sat.)	at South Carolina	11 a.m.	SECN
11 (Tue.)	at Tulane	6 p.m.	ESPN+
13 (Thu.)	KENTUCKY	6 p.m.	SECN
14 (Fri.)	KENTUCKY	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
15 (Sat.)	KENTUCKY	1 p.m.	SECN+
18 (Tue.)	UL LAFAYETTE	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
21 (Fri.)	at Ole Miss	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
22 (Sat.)	at Ole Miss	2 p.m.	ESPN2
23 (Sun.)	at Ole Miss	1:30 p.m.	SECN+
25 (Tue.)	NICHOLLS	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
28 (Fri.)	ALABAMA	6 p.m.	SECN
29 (Sat.)	ALABAMA	6 p.m.	SECN+
30 (Sun.)	ALABAMA	1 p.m.	SECN+

MAY

2 (Tue.)	at Southeastern La.	6:30 p.m.	ESPN+
5 (Fri.)	at Auburn	6 p.m.	SECN+
6 (Sat.)	at Auburn	8 p.m.	SECN
7 (Sun.)	at Auburn	1 p.m.	SECN+
9 (Tue.)	NORTHWESTERN STATE	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
12 (Fri.)	MISSISSIPPI STATE	7:30 p.m.	SECN
13 (Sat.)	MISSISSIPPI STATE	6 p.m.	SECN+
14 (Sun.)	MISSISSIPPI STATE	1 p.m.	SECN+
16 (Tue.)	McNEESE	6:30 p.m.	SECN+
18 (Thu.)	at Georgia	5 p.m.	SECN+
19 (Fri.)	at Georgia	5 p.m.	SECN+
20 (Sat.)	at Georgia	12 p.m.	SECN+
23-28	SEC Tournament	Hoover, Ala.	

JUNE

2-5	NCAA Regional	Sites TBA
9-11/10-12	NCAA Super Regional	Sites TBA
16-25/26	College World Series	Omaha, Neb.

- Karbach Round Rock Classic @ Dell Diamond (Round Rock, Texas)

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LSU Baseball History

All-Time Record: 2,727-1,690-29
(.616 – beginning in 1893)

All-Time SEC Record: 1,015-812-9
(.555 – beginning in 1933)

National Championships: 6
(1991-93-96-97-2000-09)

NCAA Regional Appearances: 34
(1975-85-86-87-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-2000-01-02-03-04-05-08-09-10-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-21-22)

NCAA Regional Championships: 25
(1986-87-89-90-91-93-94-96-97-98-99-2000-01-02-03-04-08-09-12-13-15-16-17-19-21)

NCAA Super Regional Appearances: 15
(1999-2000-01-02-03-04-08-09-12-13-15-16-17-19-21)

Super Regional Championships: 8
(2000-03-04-08-09-13-15-17)

College World Series Appearances: 18
(1986-87-89-90-91-93-94-96-97-98-2000-03-04-08-09-13-15-17)

National Runners-Up Finishes: 1 (2017)

NCAA Tournament Record: 163-70 (.700)
105-27 in regionals, 18-16 in super regionals, 40-27 in CWS)

SEC Championships: 17
(1939-43-46-61-75-86-90-91-92-93-96-97-2003-09-12-15-17)

SEC Tournament Appearances: 36
(1979-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-2000-01-02-03-04-05-06-08-09-10-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-21-22)

SEC Tournament Record: 89-47 (.654)

SEC Tournament Championships: 12
(1986-90-92-93-94-2000-08-09-10-13-14-17)

LSU Coach Jay Johnson

Career Head Coaching Record 360-194 (.650 in 11 seasons)

at LSU:	43-22 (.662, two seasons)
at Arizona:	208-114 (.646, six seasons)
at Nevada:	72-42 (.632, two seasons)
at Point Loma Nazarene:	37-16 (.698, one season)

Personal

Birthdate:	April 20, 1977
Hometown:	Oroville, Calif.
Education:	B.S. (2001) in physical education from Point Loma Nazarene M.S. in physical education from Azusa Pacific
Wife:	Maureen

Coaching Awards

2021	Pac-12 Conference Coach of the Year
2015	Mountain West Conference Coach of the Year

- Sophomore left-hander **Nate Ackenhausen** entered Saturday's game in the sixth inning, and he pitched the final 3.1 innings to earn the save ... Ackenhausen limited the Broncos to one run on one hit in 3.1 innings with one walk and two strikeouts ... junior right-hander **Ty Floyd** entered Sunday's game at the start of the fifth inning with the score tied 1-1, and he fired three perfect innings with no walks and four strikeouts to earn the win.

- LSU collected four doubles, two triples and four homers in the weekend series versus Western Michigan and outhit the Broncos, 26-9 ... outfielder **Brayden Jobert** was 3-for-8 with two doubles; centerfielder **Dylan Crews** was 3-for-9 with one homer, two RBI and four runs; shortstop **Jordan Thompson** homered and drove in a team-high four runs; infielder **Ben Nippolt** also contributed four RBI; catcher **Brady Neal** was 3-for-5 with one triple, two RBI and three runs.

- **LSU has now won 22 consecutive season-opening games;** the Tigers' last loss in a season opener occurred on February 10, 2001, when LSU dropped a 9-8 decision to Kansas State in the original Alex Box Stadium.

- **LSU's 10-0 shutout of Western Michigan** on Friday marked the Tigers' first shutout since March 13, 2022, when they recorded a 15-0 blanking of Bethune-Cookman in Alex Box Stadium, Skip Bertman Field.

