



2017 Southern Miss Football

Game 1 | Kentucky (0-0) vs. Southern Miss (0-0)

Hattiesburg, Miss. | Carlisle-Faulkner Field at M.M. Roberts Stadium (36,000)

3 p.m. CT | CBS SN

@USMGoldenEagles | @SouthernMissFB | @CoachHopson

The Game at a Glance

Date _____ Saturday, Sept. 2, 2017
 Time _____ 3 p.m. (CT)
 Location _____ Hattiesburg, Miss.
 Stadium _____ Carlisle-Faulkner Field at M.M. Roberts
 Capacity _____ 36,000
 Surface _____ Matrix
 TV _____ CBS Sports Network
 Play-By-Play _____ Dave Ryan
 Analyst _____ Corey Chavous
 Sidelines _____ Melanie Collins
 Radio _____ Southern Miss IMG Sports Network
 Play-By-Play _____ John Cox (40th season)
 Analyst _____ Lee Roberts (3rd season)
 Sidelines _____ Dr. Bo Morgan (8th season)
 Stats/Spotter _____ Joe Bryant (10th season)
 Gametracker _____ www.SouthernMiss.com
 Series Record _____ Southern Miss trails 2-1
 Streak _____ Won 1
 Last Meeting _____ W, 44-35, in Lexington, 9/3/16
 Websites _____ SouthernMiss.com
 _____ ConferenceUSA.com
 _____ UKAthletics.com
 _____ SECsports.com

2017 Southern Miss Schedule

Sept. 2	Kentucky (CBS SN)	3 pm
Sept. 9	Southern (Stadium)	6 pm
Sept. 16	at ULM	6 pm
Sept. 30	North Texas •	6 pm
Oct. 7	at UTSA • (Stadium on Facebook)	6 pm
Oct. 14	UTEP • (Stadium/Homecoming)	6 pm
Oct. 21	at Louisiana Tech • (Stadium)	6 pm
Oct. 28	UAB •	6 pm
Nov. 4	at Tennessee (TBA)	TBA
Nov. 11	at Rice • (Stadium on Facebook)	2:30 pm
Nov. 18	Charlotte •	2 pm
Nov. 25	at Marshall • (Stadium)	1:30 pm

• - C-USA contest; All Times Central

2017 Kentucky Schedule

Sept. 2	at Southern Miss (CBS SN)	3 pm
Sept. 9	Eastern Kentucky (SEC)	11 am
Sept. 16	South Carolina • (SEC)	6:30 pm
Sept. 23	Florida •	TBA
Sept. 30	Eastern Michigan	TBA
Oct. 7	Missouri •	TBA
Oct. 21	at Mississippi State •	TBA
Oct. 28	Tennessee •	TBA
Nov. 4	Ole Miss •	TBA
Nov. 11	at Vanderbilt •	TBA
Nov. 18	at Georgia •	TBA
Nov. 25	Louisville	TBA

• - SEC contest; All Times Central

Noting the Golden Eagles

- Southern Miss begins its second century of football in 2017 - having competed for the first time in 1912 - when they take on Kentucky to open the year for the second-straight campaign. The Golden Eagles are 580-415-27, which is the 40th best among Division I FBS teams by winning percentage (.581).
- Jay Hopson, the 21st head coach to guide the program at Southern Miss, returns for his second season at the helm of the Golden Eagle program. Hopson collected a 7-6 record in his initial season and led Southern Miss to the R+L Carriers New Orleans Bowl, capturing a 28-21 decision over UL Lafayette. Hopson coached under the legendary Jeff Bower twice at Southern Miss, working as an assistant coach from 2001-03 and from 2005-07.
- The Golden Eagles played in the third second consecutive bowl game last winter and their 24th overall, posting an 11-13 record in those contests.
- The program replaces a four-year starter at quarterback in Nick Mullens, who left the school as the top career passer for yards (11,994), touchdowns thrown (87). In all, Mullens broke or tied 14 individual records - either game, season or career marks.
- Replacing Mullens at quarterback will be either redshirt junior Kwadra Griggs (Greenwood, Miss.) or sophomore Keon Howard (Laurel, Miss.), who appeared in four games with two starts a season ago.

The Kentucky Series

- The Golden Eagles meet the Wildcats for the fourth time in their football history having snapped a two-game losing streak last season with a 44-35 come-from-behind victory in Lexington.
- Southern Miss also suffered a 71-7 setback to UK on Sept. 17, 1949, to open that season and lost a 32-0 decision on Oct. 4, 1986. Both games were played in Lexington.
- A recap of last year's game can be found on page 12 of the notes, while a breakdown of the UK series can be found on page 4 of the notes.

Southern Miss-UK connections

- Current Golden Eagle offensive coordinator Shannon Dawson served as the offensive coordinator at UK during the 2015 campaign.
- Wildcat offensive lineman Jervontius "Bunchy" Stallings is the son of former Golden Eagle tight end Robert Ray Stallings, who played for the Golden Eagles from 1982-85. Stallings calls McComb, Miss., home.
- There are no Golden Eagles on the current roster from the state of Kentucky.

Against the SEC

- The Golden Eagles snapped a 13-game losing streak against Southeastern Conference foes when they defeated Kentucky last season in Lexington. The previous victory for Southern Miss in defeating an SEC foe was on Sept. 16, 2000, when they blanked Alabama 21-0 at Legion Field in Birmingham.
- The Golden Eagles are 4-14 against SEC foes in season openers with the last victory over a SEC squad coming in an 11-7 victory over Georgia on Aug. 31, 1996, prior to last year's victory at UK.
- With two games against SEC foes this year - the Golden Eagles also play Tennessee in November - it extends a streak for Southern Miss of playing an SEC foe in 50 of the last 54 seasons.

In Conference USA Play

- The Golden Eagles open their 22nd season in Conference USA in 2017.
- Southern Miss holds an all-time mark of 96-61 in Conference USA contests, including a 50-28 mark at home, while compiling a 46-33 ledger on the road.
- In its first 21 seasons of C-USA play, Southern Miss has enjoyed 16 seasons of winning marks as well as two years of finishing at .500, including the 2016 campaign.

Record Breakdown Under Hopson

	2017	Overall
Record	0-0	7-6
C-USA	0-0	5-4
Non-Conference	0-0	2-2
MEAC	0-0	1-0
Southeastern	0-0	1-1
Sun Belt	0-0	1-1
Home	0-0	4-2
Away	0-0	2-4
Neutral	0-0	1-0
Day Games	0-0	1-4
Night Games	0-0	6-2
TV Games	0-0	5-6
Fox Sports 1	0-0	0-0
ASN	0-0	1-3
beIN SPORTS	0-0	0-2
Campus Insiders	0-0	1-0
CBS SN	0-0	0-0
ESPN	0-0	1-0
ESPN 2	0-0	0-0
ESPN U	0-0	1-0
ESPN News	0-0	1-0
SEC	0-0	0-1
When Scoring First	0-0	7-2
When Foe Scores First	0-0	0-4
When Leading at Half	0-0	5-0
When Trailing at Half	0-0	1-5
When Tied at Half	0-0	1-1
In Overtime Games	0-0	0-0
Scoring Less than 20 points	0-0	0-1
Scoring 20+ points	0-0	7-5
Scoring 30+ points	0-0	5-3
Foe Scoring Less than 20 points	0-0	3-0
Foe Scoring 20+ points	0-0	4-6
Foe Scoring 30+ points	0-0	1-5
Rushing for less than 100 yards	0-0	1-2
Rushing for more than 100 yards	0-0	6-4
Rushing for more than 200 yards	0-0	3-1
Rushing for more than 300 yards	0-0	1-0
Passing for less than 100 yards	0-0	0-0
Passing for more than 100 yards	0-0	7-6
Passing for more than 200 yards	0-0	5-5
Passing for more than 300 yards	0-0	4-2
Less than 300 Yards Total off.	0-0	0-1
More than 300 Yards Total off	0-0	7-5
Allowing -100 yards rush	0-0	4-0
Allowing 100+ yards rush	0-0	3-6
Allowing 200+ yards passing	0-0	2-2
Allowing 300+ yards passing	0-0	1-0
Allowing -300 yards total off.	0-0	5-0
Allowing 300+ yards total off.	0-0	2-6
Having a 100-yard rusher	0-0	6-2
Foe Has a 100-yard rusher	0-0	2-5
Having no turnovers	0-0	0-0
Having 3 or more turnovers	0-0	2-4
Forcing no turnovers	0-0	3-2
Forcing 3 or more turnovers	0-0	3-1

Jay Hopson's Career Head Coaching Record

Year	School	Record
2012	Alcorn State	4-7
2013	Alcorn State	9-3
2014	Alcorn State	10-3
2015	Alcorn State	9-4
2016	Southern Miss	7-6
Overall Record		39-23 (.629)

Southern Miss C-USA Coaches of the Year

2015 - Todd Monken
 2003 - Jeff Bower
 1999 - Jeff Bower
 1997 - Jeff Bower

Jay Hopson

Head Football Coach | First Season - 7-6 (.538)

Jay Hopson, a 25-year coaching veteran on the collegiate level and twice previously a member of the Golden Eagle coaching staff, became the school's 21st head football coach prior to the school's 100th season in football.

In his first year directing the program, Hopson started the season by leading the Golden Eagles to their first victory over an opponent in the Southeastern Conference, rallying for a 44-35 win at Kentucky, and leading the team to its second-straight bowl appearance and 24th overall. The Golden Eagles went on to earn a berth in the R+L Carriers New Orleans Bowl, capturing a 28-21 victory over the Ragin' Cajuns of Louisiana-Lafayette.

A native of Vicksburg, Miss., Hopson returns to Southern Miss after a successful four-year stint as the head coach at Alcorn State. During his tenure there, Hopson led the Braves to a 32-17 record and consecutive Southwestern Athletic Conference championships the last two seasons. Alcorn State also recorded at least nine victories in each of the last three seasons, including a 10-3 mark in 2014 and following this season, Hopson led the Braves to the inaugural Celebration Bowl, a postseason football bowl featuring two standout programs from Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU).

His team also captured the SBN Black College Championship in 2014.

Prior to his arrival at Lorman, Hopson worked as linebackers coach for two seasons at Michigan (2008-09) and worked as defensive coordinator at Memphis during the 2010 and 2011 campaigns.

Hopson returns to Southern Miss after working as an assistant coach for the Golden Eagles from 2001-03 (defensive backs) and then again from 2005-07 (linebackers, defensive coordinator).

Hopson's defensive units led Conference USA in scoring defense each of his three seasons as defensive coordinator. In 2006, the Golden Eagles led C-USA in third down defense and red zone defense while his 2005 unit led the league in turnovers forced per game as well as led the nation in fumbles gained.

During his first stint with the Golden Eagles, the defensive unit led the nation in fewest passing touchdowns allowed and finished fourth nationally in pass efficiency defense in 2002. Southern Miss led C-USA and finished fifth nationally in pass defense during the 2003 season and each year during that stretch, Southern Miss ranked in the Top 15 nationally in scoring defense.

Hopson spent 2004 at his alma mater, the University of Mississippi, as defensive backs coach and was the program's recruiting coordinator. The Rebels' pass defense improved from 109th nationally in 2003 to 49th during the 2004 campaign.

Hopson's coaching experience also includes positions at Marshall (1996-2000) and Delta State (1993) as defensive backs coach. He was a member of the Herds' 1996 NCAA I-AA National Championship staff and coached the team to four straight Mid-American Conference championships. Hopson also held defensive graduate assistant positions at the Florida (1995), LSU (1994) and Tulane (1992). He helped the Gators to the Southeastern Conference championship and played for the national championship in the Fiesta Bowl.

He earned four-year letters and received the 1991 John Howard Vaught Award as a player at Ole Miss. A CoSIDA Academic All-American, Hopson graduated from Ole Miss with a bachelor's degree in business administration (1992) and received a master's of health in physical education and recreation from Delta State (1994).

Hopson and his wife, Michelle, have two daughters, Hyde and Hannah.

Jay Hopson File

Date of Birth: Oct. 13, 1968

Hometown: Vicksburg, Miss.

Education: Ole Miss, '92 (BS), Delta State, '94 (MS)

Yrs. at Southern Miss: Six seasons as an assistant

Years in Coaching: 25

Coaching Career

2016	Southern Miss	Head Coach
2012-2015	Alcorn State	Head Coach
2010-2011	Memphis	Defensive Coordinator
2008-2009	Michigan	Linebackers Coach
2006-2007	Southern Miss	Def. Coord./ MLBs
2005	Southern Miss	Def. Coord./ DBs
2004	Ole Miss	Defensive Backs
2001-2003	Southern Miss	Defensive Backs
1996-2000	Marshall	Defensive Backs
1995	Florida	Graduate Assistant
1994	LSU	Graduate Assistant
1993	Delta State	Defensive Backs
1992	Tulane	Graduate Assistant

Bowl/Playoff Experience

2016: R+L Carriers New Orleans Bowl

2015: Celebration Bowl

2015: SWAC Championship Game

2014: SWAC Championship Game

2007: PapaJohns.com Bowl

2007: GMAC Bowl

2005: New Orleans Bowl

2004: New Orleans Bowl

2003: Liberty Bowl

2002: Houston Bowl

2000: Motor City Bowl

1999: Motor City Bowl

1998: Motor City Bowl

1997: Motor City Bowl

1996: NCAA I-AA National Champions

1995: Fiesta Bowl

Hopson Versus All Opponents as Head Coach

Alabama A&M	3-1 (.750)
Alabama State	2-2 (.500)
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	3-1 (.750)
Arkansas State	0-1 (.000)
Charlotte	0-1 (.000)
Concordia College	1-0 (1.000)
Edmund Waters	1-0 (1.000)
Georgia Tech	0-1 (.000)
Grambling State	3-2 (.600)
Jackson State	2-2 (.500)
James Madison	0-1 (.000)
Kentucky	1-0 (1.000)
Louisiana College	1-0 (1.000)
Louisiana-Lafayette	1-0 (1.000)
LSU	0-1 (.000)
Louisiana Tech	1-0 (1.000)
Marshall	1-0 (1.000)
Mississippi State	0-1 (.000)
Mississippi Valley State	3-1 (.750)
North Carolina A&T	0-1 (.000)
North Texas	0-1 (.000)
Old Dominion	0-1 (.000)
Prairie View A&M	2-2 (.500)
Rice	1-0 (1.000)
Savannah State	1-0 (1.000)
Southern	5-0 (1.000)
Southern Miss	0-1 (.000)
Texas Southern	4-0 (1.000)
Troy	0-1 (.000)
UTEP	1-0 (1.000)
UTSA	0-1 (.000)
Virginia-Lynchburg	1-0 (1.000)
Warner	1-0 (1.000)

Coaching Matchup

Kentucky

Coach Mark Stoops

Record at UK _____ 19-30 (5th)
 Overall Record _____ Same
 Stoops vs. Southern Miss _____ 0-1
 Stoops vs. Hopson _____ 0-1

Southern Miss

Coach Jay Hopson

Record at Southern Miss _____ 7-6 (2nd)
 Overall Record _____ 39-23 (6th)
 Hopson vs. UK _____ 1-0
 Hopson vs. Stoops _____ 1-0

Comparing the Two

2016 Offense (National Ranking in Parentheses)

	Southern Miss (13 games)	Kentucky (13 games)
First Downs	307	260
Net Rushing	2269	3044
Average	174.5 (62)	234.2 (20)
Net Passing	3877	2419
Average	298.2 (16)	186.1 (102)
Pass Attempts	478	312
Complete	285	170
Interceptions	16	12
Total Offense	6146	5463
Average	472.8 (21)	420.2 (61)
Fumbles/Lost	28/16	23/16
3rd Down	83/203 (61)	72/184 (77)
FG/Att.	15/18	16/19
Points	427	390
Average	32.8 (41)	30.0 (58)
Avg. TOP	33:27 (12)	29:51 (65)
Penalties	97/839	65/595
Average	64.5 (109)	45.8 (36)

2016 Defense (National Ranking in Parentheses)

	Southern Miss (13 games)	Kentucky (13 games)
First Downs	193	295
Net Rushing	1949	2966
Average	149.9 (46)	228.2 (110)
Net Passing	2274	2679
Average	174.9 (10)	206.1 (35)
Pass Attempts	312	352
Complete	170	202
Interceptions	10	13
Avg. per return	18.0	9.9
Total Defense	4223	5645
Average	324.8 (15)	434.2 (85)
Fumble/Rec.	15/5	18/8
3rd Down	37/154 (2)	80/180 (106)
Sacks/Yds.	34/242	21/171
Points	384	407
Average	29.5 (74)	31.3 (86)

2017 Opponents Records (This Weekend)

Kentucky _____ 0-0 (at Southern Miss)
 Southern _____ 0-0 (vs. South Carolina State)
 ULM _____ 0-0 (at Memphis)
 North Texas _____ 0-0 (vs. Lamar)
 UTSA _____ 0-0 (vs. Houston)
 UTEP _____ 0-0 (at Oklahoma)
 Louisiana Tech _____ 0-0 (vs. Northwestern State)
 UAB _____ 0-0 (vs. Alabama A&M)
 Tennessee _____ 0-0 (at Georgia Tech)
 Rice _____ 0-1 (Idle, lost vs. Stanford 62-7 in Australia)
 Charlotte _____ 0-0 (at Eastern Michigan)
 Marshall _____ 0-0 (Miami University)
Opponent's Overall Record _____ 0-1 (.000)

Last Time Out

Southern Miss 28, UL Lafayette 21

Dec. 17, 2016

NEW ORLEANS (AP) - Allenzae Staggers set records for receptions and receiving yards as Southern Miss outlasted Louisiana-Lafayette 28-21 in the 16th annual R+L Carriers New Orleans Bowl at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

Staggers, who was named Southern Miss' Most Valuable Player, caught a career-high 11 passes for 230 yards and a touchdown before the fourth-largest crowd (35,601) in the bowl's history.

