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SPARTAN ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown/Previous School
1	Caleb Simmons	G	6-6	205	JR	Vallejo, Calif. (Desert Vista HS)
2	Jalen Dalcourt	G	6-2	170	JR	Lafayette, La. (Lafayette HS/Iowa Western CC)
4	Sebastian Mendoza	G	6-3	195	FR	Riverside, Calif. (Hillcrest HS)
5	Hugo Clarkin	C	7-0	200	FR	Las Flores, Calif. (JSerra Catholic HS)
10	Omari Moore	G	6-6	190	SO	Pasadena, Calif. (Middlebrooks Academy)
11	Richard Washington	G	6-6	200	SR	Newport News, Va. (Walsingham Academy)
12	Eduardo Lane	F/C	6-11	240	SR	Aquidauana, Brazil (Campinas HS/Marshalltown CC)
13	Seneca Knight	G	6-7	215	JR	Lafayette, La. (Northside HS)
21	Kaison Hammonds	G	6-4	180	JR	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Thunderridge HS)
22	Nate Lacewell	F	6-9	195	FR	Missouri City, Texas (Legacy HS)
24	Michael Ofoegbu	F	6-7	205	FR	Lakewood, Calif. (Golden State Prep)
35	Ralph Agee	F	6-8	235	SR	Victorville, Calif. (Silverado HS/East Los Angeles College)
40	Chase Courtney	F	6-10	230	FR	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Golden State Prep)
44	Trey Smith	G	6-3	195	JR	Cypress, Calif. (Saddleback Valley Christian HS)
50	Harminder Dhaliwal	C	6-10	235	SO	Laguna Niguel, Calif. (Aliso Niguel HS)

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SUNBIRDS ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/Previous School
0	Ky Dirks	G	R-So.	6-0	161	Carson, Calif./Price High School
1	Alex Villi	G	Fr.	6-5	190	Fresno, Calif./Clovis West High School
2	Raine McKeython	G	Sr.	6-2	184	Washington, D.C./Stetson University
3	A.J. Kirby	G	R-Sr.	6-4	180	Carson, Calif./Bishop Montgomery High School
4	Aamondae Coleman	W	Sr.	6-6	208	Las Vegas, Nev./Desert Oasis High School
5	Nate Kendricks	G	Jr.	6-1	175	Fresno, Calif./Immanuel High School
10	DJ Searcy	F	Jr.	6-5	220	Fresno, Calif./Allan Hancock Community College
11	Alex Ferguson	W	Jr.	6-8	190	Edinburgh, Scotland/Barking Abbey
12	Adrian Antunez	G	Sr.	6-0	170	Fresno, Calif./Clovis West High School
13	Sean Nealon-Lino	G	R-So.	6-6	205	Lisbon, Portugal/Barking Abbey
15	Spencer Heimerdinger	F	Jr.	6-9	270	Clovis, Calif./Buchanan High School
20	Nick Damato	G	Fr.	-		
21	Jamal Briscoe	G	So.	6-2	152	Riverside, Calif./Riverside Polytechnic High School
22	Alejandro Mendibles	G	Fr.	-		
23	Larry Atkerson	F	Fr.	6-6		Bakersfield, Calif./North High School
24	Grant Highstreet	F	So.	6-4	199	Visalia, Calif./Central Valley Christian High School
25	Darrin Person Jr.	W	Jr.	6-7		Fresno, Calif./Cal State Bakersfield
31	James Dienes	W	Fr.	-		
32	Zach Wallin	W	Jr.	6-4	205	Seattle/Pacific Lutheran University
33	Garret Cook	G	Sr.	6-3		Bristow, Va./Mansfield University
34	Jeremy Ray	G	R-So.	6-1	170	Kingsburg, Calif./Kingsburg High School
35	Maurice Holmes	W	Fr.	-		

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GAME NOTES

BROADCAST INFORMATION: Those that want to catch Justin Allegri's Spartan Radio call can do so on the TuneIn app or at TuneIn.com. Search for San Jose State Athletics.