- **The Tigers hit three home runs on Sunday** versus Western Michigan, marking LSU's first three-homer game since June 4, 2022, versus Southern Miss in the NCAA Hattiesburg Regional.

- **LSU homered twice on Sunday in the fifth inning,** marking the Tigers' first two-homer inning since May 19, 2022, at Vanderbilt.

LSU Starting Pitcher vs. Southern

Thatcher Hurd, RH

6-4, 214, R-R, So., Tr.

Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Mira Costa HS/UCLA)

Major: Sport Administration

At UCLA (2022)

Made nine appearances – including six starts – in 2022 as a true freshman at UCLA, posting a 2-0 record with a 1.06 ERA, 10 walks and 48 strikeouts in 34 innings while limiting opponents to a .138 batting average ... had 23 strikeouts in 10 innings over two outings against Omaha and Long Beach State in the first two starts of his career ... posted a season-high 12 strikeouts in five innings against Long Beach State on March 1, as he and fellow pitcher Ethan Flanagan teamed up for a 19-strikeout one-hitter ... On March 8, Hurd was named the Perfect Game/Rawlings National Pitcher of the Week and NCBWA National Co-Pitcher of the Week after a standout pair of outings against Long Beach State and Oklahoma (combined: 6.2 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 15 K) ... allowed one earned run or fewer in all nine of his appearances in 2022 ... named to the UCLA Director's Honor Roll for fall and spring quarters.

High School

The nation's ninth-ranked pitcher and the No. 1 pitcher in the state of California as a senior at Mira Costa High School in Manhattan Beach, Calif. ... was the top-ranked pitcher in California and the No. 4 overall prospect in the state ... ranked nationally as the No. 9 right-handed pitcher and No. 32 overall prospect ... two-time Preseason All-American ... named to the Top Prospect Team at the 2020 Perfect Game National Showcase ... played for the San Francisco Giants scout team in the 2020 WWBA World Championship ... participated in the 2020 Area Code Games and in the Under Armour All-American Game.

Personal

Donated the money he received through LSU's NIL program to the Baton Rouge Food Bank in February 2023 ... Hurd's donation provided 30,000 pound of food for the food bank.



LSU RANKED NO. 1 IN 2023 PRESEASON POLLS

LSU was ranked No 1 in each of the college baseball preseason polls. The top ranking represents LSU's first appearance at No. 1 in a preseason poll since 2019.

LSU returns six position players that started in a significant number of the Tigers' 62 games last season, including junior centerfielder **Dylan Crews**, a 2023 preseason All-American, the 2022 SEC Co-Player of the Year and a consensus first-team All-American last season.

Crews is joined by several other accomplished veterans like junior first baseman/preseason All-American **Tre' Morgan**, senior outfielder/infielder **Gavin Dugas**, junior shortstop **Jordan Thompson**, junior outfielder/DH **Brayden Jobert** and sophomore outfielder **Josh Pearson**.

Other position players with starting experience include junior catchers **Alex Milazzo** and **Hayden Travinski**, senior first baseman/DH **Cade Beloso**, sophomore outfielder **Josh Stevenson** and senior infielder **Jack Merrifield**.

The veterans are joined by several talented newcomers, including impact transfers like utility player/pitcher/preseason All-American **Paul Skenes** (Air Force), infielder/preseason All-American **Tommy White** (North Carolina State) and infielder **Ben Nippolt** (Virginia Commonwealth).

A group of skilled LSU true freshmen features infielder **Gavin Guidry**, outfielders **Paxton Kling**, **Mic Paul** and **Zeb Ruddell**, and catchers **Brady Neal**, **Jared Jones** and **Ethan Frey**.

The Tigers' pitching staff boasts eight hurlers that recorded innings last season, including junior right-handers **Ty Floyd**, **Blake Money**, **Bryce Collins**, **Will Hellmers** and **Garrett Edwards**, junior left-hander **Riley Cooper**, and sophomore right-hander **Sam Dutton**. Sophomore Left-hander **Javen Coleman**, who underwent Tommy John surgery last spring, has a chance to be back on the mound later this season.

High-profile transfers like right-handers **Thatcher Hurd** (UCLA) and **Christian Little** (Vanderbilt) are projected to make an immediate impact upon the staff.

The staff features a gifted crew of true freshmen pitchers that includes left-handers **Griffin Herring**, **Nic Bronzini** and **DJ Primeaux**, and right-handers **Chase Shores**, **Micah Bucknam** and **Aiden Moffett**. JUCO transfer left-hander **Nate Ackenhausen** will bolster the staff out of the bullpen.

FOUR TIGERS EARN 2023 PRESEASON ALL-SEC HONORS IN A VOTE OF THE LEAGUE COACHES

LSU junior centerfielder **Dylan Crews** and sophomore third baseman **Tommy White** voted to the First-Team All-SEC squad, and junior first baseman **Tre' Morgan** and junior right-handed pitcher/utility player **Paul Skenes** were granted Second-Team All-SEC honors.

Dylan Crews

Crews was voted a 2022 consensus First-Team All-American and the SEC Co-Player of the Year, batting .349 with 11 doubles, four triples, 22 homers, 72 RBI and 73 runs. The Tigers' centerfielder was named a semifinalist last season for the Golden Spikes Award and for the Dick Howser National Player of the Year Award.

He finished the season as the SEC leader in runs scored (73), and he was No. 2 in the league in triples (4), No. 3 in RBI (72), No. 3 in total bases (172), No. 4 in home runs (22), No. 4 in slugging percentage (.691), No. 5 in hits (87), No. 5 in on-base percentage (.463) and No. 8 in walks (42).