Staggers became the only Golden Eagle to ever log two, 200-yard receiving games, having a six-catch, school-record, 292-yard effort against Rice on Oct. 1.

Running back Ito Smith rushed for 138 yards and two touchdowns and caught a pass for a third, as the Golden Eagles won in the postseason for the first time since 2011.

Smith gained 105 yards and scored on a 1-yard run on 19 carries over the final two quarters as the Golden Eagles scored on a pair of lengthy, drives that ground off a third of the second half clock.

The Cajuns struggled to find any offensive consistency against the Golden Eagles. Two of UL-Lafayette's three touchdowns came on drives of 29 yards and 19 yards after USM turnovers.

All told, Louisiana-Lafayette managed just 252 total yards, including 95 yards passing.

The Cajuns came up short at the beginning of the game as well, as senior quarterback Nick Mullens and Staggers hooked up on long passes to set up Southern Miss' first two scores.

The two combined on a 55-yard pass down to the Ragin' Cajuns' 12-yard line on the Golden Eagles' first offensive snap. The strike set up Smith's bronco-ride-of-an-11-yard run for a 7-0 Southern Miss lead with 9:39 left in the first quarter.

After forcing a three-and-out, Mullens hit Staggers with a quick slant that turned into a 66-yard gain down to UL-Lafayette's 9-yard line. Two plays later, Mullens found Smith on a 6-yard touchdown pass for a 14-0 lead with 7:17 left in the quarter.

UL-Lafayette responded with a nine-play, 66-yard drive, capped by quarterback Anthony Jennings' 4-yard run with 3:15 left in the first period, to pull within 14-7, and momentum continued to shift UL-Lafayette's way through the first half of the second quarter.

Parker Shaunfield, in his first action since being sidelined in late October with a pulled thigh muscle, missed a 38-yard field, and on Southern Miss' next possession, Mullens was sacked and stripped of the ball by UL-Lafayette linebacker Tre'maine Lightfoot.

Peters recovered and returned the ball 15 yards to USM's 29-yard line. Two plays later, backup quarterback Dion Ray took a direct snap and weaved his way 12 yards to tie the game 14-14 with 7:28 left in the second quarter.

The Golden Eagles drove 75 yards in 11 plays to take a 21-14 lead in the third quarter with Mullens finding Staggers in the back of the end zone off play-action.

Mullens completed 25 of 40 passes for 346 yards and two touchdowns with an interception in his final game in a Golden Eagle uniform.

Smith's 1-yard run capped a 14-play, 83-yard drive that straddled the third and fourth quarters and put Southern Miss up by two scores with 12:26 to play in the game.

But Travis Crawford's 53-yard interception return set up the Cajuns at Southern Miss' 19-yard line and Jennings scored his second touchdown on a 3-yard run as UL-Lafayette pulled within 28-21 with 5:10 to play.

The Cajuns got the ball back at their 18-yard line with 2:02 to play. But after a pair of first downs brought them to midfield, a sack by defensive linemen Dylan Bradley and Xavier Thigpen led to incompletions on third and fourth downs as the Golden Eagles' locked down the victory.

Scoring Summary

	1	2	3	4	F
Southern Miss	14	0	7	7	28
UL Lafayette	7	7	0	7	21

1st

USM - Smith 11 run (Shaunfield kick), 9:39

USM - Smith 6 pass from Mullens (Shaunfield kick), 7:17

UL - Jennings 4 run (Artigue kick), 3:15

2nd

UL - Ray 12 run (Artigue kick), 7:28

3rd

USM - Staggers 5 pass from Mullens (Shaunfield kick), 10:42

4th

USM - Smith 1 run (Shaunfield kick), 12:26

UL - Jennings 3 run (Artigue kick), 5:10

	USM	UL
FIRST DOWNS	22	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	32-135	47-157
PASSING YDS (NET)	346	95
Passes Att-Comp-Int	42-25-1	22-8-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	74-481	69-252
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-15
Punt Returns-Yards	1-3	2-26
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-20	3-53
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-53
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-42.8	6-41.7
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	13-131	6-57
Possession Time	30:34	29:26
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 14	3 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 3
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	3-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	6-44	2-16

RUSHING

USM: Smith 26-138, 2 TDs; Payne 2-13; Parks 1-1; Team 1-(-1); Mullens 2-(-16).

UL: McGuire 17-99; Jennings 20-19, 2 TDs; Wright 2-17; Ray 4-11, TD; Riles 2-7; Davis 1-4; Hoggins 1-0.

PASSING

USM: Mullens 40-25-1, 346 yards, 2 TDs; Staggers 0-1-0, 0 yards; Team 0-1-0, 0 yards.

UL: Jennings 20-8-1, 95 yards; Riles 0-1-0, 0 yards; Ray 0-1-0, 0 yards.

RECEIVING

USM: Staggers 11-230, 1 TD; Roberts 5-49; Thompson 4-40; Whitehead 2-15; Smith 1-6, TD; Holmes 1-6; Allen 1-0.

UL: Riles 5-64; Barnes 1-12; Braley 1=12' McGuire 1-7.

TACKLES

USM: Poole 7-2-9, 3 SACK; Nelson, Jr. 5-1-6; Foster 5-1-6

UL: Goodlett 4-3-7, PBU; Mitchell 5-1-6, 1 TFL; Lightfoot 4-2-6, 1 SACK, 2 TFLs

2016 Conference USA Standings

East Division

Team	C-USA	Pct.	All	Pct.
WKU*	7-1	.875	11-3	.786
Old Dominion	7-1	.875	10-3	.769
Middle Tennessee	5-3	.625	8-5	.615
FIU	4-4	.500	4-8	.333
Charlotte	3-5	.375	4-8	.333
Florida Atlantic	2-6	.250	3-9	.250
Marshall	2-6	.250	3-9	.250

West Division

Team	C-USA	Pct.	All	Pct.
Louisiana Tech	6-2	.750	9-5	.643
UTSA	5-3	.625	6-7	.462
Southern Miss	4-4	.500	7-6	.538
North Texas	3-5	.375	5-8	.385
UTEP	2-6	.250	4-8	.333
Rice	2-6	.250	3-9	.250

* C-USA Champion

This Week's Games

Thursday, Aug. 31

FIU at UCF (CBSSN) _____ 5 pm

Friday, Sept. 1

Charlotte at Eastern Michigan (ESPN3) _____ 5:30 pm

Navy at Florida Atlantic (ESPNU) _____ 7 pm

Saturday, Sept. 2

Alabama A&M at UAB (Stadium) _____ 2:30 pm

UTEP at Oklahoma (FOX) _____ 2:30 pm

Kentucky at Southern Miss (CBSSN) _____ 3 pm

Albany at Old Dominion (ESPN3) _____ 5 pm

Miami (Ohio) at Marshall (Stadium on FB) _____ 5:30 pm

Lamar at North Texas (ESPN3) _____ 6 pm

Northwestern State at LA Tech (ESPN3) _____ 6 pm

Eastern Kentucky at WKU (Flo Sports) _____ 6 pm

Houston at UTSA (Stadium) _____ 6 pm

Vanderbilt at Middle Tennessee (CBSSN) _____ 7 pm

All Times Central

Kentucky Series

(1-2, 1949-2016)

7-71 L 9-17-49 Lexington, Ky.

0-32 L 10-4-86 Lexington, Ky.

44-35 W 9-3-16 Lexington, Ky.

Record in Hattiesburg: Never Met

Record in Lexington: 1-2

Neutral Site Games: Never Met

Most Points Scored: 44 (9-3-16)

Fewest Points Scored: 0 (10-4-86)

Largest Margin of Victory: 9 (9-3-16)

Largest Loss Margin: 64 (9-17-49)

Longest Winning Streak: 1

Longest Losing Streak: 2 (1949-1986)

Current Streak: Won 1

Shutouts: 0

Games Decided By 7 or fewer points: 0-0

A Proud Bowl History

The Southern Miss football program captured its 69th winning campaign in 2016, with a victory over the Ragin' Cajuns in the New Orleans Bowl. Since 1935, the Golden Eagles have finished below .500 only 11 times. With their appearance in the New Orleans Bowl, the Golden Eagles made their second-consecutive trip to the postseason, 12th in the last 15 seasons and 24th overall. Here is a breakdown of the bowl games for Southern Miss over its history:

Year	Bowl (City)	Opponent	Score
1953	Sun (El Paso)	Pacific	L, 7-26
1954	Sun (El Paso)	UTEP	L, 14-37
1957	Tangerine (Orlando)	West Texas A&M	L, 13-20
1958	Tangerine (Orlando)	Texas A&M Commerce	L, 9-10
1980	Independence (Shreveport)	McNeese State	W, 16-14
1981	Tangerine (Orlando)	Missouri	L, 17-19
1988	Independence (Shreveport)	UTEP	W, 38-18
1990	All American (Birmingham)	NC State	L, 27-31
1997	Liberty (Memphis)	Pittsburgh	W, 41-7
1998	Humanitarian (Boise)	Idaho	L, 35-42
1999	Liberty (Memphis)	Colorado State	W, 23-17
2000	GMAC (Mobile)	TCU	W, 28-21
2002	Houston (Houston)	Oklahoma St.	L, 23-33
2003	Liberty (Memphis)	Utah	L, 0-17
2004	New Orleans	North Texas	W, 31-10
2005	New Orleans (Lafayette)	Arkansas State	W, 31-19
2007	GMAC (Mobile)	Ohio	W, 28-7
2007	Papajohns.com (Birmingham)	Cincinnati	L, 21-31
2008	New Orleans	Troy	W, 30-27 (ot)
2009	New Orleans	Middle Tennessee	L, 32-42
2010	Beef 'O' Brady's (St. Petersburg)	Louisville	L, 28-31
2011	Hawai'i (Honolulu)	Nevada	W, 24-17
2015	Zaxby's Heart of Dallas	Washington	L, 31-44
2016	New Orleans	UL Lafayette	W, 28-21

Overall: 11-13

By Bowl -

Sun Bowl: 0-2
 New Orleans: 4-1
 Papajohns.com: 0-1
 All American: 0-1
 GMAC: 2-0
 Liberty: 2-1
 Tangerine: 0-3
 Heart of Dallas: 0-1
 Humanitarian: 0-1
 Houston: 0-1
 Independence: 2-0
 St. Petersburg: 0-1
 Hawai'i: 1-0

By Decade -

1950s: 0-4
 1980s: 2-1
 1990s: 2-2
 2000s: 5-4
 2010s: 2-2

By State Site -

Alabama: 2-2
 Florida: 0-4
 Hawai'i: 1-0
 Idaho: 0-1
 Louisiana: 6-1
 Tennessee: 2-1
 Texas: 0-4

Five Time C-USA Champions

Southern Miss, which won its third division title in 2015, but lost in the C-USA championship game at WKU, 45-28. The Golden Eagles are 1-2 in C-USA championship games. They captured their first league title contest and the school's fifth overall league crown - more than any other school in the conference - when they beat Houston, 49-28, in 2011. The school's other C-USA titles have come in the inaugural season of 1996 as well as the 1997, 1999 and 2003 campaigns. The league divisional setup began during 2005 and also marked the first year for a league championship game. The Golden Eagles have won two East Division crowns in C-USA (2006, 2011), and captured their first West title last season after moving to that division during the 2014 campaign.

Overtime Anyone?

Southern Miss has been involved in 10 overtime games since the rule went into effect prior to the 1996 season and the Golden Eagles are 4-6 overall, after losing a 38-31 double OT game at UCF in 2012. Nine of the 10 games that have taken OT to complete have been in C-USA contests. Here is a look of all the overtime games Southern Miss has played in since the 1996 season:

Date	Opponent	Score
11/09/96	at Houston •	L, 49-56
11/11/00	at UAB •	W, 33-30 (2 OT)
11/15/02	Louisville •	L, 17-20 (2 OT)
10/07/04	Houston •	W, 39-35
11/13/05	at Marshall •	W, 27-24
10/28/06	East Carolina •	L, 17-20
10/04/08	UTEP •	L, 37-40 (2 OT)
12/21/08	Troy (New Orleans Bowl)	W, 30-27
10/30/10	UAB •	L, 49-50 (2 OT)
10/13/12	at UCF •	L, 31-38 (2 OT)

• - Conference USA game

A Golden Eagles Win over Kentucky would...

- give them two-straight victories over Kentucky.
- mark the first back-to-back wins against the SEC since beating Auburn during the 1990 and 1991 seasons.
- register their fourth victory in five tries in the New Orleans Bowl.
- * open the year with a victory for the second-straight season, having not done that since 2008-09.
- * be the first home season-opening win over an SEC school (0-1).

2016 Scoring Drives

Game	Plays	Yds	TOP	Scoring Play
UK	7	49	3:36	I. Smith 8 run
UK	10	64	4:02	Shaunfield 31 field goal
UK	3	84	0:22	Jones 71 pass from Mullens
UK	11	84	4:20	Mullens 1 run
UK	8	66	2:39	Allen 18 pass from Mullens
UK	10	57	3:32	Mullens 1 run
UK	12	56	4:54	Shaunfield 49 field goal
UK	11	62	4:56	Shaunfield 25 field goal
SSU	12	78	4:48	Mullens 1 run
SSU	6	47	1:44	Robertson 18 pass from Mullens
SSU	1	76	0:00	I. Smith 86 run
SSU	5	85	1:58	Jones 65 pass from Mullens
SSU	7	88	2:46	Thompson 16 pass from Mullens
SSU	5	45	1:52	Payne 11 run
SSU	14	68	7:04	Ricard 12 pass from Adamson
TROY	8	34	1:57	Shaunfield 41 field goal
TROY	7	78	1:04	I. Smith 2 run
TROY	1	70	0:22	I. Smith 70 run
TROY	2	49	0:23	Staggers 16 pass from Mullens
UTEP	13	59	5:40	Shaunfield 34 field goal
UTEP	7	73	3:05	Thompson 6 pass from Mullens
UTEP	1	28	0:09	I. Smith 28 pass from Mullens
UTEP	5	47	1:44	Staggers 3 pass from Mullens
UTEP	4	4	0:56	Shaunfield 46 field goal
RICE	11	78	3:54	Shaunfield 22 field goal
RICE	1	75	0:11	Staggers 75 pass from Mullens
RICE	6	72	1:55	Shaunfield 42 field goal
RICE	3	74	0:51	Staggers 81 pass from Mullens
RICE	2	92	0:55	Staggers 93 pass from Mullens
RICE	9	48	3:43	I. Smith 2 run
RICE	6	67	2:15	Thompson 9 pass from Mullens
RICE	12	56	4:48	Shaunfield 43 field goal
UTSA	10	84	4:07	Washington 17 pass from Mullens
UTSA	10	79	3:47	I. Smith 1 run
UTSA	10	80	4:02	Thompson 35 pass from Mullens
UTSA	13	75	5:50	Shaunfield 28 field goal
UTSA	13	86	4:03	Whitehead 33 pass from Mullens
LSU	15	75	8:02	I. Smith 1 run
LSU	11	62	5:29	Shaunfield 38 field goal
MAR	15	75	5:31	I. Smith 1 run
MAR	6	56	1:32	Shaunfield 44 field goal
MAR	10	83	2:58	Staggers 4 pass from Mullens
MAR	4	64	1:30	I. Smith 40 run
CHAR	3	35	1:15	Robertson 7 pass from Mullens
CHAR	2	78	0:19	Whitehead 78 pass from Mullens
CHAR	11	90	4:07	I. Smith 8 run
CHAR	19	99	4:52	Adamson 2 run
ODU	8	64	3:54	Howard 2 run
ODU	11	73	4:30	I. Smith 1 run
ODU	12	82	4:34	I. Smith 2 run
ODU	8	93	2:36	I. Smith 1 run
ODU	1	55	0:13	Ricard 55 pass from Howard
NT	3	53	0:57	I. Smith 1 run
NT	3	75	1:16	I. Smith 2 run
NT	8	66	3:03	Payne 16 run
NT	5	4	1:25	Brauchle 25 field goal
LT	10	75	4:19	Howard 4 run
LT	10	42	4:40	Brauchle 22 field goal
LT	8	91	4:32	Thompson 21 pass from Mullens
LT	6	89	3:12	Thompson 8 pass from Mullens
LT	11	89	5:58	Robertson 6 pass from Mullens
LT	5	28	2:48	Brauchle 25 field goal
LT	4	1	1:11	Mullens 1 run
UL	3	67	0:57	I. Smith 11 run
UL	3	70	1:12	I. Smith 6 pass from Mullens
UL	11	75	4:18	Staggers 5 pass from Mullens
UL	14	83	6:14	I. Smith 1 run

Longest Drive – 99 yards vs. Charlotte

Most Plays – 19 vs. Charlotte

Fewest Plays on TD Drive – 1, 5x (last at Old Dominion)

Most Time Used on Scoring Drive – 8:02 at LSU

Shortest Time Used on TD Drive – 0:00 vs. Savannah State

No. of TD Drives Less than 2:00 – 22

No. of 90+ yard Drives – 5

Bower Academic Excellence Center Announced

In the summer of the 2015, the Department of Athletics, in conjunction with the Southern Miss Athletic Foundation, announced the launch of the Bower Academic Excellence Center Campaign. The \$2 million capital campaign will fund a new student-athlete academic center named in honor of longtime Golden Eagle football coach Jeff Bower. As the second-winningest coach in the program's history with 119 victories over 17 seasons, Bower established a strong record of success on the field while placing an even greater emphasis on his student-athletes' success in the classroom. Also, the Bower family's emphasis on academics has been demonstrated by their scholarship endowment, the Southern Miss Athletic Foundation's largest endowment. Just recently, Director of Athletics Jon Gilbert said that the facility will be located in the Cook Library when funds have been raised to build the center.