A WIN WOULD MEAN: A fifth-straight opening game victory for the Spartans and their second-straight over the

SEASON OPENERS UNDER PRIOLEAU: Since Jean Prioleau's arrival in 2017-18, the Spartans are a perfect 3-0 in season openers, including a signature win in last season's opener on the road against 18-point favorite Hofstra in New York.

LOOK WHO'S BACK...BACK AGAIN: San Jose State returns both of their leading scorers from a season ago in the form of guards Seneca Knight and Richard Washington. Knight, a junior, led the team with 17.1 points per game and ranked third in the conference with 20.1 points in league play. Washington ranked second on the team with 10.3 points per game.

KNIGHT LOOKS TO LEAD ONCE AGAIN: Seneca Knight had one of the finest seasons seen by a player in the blue and gold in the past few seasons as a sophomore. The Louisiana native was a third team All-Mountain West selection, becoming the first Spartan to garner all conference honors since 2016-17 (Brandon Clarke).

» Knight was one of the top scorers in the league last season at 17.1 ppg. He tallied 30 points or more in three games, including a career-best 37-point performance on the road against Colorado State. That ranks as the fourth-most points in program history.

» Knight appeared in all 31 games last year and scored in double figures in 27 of them. He closed the season remarkably well by scoring at least 11 points in the final 15 games.

LOOKING FOR MOORE: After a season full of adjusting to the speed of NCAA Div. I basketball, guard Omari Moore is back and readier than ever to take the next step towards being a star on the Spartan roster. The Pasadena native was touted for his strong defense as a freshman, as well as his ability to throw down highlight reel dunks, but his overall numbers didn't pop off the page. That all changed in the Mountain West Tournament as Moore put on his best performance of the season by scoring a career-best 19 points and made an eye-popping eight steals in the Spartans' loss to New Mexico

» Moore's eight steals broke the previous school record of six and also stands as the Mountain West record for a tournament game.

THE CAJUN CONNECTION: Rivals on the hardwood and friends on the playground, Seneca Knight and newcomer Jalen Dalcourt both grew up in Lafayette, Louisiana. The pair played for rival programs and faced off on multiple occasions throughout their high school careers. Off the court, however, the duo became very close friends. While Knight came straight to San Jose from high school, Dalcourt went a longer route, spending one season at Tallahassee Community College (alongside Richard Washington) and another season at Iowa Western before transferring to San Jose last summer. Together again, the scoring duo will look to help the Spartans achieve big things in 2021.

GOOD GENES ALL AROUND: Having a NBA veteran for a father certainly helps when it comes to having the skill to play basketball in your blood. Fortunately for Kaison Hammonds and Chase Courtney, that's exactly the case for them. Kaison's father, Tom Hammonds, was a legend at Georgia Tech - two first team All-ACC honors, third team All-America, top-10 NBA Draft pick, jersey number retired - before playing 12 seasons in the NBA with four teams. Chase's father, Joseph Courtney, starred at Mississippi State before embarking on a 10-year NBA career of his own.

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SCHEDULE & RECORD

Overall
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Conference
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Home
0-0

Away
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Neutral
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SIMPSON
CANCELED

PEPPERDINE
CANCELED

PACIFIC
CANCELED

FRESNO PACIFIC
DEC. 9 | SANTA CRUZ, CALIF.

CAL POLY
DEC. 13 | SAN LUIS OBISPO, CALIF.

SANTA CLARA
DEC. 18 | SANTA CRUZ, CALIF.

UTAH STATE
DEC. 21, 23 | LOGAN, UTAH

BOISE STATE
DEC. 31, JAN. 2 | TBD

FRESNO STATE
JAN. 8, 10 | FRESNO, CALIF.

COLORADO STATE
JAN. 14, 16 | TBD

NEW MEXICO
JAN. 21, 23 | ALBUQUERQUE, N. MEX.

AIR FORCE
JAN. 28, 30 | TBD

SAN DIEGO STATE
FEB. 8, 10 | SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

NEVADA
FEB. 13, 15 | TBD

UNLV
FEB. 19, 21 | TBD

WYOMING
FEB. 25, 27 | LARAMIE, WYO.

MW TOURNAMENT
TBD | LAS VEGAS, NEV.

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