Crews, a Longwood, Fla., native, also received 2022 SEC Community Service Team and SEC All-Defensive Team recognition. He played this summer with the U.S. Collegiate National Team, helping lead Team USA to a bronze medal at Honkbalweek Haarlem in the Netherlands.

Tommy White

White, a product of St. Pete Beach, Fla., transferred to LSU after an incredible 2022 freshman season at North Carolina State, where he was named the Atlantic Coast Conference Freshman of the Year.

White hit .362 last season with 85 hits, 12 doubles, 27 home runs, 74 RBIs and a .757 slugging percentage, setting the NCAA freshman record for homers in a season. He had 26 multi-hit games and 19 multi-RBI outings, and he finished the year on 26-game reached base streak.

Tre' Morgan

Morgan, a 2022 SEC All-Defensive Team selection, hit .324 in 2022 with 18 doubles, one triple, five homers, 54 RBI and 50 runs. The New Orleans, La., native joined Crews this summer as a member of the U.S. Collegiate National Team that claimed the bronze medal at Honkbalweek Haarlem in the Netherlands.

Morgan batted .500 (6-for-12) in the Tigers' three-game sweep at Vanderbilt (May 19-21) with four doubles, three RBI and five runs, and he delivered the game-winning two-out, two-run single in the top of the ninth inning at Mississippi State (April 8), erasing a 2-1 deficit and sparking LSU to a 5-2 victory.

As a true freshman in 2021, Morgan earned Freshman All-America, Second-Team All-SEC and SEC All-Defensive Team recognition.

Paul Skenes

Skenes, who transferred to LSU this season after two years at Air Force, enjoyed an exceptional 2022 season both on the mound and at the plate, earning first-team All-America recognition.

Skenes, a product of Lake Forest, Calif., recorded a 10-3 record, a 2.96 ERA and 96 strikeouts in 85.2 innings (15 starts) for Air Force, limiting opponents to a .224 batting average. He also hit .314 with 10 doubles, 13 homers and 38 RBI. In 2021, Skenes posted a 2.70 ERA while batting .410 with 11 homers and 43 RBI.

THREE LSU PLAYERS RANKED AMONG THE 2023 PERFECT GAME TOP 100 COLLEGE SOPHOMORES

Three LSU baseball players were ranked among the 2023 Top 100 Sophomores by Perfect Game. LSU third baseman **Tommy White** is No. 2 on the list; right-handed pitcher **Thatcher Hurd** is No. 6; and right-handed pitcher **Grant Taylor** is No. 12. Taylor has since suffered an elbow injury and will not pitch for the Tigers this season.

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SIX TIGERS LISTED AMONG PERFECT GAME 2023 TOP 100 FRESHMEN

Six LSU baseball players have been named to the 2023 Perfect Game Top 100 Freshmen list.

The freshmen Tigers appearing on the list include catchers **Brady Neal** and **Jared Jones**, right-handed pitchers **Chase Shores** and **Jaden Noot**, outfielder **Paxton Kling** and infielder **Gavin Guidry**. Noot will not pitch this season due to an arm injury.

- **Neal**, a product of Tallahassee, Fla., played at IMG Academy, and he was selected in the 17th round of the 2022 MLB Draft by the Milwaukee Brewers. He was ranked as the nation's No. 2 catcher and No. 29 overall prospect by Perfect Game.
- **Jones**, a product of Walton High School in Marietta, Ga., was ranked nationally as Perfect Game's No. 4 catcher and No. 47 overall prospect.
- **Shores**, who played at Midland (Texas) Lee High School, was ranked as the nation's No. 5 right-handed pitcher and No. 23 overall prospect by Perfect Game.
- **Kling**, a member of 2021 18U USA National Team, is a product of Central High School in Roaring Springs, Pa., where he was ranked nationally as Perfect Game's No. 6 overall prospect.
- **Guidry**, a shortstop at Barbe High in Lake Charles, La., was the No. 1 ranked player in Louisiana by Perfect Game. Guidry, also a member of the 2021 18U Team USA National Team, was rated as the nation's No. 13 shortstop and No. 65 overall prospect.

SEVEN TIGERS RANKED AMONG 2023 TOP 150 JUNIORS BY PERFECT GAME

LSU centerfielder **Dylan Crews** is No. 1 on the list; right-handed pitcher **Paul Skenes** is No. 8; first baseman **Tre' Morgan** is No. 16; right-handed pitcher **Christian Little** is No. 61; right-handed pitcher **Ty Floyd** is No. 88; right-handed pitcher **Blake Money** is No. 119; and shortstop **Jordan Thompson** is No. 128.

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- **Floyd**, a native of Rockmart, Ga., made 16 appearances (10 starts) in 2022, recording a 5-4 mark and a 3.77 ERA in 59.2 innings with 23 walks and 70 strikeouts while limiting opponents to a .199 cumulative batting average. The two-time member of the SEC Academic Honor Roll made his second career league start on May 20 at Vanderbilt, and he defeated the Commodores by working 5.1 innings and allowing just one run on four hits with no walks and seven strikeouts.
- **Little**, a native of St. Louis, Mo., has pitched the past two seasons at Vanderbilt, where he made 32 appearances (14 starts) and posted a 4.65 ERA with 95 strikeouts in 81.1 innings. Little was rated in high school as the nation's No. 5 right-handed pitcher by Perfect Game.
- **Money**, a product of Spring Hill, Tenn., has appeared in 31 games (14 starts) for the Tigers over the past two seasons, recording 88 strikeouts in 89 career innings. Money was voted to the 2022 SEC Academic Honor Roll and the 2021 SEC First-Year Academic Honor Roll as a mass communication major.
- **Thompson**, entering his third season in 2023 as LSU's starting shortstop, batted .286 (63-for-220) in 2022 with 14 doubles, six homers, 36 RBI and 54 runs scored. He hit .349 (22-for-63) on the year with runners in scoring position, and he batted .294 (5-for-17) in the NCAA Hattiesburg Regional with two doubles, five RBI and one run scored. Thompson, a product of Chula Vista, Calif., was voted to the 2021 NCAA Eugene Regional All-Tournament Team after hitting .333 (6-for-18) in LSU's drive to the regional title with two doubles and two RBI. He also received Freshman All-SEC recognition in 2021, and he was twice named the league's Freshman of the Week.