Pro Traditions

Southern Miss, which has a reputation in training and producing professional talent over the years, has a long list of former players that have reached the NFL including the likes of Ray Guy, Brett Favre, Sammy Winder, Michael Boley and Jamie Collins. Southern Miss has had at least one player drafted in 12 of the last 17 NFL drafts, including wide receiver Mike Thomas, who was taken in the sixth round by the Los Angeles Rams and defensive back Kalan Reed, who was the last player chosen in the NFL Draft's seventh round by the Tennessee Titans in the 2016 draft. Since 1942, 120 players have been drafted by the NFL, AFL or AAFC, which including a school-best four on nine different occasions.

Largest Comeback in School History

- Southern Miss opened its 100th season by scoring 34 unanswered points to win at Kentucky 44-35. The team trailed 35-10 with 56 seconds remaining in the first half.
- The comeback was the largest in school history. Here is a look at the six biggest comebacks –
 - 25 points – at Kentucky (9/3/16), trailed by 25 with 56 seconds left in the first half
 - 21 points – Louisville (11/25/50), trailed 21-0 with 14:50 to play in 2nd quarter
 - 21 points – at ECU (11/10/84), trailed 24-3 with 11:36 to play in 2nd quarter
 - 19 points – at Ole Miss (9/24/77), trailed 19-0 with 12:21 to play in 2nd quarter
 - 17 points – Miss. State (10/7/78), trailed 17-0 with 12:21 to play in 2nd quarter
 - 17 points – Virginia (9/19/09), trailed 27-10 with 0:19 to play in 2nd quarter
- Southern Miss held a 295-56 yardage advantage in the second half.
- The Golden Eagles held the football for 40:32 in the contest, marking the most time of possession in a game since holding it 41:56 in a 17-6 victory over UCF on Nov. 8, 2008.
- Southern Miss scored 34 unanswered points to win at Kentucky 44-35. It trailed 35-10 with 56 seconds remaining in the first half.
- It was the first win over an SEC opponent in 13 tries, with the last successful attempt being a 21-0 shutout against Alabama on Sept. 16, 2000.

Picasso Nelson, Jr. Named to C-USA All-Academic Team

Picasso Nelson, Jr., was named to the 2016 InTouch Credit Union C-USA All-Academic Team. For the second year in a row, Southern Miss was represented by Nelson, Jr. and he also has been named to the CoSIDA District 6 All-Academic team the last two seasons, earned the C-USA Commissioner's Medal once and the league's Commissioner's Honor Roll three times. He also was honored last spring as having one of the Top 10 GPAs in the Banking and Finance program (currently 3.704).

Here Comes The Judge

Heading into his senior campaign, running back Ito Smith returns as the only active back in the country with over 3,000 career rushing yards (3,123) and 1,000 receiving yards (1,050) after rushing for a team-best 1,459 yards in 2016. It was his second time to rush for over 1,000 yards in a season and is one of only four Golden Eagles to rush for over 1,000-plus yards in multiple seasons. Damion Fletcher (2006, 2007, 2008, 2009) accomplished this feat four times, while Derrick Nix did it three times (1998, 1999, 2002) and Ben Garry (1976, 1977) twice.

Smith has 3,123 yards in 39 games for a 80.1 per game average. He had six 100-yard rushing games in 2015, and now has 16 for his career which puts him in third place on the career charts. He opened the 2016 season by tallying a career-high 173 yards on a career-best 36 carries at Kentucky. He added 128 yards on eight carries and notched the longest

Top 5 USM Career 100-Yard Games	
1. Damion Fletcher (2006-09)	25
2. Ben Garry (1974-77)	17
3. Ito Smith (2014-16)	16
4. Derrick Nix (1998-2000, 02)	14
5. Sam DeJarnette (1982-84)	11

Southern Miss run in this 41-year history of M.M. Roberts Stadium with an 86-yard touchdown run against Savannah State. Smith rushed for over 100 yards eight times in 2016 and finished last year ranked No. 16 in the nation in with 1,459 rushing yards. He had a string of scoring at least one TD in some fashion in 16 games snapped in the regular-season finale against Louisiana Tech.

He has 29 career rushing touchdowns and needs just one to jump into the school's career top five in that category with Derrick Nix (1998-2000, 02) and Ben Garry (1974-77) who each tallied 30.

NCAA Career 4,000-Yard Rushers/1,000 Receivers			
Darrin Nelson, Stanford	1978-81	4,442	2,559
Steve Bartalo, Colorado St.	1983-86	4,813	1,079
George Swann, Miami (OH)	1983-86	4,172	1,057
Errict Rhett, Florida	1990-93	4,163	1,230
Brock Forsey, Boise St.	1999-02	4,037	1,175
Mewelde Moore, Tulane	2000-03	4,364	2,059
Lance Dunbar, North Texas	2008-11	4,224	1,033
Donnel Pumphrey, SDSU	2013-16	6,405	1,041
Elijah McGuire, Louisiana	2013-16	4,312	1,383

Top 10 Rushing Games by Class

Freshman

1.	219	Derrick Nix vs. Nevada (11/21/98)
2.	205	Kendrick Hardy vs. Houston (11/20/10)
3.	184	Derrick Nix vs. Memphis (11/14/98)
4.	177	Damion Fletcher vs. NC State (9/16/06)
5.	172	Derrick Nix vs. Louisville (10/10/98)
6.	163	Derrick Nix vs. Army (10/17/98)
	163	Damion Fletcher vs. UAB (11/18/06)
8.	153	Vincent Alexander vs. UL-Laf. (10/29/83)
9.	151	Damion Fletcher vs. Marshall (11/25/06)
10.	147	Kendrick Hardy vs. UAB (10/30/10)

Sophomore

1.	304	Sam DeJarnette vs. Florida St. (9/25/82)
2.	211	Damion Fletcher vs. UTEP (11/17/07)
3.	181	Bucky McElroy vs. Alabama (11/10/51)
4.	179	Sam DeJarnette vs. UL-Laf. (10/30/82)
5.	176	Sam DeJarnette vs. Tulane (10/16/82)
6.	172	Kendrick Hardy vs. Rice (10/1/11)
7.	171	Derrick Nix vs. East Carolina (10/9/99)
	171	Sam DeJarnette vs. UL-Monroe (9/4/82)
9.	169	Ito Smith vs. Louisiana Tech (11/28/15)
10.	167	Derrick Nix vs. Tulane (9/6/99)

Junior

1.	260	Damion Fletcher vs. UTEP (10/4/08)
2.	222	Damion Fletcher vs. UL Lafayette (8/30/08)
3.	206	Ben Garry vs. La. Tech (11/13/76)
4.	186	Chris Buckhalter vs. Tulane (9/3/94)
	186	Reggie Collier vs. UT-Arlington (10/3/81)
6.	184	Reggie Collier vs. Lamar (11/28/91)
7.	180	Shelton Gandy vs. Memphis (10/24/87)
8.	176	Ben Garry vs. Memphis (11/20/76)
9.	173	Ito Smith at Kentucky (9/3/16)
10.	171	Shelton Gandy vs. Louisville (10/3/87)

Senior

1.	238	Vic Purvis vs. Memphis (9/25/65)
2.	230	Jalen Richard at Texas State (9/19/15)
3.	203	Vic Purvis vs. Richmond (10/2/65)
4.	201	Derrick Nix vs. Illinois (9/7/02)
5.	196	Derrick Nix vs. Memphis (9/14/02)
6.	190	Tony Smith vs. Tulane (9/19/91)
7.	175	Sammy Winder vs. Memphis (10/17/81)
8.	169	Michael Welch vs. East Carolina (10/29/92)
9.	161	Jalen Richard vs. Old Dominion (11/21/15)
10.	149	Vincent Alexander vs. UL-Monroe (9/6/86)

Southern Miss' 1,000-Yard Rushers

Name	Year	Class	Yards
Damion Fletcher	2007	So.	1,586
Sam DeJarnette	1982	So.	1,545
Damion Fletcher	2006	Fr.	1,388
Ito Smith	2016	Jr.	1,321
Damion Fletcher	2008	Jr.	1,313
Ben Garry	1976	Jr.	1,236
Derrick Nix	2002	Sr.	1,194
Hugh L. Pepper	1952	So.	1,191
Derrick Nix	1998	Fr.	1,180
Ben Garry	1977	Sr.	1,134
Ito Smith	2015	So.	1,128
Jalen Richard	2015	Sr.	1,098
Bucky McElroy	1952	Jr.	1,069
Derrick Nix	1999	So.	1,054
Harold Shaw	1996	Sr.	1,045
Sammy Winder	1981	Sr.	1,029
Shelton Gandy	1987	Jr.	1,025
Damion Fletcher	2009	Sr.	1,015
Reggie Collier	1981	Jr.	1,005

Southern Miss' Top 10 Career Rushers

No.	Name	Years	Yards
1.	Damion Fletcher	2006-09	5,302
2.	Ben Garry	1974-77	3,595
3.	Derrick Nix	1998-2000, 02	3,584
4.	Sammy Winder	1978-81	3,114
5.	Ito Smith	2014-16	2,985
6.	Sam DeJarnette	1982-84	2,908
7.	Vincent Alexander	1983-86	2,648
8.	Bucky McElroy	1951-53	2,560
9.	Bubba Phillips	1947-50	2,527
10.	Shelton Gandy	1985-88	2,504

Multi-1,000-Rush Seasons

Name	Times
Damion Fletcher	4
Derrick Nix	3
Ito Smith	2
Ben Garry	2

Ito Moving Up in All-Purpose Yards as well

Over the last two seasons, Ito Smith has tallied the second (1,918/2016) and third-best (1,876/2015) number of all-purpose yards. He has now tallied 4,629 all-purpose yards overall and holds third place on the all-time Southern Miss chart. In two-plus seasons, Smith is averaging 118.7 all-purpose yards per game for Southern Miss. He registered a game-high 213 all-purpose yards in the opener at Kentucky. He added 148 all-purpose yards against Troy, 141 versus UTEP, had 183 versus Marshall and tallied 180 at North Texas, before finishing the regular season with 190 against Louisiana Tech.

Top 5 USM Career All-Purpose Yards

1.	Damion Fletcher (2006-09)	6,253
2.	Bubba Phillips (1947-50)	4,948
4.	Ito Smith (2014-17)	4,629
3.	Tracy Lampley (2009-12)	4,498
5.	Ben Garry (1974-77)	4,071

The Watch Lists

A pair of Southern Miss players were chosen to the Conference USA preseason team in Ito Smith and Allenzae Staggers. Here is also a look at the Southern Miss honorees for the preseason watch lists from this summer:

Watch Lists

- Maxwell Award (most outstanding player) - Ito Smith, Sr.
- Lou Groza Award (best kicker) - Parker Shaunfield, RJr.
- John Mackey Award (best tight end) - Julian Allen, RSR.
- Paul Hornung Award (most versatile player) - Allenzae Staggers, Sr.
- Preseason All-Conference USA - Ito Smith and Allenzae Staggers
- Biletnikoff Award (best receiver) - Allenzae Staggers
- Doak Walker Award (best running back) - Ito Smith

Who Will Be The Signal Caller?

After a tough battle between redshirt junior Kwadra Griggs and sophomore Keon Howard during the spring and in fall camp, the duo will get one more week of competition before a starter is named this Saturday against Kentucky. Howard played four games last season and made two starts when Nick Mullens left the lineup due to injury. Griggs redshirted his first season with Golden Eagles after playing two seasons at Itawamba CC.

Howard the Only QB on Roster with Experience with the Golden Eagles

Freshman Keon Howard made his first career start in his first action as a Golden Eagle at ODU the team's 10th game of the season in 2016. He was the 10th Southern Miss player since the start of the 2008 season to start at quarterback. He also was just the sixth true freshman to ever start at the position in the school's history, with Nick Mullens being the last in 2013.

Howard collected 98 rushing yards in that ODU contest and that ranks as the most ever by a Golden Eagle freshman playing in their first game, surpassing Damion Fletcher, who notched 89 at Florida to start the 2006 campaign. He followed that with 40 rushing yards and 135 yards in the air at North Texas. Mullens returned from injury against Louisiana Tech in the regular-season finale, but Howard still managed some time in the finale as well as the New Orleans Bowl.

Spreading the Love Again

Eleven players that caught a pass last season for the Golden Eagles returns this season, including senior Allenzae Staggers, who caught 63 balls for 1,165 yards. The Golden Eagles return 3,152 of 3,877 receiving yards from a season ago, denoting 81.3 percent of its receiving offense back from a year ago. Two other players that caught at least 35 passes a year ago return along with Staggers, including Ito Smith (43) and Corey Robertson (37).

Staggers Breaks Southern Miss Single Game Receiving Record

Against Rice on Oct. 1, 2016, Allenzae Staggers caught six passes for a school-record 292 receiving yards (surpassing Kendrick Lee's 260 against Houston on Nov. 9, 1996). His catches included touchdown receptions of 75, 81 and 93 yards. It was the first three TD receiving game for the program since Mike Thomas had that number against North Texas in 2015. Those scoring catches were the first three he made in the contest. According to ESPN Stats and Info, he was the first college player in 10 years to catch three 75-plus yard touchdowns in the same game. He also garnered an ESPN helmet sticker for his performance against the Owls, marking the first time that has happened for a Golden Eagle since 2013. His other catches included grabs of 19, 16 and 8 yards for a 48.7 reception average. His receiving total for the game also ranks second all-time in Conference USA. The 93-yard reception marked the third longest pass play in Southern Miss history.

Staggers also added an 11-catch, 230-yard performance against Louisiana-Lafayette in the R+L Carriers New Orleans Bowl en route to earning the bowl's MVP honors. His two 200-yard receiving games are two of only five in the school's history and he is the only Golden Eagle to have more than one.