DUGAS TO WEAR ESTEEMED JERSEY NO. 8 IN 2023 SEASON

LSU graduate infielder/outfielder **Gavin Dugas** will wear jersey No. 8 for the second consecutive season. The No. 8 jersey is given each season to the upperclassman who exemplifies the spirit of LSU Baseball through his leadership and dedication to the program.

The No. 8 tradition was started by outfielder Mikie Mahtook (2009-11) and has since been continued by first baseman Mason Katz (2012-13), shortstop Alex Bregman (2014-15), outfielder Jake Fraley (2016), second baseman Cole Freeman (2017), outfielder Antoine Duplantis (2018-19), outfielder Daniel Cabrera (2020) and pitcher Matthew Beck (2021).

- Dugas received his LSU degree in sport administration in the spring of 2022. Though hampered by a thumb injury for much of the 2023 season, Dugas played in 39 games (33 starts), batting .306 (33-for-108) with eight doubles, five homers, 25 RBI and 26 runs. He batted .438 (14-for-32) on the year with runners in scoring position and finished No. 5 in the SEC in hit-by-pitch (15).
- He blasted a solo homer in the bottom of the eighth inning of the championship game of the 2022 NCAA Hattiesburg Regional versus Southern Miss, tying the contest at 7-7. He missed four straight SEC series from early April to early May due to the thumb injury but returned to action in the Alabama series on May 7 and 8; started the May 8 game at DH in the leadoff position and reached base five times in six plate appearances with two hits, including a double, three walks and one run scored.
- Dugas, a native of Houma, La., led the SEC in RBI in 2021 with 66, and he was No. 3 in the league in home runs (19), No. 5 in slugging percentage (.641) and No. 8 in total bases (141).
- Dugas, a three-time member of the SEC Academic Honor Roll, batted .295 (65-for-220) in 2021 with 13 doubles, three triples and 54 runs scored. He was voted the Most Valuable Player of the NCAA Eugene Regional, hitting .438 (7-for-16) with one double, two triples, three home runs, six RBI and seven runs scored. He was 2-for-3 with two homers, three RBI and three runs scored in the regional title game win over Oregon.



The Last Time Individual

- [LSU player hit a grand slam – May 21, 2022, by Brayden Jobert at Vanderbilt](#)
- [LSU player hit an inside-the-park home run – June 5, 2016, by Greg Deichmann vs. Rice](#)
- [LSU player hit a walk-off homer - May 1, 2022, by Cade Doughty vs. Georgia](#)
- [LSU player hit two HR in a game – May 21 2022, by Brayden Jobert at Vanderbilt](#)
- [LSU player hit three HR in a game – May 16, 2009, by Leon Landry at Miss. State](#)
- [LSU player hit three doubles in a game – March 27, 2021, by Tre' Morgan at Tennessee](#)
- [LSU player hit for the cycle – April 6, 2010, by Mikie Mahtook vs. Alcorn State](#)
- [LSU player had five hits in game – May 26, 2022, by Josh Pearson vs. Kentucky](#)
- [LSU player had six hits in a game – March 17, 2017, by Antoine Duplantis vs. Georgia](#)
- [LSU player had five RBI in a game – May 10, 2022, by Tre' Morgan vs. Southeastern La.](#)
- [LSU player had six RBI in a game – March 13, 2021, by Cade Doughty vs. UTSA](#)
- [LSU player had seven RBI in a game – March 29, 2022, by Brayden Jobert vs. UL Monroe](#)
- [LSU player had eight RBI in a game – May 13, 2014, by Alex Bregman and by Tyler Moore vs. Northwestern State](#)
- [LSU player had nine RBI in a game – May 21, 2022, by Brayden Jobert at Vanderbilt](#)
- [LSU pitcher threw a 7-inning no-hitter – February 18, 2017, by Jared Poche' vs. Army](#)
- [LSU pitcher threw a 7-inning CG shutout – May 25, 2017, by Alex Lange vs. Kentucky](#)
- [LSU pitcher threw an 8-inning complete game - May 25, 2021 by Landon Marceaux vs. Georgia \(LSU was the visiting team in the SEC Tournament game\)](#)
- [LSU pitcher threw a 9-inning no-hitter – May 4, 1962, by Fred Southerland vs. Tulane](#)
- [LSU pitcher threw a 9-inning CG shutout – April 24, 2018, by AJ Labas vs. Lamar](#)
- [LSU pitcher threw a 9-inning complete game - April 23, 2021, by AJ Labas at Ole Miss](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 10 Ks in a game – February 18, 2022, by Blake Money vs. Maine](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 11 Ks in a game – May 6, 2021, by Landon Marceaux at Auburn](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 12 Ks in a game – Feb. 17, 2023, by Paul Skenes vs. Western Michigan](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 13 Ks in a game – March 2, 2018, by Zack Hess vs. Toledo](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 14 Ks in a game – May 30, 2009, by Anthony Ranaudo vs. Baylor](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 15 Ks in a game – April 24, 2009, by Anthony Ranaudo vs. Auburn](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 16 Ks in a game – April 2, 1999, by Kurt Ainsworth at Tennessee](#)
- [LSU pitcher recorded 17 Ks in a game – March 10, 1995, by Scott Schultz vs. Maine](#)