Career Starts

	Games Played	Games Starts	Current Streak
Defensive Backs			
Applewhite	31	5	-
Armstrong	37	31	13
Collins	34	11	-
Douglas	30	7	-
Mikell	39	4	4
Nelson, Jr.	39	32	3

Linebackers

Ruff	22	3	-
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Defensive Line

Harris	23	6	-
Riley	27	5	1
Thigpen	27	13	13
Yancey	27	18	-

Quarterbacks

Howard	4	2	-
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Running Back

T. Parks	21	1	-
Payne	28	6	-
I. Smith	39	26	17

Tight End

Allen	13	12	7
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Wide Receivers

Jones	12	9	-
Robertson	27	7	3
Staggers	13	11	3
Whitehead	12	1	-

Offensive Line

Farrior	41	27	2
Harris	21	4	-
Pollard	13	13	13

Shaunfield Kicking Them Straight

Redshirt junior Parker Shaunfield, who missed the last three regular-season games with injury, made his first 12 field goal attempts to start the season, before missing a 41-yard attempt in the third quarter against Marshall. He continued his streak of extra points made to 40 and 62 consecutive for his career. His 12 field goal made streak was the longest since Danny Hrapmann had 17-straight makes stretching from 2009 through 2010. Shaunfield played for the Golden Eagles in the New Orleans Bowl and collected four extra point attempts and missed his only field goal attempt of 38 yards, finishing the season 12-of-14 on field goal tries.

A New Punter

After losing a four-year starter at punter, the Golden Eagles will try one of two freshman in the opener against Kentucky. It will be either redshirt frosh Zac Everett or true freshman Briggs Bourgeois. They will replace Tyler Sarrazin who averaged 40.9 yards per boot for 208 punts during his career.

Working Up Front

The Golden Eagle offensive line will feature a young lineup as only three players that have started in their careers return for the 2017. Redshirt senior Devin Farrior, who has played guard over his career, is slated to start at center against UK, replacing four-year starter Cameron Tom there. Redshirt senior Jerry Harris has notched four starts in 21 career games, while sophomore Ty Pollard - the son of running back coach Lytrel Pollard - started every game last season as a redshirt freshman at right tackle.

Looking to Improve on Turnover Margin

The Golden Eagles struggled with turnover margin, holding a -17 on takeaways in 2016. Southern Miss allowed 32 turnovers last season (16 fumbles, 16 interceptions), while forcing just 15 (10 interceptions, five fumbles).

The 32 turnovers committed was the most since allowing 38 in 2013.

Limiting the Opposition's Yards

The Golden Eagles outgained their foes in 12 of 13 games last season. They recorded this feat in the first six games, before LSU held them to its fewest total yards since the Alabama game in 2014 with 242. The previous week, despite losing 55-32 at UTSA, the Golden Eagles outgained the home squad, 557-532. The Golden Eagles also tallied a school-record 702 yards against Rice. Southern Miss' defense limited the opposition to 324.8 yards per game which ranked No. 15 in the FBS in total defense and first in Conference USA. The Golden Eagle offense averaged 472.8 a contest which was tied for No. 21 in the FBS. Southern Miss finished in the Top 25 in the FBS for both total offense and total defense for the first time in its history.

2016 Total Offensive Yards		
USM	Game	Opp.
520	Kentucky	409
615	Savannah State	41
421	Troy	309
378	UTEP	258
702	Rice	346
557	UTSA	532
242	LSU	459
474	Marshall	226
498	Charlotte	439
452	ODU	320
380	North Texas	378
426	LA Tech	254
481	UL Lafayette	252

Thigpen Has Solid First Year as Starter

Junior defensive lineman Xavier Thigpen enjoyed a stellar career first start to open his 2016 season at UK by blocking a punt on the game's first possession, while also registering a forced fumble and a fumble recovery in the contest. He notched 33 tackles, including 12.5 for loss. Four of those TFLs came against Troy for a total of 23 yards lost. He notched the most TFLs in a game since Jamie Collins had that many against UAB on Nov. 3, 2012.

Nelson, Jr., Returns as the Team's Top Tackler in 2016

Senior defensive back Picasso Nelson, Jr., returns as the team's top tackler from a season ago, as he notched 48 stops (26 solos) to go along with two tackles for loss and a pair of interceptions, both coming in the regular-season finale at home against Louisiana Tech.

For his career, Nelson, Jr., holds 143 tackles to his credit (89 solo) with seven tackles for loss, four interceptions, 14 pass breakups, a forced fumble and a block.

Mikell Snags Two Picks; Breaks School Record in Process

Junior back Curtis Mikell tallied his first two career interceptions at UTEP last season, becoming the first Golden Eagle to pick off two passes in the same game since Marquese Wheaton did it against SMU on Oct. 22, 2011. His second pick was returned for 100 yards and a touchdown, tying the school record for longest interception return (Kendrick Presley vs. Memphis, 11/26/11). He followed that outing with a career-high tying eight solo tackles against Rice.

Mikell earned his first four career starts in the defensive backfield over the final four contests last season.

The senior from Bassfield, Miss., one of five players from that hometown on the roster - the others are Cornell Armstrong, Jomez Applewhite, T-Rod Daniels and Racheem Boothe - has tallied 71 career tackles in the 39 games for the Golden Eagles.

Sherrod Ruff is the only Starting Linebacker Back from Last Season

Sherrod Ruff of Cordelle, Ga., has played the last two seasons for the Golden Eagles after playing a year at Coffeyville (Kan.) CC. He has 61 career tackles, including 37 a year ago with 11 of those for loss. He is the only player back from a year ago that has started at linebacker, as both C.J. Perry and Elijah Parker graduated following last season.

WEEK ONE DEPTH CHART (as of Aug. 28, 2017)

Offense			
WR	88	ISAIAH JONES -OR- QUEZ WATKINS	6-4, 202, Sr. 6-0, 177, So.
WR	18	KOREY ROBERTSON	6-2, 215, RJr.
	80	Jordan Mitchell	6-3, 207, RSo.
LT	79	DRAKE DORBECK	6-6, 293, RSo.
	71	Paul Gainer	6-3, 280, Fr.
LG	63	ARVIN FLETCHER	6-2, 302, RFr.
	67	Hayden Sturdevant	6-4, 287, RSr.
C	78	DEVIN FARRIOR	6-4, 308, RSr.
	52	Tyler Stutzman	6-6, 275, RSr.
RG	74	JERRY HARRIS	6-3, 291, RSr.
	70	Jimmie Terry	6-3, 372, Jr.
RT	76	TY POLLARD	6-7, 314, RSo.
	50	Woodlyson Alcius	6-4, 313, Fr.
WR	15	ALLENZAE STAGGERS	6-2, 169, Sr.
	83	Chase Whitehead -or-	5-9, 165, RJr.
	3	Jaylond Adams	5-10, 180, Fr.
TE	11	JULIAN ALLEN	64, 230, RSr.
	1	Jay'Shawn Washington	6-1, 247, RJr.
QB	7	KWADRA GRIGGS -OR-	6-4, 216, RJr.
	2	KEON HOWARD	6-0, 226, So.
RB	25	ITO SMITH	5-9, 193, Sr.
	8	Tez Parks	6-1, 208, RJr.

Special Teams			
KO	40	BRIGGS BOURGEOIS	6-1, 177, Fr.
	21	Parker Shaunfield	6-0, 170, RJr.
PK	21	PARKER SHAUNFIELD	6-0, 170, RJr.
	40	Briggs Bourgeois	6-1, 177, Fr.
P	93	ZAC EVERETT -OR-	6-1, 186, RFr.
	40	BRIGGS BOURGEOIS	6-1, 177, Fr.
DS	62	COLLIN MILLS	6-0, 244, RJr.
	89	Duncan Sparks	6-3, 243, Sr.
H	82	REID RIALS	6-1, 193, RSo.
	93	Zac Everett	6-1, 186, RFr.
KR	28	T-ROD DANIELS	5-9, 175, Jr.
	8	Tez Parks	6-1, 208, RJr.
PR	15	ALLENZAE STAGGERS	6-1, 190, Jr.
	16	Quez Watkins -or-	6-0, 177, So.
	8	Tez Parks	6-1, 208, RJr.

Defense			
DE	43	LaDARIUS HARRIS	6-2, 259, Jr.
	32	Xavier Thigpen	6-7, 232, RSr.
NT	17	DELMOND LANDRY	6-4, 305, Jr.
	55	Demarrio Smith	6-2, 265, So.
DT	9	DRAPER RILEY	6-4, 304, RSr.
	90	Rod Crayton	6-0, 284, RSr.
WOLF	30	PAXTON SCHRIMSHER	6-3, 231, RSo.
	22	Darian Yancey	6-3, 247, RJr.
ROVER	7	JOMEZ APPLEWHITE	6-1, 181, RSr.
	14	Demetrius Market	5-8, 171, So.
MLB	37	SHERRORD RUFF	5-10, 216, Sr.
	26	Jeremy Sangster	6-0, 231, RJr.
SLB	41	RACHEEM BOOTHE	6-0, 230, RFr.
	5	Walden Davis	6-0, 201, RJr.
FC	3	CORNELL ARMSTRONG	6-1, 185, Sr.
	21	Rachau Mitchell	5-10, 166, RFr.
NICKEL	13	PICASSO NELSON, Jr.	5-10, 193, Sr.
	6	Kelsey Douglas	5-11, 190, Sr.
FS	18	TARVARIUS MOORE	6-1, 193, Sr.
	27	Kevin Williams, Jr.	6-0, 191, RSr.
BC	19	CURTIS MIKELL	5-9, 170, Sr.
	2	Trae Collins	5-10, 180, RSr.

Pronunciation Guide			
Players			
50 WOODLYSON ALCIUS	Wood-lie-son Al-see-us	25 ITO Smith	E-toe
7 JOMEZ Applewhite	Joe-mezz	15 ALLENZAE Staggers	Alan-Zay
41 RAKEEM Boothe	Ruh-keem	52 Tyler STUTZMAN	Stoots-man
40 Briggs BOURGEOIS	Boo-zwa	99 JACQUEZ Turner	Jock-kwez
8 JONTE Demby	John-Tay	16 QUEZ Watkins	Kwez
78 DEVIN FARRIOR	Dev-on Fare-ee-or	Coaches	
28 Tyler FLATHAU	Flat-how	Dan Disch	Dish
86 ANTAWYN FLUDD	An-Tuh-wyn	Tony Pecoraro	Peck-uh-rar-oh
7 KWADRA Griggs	Quad-dre	Lytrel Pollard	Luh-trell
43 LADARIUS Harris	Luh-dare-ee-us		
60 Hayden MCMAHAN	Mac-muh-han		
19 Curtis MIKELL	Michael		
21 RASHUAN Mitchell	Ruh-shawn		
18 TARVARIUS Moore	Tuh-var-ee-us		
36 D'SAVEON Patrick	Da-save-ee-yon		
81 Reid RIALS	Riles		
66 Wyatt RICHTOFEN	Rich-toe-fin		
30 Paxton SCHRIMSHER	Skrim-sheer		