Team

- [LSU hit eight home runs in a game - May 30, 1998, vs. Southern California @ College World Series \(Danny Higgins, Trey McClure, Eddy Furniss, Brad Cresse \(2\), Clint Earnhart, Wes Davis, Cedrick Harris\)](#)
- [LSU hit seven home runs in a game - March 7, 2009, vs. Illinois \(Leon Landry \(2\), Nicholas Pontiff, Micah Gibbs, Sean Ochinko, Grant Dozar, Tyler Hanover\)](#)
- [LSU hit six home runs in a game - March 14, 2021, vs. UTSA \(Dylan Crews, Cade Doughty, Mitchell Sanford, Jordan Thompson, Hayden Travinski, Zach Arnold\)](#)
- [LSU hit five home runs in a game - May 19, 2022, at Vanderbilt \(Cade Doughty - 2, Jordan Thompson, Dylan Crews, Brayden Jobert\)](#)
- [LSU hit four home runs in a game - May 21, 2022, at Vanderbilt \(Brayden Jobert - 2, Tyler McManus, Dylan Crews\)](#)
- [LSU hit three home runs in a game – Feb. 19, 2023, vs. Western Michigan \(Dylan Crews, Jordan Thompson, Gavin Dugas\)](#)
- [LSU hit four home runs in one inning – April 29, 2009, vs. Tulane \(Blake Dean and Ryan Schimpf hit two each\)](#)
- [LSU hit three home runs in one inning – May 21, 2021, at Texas A&M \(Gavin Dugas, Zach Arnold and Drew Bianco in fourth inning\)](#)
- [LSU hit two home runs in one inning – Feb. 19, 2023, vs. Western Michigan \(Dylan Crews and Jordan Thompson in fifth inning\)](#)
- [LSU hit back-to-back home runs – May 17, 2022, vs. Northwestern State \(Hayden Travinski and Brayden Jobert in sixth inning\)](#)
- [LSU hit three home runs in three straight at-bats – May 5, 2019, vs. Ole Miss \(Antoine Duplantis, Cade Beloso, Josh Smith\)](#)
- [LSU pitching staff combined for 20 strikeouts in a game - March 23, 2022, vs. La. Tech](#)
- [LSU pitching staff combined for 19 strikeouts in a game - March 13, 2021, vs. UTSA](#)
- [LSU pitching staff combined for 18 strikeouts in a game - April 5, 2022, vs. Grambling](#)
- [LSU pitching staff combined for 17 strikeouts in a game - May 22, 2019, vs. Miss. State](#)
- [LSU pitching staff combined for 16 strikeouts in a game - February 17, 2023, vs. Western Michigan](#)
- [LSU pitching staff combined for 15 strikeouts in a game - April 9, 2022, at Miss. State](#)
- [LSU pitching staff combined for a shutout - February 17, 2023, vs. Western Michigan](#)
- [LSU recorded a walk-off win – June 4, 2022, at Southern Miss in NCAA Hattiesburg Regional \(Josh Pearson fielder's choice grounder in bottom of 10th inning\)](#)

2023 Player Honors

3 Dylan Crews • Jr. • OF

- [First-Team Preseason All-American](#)
- [Golden Spikes Award Watch List](#)
- [First-Team Preseason All-SEC](#)

18 Tre' Morgan • Jr. • 1B

- [Second-Team Preseason All-American](#)
- [Golden Spikes Award Watch List](#)
- [Second-Team Preseason All-SEC](#)

20 Paul Skenes • Jr. • RHP

- [Collegiate Baseball National Player of the Week \(Feb. 20\)](#)
- [SEC Pitcher of the Week \(Feb. 20\)](#)
- [First-Team Preseason All-American](#)
- [Golden Spikes Award Watch List](#)
- [Second-Team Preseason All-SEC](#)

47 Tommy White • So. • INF

- [First-Team Preseason All-American](#)
- [Golden Spikes Award Watch List](#)
- [First-Team Preseason All-SEC](#)

2023 SEC Preseason Coaches Poll

Eastern Division

1. Tennessee (12) – 90
2. Florida (2) – 79
3. Vanderbilt – 64
4. South Carolina – 51
5. Georgia – 48
6. Kentucky – 34
7. Missouri – 19

Western Division

1. **LSU (12) – 88**
2. Texas A&M (1) – 69
3. Arkansas – 68
4. Ole Miss (1) – 64
5. Alabama – 34
6. Auburn – 33
7. Mississippi State – 29

() – First place votes

SEC Champion: LSU (11), Florida (1), Ole Miss (1), Texas A&M (1)

LSU Quick Facts

School: [Louisiana State University \(LSU\)](#)
Location: [Baton Rouge, La.](#)
Founded: 1860
Enrollment: 35,914
Nickname: [Fighting Tigers](#)
Colors: [Purple and Gold](#)
Conference: [Southeastern \(Western Division\)](#)
President: [Dr. William Tate IV \(Northern Illinois, 1982\)](#)
Faculty Representative: [Dr. Lori Martin \(Fordham, 1996\)](#)
Director of Athletics: [Scott Woodward \(LSU, 1985\)](#)
Athletics Department Phone: (225) 578-8001
Athletics Web Site: [www.LSUsports.net](#)