2017 SOUTHERN MISS GOLDEN EAGLES ROSTER

NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL-EXP	HOMETOWN / PREVIOUS SCHOOL										
1	Xavier Marion	DB	6-1	209	RJr.-2L	Ridgeland, Miss. / Ridgeland HS	49	Allen Fails, Jr.	OLB	6-2	216	RJr.-SQ	Hattiesburg, Miss. / East Central CC			
1	Jay/Shawn Washington	TE	6-1	247	RJr.-2L	Marrero, La. / John Ehret HS	50	Woodlyson Alcius	OL	6-4	313	Fr.-HS	Miami, Fla. / N. Miami Beach HS			
2	Trae Collins	DB	5-10	180	RSr.-3L	Columbus, Miss. / New Hope HS	51	Cody Block	DS	6-0	206	RSr.-2L	Glendale, Ariz. / Glendale CC			
2	Keon Howard	QB	6-0	226	So.-1L	Laurel, Miss. / Laurel HS	52	Tyler Stutzman	OL	6-6	275	RSr.-SQ	Smithdale, Miss. / SW Mississippi CC			
3	Jaylond Adams	WR	5-10	180	Fr.-HS	Adamsville, Ala. / Minor HS	53	Trey Lingold	LB	5-9	215	RFr.-RS	Florence, Miss. / Florence HS			
3	Cornell Armstrong	DB	6-0	185	Sr.-3L	Bassfield, Miss. / Bassfield HS	55	Demarrio Smith	DL	6-2	265	So.-SQ	Canton, Miss. / Canton HS			
5	Walden Davis	DB	6-0	201	RJr.-2L	Decatur, Ga. / Peachtree Ridge HS	56	Zach Portlock	LB	6-1	211	Fr.-HS	Mobile, Ala. / Davidson HS			
5	Carter Hankins	QB	6-4	223	RJr.-TR	Purvis, Miss. / Forrest County AHS	58	Grey Best	OL	6-2	280	RFr.-RS	Hoover, Ala. / Spain Park HS			
6	Kelsey Douglas	DB	5-11	190	RSr.-3L	Missouri City, Texas / Hightower HS	59	Austin Keel	DS	5-9	199	RJr.-SQ	Gulfport, Miss. / D'Iberville HS			
7	Jomez Applewhite	DB	6-1	181	RSr.-3L	Bassfield, Miss. / Bassfield HS	60	Hayden McMahan	OL	6-5	269	RJr.-SQ	Wilmer, Ala. / Faith Academy			
7	Kwadra Griggs	QB	6-4	216	RJr.-RS	Greenwood, Miss. / Itawamba CC	61	Jacob Tran	LS	5-11	251	Sr.-SQ	Hattiesburg, Miss. / Pearl River CC			
8	JonTe Demby	DB	5-9	155	RFr.-HS	Port Gibson, Miss. / Port Gibson HS	62	Collin Mills	LS	6-0	244	RJr.-SQ	Citra, Fla. / UCF			
8	Tez Parks	RB	6-1	208	RJr.-2L	LaGrange, Ga. / Callaway HS	63	Arvin Fletcher	OL	6-2	302	RFr.-RS	Madison, Miss. / Germantown HS			
9	Draper Riley	DL	6-4	304	RSr.-3L	Harvey, La. / West Jefferson HS	66	Wyatt Richthofen	OL	6-4	296	RFr.-RS	New Iberia, La. / Catholic HS			
9	Marcelo Rodriguez	QB	6-2	201	Fr.-HS	Miami, Fla. / Columbus HS	67	Hayden Sturdevant	OL/DL	6-4	287	Fr.-HS	Salisbury, Conn. / Salisbury HS			
11	Julian Allen	TE	6-4	230	RSr.-1L	Sewell, N.J. / Lackawanna College	68	Bryce Foxworth	OL	6-3	316	Fr.-HS	Pinellas Park, Fla. / Boca Ciega HS			
11	Thomas Morton	QB	6-4	212	Fr.-HS	Niceville, Fla. / Niceville HS	70	Jimmie Terry	OL	6-3	372	Jr.-TR	Madison, Miss. / Tyler JC			
12	Steven Anderson	TE	6-2	242	Fr.-HS	Live Oak, Fla. / Suwannee HS	71	Paul Gainer	OL	6-3	280	Fr.-HS	Gautier, Miss. / Gautier HS			
13	Picasso Nelson Jr.	DB	5-10	193	Sr.-3L	Mendenhall, Miss. / Oak Grove HS	74	Jerry Harris	OL	6-3	291	RFr.-3L	Hueytown, Ala. / Hueytown HS			
13	Willie Green	QB	6-1	215	Fr.-HS	Columbia,S.C./Palmetto Prep	75	Travion Clayton	OL	6-2	335	Fr.-HS	Maccleddy, Ala. / Baker County HS			
14	Demetrius Market	DB	5-8	171	So.-1L	Batesville, Miss. / South Panola HS	76	Ty Pollard	OL	6-7	314	RSo.-1L	Hattiesburg, Miss. / Oak Grove HS			
14	Tyler Russell	QB	6-1	189	RFr.-RS	Niceville, Fla. / Niceville HS	78	Devin Fariior	OL	6-4	308	RSr.-3L	Waynesboro, Miss. / Wayne County HS			
15	Allenzae Staggers	WR	6-2	169	Sr.-1L	Woodville, Miss. / East Miss. CC	79	Drake Dorbeck	OL	6-6	293	RSo.-1L	Vicksburg, Miss. / Saint Aloysius HS			
16	Quez Watkins	WR	6-0	177	RFr.-RS	Athens, Ala. / Athens HS	80	Jordan Mitchell	WR	6-3	207	RSo.-1L	Hattiesburg, Miss. / Oak Grove HS			
17	Delmond Landry	DL	6-4	305	Jr.-TR	Donaldsonville, La. / SW Mississippi CC	81	Reid Rials	WR	6-1	193	WR	6-1	193	RSo.-1L	Satsuma, Ala. / Satsuma HS
17	Darius Maberry	RB	5-9	191	Fr.-HS	Bolton, Miss. / Clinton HS	82	Trevor Terry	WR	6-1	188	So.-TR	Long Beach, Miss. / Jones County JC			
18	Tarvarius Moore	DB	6-1	193	Sr.-1L	Quitman, Miss. / Pearl River CC	83	Chase Whitehead	WR	5-9	165	RJr.-1L	Fort Walton Beach, Fla./USF			
18	Korey Robertson	WR	6-2	215	RJr.-2L	Greenwood, Miss. / Greenwood HS	84	John Milam	K	6-0	175	RFr.-HS	Ridgeland, Miss. / Ridgeland HS			
19	Curtis Mikell	DB	5-9	170	Sr.-3L	Bassfield, Miss. / Bassfield HS	85	Ben Olinger	WR	5-8	170	RSr.-SQ	Hoover, Ala. / Jacksonville State			
19	Sam Smith	WR	6-3	190	Fr.-HS	Covington, La. / Northlake Christian HS	86	Antawyn Fludd	WR	5-8	162	Fr.-HS	Okeechobee, Fla. / Okeechobee HS			
20	Kris Reed	DB	5-10	173	Fr.-HS	Tallahassee, Fla. / Chiles HS	87	Tim Jones	WR	6-1	192	Fr.-HS	Biloxi, Miss. / Biloxi, HS			
21	Rachuan Mitchell	DB	5-10	166	RFr.-RS	Jacksonville, Fla. / University Christian Sch.	88	Isaiah Jones	WR	6-4	202	Sr.-1L	Milton, Fla. / East Mississippi CC			
21	Parker Shaunfield	PK	6-0	170	RJr.-2L	Aledo, Texas / Aledo HS	89	Jacob Jones	WR	5-9	170	Jr.-TR	Lucedale, Miss. (Pearl River CC)			
22	Darian Yancey	OLB	6-3	247	RJr.-2L	Auburn, Ala. / Auburn HS	89	Duncan Sparks	DE	6-3	243	Sr.-TR	Greensboro, N.C. / Lafayette College			
23	Colin Kilcrease	RB	6-0	205	RJr.-2L	Whitesboro, Texas / Whitesboro HS	90	Rod Crayton	DL	6-0	284	RSr.-3L	Dadeville, Ala. / Dadeville HS			
23	Darius Lambert	DB	6-0	177	Fr.-TR	Burlington, Wash. / Memphis	91	Gavin Greene	OLB	6-1	247	RFr.-RS	Destin, Fla. / Niceville HS			
24	Darius Kennedy	DB	6-2	213	Jr.-TR	Moss Point, Miss. / Miss. Gulf Coast CC	92	Tahj Sykes	DL	6-3	279	Fr.-HS	Columbus, Miss. / Columbus HS			
24	George Payne	RB	6-1	205	RSr.-3L	Mobile, Ala. / St. Luke's Episcopal HS	93	Zac Everett	P	6-1	186	RFr.-RS	Saraland, Ala./Saraland HS			
25	Justin Abston	DB	5-11	183	RSr.-4L	Mobile, Ala. / Davidson HS	94	Carter Sims	TE	6-4	247	So.-SQ	Oneonta, Ala. / Oneonta HS			
25	Ito Smith	RB	5-9	193	Sr.-3L	Mobile, Ala. / McGill-Toolen Catholic HS	95	Andrew Cole	DL	6-4	318	Fr.-HS	Somerville, Tenn. / Fayette Ware HS			
26	Brian King	WR	5-11	190	Jr.-TR	Crystal Springs, Miss. / Central Hinds Aca.	96	Parker Holland	K	6-2	177	Fr.-HS	Gadsden, Ala. / Gadsden City HS			
26	Jeremy Sangster	LB	6-0	231	RJr.-2L	Louisville, Miss. / Louisville HS	97	Devin Thomas	LB	6-1	200	Fr.-HS	Norcross, Ga. / Greater Atlanta Christian HS			
27	Aaron Garrett	K	5-11	205	Jr.-TR	Meridian, Miss. / East Central CC	98	Brock Byrd	WR	5-8	172	Fr.-HS	Long Beach, Miss. / Long Beach HS			
27	Kevin Williams Jr.	DB	6-0	191	RSr.-3L	Frisco, Texas / Wakeland HS	99	Jacques Turner	DL	6-2	243	RFr.-RS	D'Iberville, Miss. / D'Iberville HS			
28	T'Rod Daniels	RB	5-9	175	Jr.-TR	Bassfield, Miss. / Miss. Gulf Coast CC										
28	Tyler Flathau	PK	6-0	198	Jr.-TR	Hattiesburg, Miss. / Arkansas State										
29	Ernest Gunn	DB	6-1	188	RSo.-1L	Selma, Ala. / Selma HS										
29	William Potosky III	TE	6-5	240	RSo.-SQ	Hudson, Fla. / Bishop McLaughlin Catholic HS										
30	Raymond Smith, Jr.	RB	5-8	178	RSo.-SQ	Pensacola, Fla. / Peru State										
30	Paxton Schrimsher	LB	6-3	231	RSo.-1L	Athens, Ala. / Athens HS										
31	Andre Hale II	RB	5-10	194	RFr.-RS	Orlando, Fla. / Lake Nona HS										
32	Xavier Thigpen	DL	6-7	232	RSr.-3L	Hebron, Miss. / West Jones HS										
33	T.J. McGinnis	WR	6-2	202	RFr.-RS	Sandhill, Miss. / Pisgah HS										
35	LaMarque Davis	DB	6-2	175	Fr.-HS	Arlington, Texas / Timberview HS										
36	D'Saveon Patrick	LB	6-2	216	RSo.-SQ	Forest, Miss. / Scott Central HS										
37	Sherrod Ruff	LB	5-10	216	Sr.-2L	Cordele, Ga. / Coffeyville CC										
39	WyDale Flott	DB	5-11	176	Fr.-HS	Saraland, Ala. / Saraland HS										
40	Briggs Bourgeois	PK	6-1	177	Fr.-HS	St. Amant, La. / St. Amant HS										
41	Racheem Boothe	LB	6-0	230	RFr.-RS	Bassfield, Miss. / Bassfield HS										
42	Seth Holloway	LB	5-11	228	RSo.-HS	Hattiesburg, Miss. / Presbyterian Christian										
43	LaDarius Harris	DL	6-2	259	Jr.-2L	Pinson, Ala. / Clay-Chalkville HS										
45	Derrick Dixon	DL	6-3	262	RSr.-1L	Lancaster, Pa. / Lackawanna College										
46	Tyler Barnes	DB	5-10	184	Fr.-HS	D'Iberville, Miss. / D'Iberville HS										
47	Santrell Latham	LB	6-2	220	Fr.-HS	Meridian, Miss. / Meridian HS										
48	Ray Ladner	LB	6-3	225	Fr.-HS	Kiln, Miss. / Hancock HS										

The Last Time

Southern Miss Individual

Rushed for 100 or More Yards: 138 yards on 26 carries by Ito Smith vs. Louisiana-Lafayette, 12/17/16

Rushed for 200 or More Yards: 230 yards on 27 carries by Jalen Richard at Texas State, 9/19/15

Rushed for 300 or More Yards: 304 Yards by Sam Dejarnette on 43 carries against Florida State, 9/25/82

Rushed 50 or More Yards for a Touchdown: Ito Smith scored on a 70-yard touchdown vs. Troy, 9/17/16

Two Rushers With 100 or More Yards: 128 yards on 8 carries by Ito Smith and 116 yards on 14 carries by George Payne vs. Savannah State, 9/10/16

Three Rushing Touchdowns: Ito Smith rushed for three touchdowns at Old Dominion, 11/12/16

Four Rushing Touchdowns: Jalen Richard rushed for four touchdowns against Old Dominion, 11/21/15

Five Rushing Touchdowns: Austin Davis rushed for five touchdowns against UAB, 11/1/08

20 Pass Completions: 25 by Nick Mullens vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Passed for 300 or More Yards: Nick Mullens had 346 yards on 25-of-40 passing vs. UL Laf., 11/25/16

Passed for 400 or More Yards: Nick Mullens had 591 yards on 25-of-36 passing vs. Rice, 10/1/16

Passed for 500 or More Yards: Nick Mullens had 591 yards on 25-of-36 passing vs. Rice, 10/1/16

Completed a Pass of 50 Yards or More for a Touchdown: Keon Howard completed a 55-yard pass to Marquise Ricard at ODU, 11/12/16

Completed a Pass 75 Yards or More for a Touchdown: Nick Mullens completed a 78-yard pass to Chase Whitehead vs. Charlotte, 11/5/16

Caught 10 or More Passes: Allenzae Staggers caught 11 passes for 230 Yards vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Caught Passes for 100 Yards or More: Allenzae Staggers caught 11 passes for 230 yards vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Caught Passes for 200 Yards or More: Allenzae Staggers caught 11 passes for 230 yards vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Two Receivers with 100 or More Yards: Allenzae Staggers caught 6 passes for 292 yards and Julian Allen caught 3 passes for 101 yards vs. Rice, 10/1/16

Two Receivers with Two Receiving Touchdowns: Ito Smith and Mike Thomas both had two touchdowns at Rice, 11/14/15

Caught Three Touchdown Passes: Allenzae Staggers had three touchdowns vs. Rice, 10/1/16

Returned a Punt for a Touchdown: Allenzae Staggers returned a punt 75 yards vs. Savannah St., 9/10/16

Returned a Kickoff for a Touchdown: Jalen Richard returned a kickoff 95 yards at Charlotte, 10/24/15

Returned a Blocked Punt for a Touchdown: 0 yards by Tray Becton-Martin vs. Nevada, 12/24/11

Returned a Blocked Field Goal for a Touchdown: Cornell Armstrong returned a blocked field goal 78 yards at UTEP, 11/1/14

Returned an Interception for a Touchdown: Curtis Mikell (100 yards) at UTEP, 9/24/16

Two Interceptions in a Game: Curtis Mikell finished with two interceptions at UTEP, 9/24/16

Returned a fumble for a Touchdown: Marquese Wheaton returned a fumble 75 yards vs. Rice, 10/1/11

Scored a Defensive Extra Point: 85 yards by Rod Davis at Alabama, 11/29/01

Southern Miss Miscellaneous

Scored Four or More Touchdowns: Jalen Richard rushed for four touchdowns vs. ODU, 11/21/15

Punt of More Than 50 Yards: Tyler Sarrazin had a punt of 54 yards vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Kicked a 50 or More Yard Field Goal: Corey Acosta kicked a 52-yard field goal vs. Rice, 9/27/14

Had a Safety: Team registered vs. FIU, 10/5/13

Blocked a Field Goal: Dylan Bradley blocked Amoreto Curraj's 43-yard field goal vs. Marshall, 10/29/16

Blocked a Punt: Xavier Thigpen at Kentucky, 9/3/16

Blocked an Extra Point: Dasman McCullum vs. Appalachian State, 9/20/14

Southern Miss Team

Rushed for 300 or More Yards: 369 vs. Savannah St., 9/10/16

Rushed for 400 or More Yards: 463 vs. UAB, 11/1/08

Passed for 300 or More Yards: 346 vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Passed for 400 or More Yards: 404 vs. Charlotte, 11/5/16

Passed for 500 or More Yards: 591 vs. Rice, 10/1/16

Total Off. Surpassed 400 Yards: 481 vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Total Off. Surpassed 500 Yards: 557 at UTSA, 10/8/16

Total Off. Surpassed 600 Yards: 702 vs. Rice, 10/1/16

Scored 50 or More Points: 56 vs. Savannah State, 9/10/16

Shut out an Opponent: 56-0 vs. Savannah St., 9/10/16

Held an Opp Under 50 Yds Rushing: 8, vs. La Tech, 11/25/16

Held Opp Under 100 Yds Rushing: 8, vs. LA Tech, 11/25/16

Held an Opp. Under 50 Yards Passing: 30, vs. Savannah State, 9/10/16

Held an Opp. Under 100 Yards Passing: 95, vs. UL Lafayette, 12/17/16

Held an Opp. Under 100 Yards of Total Offense: 41, vs. Savannah State, 9/10/16

Opponent Individual

Rushed for 100 or More Yards: 111 by Willy Ivery of North Texas, 11/19/16

Rushed for 200 or More Yards: 262 by Jordan Howard of UAB, 11/29/14

Rushed for 50 or More Yards for a Touchdown: 67 by Ray Lawry of Old Dominion, 11/12/16

Scored on Pass play of 50 or More Yards: 55 by Turner Smiley of North Texas, 11/19/16

Five Rushing Touchdowns: 5 by Antowain Smith of Houston, 11/9/96

20 Pass Completions: 22 by Ryan Higgins of LA Tech, 11/25/16

30 Pass Completions: 34 by Jake Browning of Washington, 12/26/15

Passed for 300 or More Yards: 323 by Drew Barker of Kentucky, 9/3/16

Passed for 400 or More Yards: 410 by Brandon Doughty of WKU, 12/5/15

Completed a Pass of 50 or More Yards for a Touchdown: 55 by Alec Morris of North Texas, 11/19/16

Completed a Pass of 75 or More Yards for a Touchdown: 80 by Danny Etling of LSU, 10/15/16

Caught 10 or More Passes: 10 by Trent Taylor of Louisiana Tech, 11/25/16

Caught Passes for 100 Yards or More: 119 yards by Trent Taylor of Louisiana Tech, 11/25/16

Returned a Punt for a Touchdown: Eugene Wilson of Illinois returned a punt 70 yards, 9/7/02

Returned a Kickoff for a Touchdown: Brandon Holloway of Miss. State returned a kickoff 100 yards,

9/5/15

Recovered a Blocked Punt for a Touchdown: Ed Rolle of Charlotte returned a blocked punt 0 yards, 11/5/16

Returned a Blocked Field Goal for a Touchdown: Jay Hughes of Mississippi State returned a blocked field goal 68 yards, 8/30/14

Returned an Interception for a Touchdown: Trey Brown of UTEP returned a 51-yard pass for UTEP, 11/1/14

Two Interceptions: Nate Brooks of North Texas finished with two interceptions, 11/19/16

Three Interceptions: DeAngelo Smith of Cincinnati finished with three interceptions, 12/22/07

Returned a Fumble for a Touchdown: Xavier Woods of LA Tech returned a fumble 30 yards, 11/25/16

Had a Score by Safety: Tyler Sarrazin stepped out of the end zone on a punt at North Texas, 11/19/16

Returned two Fumbles for Touchdowns: Michael Kutzler returned a 17-yard fumble and Xavier Webb returned a 96-yard fumble for Rice, 10/11/11

Opponent Miscellaneous

Scored Five or More Touchdowns: 6 by Antowain Smith of Houston, 11/9/96

Kicked a Field Goal 50 Yards or More: 54 yards by Warren Harvey of East Carolina, 9/15/12

Three or More Field Goals: Cameron Van Winkle of Washington kicked three field goals, 12/26/15

Blocked a Field Goal: Marshall's Ryan Bee blocked a 21-yard Parker Shaunfield attempt, 10/9/15

Blocked a Punt: Charlotte's Juwan Foggie blocked a Tyler Sarrazin punt, 11/5/16

Blocked an Extra Point: LA Tech's Aaron Brown blocked Stephen Brauchle's extra point, 11/25/16

Scored a Defensive Extra Point: C.J. Wilson of East Carolina returned a blocked extra point try, 11/28/09

Had a 70-plus yard punt: Kaare Vedvik of Marshall had a 72 yard punt, 10/29/16

Opponent Team

Held USM To Less Than 100 Yards of Total Offense: 54 at Alabama, 9/12/92

Recorded a Shutout: Mississippi State, 49-0, 8/30/14

Rushed for 300 Yards or more: 303 yards by Charlotte, 11/5/16

Rushed for 400 Yards or more: 421 yards by Navy, 10/8/11

Held USM to Fewer Than 100 Yards Rushing: 84 by LA Tech, 11/25/16

Passed for 400 or More Yards: 410 by WKU, 12/5/15

Gained Over 500 Yards of Total Off.: 532 by UTSA, 10/8/16

Passed for over 500 Yards: 559 yards by Houston, 10/31/09

Gained Over 600 Yards of Total Offense: 610 by Nebraska, 9/26/15

Scored 50 or More Points: 51 by ODU, 11/12/16

2016 Starting Assignments

Offense

Opponent	WR	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	WR	QB	RB
Kentucky											
Southern											
ULM											
North Texas											
UTSA											
UTEP											
Louisiana Tech											
UAB											
Tennessee											
Rice											
Charlotte											
Marshall											

Defense

Opponent	BANDIT	NT	DT	Wolf	ROVER	MLB	SLB	FC	Nickel	FS	BC
Kentucky											
Southern											
ULM											
North Texas											
UTSA											
UTEP											
Louisiana Tech											
UAB											
Tennessee											
Rice											
Charlotte											
Marshall											

How the 2017 Golden Eagles Were Built

<p>2013 Freshmen Signees Jomez Applewhite (RS-2013)* Trae Collins (RS-2013)* Rod Crayton (RS-2013)* Kelsey Douglas* (RS-2015) Devin Fariior (RS-2013, med.) Jerry Harris (RS-2013)* George Payne (RS-2015)* Draper Riley (RS-2013)* Xavier Thigpen (RS-2013)* Walk-Ons Justin Abston (RS-2014)* Kevin Williams, Jr. (RS-2013)* 2014 Freshmen Signees Cornell Armstrong* Walden Davis (RS-2014)* Xavier Marion (RS-2014)* Hayden McMahan (RS-2014)* Curtis Mikell* Picasso Nelson, Jr.* Tez Parks* Corey Robertson (RS-2014)* Jeremy Sangster (RS-2014)* Parker Shaunfield (RS-2014)* Ito Smith*</p>	<p>Jay/Shawn Washington (RS-2014)* Darian Yancey (RS-2014)* Walk-Ons Austin Keel (RS-2014)* Collin Kilcrease (RS-2014)* 2015 Freshmen Signees Drake Dorbeck (RS-2015)* Ernest Gunn (RS-2015)* LaDarius Harris* Jordan Mitchell* D'Saveon Patrick (RS-2015)* Ty Pollard (RS-2015)* Reid Rials (RS-2015)* Paxton Schrimsher (RS-2015)* JC Signees Julian Allen* Cody Block* Derrick Dixon* Sherrod Ruff* Tyler Stutzman* Walk-On William Potosky III Transfer Walk-Ons Ben Olinger (Jacksonville St.)</p>	<p>2016 Freshmen Signees Racheem Boothe* Arvin Fletcher * Andre Hale II* Keon Howard* Demetrius Market* T.J. McGinnis* Rachuan Mitchell* Wyatt Richthofen* Demarrio Smith* Jacques Turner* Quez Watkins* JC Signees Kwadra Griggs* Tarvarius Moore* Allenzae Stagers* Isaiah Jones* Transfers Collin Mills (UCF) Raymond Smith, Jr. (Peru St.) Chase Whitehead (USF)* JC Walk-On Allen Fails, Jr.* Walk-Ons Grey Best Zac Everrett</p>	<p>Gavin Greene Trey Lingold John Milam Tyler Russell Jacob Tran 2017 Freshmen Signees Jaylond Adams* Woodlyson Alcius* Steven Anderson* Tyler Barnes* Briggs Bourgeois* Travion Clayton* Andrew Cole* LaMarque Davis* Wydale Flott* Antawyn Fludd* Bryce Foxworth* Paul Gainer* Tim Jones* Santrell Latham* Darius Maberry* Kris Reed* Marcelo Rodriguez* Tahj Sykes* JC Signees Delmond Landry*</p>	<p>T-Rod Daniels* Jimmie Terry* Trevor Terry* Transfers Duncan Sparks (Lafayette) Tyler Flathau (Arkansas State) Carter Hankins (SLU) Seth Holloway (Miss. College) Brian King Taran Lambert (Memphis) JC Walk-On Aaron Garrett Jacob Jones Darius Kennedy Carter Sims Walk-Ons Brock Byrd Jonte Demby Willie Green Parker Holland Ray Ladner Thomas Morton Zach Portlock Sam Smith Hayden Sturdevant Devin Thomas * Scholarship</p>
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Southern Miss Game Results (as of Dec 17, 2016)
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Date	Opponent		Score	Overall	Conference	Time	Attend
Sep 03, 2016	at Kentucky	W	44-35	1-0	0-0	3:47	57230
Sep 10, 2016	SAVANNAH STATE	W	56-0	2-0	0-0	2:52	29509
Sep 17, 2016	TROY	L	31-37	2-1	0-0	4:12	27905
* Sep 24, 2016	at UTEP	W	34-7	3-1	1-0	3:07	21419
* Oct 1, 2016	RICE	W	44-28	4-1	2-0	3:19	28325
* Oct 8, 2016	at UTSA	L	32-55	4-2	2-1	3:25	19818
Oct 15, 2016	at #25 LSU	L	10-45	4-3	2-1	3:11	102164
* Oct 29, 2016	MARSHALL	W	24-14	5-3	3-1	3:16	31275
* Nov 05, 2016	CHARLOTTE	L	27-38	5-4	3-2	3:21	28347
* Nov 12, 2016	at Old Dominion	L	35-51	5-5	3-3	3:16	20118
* Nov 19, 2016	at North Texas	L	23-29	5-6	3-4	3:26	19120
* Nov 25, 2016	LOUISIANA TECH	W	39-24	6-6	4-4	3:31	26164
BDec 17, 2016	at LA	W	28-21	7-6	4-4	3:55	35061

* Conference USA game

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Southern Miss Overall Team Statistics (as of Dec 17, 2016)
All games

Team Statistics	USM	OPP
SCORING	427	384
Points Per Game	32.8	29.5
Points Off Turnovers	47	118
FIRST DOWNS	307	193
Rushing	121	90
Passing	157	83
Penalty	29	20
RUSHING YARDAGE	2269	1949
Yards gained rushing	2688	2379
Yards lost rushing	419	430
Rushing Attempts	544	427
Average Per Rush	4.2	4.6
Average Per Game	174.5	149.9
TDs Rushing	26	28
PASSING YARDAGE	3877	2274
Comp-Att-Int	285-478-16	170-312-10
Average Per Pass	8.1	7.3
Average Per Catch	13.6	13.4
Average Per Game	298.2	174.9
TDs Passing	26	19
TOTAL OFFENSE	6146	4223
Total Plays	1022	739
Average Per Play	6.0	5.7
Average Per Game	472.8	324.8
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	54-959	52-1158
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	27-252	16-86
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	10-180	16-157
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	17.8	22.3
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	9.3	5.4
INT RETURN AVERAGE	18.0	9.8
FUMBLES-LOST	28-16	15-5
PENALTIES-Yards	97-839	86-760
Average Per Game	64.5	58.5
PUNTS-Yards	54-2371	87-3756
Average Per Punt	43.9	43.2
Net punt average	40.5	39.8
KICKOFFS-Yards	81-4703	70-4175
Average Per Kick	58.1	59.6
Net kick average	38.2	40.9
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	33:27	26:33
3RD-DOWN Conversions	83/203	37/154
3rd-Down Pct	41%	24%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	22/35	5/12
4th-Down Pct	63%	42%
SACKS BY-Yards	34-242	29-219
MISC YARDS	10	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	55	50
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	15-18	10-14
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-3	0-2
RED-ZONE SCORES	(47-55) 85%	(33-40) 82%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(37-55) 67%	(28-40) 70%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(50-52) 96%	(50-50) 100%
ATTENDANCE	171525	274930
Games/Avg Per Game	6/28588	7/39276
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Southern Miss	100	126	113	88	0	427
Opponents	139	103	69	73	0	384

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Rushing	gp-gs	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
SMITH, Ito	13-13	265	1506	47	1459	5.5	17	86	112.2
PAYNE, George	13-3	103	526	30	496	4.8	2	25	38.2
PARKS, Tez	12-0	34	171	16	155	4.6	0	17	12.9
HOWARD, Keon	4-2	44	239	89	150	3.4	2	22	37.5
ADAMSON, Parker	4-0	13	60	0	60	4.6	1	11	15.0
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13-11	3	40	1	39	13.0	0	28	3.0
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	10-0	4	30	0	30	7.5	0	18	3.0
SARRAZIN, Tyler	13-0	2	10	0	10	5.0	0	6	0.8
KILCREASE, Collin	11-0	3	8	0	8	2.7	0	4	0.7
OLINGER, Ben	1-0	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
WHITEHEAD, Chase	12-1	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
THOMPSON, D.J.	11-10	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
JONES, Isaiah	12-9	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.2
ROBERTSON, Korey	13-5	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.2
MULLENS, Nick	11-11	51	95	149	-54	-1.1	4	9	-4.9
TEAM	11-0	17	0	82	-82	-4.8	0	0	-7.5
Total	13	544	2688	419	2269	4.2	26	86	174.5
Opponents	13	427	2379	430	1949	4.6	28	92	149.9

Passing	gp-gs	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
MULLENS, Nick	11-11	149.75	243-384-11	63.3	3272	24	93	297.5
HOWARD, Keon	4-2	95.92	22-50-4	44.0	365	1	55	91.2
ADAMSON, Parker	4-0	98.75	19-39-0	48.7	193	1	31	48.2
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13-11	247.40	1-2-0	50.0	47	0	47	3.6
TEAM	11-0	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
PARKS, Tez	12-0	-200.00	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
THOMPSON, D.J.	11-10	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	13	139.01	285-478-16	59.6	3877	26	93	298.2
Opponents	13	129.40	170-312-10	54.5	2274	19	80	174.9

Receiving	gp-gs	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13-11	63	1165	18.5	7	93	89.6
THOMPSON, D.J.	11-10	47	510	10.9	6	35	46.4
SMITH, Ito	13-13	43	459	10.7	2	54	35.3
ROBERTSON, Korey	13-5	37	437	11.8	3	28	33.6
JONES, Isaiah	12-9	20	331	16.5	2	71	27.6
ALLEN, Julian	13-12	19	281	14.8	1	82	21.6
WHITEHEAD, Chase	12-1	18	286	15.9	2	78	23.8
RICARD, Marquise	8-1	12	182	15.2	2	55	22.8
PAYNE, George	13-3	10	67	6.7	0	31	5.2
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	10-0	8	102	12.8	0	24	10.2
WASHINGTON, Jay'Sh	10-0	2	22	11.0	1	17	2.2
AARON, Jarell	4-0	2	13	6.5	0	8	3.2
PARKS, Tez	12-0	1	9	9.0	0	9	0.8
BRICKLEY, Shawn	3-0	1	8	8.0	0	8	2.7
HARRIS, Jerry	8-0	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.4
HOWARD, Keon	4-2	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.5
Total	13	285	3877	13.6	26	93	298.2
Opponents	13	170	2274	13.4	19	80	174.9

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
STAGGERS, Allenzae	21	205	9.8	1	75
ANTOINE, D'Nerius	5	42	8.4	0	31
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	1	5	5.0	0	5
Total	27	252	9.3	1	75
Opponents	16	86	5.4	1	25

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
MOORE, Tarvarius	2	0	0.0	0	0
FOSTER, Devonta	2	65	32.5	1	61
MIKELL, Curtis	2	100	50.0	1	100
NELSON, Picasso	2	15	7.5	0	14
COLLINS, Trae	1	0	0.0	0	0
ARMSTRONG, Cornell	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	10	180	18.0	2	100
Opponents	16	157	9.8	0	53

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
PARKS, Tez	19	368	19.4	0	30
ANTOINE, D'Nerius	8	159	19.9	0	54
JONES, Isaiah	7	149	21.3	0	26
MIKELL, Curtis	7	116	16.6	0	20
PARNELL, Devontre	5	107	21.4	0	26
PAYNE, George	3	43	14.3	0	27
WASHINGTON, Jay'Sh	2	-11	-5.5	0	2
SCHRIMSHER, Paxton	2	19	9.5	0	12
SANGSTER, Jeremy	1	9	9.0	0	9
Total	54	959	17.8	0	54
Opponents	52	1158	22.3	0	53

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
THIGPEN, Xavier	1	7	7.0	0	7
Total	1	7	7.0	0	7
Opponents	6	112	18.7	2	30

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dpx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
SMITH, Ito	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	114	
SHAUNFIELD, Parker	-	12-14	40-40	-	-	-	-	76	
STAGGERS, Allenzae	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	
THOMPSON, D.J.	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	
MULLENS, Nick	4	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	24	
BRAUCHLE, Stephen	-	3-4	10-12	-	-	-	-	19	
ROBERTSON, Korey	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	
JONES, Isaiah	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
RICARD, Marquise	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
WHITEHEAD, Chase	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
HOWARD, Keon	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
PAYNE, George	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
ALLEN, Julian	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	8	
FOSTER, Devonta	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
MIKELL, Curtis	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
ADAMSON, Parker	1	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	6	
WASHINGTON, Jay'Sh	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Total	55	15-18	50-52	-	1	1-3	-	427	
Opponents	50	10-14	50-50	-	-	-	-	384	

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
MULLENS, Nick	11	435	-54	3272	3218	292.5
SMITH, Ito	13	265	1459	0	1459	112.2
HOWARD, Keon	4	94	150	365	515	128.8
PAYNE, George	13	103	496	0	496	38.2
ADAMSON, Parker	4	52	60	193	253	63.2
PARKS, Tez	12	35	155	0	155	12.9
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13	5	39	47	86	6.6
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	10	4	30	0	30	3.0
SARRAZIN, Tyler	13	2	10	0	10	0.8
KILCREASE, Collin	11	3	8	0	8	0.7
OLINGER, Ben	1	1	2	0	2	2.0
WHITEHEAD, Chase	12	1	1	0	1	0.1
JONES, Isaiah	12	1	-2	0	-2	-0.2
ROBERTSON, Korey	13	1	-3	0	-3	-0.2
TEAM	11	18	-82	0	-82	-7.5
Total	13	1022	2269	3877	6146	472.8
Opponents	13	739	1949	2274	4223	324.8

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
SHAUNFIELD, Parker	12-14	85.7	0-0	3-3	3-4	6-7	0-0	49	0
BRAUCHLE, Stephen	3-4	75.0	0-0	3-3	0-0	0-1	0-0	25	0

FG Sequence	Southern Miss	Opponents
Kentucky	(31),(49),(25)	-
Savannah State	-	39
TROY	(41)	(30),39,(42),(43)
UTEP	(34),(46)	-
RICE	(22),(42),(43)	-
UTSA	(28)	(45),(26)
LSU	(37)	(38)
Marshall	(44),41	43
Charlotte	-	(22)
Old Dominion	-	-
North Texas	43,(25)	(26),(39)
Louisiana Tech	(22),(25)	(31),40
LA	38	-

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
SARRAZIN, Tyler	53	2371	44.7	61	5	12	15	11	1
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	54	2371	43.9	61	5	12	15	11	1
Opponents	87	3756	43.2	72	2	17	32	18	1

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
SARRAZIN, Tyler	53	3211	60.6	16	2			
BRAUCHLE, Stephen	18	934	51.9	0	0			
SHAUNFIELD, Parker	10	558	55.8	2	2			
Total	81	4703	58.1	18	4	22.3	38.2	26
Opponents	70	4175	59.6	14	2	17.8	40.9	24

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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<u>All Purpose</u>	<u>g</u>	<u>rush</u>	<u>rcv</u>	<u>pr</u>	<u>kr</u>	<u>ir</u>	<u>total</u>	<u>avg/g</u>
SMITH, Ito	13	1459	459	0	0	0	1918	147.5
STAGGERS, All	13	39	1165	205	0	0	1409	108.4
PAYNE, George	13	496	67	0	43	0	606	46.6
PARKS, Tez	12	155	9	0	368	0	532	44.3
THOMPSON, D.	11	0	510	0	0	0	510	46.4
JONES, Isaiah	12	-2	331	0	149	0	478	39.8
ROBERTSON, K	13	-3	437	0	0	0	434	33.4
WHITEHEAD, C	12	1	286	0	0	0	287	23.9
ALLEN, Julian	13	0	281	0	0	0	281	21.6
MIKELL, Curtis	13	0	0	0	116	100	216	16.6
ANTOINE, D'Ner	13	0	0	42	159	0	201	15.5
RICARD, Marqui	8	0	182	0	0	0	182	22.8
HOWARD, Keon	4	150	2	0	0	0	152	38.0
HOLMES, Tyre'o	10	30	102	5	0	0	137	13.7
PARNELL, Devo	7	0	0	0	107	0	107	15.3
FOSTER, Devon	13	0	0	0	0	65	65	5.0
ADAMSON, Par	4	60	0	0	0	0	60	15.0
SCHRIMSHER,	10	0	0	0	19	0	19	1.9
NELSON, Picas	13	0	0	0	0	15	15	1.2
AARON, Jarell	4	0	13	0	0	0	13	3.2
WASHINGTON,	10	0	22	0	-11	0	11	1.1
SARRAZIN, Tyle	13	10	0	0	0	0	10	0.8
SANGSTER, Jer	13	0	0	0	9	0	9	0.7
BRICKLEY, Sha	3	0	8	0	0	0	8	2.7
KILCREASE, Co	11	8	0	0	0	0	8	0.7
HARRIS, Jerry	8	0	3	0	0	0	3	0.4
OLINGER, Ben	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
MULLENS, Nick	11	-54	0	0	0	0	-54	-4.9
TEAM	11	-82	0	0	0	0	-82	-7.5
Total	13	2269	3877	252	959	180	7537	579.8
Opponents	13	1949	2274	86	1158	157	5624	432.6