Facility Information

Home Stadium: [Alex Box Stadium, Skip Bertman Field](#)
Capacity: 10,326
Opening: [February 20, 2009](#)
Surface: [Grass \(artificial turf in foul territories\)](#)
Dimensions: LF-330; LC-365; CF-405; RC-365; RF-330
Press Box Phone: (225) 578-4149





2023 LSU Baseball
Overall Statistics for LSU (as of Feb 19, 2023)
(All games Sorted by Batting avg)



Record: 3-0 Home: 3-0 Away: 0-0 SEC: 0-0

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
8 Gavin Dugas	.750	3-2	8	3	6	0	0	2	2	12	1.500	1	0	0	0	.778	0	0	0-0	4	4	0	1.000
22 Jared Jones	.500	3-3	8	4	4	2	0	0	3	6	.750	3	0	1	0	.636	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
6 Brayden Jobert	.375	3-2	8	1	3	2	0	0	0	5	.625	1	0	2	0	.444	0	0	0-1	2	0	0	1.000
3 Dylan Crews	.333	3-3	9	4	3	0	0	1	2	6	.667	3	0	2	2	.500	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
4 Jordan Thompson	.300	3-3	10	3	3	0	0	1	4	6	.600	1	1	3	0	.417	0	0	1-2	2	7	0	1.000
28 Paxton Kling	.111	3-3	9	2	1	0	1	0	1	3	.333	0	1	3	0	.200	0	0	0-0	3	0	0	1.000
18 Tre' Morgan	.000	3-3	8	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	2	1	2	0	.250	1	0	0-0	20	3	0	1.000
5 Ben Nippolt	.000	3-3	7	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	.000	1	0	0	0	.100	2	0	0-0	5	2	0	1.000

47 Tommy White	1.000	1-1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
16 Brady Neal	.600	3-3	5	3	3	0	1	0	2	5	1.000	4	0	1	0	.700	1	0	0-0	25	1	0	1.000
33 Ethan Frey	.500	2-0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	.500	0	0	0	0	.500	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
11 Josh Pearson	.200	3-1	5	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	.200	2	0	1	0	.429	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
7 Alex Milazzo	.000	3-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0	0-0	12	0	0	1.000
1 Gavin Guidry	.000	2-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	2	0	1.000
24 Cade Beloso	.000	1-0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	1	0	0	.500	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
25 Hayden Travinski	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
23 Josh Stevenson	.000	3-0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
53 Jack Merrifield	.000	2-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
13 Mic Paul	.000	2-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	.295	3	88	24	26	4	2	4	23	46	.523	18	4	16	4	.421	4	0	1-3	81	22	0	1.000
Opponents	.105	3	86	5	9	2	0	2	5	17	.198	7	2	35	3	.189	0	1	0-0	72	26	2	.980

LOB - Team (18), Opp (10). DPs turned - Team (3), Opp (5). IBB - Team (1), Neal 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
20 Paul Skenes	0.00	1-0	1	1	0	0/1	0	6.0	3	0	0	1	12	1	0	0	.143	0	0	0	0	0
38 Riley Cooper	0.00	1-0	1	1	0	0/0	0	5.1	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	1
9 Ty Floyd	0.00	1-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	3.0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
30 Nate Ackenhausen	2.70	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	1	3.1	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	.100	0	0	0	0	0
34 Chase Shores	2.70	0-0	1	1	0	0/0	0	3.1	2	1	1	2	2	1	0	0	.182	0	1	0	0	0

99 Christian Little	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/1	0	2.0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
29 Micah Bucknam	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/1	0	1.0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
17 Sam Dutton	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
44 Blake Money	4.50	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	2.0	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	1	.143	0	0	0	0	0
21 Bryce Collins	54.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	.667	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	1.67	3-0	3	3	0	1/1	1	27.0	9	5	5	7	35	2	0	2	.105	0	2	0	0	1
Opponents	8.62	0-3	3	3	0	0/0	0	24.0	26	24	23	18	16	4	2	4	.295	2	4	1	4	0

PB - Team (0), Opp (1).



**2023 LSU Baseball
Overall Statistics for LSU (as of Feb 19, 2023)
(All games Sorted by Fielding pct)**



Player	c	po	a	e	fld%	dp	sba	csb	sba%	pb	ci
16 Brady Neal	26	25	1	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
18 Tre' Morgan	23	20	3	0	1.000	3	0	0	---	0	0
7 Alex Milazzo	12	12	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
4 Jordan Thompson	9	2	7	0	1.000	3	0	0	---	0	0
8 Gavin Dugas	8	4	4	0	1.000	1	0	0	---	0	0
5 Ben Nippolt	7	5	2	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
1 Gavin Guidry	4	2	2	0	1.000	1	0	0	---	0	0
34 Chase Shores	3	1	2	0	1.000	1	0	0	---	0	0
28 Paxton Kling	3	3	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
6 Brayden Jobert	2	2	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
99 Christian Little	1	0	1	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
44 Blake Money	1	1	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
3 Dylan Crews	1	1	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
11 Josh Pearson	1	1	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
20 Paul Skenes	1	1	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
30 Nate Ackenhausen	1	1	0	0	1.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
53 Jack Merrifield	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
22 Jared Jones	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
33 Ethan Frey	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
9 Ty Floyd	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
17 Sam Dutton	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
13 Mic Paul	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
38 Riley Cooper	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
21 Bryce Collins	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
29 Micah Bucknam	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
23 Josh Stevenson	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
24 Cade Beloso	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
25 Hayden Travinski	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
47 Tommy White	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	---	0	0
Totals	103	81	22	0	1.000	3	0	0	---	0	0
Opponents	100	72	26	2	.980	5	1	2	.333	1	0



**2023 LSU Baseball
Game Results for LSU (as of Feb 19, 2023)
(All games)**



Date	Opponent		Score	Inns	Overall	SEC	Pitcher of record	Attend	Time
Feb 17, 2023	WESTERN MICHIGAN	w	10-0	9	1-0-0	0-0-0	Skenes (W 1-0)	10683	2:35
Feb 18, 2023	WESTERN MICHIGAN	w	5-3	9	2-0-0	0-0-0	Cooper (W 1-0)	10312	2:20
Feb 19, 2023	WESTERN MICHIGAN	w	9-2	9	3-0-0	0-0-0	Floyd (W 1-0)	10403	2:50

() extra inning game



2023 LSU Baseball
Games Summary for LSU (as of Feb 19, 2023)
(All games)



Score by innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
LSU	4	2	0	2	5	6	2	3	0	24
Opponents	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	5

Record when ...

Overall	3-0	After 6 leading	3-0
Conference	0-0	..... trailing	0-0
Non-Conference	3-0	..... tied	0-0
Home games	3-0	After 7 leading	3-0
Away games	0-0	..... trailing	0-0
Neutral site	0-0	..... tied	0-0
Day games	3-0	After 8 leading	3-0
Night games	0-0	..... trailing	0-0
vs Left starter	1-0	..... tied	0-0
vs Right starter	2-0		
1-Run games	0-0	Hit 0 home runs	1-0
2-Run games	1-0	... 1 home run	1-0
5+Run games	2-0	... 2+ home runs	1-0
Extra innings	0-0		
Shutouts	1-0	Opponent 0 home runs	1-0
		..... 1 home run	2-0
Scoring 0-2 runs	0-0	..... 2+ HRs	0-0
..... 3-5 runs	1-0		
..... 6-9 runs	1-0	Made 0 errors	3-0
..... 10+ runs	1-0	... 1 error	0-0
		... 2+ errors	0-0
Opponent 0-2 runs	2-0		
..... 3-5 runs	1-0	Opp. made 0 errors	2-0
..... 6-9 runs	0-0	..... 1 error	0-0
..... 10+ runs	0-0	..... 2+ errors	1-0
Scored in 1st inning	2-0	Out-hit opponent	3-0
Opp. scored in 1st	0-0	Out-hit by opponent	0-0
Scores first	3-0	Hits are tied	0-0
Opp. scores first	0-0		

Record when team scores:

Runs	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
W-L	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-0

Record when opponent scores:

Runs	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
W-L	1-0	0-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

Record when leading after:

Inn.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
W-L	2-0	3-0	3-0	2-0	3-0	3-0	3-0	3-0

Record when trailing after:

Inn.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
W-L	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

Record when tied after:

Inn.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
W-L	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

Current winning streak: 3
 Longest winning streak: 3
 Longest losing streak: 0

Home attendance : 31398 (3 dates avg = 10466)

Away attendance : 0 (0 dates avg = 0)

Total attendance: 31398 (3 dates avg = 10466)

2023 LSU Baseball
Team Game-by-Game for LSU (as of Feb 19, 2023)
Batting (All games)

Date	Opponent	ab	r	h	rbi	2b	3b	hr	tb	bb	ibb	sb	cs	hbp	sac	sf	gdp	k	po	a	e	lob	avg
Feb 17	WESTERN MICHIGAN	27	10	9	9	1	1	0	12	5	0	1	0	2	0	3	2	5	27	8	0	3	.333
Feb 18	WESTERN MICHIGAN	30	5	7	5	1	1	1	13	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	27	7	0	7	.281
Feb 19	WESTERN MICHIGAN	31	9	10	9	2	0	3	21	7	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	3	27	7	0	8	.295
Totals		88	24	26	23	4	2	4	46	18	1	1	2	4	0	4	4	16	81	22	0	18	.295

2023 LSU Baseball
Team Game-by-Game for LSU (as of Feb 19, 2023)
Pitching (All games)

Date	Opponent	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	wp	bk	hbp	dp	ibb	score	w-l	sv	era
Feb 17	WESTERN MICHIGAN	9.0	3	0	0	2	16	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	10-0	1-0	0	0.00
Feb 18	WESTERN MICHIGAN	9.0	3	3	3	3	9	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	5-3	2-0	1	1.50
Feb 19	WESTERN MICHIGAN	9.0	3	2	2	2	10	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	9-2	3-0	1	1.67
Totals		27.0	9	5	5	7	35	2	0	2	0	0	2	3	0	24-5	3-0	1	1.67