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Southern Miss Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Dec 17, 2016)
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##	Defensive Leaders	gp-gs	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
12	ANTOINE, D'Nerius	13-13	53	33	86	3.0-10	1.0-7	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	
94	BRADLEY, Dylan	13-13	31	33	64	15.5-72	8.5-56	.	3	.	1-0	2	2	.	
13	NELSON, Picasso	13-11	26	22	48	2.0-3	.	2-15	2	.	.	.	.	.
3	ARMSTRONG, Cornell	13-13	35	12	47	1.0-5	.	1-0	8	.	.	.	.	.
15	FOSTER, Devonta	13-13	29	15	44	1.0-2	.	2-65	4	1	.	.	.	.
17	PARKER, Elijah	13-12	24	19	43	7.5-41	2.5-16	.	3	1	.	.	.	.
37	RUFF, Sherrod	12-2	21	16	37	11.0-38	3.0-21	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	
19	MIKELL, Curtis	13-4	31	5	36	3.5-18	2.0-15	2-100	4	.	.	1	.	.	
32	THIGPEN, Xavier	13-13	20	13	33	12.5-63	5.0-31	.	2	6	1-7	2	1	.	
43	HARRIS, LaDarius	13-6	7	23	30	5.0-11	0.5-4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
22	YANCEY, Darian	13-4	18	10	28	5.0-20	2.5-16	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	
40	PERRY, C.J.	13-13	9	17	26	2.5-5	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2	COLLINS, Trae	11-10	18	8	26	2.0-4	.	1-0	2	.	.	.	.	.
85	POOLE, Ja'Boree	13-8	18	7	25	9.5-75	7.0-65	.	2	5	.	.	.	.
8D	TRULY, Deshadrick	12-0	13	11	24	1.5-3	.	.	2	.	1-0	.	.	.	
8B	MOORE, Tarvarius	13-0	11	6	17	.	.	2-0	2	.	.	.	.	.
6D	DOUGLAS, Kelsey	12-1	10	6	16	1.5-10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9D	RILEY, Draper	7-5	11	4	15	3.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5D	DAVIS, Walden	11-0	7	2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45	DIXON, Derrick	5-0	4	3	7	2.5-7	0.5-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	SANGSTER, Jeremy	13-0	5	2	7	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5B	ABSTON, Justin	8-0	3	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	CRAYTON, Rod	10-0	2	5	7	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30	SCHRIMSHER, Paxton	10-0	5	2	7	1.5-8	.	.	.	1	1-0	.	.	.	
55	SMITH, Demarrio	11-0	4	1	5	1.5-7	1.0-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	MARKET, Demetrius	12-0	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82	SARRAZIN, Tyler	13-0	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7	APPLEWHITE, Jomez	8-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
51	BLOCK, Cody	13-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
20	PARNELL, Devontre	7-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38	McCORVEY, Jerry	8-2	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
28	BRAUCHLE, Stephen	5-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	MULLENS, Nick	11-11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	SMITH, Ito	13-13	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1D	MARION, Xavier	7-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
77	FLEMING, Jacob	9-4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
57	COLLINS, Jauan	1-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5	THOMPSON, D.J.	11-10	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
78	FARRIOR, Devin	13-8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
88	JONES, Isaiah	12-9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	PAYNE, George	13-3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
60	RICARD, Marquise	8-1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48	SPENCER, Isaiah	7-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
29	GUNN, Ernest	12-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
70	TOM, Cameron	13-13	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		13	442	286	728	94-410	34-242	10-180	41	20	5-7	10	3	.	
Opponents		13	565	478	1043	92-403	29-219	16-157	56	19	16-112	22	2	2	

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Southern Miss Total Tackles Game-by-Game (as of Dec 18, 2016)
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Total Tackles	UA-A	Total	UK	SSU	TROY	UTEP	RICE	UTSA	LS	MAR	CHA	ODU	NT	LATECH	UL
ANTOINE, D. DB	53-33	86	4-1	-	6-2	5-3	9-2	1-3	0-4	5-2	7-5	3-4	4-5	6-1	3-1
BRADLEY, Dylan DL	31-33	64	5-2	4-0	4-5	2-4	4-3	3-3	0-3	2-2	1-3	1-5	1-1	1-0	3-2
NELSON, Picasso DB	26-22	48	2-1	-	2-2	2-0	4-2	1-2	0-2	2-2	0-2	1-1	1-4	6-3	5-1
ARMSTRONG, C. DB	35-12	47	5-0	0-1	0-1	2-2	2-3	3-0	1-3	6-2	4-0	2-0	3-0	5-0	2-0
FOSTER, Devonta DB	29-15	44	3-2	-	3-0	1-1	4-0	3-1	0-3	4-0	4-1	1-2	1-3	0-1	5-1
PARKER, Elijah LB	24-19	43	2-1	2-0	4-2	1-1	1-1	2-1	3-4	4-3	3-2	-	-	1-2	1-2
RUFF, Sherrod LB	21-16	37	3-0	2-0	3-0	1-2	1-1	2-3	0-1	DNP	0-3	1-4	1-0	4-1	3-1
MIKELL, Curtis DB	31-5	36	-	1-0	3-1	3-0	8-0	2-1	1-1	-	1-1	-	4-0	4-0	4-1
THIGPEN, Xavier DL	20-13	33	1-1	1-0	8-0	0-2	-	1-2	-	-	2-2	1-3	2-1	-	4-2
HARRIS, L. DL	7-23	30	-	0-1	3-2	1-5	2-3	0-6	0-3	-	0-1	1-1	-	0-1	-
YANCEY, Darian LB	18-10	28	4-1	2-0	1-4	2-1	2-0	1-1	-	5-1	1-1	-	-	-	0-1
COLLINS, Trae DB	18-8	26	2-1	1-1	0-1	1-0	3-0	3-1	2-3	3-1	3-0	-	DNP	DNP	-
PERRY, C.J. LB	9-17	26	-	-	-	0-3	3-0	0-1	2-2	1-2	0-1	0-5	1-1	-	2-2
POOLE, Ja'Boree DL	18-7	25	1-0	1-1	3-0	-	2-2	2-0	-	0-1	2-1	-	-	-	7-2
TRULY, D. DB	13-11	24	-	2-1	2-1	2-1	1-0	-	2-4	-	DNP	1-0	2-1	0-1	1-2
MOORE, T. DB	11-6	17	1-0	-	1-2	-	1-0	1-0	1-0	0-1	1-2	1-1	-	-	4-0
DOUGLAS, Kelsey DB	10-6	16	-	1-0	-	3-0	-	1-0	1-1	-	2-2	-	0-3	2-0	DNP
RILEY, Draper DL	11-4	15	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	3-0	5-1	1-3	2-0	-	-
DAVIS, Walden	7-2	9	1-0	1-0	-	0-1	-	1-0	DNP	DNP	-	-	1-1	1-0	2-0
ABSTON, Justin DB	3-4	7	2-0	-	0-2	0-1	1-1	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
SCHRIMSHER, P. LB	5-2	7	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	-	1-2	3-0	-	1-0
DIXON, Derrick DL	4-3	7	DNP	4-1	DNP	0-2	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
CRAYTON, Rod DL	2-5	7	-	2-0	-	0-1	DNP	0-2	-	0-1	-	0-1	DNP	DNP	-
SANGSTER, J. LB	5-2	7	0-1	5-0	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SMITH, Demarrio DL	4-1	5	DNP	2-0	DNP	0-1	1-0	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-
MARKET, D.	2-2	4	0-1	-	-	0-1	1-0	-	-	-	-	1-0	DNP	-	-
SARRAZIN, Tyler	4-0	4	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	1-0	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	-
APPLEWHITE, J. DB	1-2	3	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	-	0-2
McCORVEY, Jerry DL	1-1	2	-	DNP	1-1	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-
PARNELL, D. DB	2-0	2	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-0	DNP	-
BRAUCHLE, S.	2-0	2	1-0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	-	-	DNP
MULLENS, Nick	2-0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	-	1-0
BLOCK, Cody	1-1	2	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SMITH, Ito	2-0	2	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-
GUNN, Ernest DB	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-
MARION, Xavier DB	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	1-0	DNP
COLLINS, Jauan DL	1-0	1	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
SPENCER, Isaiah LB	0-1	1	-	-	0-1	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
THOMPSON, D.J.	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	-	-
FLEMING, Jacob	1-0	1	-	1-0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	-	DNP
PAYNE, George	1-0	1	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RICARD, M.	1-0	1	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	DNP	-
TOM, Cameron	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0
FARRIOR, Devin	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-
JONES, Isaiah	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	DNP	-

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TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
Sep 03	at Kentucky	68	262	3	14	18	258	2	71	18-28-3	258	2	71	6	96	0	17	0	0	0	0	520
Sep 10	SAVANNAH STATE	50	369	3	86	21	246	4	65	21-29-1	246	4	65	1	20	0	20	5	90	1	75	615
Sep 17	TROY	29	158	2	70	24	263	1	24	24-52-2	263	1	24	8	135	0	30	3	2	0	1	421
Sep 24	at UTEP	39	202	0	28	16	176	3	28	16-27-0	176	3	28	0	0	0	0	4	41	0	25	378
Oct 1	RICE	34	111	1	13	25	591	4	93	25-36-1	591	4	93	4	83	0	30	1	6	0	6	702
Oct 8	at UTSA	39	179	1	28	25	378	3	35	25-50-1	378	3	35	9	142	0	25	4	51	0	31	557
Oct 15	at LSU	36	81	1	17	25	161	0	27	25-37-0	161	0	27	6	101	0	24	1	5	0	5	242
Oct 29	MARSHALL	45	174	2	40	22	300	1	52	22-40-0	300	1	52	0	0	0	0	3	12	0	9	474
Nov 05	CHARLOTTE	29	94	2	21	32	404	2	78	32-53-3	404	2	78	4	99	0	28	2	28	0	22	498
Nov 12	at Old Dominion	55	222	4	36	12	230	1	55	12-24-1	230	1	55	7	126	0	26	1	-1	0	0	452
Nov 19	at North Texas	44	198	3	69	11	182	0	47	11-27-3	182	0	47	3	52	0	27	0	0	0	0	380
Nov 25	LOUISIANA TECH	44	84	2	26	29	342	3	40	29-33-0	342	3	40	3	85	0	54	2	15	0	12	426
Dec 17	at LA	32	135	2	24	25	346	2	66	25-42-1	346	2	66	3	20	0	12	1	3	0	3	481
Opponents		544	2269	26	86	285	3877	26	93	285-478-16	3877	26	93	54	959	0	54	27	252	1	75	6146
		427	1949	28	92	170	2274	19	80	170-312-10	2274	19	80	52	1158	0	53	16	86	1	25	4223

Games: 13 • Avg/rush: 4.2 • Avg/catch: 13.6 • Pass effic: 139.01 • KR avg: 17.8 • PR avg: 9.3 • All purpose avg/game: 579.8 • Total offense avg/gm: 472.8

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Sep 03	at Kentucky	37	12	49	9.0-45	4.0-29	2	2-7	1-0	3	2	1	5-5	0	0	0	10	44
Sep 10	SAVANNAH STATE	34	6	40	11.0-56	5.0-42	0	0-0	0-0	2	3	1	8-8	0	0	0	0	56
Sep 17	TROY	47	28	75	9.0-34	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-61	2	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	31
Sep 24	at UTEP	26	32	58	5.0-20	1.0-9	1	1-0	2-100	3	6	0	4-4	0	0	0	17	34
Oct 1	RICE	50	18	68	12.0-54	7.0-44	3	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	5-5	0	0	0	0	44
Oct 8	at UTSA	29	28	57	9.0-26	2.0-14	0	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	3-3	0	1	0	0	32
Oct 15	at LSU	14	34	48	2.0-12	1.0-8	0	0-0	1-0	0	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	10
Oct 29	MARSHALL	38	18	56	4.0-27	3.0-22	0	0-0	0-0	0	6	1	3-3	0	0	0	0	24
Nov 05	CHARLOTTE	37	28	65	7.0-27	2.0-12	0	0-0	0-0	0	5	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	27
Nov 12	at Old Dominion	19	32	51	7.0-18	1.0-4	0	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	5-5	0	0	0	0	35
Nov 19	at North Texas	31	20	51	6.0-19	1.0-5	2	2-0	1-4	2	1	0	2-3	0	0	0	3	23
Nov 25	LOUISIANA TECH	31	10	41	4.0-20	1.0-9	2	0-0	3-15	0	3	0	3-4	0	0	0	10	39
Dec 17	at LA	49	20	69	9.0-52	6.0-44	0	0-0	1-0	3	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	28
Opponents		442	286	728	94.0-410	34.0-242	10	5-7	10-180	20	41	3	50-52	0	1	0	47	427
		565	478	1043	92.0-403	29.0-219	22	16-112	16-157	19	56	2	50-50	0	0	2	118	384

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
Sep 03	at Kentucky	3	136	45.3	48	0	0	2	0	0	3-3	49	0	8	464	58.0	0	0	
Sep 10	SAVANNAH STATE	2	81	40.5	45	0	0	1	0	2	0-0	0	0	9	577	64.1	4	1	
Sep 17	TROY	8	360	45.0	57	0	1	2	3	1	1-1	41	0	6	345	57.5	0	0	
Sep 24	at UTEP	4	181	45.2	49	0	1	1	0	1	2-2	46	0	7	458	65.4	3	0	
Oct 1	RICE	2	76	38.0	40	0	0	2	0	0	3-3	43	0	9	563	62.6	3	1	
Oct 8	at UTSA	3	125	41.7	44	0	1	1	0	0	1-1	28	0	6	344	57.3	2	1	
Oct 15	at LSU	6	301	50.2	61	0	0	1	3	0	1-1	37	0	3	184	61.3	0	0	
Oct 29	MARSHALL	6	261	43.5	49	0	1	1	0	1	1-2	44	0	5	312	62.4	1	0	
Nov 05	CHARLOTTE	6	221	36.8	55	1	1	0	1	3	0-0	0	0	4	252	63.0	2	0	
Nov 12	at Old Dominion	3	110	36.7	41	0	0	0	0	2	0-0	0	0	6	289	48.2	0	0	
Nov 19	at North Texas	5	230	46.0	60	0	0	0	1	2	1-2	25	0	5	215	43.0	0	1	
Nov 25	LOUISIANA TECH	2	118	59.0	61	0	0	0	2	1	2-2	25	0	8	377	47.1	1	0	
Dec 17	at LA	4	171	42.8	54	0	0	1	1	2	0-1	0	0	5	323	64.6	2	0	
Opponents		54	2371	43.9	61	1	5	12	11	15	15-18	49	0	81	4703	58.1	18	4	
		87	3756	43.2	72	1	2	17	18	32	10-14	45	2	70	4175	59.6	14	2	

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OPPONENT STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
Sep 03	at Kentucky	25	96	1	36	16	313	4	72	16	25	1	313	4	72	8	188	0	32	0	0	0	0	409
Sep 10	SAVANNAH STATE	29	11	0	19	4	30	0	17	4	13	0	30	0	17	4	58	0	20	0	0	0	0	41
Sep 17	TROY	49	186	1	39	10	123	3	34	10	28	1	123	3	34	5	123	0	35	2	14	0	15	309
Sep 24	at UTEP	26	145	1	68	14	113	0	33	14	28	2	113	0	33	4	71	0	27	1	-1	0	0	258
Oct 1	RICE	45	180	2	24	16	166	2	37	16	20	0	166	2	37	5	113	0	31	0	0	0	0	346
Oct 8	at UTSA	35	339	6	92	10	193	1	77	10	12	0	193	1	77	3	101	0	39	1	-2	0	0	532
Oct 15	at LSU	24	183	3	61	11	276	3	80	11	18	1	276	3	80	3	74	0	30	2	5	0	13	459
Oct 29	MARSHALL	25	60	1	19	20	166	1	44	20	34	0	166	1	44	4	108	0	44	2	23	0	13	226
Nov 05	CHARLOTTE	46	303	3	72	12	136	1	49	12	25	0	136	1	49	2	51	0	29	2	14	1	2	439
Nov 12	at Old Dominion	31	170	4	67	13	150	2	39	13	19	0	150	2	39	4	108	0	53	1	-3	0	0	320
Nov 19	at North Texas	29	111	1	35	14	267	2	55	14	29	1	267	2	55	4	28	0	24	3	10	0	11	378
Nov 25	LOUISIANA TECH	16	8	2	18	22	246	0	40	22	39	3	246	0	40	3	82	0	37	0	0	0	0	254
Dec 17	at LA	47	157	3	13	8	95	0	20	8	22	1	95	0	20	3	53	0	20	2	26	0	25	252
Southern Miss		427	1949	28	92	170	2274	19	80	170	312	10	2274	19	80	52	1158	0	53	16	86	1	25	4223
Southern Miss		544	2269	26	86	285	3877	26	93	285	478	16	3877	26	93	54	959	0	54	27	252	1	75	6146