2023 LSU Baseball Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	B-T	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown (High School/Previous School)
0	Jason Bollman	RHP	R-R	6-2	185	Sr.	RS	Peoria, Ill. (Dunlap HS/Wabash Valley CC)
1	Gavin Guidry	INF	R-R	6-2	173	Fr.	HS	Lake Charles, La. (Barbe HS)
3	Dylan Crews	OF	R-R	6-0	205	Jr.	2L	Longwood, Fla. (Lake Mary HS)
4	Jordan Thompson	INF	R-R	6-1	185	Jr.	2L	Chula Vista, Calif. (Helix HS)
5	Ben Nippolt	INF	L-R	5-11	173	Jr.	Tr.	St. Paul, Minn. (Mounds Park HS/Des Moines CC/VCU)
6	Brayden Jobert	OF	L-R	6-2	209	Jr.	1L	Slidell, La. (Northshore HS/Nicholls/Delgado CC)
7	Alex Milazzo	C	R-R	5-11	185	Jr.	3L	Zachary, La. (Zachary HS)
8	Gavin Dugas	INF/OF	R-R	5-10	205	Gr.	4L	Houma, La. (Houma Christian HS)
9	Ty Floyd	RHP	R-R	6-2	200	Jr.	2L	Rockmart, Ga. (Rockmart HS)
11	Josh Pearson	OF	L-R	5-10	190	So.	1L	West Monroe, La. (West Monroe HS)
13	Mic Paul	OF	L-L	5-10	180	Fr.	HS	Salt Lake City, Utah (Olympus HS)
14	Nic Bronzini	LHP	L-L	6-3	245	Fr.	HS	San Ramon, Calif. (California HS)
16	Brady Neal	C	L-R	5-10	185	Fr.	HS	Tallahassee, Fla. (IMG Academy)
17	Sam Dutton	RHP	R-R	5-11	195	So.	1L	Southside, Ala. (Westbrook Christian HS)
18	Tre' Morgan	1B	L-L	6-1	215	Jr.	2L	New Orleans, La. (Brother Martin HS)
20	Paul Skenes	RHP/UTL	R-R	6-6	247	Jr.	Tr.	Lake Forest, Calif. (El Toro HS/Air Force)
21	Bryce Collins	RHP	R-R	6-1	200	Jr.	1L	Valencia, Calif. (Hart HS/Arizona)
22	Jared Jones	C/1B	R-R	6-4	230	Fr.	HS	Marietta, Ga. (Walton HS)
23	Josh Stevenson	OF	L-L	6-1	195	So.	1L	Youngsville, La. (St. Thomas More HS)
24	Cade Beloso	1B	L-L	6-0	230	Gr.	4L	New Orleans, La. (John Curtis HS)
25	Hayden Travinski	C	R-R	6-3	235	Jr.	3L	Shreveport, La. (Airline HS)
26	Thatcher Hurd	RHP	R-R	6-4	214	So.	Tr.	Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Mira Costa HS/UCLA)
27	Jaden Noot	RHP	R-R	6-4	225	Fr.	HS	Oak Park, Calif. (Sierra Canyon HS)
28	Paxton Kling	OF	R-R	6-2	205	Fr.	HS	Roaring Springs, Pa. (Central HS)
29	Micah Bucknam	RHP	R-R	6-2	195	Fr.	HS	Abbotsford, British Columbia (Mennonite Institute)
30	Nate Ackenhausen	LHP	L-L	6-2	240	So.	JC	Owasso, Okla. (Owasso HS/Eastern Oklahoma State)
32	Aiden Moffett	RHP	R-R	6-3	235	Fr.	HS	Mount Olive, Miss. (Taylorsville HS)
33	Ethan Frey	C/1B	R-R	6-5	215	Fr.	HS	Rosepine, La. (Rosepine HS)
34	Chase Shores	RHP	R-R	6-8	245	Fr.	HS	Midland, Texas (Lee HS)
35	Griffin Herring	LHP	R-L	6-2	195	Fr.	HS	Southlake, Texas (Southlake Carroll HS)
38	Riley Cooper	LHP	L-L	6-2	270	Jr.	1L	Fresno, Calif. (Clovis North HS/Arizona)
39	Zeb Ruddell	OF	L-L	6-1	186	Fr.	HS	Monroe, La. (Neville HS)
41	DJ Primeaux	LHP	L-L	5-10	195	Fr.	HS	Baton Rouge, La. (Central HS)
43	Garrett Edwards	RHP	R-R	6-5	218	Jr.	2L	Pitkin, La. (Pitkin HS)
44	Blake Money	RHP	R-R	6-7	240	Jr.	2L	Spring Hill, Tenn. (Summit HS)
45	Kaleb Applebey	RHP	R-R	6-7	245	So.	JC	Mount Carmel, Ill. (Mount Carmel HS/Wabash Valley CC)
47	Tommy White	3B	R-R	6-0	236	So.	Tr.	St. Pete Beach, Fla. (IMG Academy/North Carolina State)
48	Will Hellmers	RHP	R-R	6-4	215	Jr.	2L	Metairie, La. (Jesuit HS)
49	Javen Coleman	LHP	L-L	6-2	205	So.	1L	Richmond, Texas (Home Schooled)
50	Grant Taylor	RHP	R-R	6-3	230	So.	1L	Florence, Ala. (Florence HS)
53	Jack Merrifield	INF	R-R	6-2	195	Sr.	1L	Prairieville, La. (Dutchtown HS/LSU-Eunice)
99	Christian Little	RHP	R-R	6-4	225	Jr.	Tr.	St. Louis, Mo. (Christian Brothers College/Vanderbilt)

Baseball Staff

2	Jay Johnson, Head Coach
46	Wes Johnson, Pitching Coach
37	Josh Jordan, Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator
58	Marc Wanaka, Assistant Coach
	Josh Simpson, Director of Operations

Jamie Tutko, Director of Player Development/Video & Scouting
Derek Groomer, Strength & Conditioning Coach
Josh Walker, Athletic Trainer
Matthew Montgomery, Equipment Manager/Stadium Manager
Drew Finley, Undergraduate Manager

Pronunciation Guide

Nate Ackenhausen	ACK-in-howz-in
Kaleb Applebey	Apple-bee
Cade Beloso	buh-LO-so
Javen Coleman	JAY-ven
Gavin Dugas	DOO-gahss
Ethan Frey	FRY
Gavin Guidry	GIH-dree
Brayden Jobert	JOE-bear

Alex Milazzo	muh-LAH-zo
Ben Nippolt	nih-POLT
Mic Paul	MICK
DJ Primeaux	PREE-mo
Zeb Ruddell	RUDDLE (rhymes with "huddle")
Paul Skenes	SKEENS
Marc Wanaka	WAHN-uh-kuh