Games: 13 • Avg/rush: 4.6 • Avg/catch: 13.4 • Pass effic: 129.40 • KR avg: 22.3 • PR avg: 5.4 • All purpose avg/game: 432.6 • Total offense avg/gm: 324.8

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd kick	PAT Attempts			off		
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds		no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh		brup	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Sep 03	at Kentucky	54	60	114	9.0-41	3.0-31	2	0-0	3-0	2	4	0	5-5	0	0	0	14	35
Sep 10	SAVANNAH STATE	53	20	73	3.0-6	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-2	0	1	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 17	TROY	48	20	68	5.0-26	0.0-0	2	1-0	2-4	1	10	0	4-4	0	0	0	17	37
Sep 24	at UTEP	22	56	78	5.0-14	1.0-6	1	2-0	0-0	1	5	0	1-1	0	0	0	7	
Oct 1	RICE	48	10	58	7.0-15	2.0-9	3	2-0	1-0	1	5	0	4-4	0	0	0	7	28
Oct 8	at UTSA	45	52	97	4.0-15	1.0-8	2	2-0	1-14	7	7	0	7-7	0	0	0	10	55
Oct 15	at LSU	29	76	105	10.0-31	2.0-13	2	1-4	0-0	3	2	0	6-6	0	0	0	7	45
Oct 29	MARSHALL	54	20	74	8.0-29	2.0-16	0	1-23	0-0	0	9	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	14
Nov 05	CHARLOTTE	48	22	70	5.0-24	3.0-19	0	0-0	3-29	1	5	1	5-5	0	0	0	7	38
Nov 12	at Old Dominion	43	44	87	11.0-66	6.0-57	5	4-30	1-0	2	2	0	7-7	0	0	1	28	51
Nov 19	at North Texas	36	32	68	11.0-44	4.0-24	2	1-0	3-55	1	1	0	3-3	0	0	1	7	29
Nov 25	LOUISIANA TECH	44	40	84	8.0-68	3.0-20	1	1-40	0-0	0	2	1	3-3	0	0	0	7	24
Dec 17	at LA	41	26	67	6.0-24	2.0-16	2	1-15	1-53	0	3	0	3-3	0	0	0	14	21
Southern Miss		565	478	1043	92.0-403	29.0-219	22	16-112	16-157	19	56	2	50-50	0	0	2	118	384
Southern Miss		442	286	728	94.0-410	34.0-242	10	5-7	10-180	20	41	3	50-52	0	1	0	47	427

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	
Sep 03	at Kentucky	5	171	34.2	45	1	0	2	0	2	0-0	0	0	6	367	61.2	0	0	
Sep 10	SAVANNAH STATE	11	498	45.3	62	0	0	0	3	1	0-1	0	1	1	59	59.0	0	0	
Sep 17	TROY	9	369	41.0	58	0	0	3	1	3	3-4	43	0	8	456	57.0	0	0	
Sep 24	at UTEP	6	306	51.0	69	0	0	1	2	2	0-0	0	0	2	130	65.0	2	0	
Oct 1	RICE	9	364	40.4	54	0	0	2	2	4	0-0	0	0	5	291	58.2	1	0	
Oct 8	at UTSA	4	175	43.8	49	0	0	0	0	1	2-2	45	0	9	554	61.6	0	0	
Oct 15	at LSU	3	174	58.0	68	0	1	1	3	1	1-1	38	0	8	494	61.8	2	0	
Oct 29	MARSHALL	10	469	46.9	72	0	0	3	3	6	0-1	0	1	2	128	64.0	1	1	
Nov 05	CHARLOTTE	7	285	40.7	44	0	1	1	0	2	1-1	22	0	7	417	59.6	3	0	
Nov 12	at Old Dominion	8	302	37.8	50	0	0	2	1	5	0-0	0	0	8	437	54.6	0	1	
Nov 19	at North Texas	6	243	40.5	54	0	0	0	1	3	2-2	39	0	6	388	64.7	3	0	
Nov 25	LOUISIANA TECH	3	150	50.0	53	0	0	0	2	1	1-2	31	0	4	251	62.8	1	0	
Dec 17	at LA	6	250	41.7	49	0	0	2	0	1	0-0	0	0	4	203	50.8	1	0	
Southern Miss		87	3756	43.2	72	1	2	17	18	32	10-14	45	2	70	4175	59.6	14	2	
Southern Miss		54	2371	43.9	61	1	5	12	11	15	15-18	49	0	81	4703	58.1	18	4	

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Opponent	Score	First Downs			Pen	Rushing Number-Yards	Passing		Yards	Total Offense Plays-Yards	Return Yards	Turn- Overs
		Total	Rush	Pass			Comp-Att-Int					
Kentucky	44 - 35	32 / 14	18 / 5	10 / 8	4 / 1	68-262 / 25-96	18-28-3 / 16-25-1	258 / 313	96-520 / 50-409	103 / 188	3 / 3	
SAVANNAH STATE	56 - 0	28 / 3	18 / 2	10 / 1	0 / 0	50-369 / 29-11	21-29-1 / 4-13-0	246 / 30	79-615 / 42-41	110 / 60	1 / 0	
TROY	31 - 37	20 / 19	5 / 11	13 / 5	2 / 3	29-158 / 49-186	24-52-2 / 10-28-1	263 / 123	81-421 / 77-309	198 / 141	3 / 1	
UTEP	34 - 7	18 / 10	8 / 4	9 / 5	1 / 1	39-202 / 26-145	16-27-0 / 14-28-2	176 / 113	66-378 / 54-258	141 / 70	2 / 3	
RICE	44 - 28	23 / 19	6 / 12	15 / 7	2 / 0	34-111 / 45-180	25-36-1 / 16-20-0	591 / 166	70-702 / 65-346	89 / 113	3 / 0	
UTSA	32 - 55	31 / 17	10 / 12	18 / 2	3 / 3	39-179 / 35-339	25-50-1 / 10-12-0	378 / 193	89-557 / 47-532	193 / 113	3 / 0	
LSU	10 - 45	16 / 17	4 / 8	9 / 9	3 / 0	36-81 / 24-183	25-37-0 / 11-18-1	161 / 276	73-242 / 42-459	106 / 83	1 / 1	
MARSHALL	24 - 14	26 / 11	10 / 2	14 / 8	2 / 1	45-174 / 25-60	22-40-0 / 20-34-0	300 / 166	85-474 / 59-226	12 / 154	1 / 0	
CHARLOTTE	27 - 38	25 / 18	7 / 10	15 / 7	3 / 1	29-94 / 46-303	32-53-3 / 12-25-0	404 / 136	82-498 / 71-439	127 / 94	3 / 0	
Old Dominion	35 - 51	21 / 10	12 / 3	9 / 5	0 / 2	55-222 / 31-170	12-24-1 / 13-19-0	230 / 150	79-452 / 50-320	125 / 135	5 / 0	
North Texas	23 - 29	19 / 18	9 / 6	6 / 9	4 / 3	44-198 / 29-111	11-27-3 / 14-29-1	182 / 267	71-380 / 58-378	56 / 93	4 / 3	
LOUISIANA TECH	39 - 24	26 / 16	6 / 2	17 / 12	3 / 2	44-84 / 16-8	29-33-0 / 22-39-3	342 / 246	77-426 / 55-254	115 / 122	1 / 3	
LA	28 - 21	22 / 21	8 / 13	12 / 5	2 / 3	32-135 / 47-157	25-42-1 / 8-22-1	346 / 95	74-481 / 69-252	23 / 147	2 / 1	
Totals	427 - 384	307 / 193	121 / 90	157 / 83	29 / 20	544-2269 / 427-1949	285-478-16 / 170-312-10	3877 / 2274	1022-6146 / 739-4223	1398 / 1513	32 / 15	
Opponent	3rd Down Conversions	4th Down Conversions	Time of Possession	TOP Margin	Avg Yds/Rush	Avg Yds/Pass	Avg Yds/Play	Punting Number-Avg	Penalties Number-Yards	Sacks		
Kentucky	9-17 / 3-9	1-2 / 0-1	40:32 / 19:28	21:04	3.9 / 3.8	9.2 / 12.5	5.4 / 8.2	3-45.3 / 5-34.2	7-50 / 6-75	4 / 3		
SAVANNAH STATE	8-14 / 1-12	3-4 / 0-0	34:32 / 25:28	9:04	7.4 / 0.4	8.5 / 2.3	7.8 / 1.0	2-40.5 / 11-45.3	5-40 / 5-26	5 / 0		
TROY	4-18 / 3-18	2-4 / 2-2	24:06 / 35:54	-11:48	5.4 / 3.8	5.1 / 4.4	5.2 / 4.0	8-45.0 / 9-41.0	16-135 / 10-70	0 / 0		
UTEP	7-16 / 1-11	1-2 / 0-3	32:28 / 27:32	4:56	5.2 / 5.6	6.5 / 4.0	5.7 / 4.8	4-45.2 / 6-51.0	4-30 / 6-57	1 / 1		
RICE	7-13 / 3-13	0-0 / 0-0	28:54 / 31:06	-2:12	3.3 / 4.0	16.4 / 8.3	10.0 / 5.3	2-38.0 / 9-40.4	7-52 / 8-81	7 / 2		
UTSA	10-18 / 3-9	2-4 / 0-0	34:41 / 25:19	9:22	4.6 / 9.7	7.6 / 16.1	6.3 / 11.3	3-41.7 / 4-43.8	5-57 / 10-81	2 / 1		
LSU	7-18 / 5-9	1-2 / 0-0	37:59 / 22:01	15:58	2.2 / 7.6	4.4 / 15.3	3.3 / 10.9	6-50.2 / 3-58.0	6-42 / 6-55	1 / 2		
MARSHALL	6-18 / 1-13	2-3 / 1-1	34:10 / 25:50	8:20	3.9 / 2.4	7.5 / 4.9	5.6 / 3.8	6-43.5 / 10-46.9	4-44 / 5-65	3 / 2		
CHARLOTTE	4-15 / 7-17	4-4 / 1-1	30:34 / 29:26	1:08	3.2 / 6.6	7.6 / 5.4	6.1 / 6.2	6-36.8 / 7-40.7	8-60 / 3-28	2 / 3		
Old Dominion	5-15 / 3-12	3-4 / 0-0	34:39 / 25:21	9:18	4.0 / 5.5	9.6 / 7.9	5.7 / 6.4	3-36.7 / 8-37.8	4-34 / 2-20	1 / 6		
North Texas	3-13 / 2-11	1-3 / 0-0	33:25 / 26:35	6:50	4.5 / 3.8	6.7 / 9.2	5.4 / 6.5	5-46.0 / 6-40.5	9-79 / 12-95	1 / 4		
LOUISIANA TECH	6-14 / 2-8	2-3 / 0-1	38:22 / 21:38	16:44	1.9 / 0.5	10.4 / 6.3	5.5 / 4.6	2-59.0 / 3-50.0	9-85 / 7-50	1 / 3		
LA	7-14 / 3-12	0-0 / 1-3	30:34 / 29:26	1:08	4.2 / 3.3	8.2 / 4.3	6.5 / 3.7	4-42.8 / 6-41.7	13-131 / 6-57	6 / 2		
Totals	83-203 / 37-154	22-35 / 5-12	434:56 / 345:04	89:52	4.2 / 4.6	8.1 / 7.3	6.0 / 5.7	54-43.9 / 87-43.2	97-839 / 86-760	34 / 29		

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

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3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Sep 03, 2016	at Kentucky	W 44-35	9-17 52.9	2-4 50.0	2-4 50.0	4-5 80.0	1-4 25.0	
Sep 10, 2016	SAVANNAH STATE	W 56-0	8-14 57.1	3-3 100.0	1-2 50.0	2-5 40.0	2-4 50.0	
Sep 17, 2016	TROY	L 31-37	4-18 22.2	1-4 25.0	0-4 0.0	2-5 40.0	1-5 20.0	
Sep 24, 2016	at UTEP	W 34-7	7-16 43.8	5-8 62.5	1-2 50.0	0-1 0.0	1-5 20.0	
Oct 1, 2016	RICE	W 44-28	7-13 53.8	2-4 50.0	0-2 0.0	3-3 100.0	2-4 50.0	
Oct 8, 2016	at UTSA	L 32-55	10-18 55.6	1-4 25.0	4-6 66.7	2-4 50.0	3-4 75.0	
Oct 15, 2016	at LSU	L 10-45	7-18 38.9	0-4 0.0	3-4 75.0	2-6 33.3	2-4 50.0	
Oct 29, 2016	MARSHALL	W 24-14	6-18 33.3	1-4 25.0	2-6 33.3	0-3 0.0	3-5 60.0	
Nov 05, 2016	CHARLOTTE	L 27-38	4-15 26.7	1-3 33.3	0-3 0.0	1-3 33.3	2-6 33.3	
Nov 12, 2016	at Old Dominion	L 35-51	5-15 33.3	1-4 25.0	1-3 33.3	3-5 60.0	0-3 0.0	
Nov 19, 2016	at North Texas	L 23-29	3-13 23.1	0-2 0.0	0-3 0.0	3-4 75.0	0-4 0.0	
Nov 25, 2016	LOUISIANA TECH	W 39-24	6-14 42.9	1-3 33.3	1-2 50.0	3-4 75.0	1-5 20.0	
Dec 17, 2016	at LA	W 28-21	7-14 50.0	0-1 0.0	2-6 33.3	3-4 75.0	2-3 66.7	
Southern Miss			83-203 40.9	18-48 37.5	17-47 36.2	28-52 53.8	20-56 35.7	0-0 0.0
Opponents			37-154 24.0	8-36 22.2	17-49 34.7	6-32 18.8	6-37 16.2	0-0 0.0

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Sep 03, 2016	at Kentucky	W 44-35	1-2 50.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	0-1 0.0	
Sep 10, 2016	SAVANNAH STATE	W 56-0	3-4 75.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	1-1 100.0	1-2 50.0	
Sep 17, 2016	TROY	L 31-37	2-4 50.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-2 50.0	1-1 100.0	
Sep 24, 2016	at UTEP	W 34-7	1-2 50.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	
Oct 1, 2016	RICE	W 44-28	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	
Oct 8, 2016	at UTSA	L 32-55	2-4 50.0	1-1 100.0	1-1 100.0	0-1 0.0	0-1 0.0	
Oct 15, 2016	at LSU	L 10-45	1-2 50.0	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	0-0 0.0	
Oct 29, 2016	MARSHALL	W 24-14	2-3 66.7	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	1-1 100.0	
Nov 05, 2016	CHARLOTTE	L 27-38	4-4 100.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	4-4 100.0	
Nov 12, 2016	at Old Dominion	L 35-51	3-4 75.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	1-2 50.0	1-1 100.0	
Nov 19, 2016	at North Texas	L 23-29	1-3 33.3	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	1-1 100.0	0-2 0.0	
Nov 25, 2016	LOUISIANA TECH	W 39-24	2-3 66.7	1-1 100.0	0-0 0.0	0-1 0.0	1-1 100.0	
Dec 17, 2016	at LA	W 28-21	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	0-0 0.0	
Southern Miss			22-35 62.9	4-6 66.7	3-3 100.0	5-11 45.5	10-15 66.7	0-0 0.0
Opponents			5-12 41.7	1-2 50.0	1-1 100.0	0-4 0.0	3-5 60.0	0-0 0.0

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Overtime
Sep 03, 2016	at Kentucky	W 44-35	40:32	8:08	9:52	10:59	11:33	
Sep 10, 2016	SAVANNAH STATE	W 56-0	34:32	7:01	6:36	10:41	10:14	
Sep 17, 2016	TROY	L 31-37	24:06	5:02	4:54	8:53	5:17	
Sep 24, 2016	at UTEP	W 34-7	32:28	11:16	7:07	3:22	10:43	
Oct 1, 2016	RICE	W 44-28	28:54	6:35	4:56	6:14	11:09	
Oct 8, 2016	at UTSA	L 32-55	34:41	7:10	9:57	10:06	7:28	
Oct 15, 2016	at LSU	L 10-45	37:59	11:14	7:21	10:15	9:09	
Oct 29, 2016	MARSHALL	W 24-14	34:10	9:56	7:18	8:32	8:24	
Nov 05, 2016	CHARLOTTE	L 27-38	30:34	8:54	7:05	7:01	7:34	
Nov 12, 2016	at Old Dominion	L 35-51	34:39	8:42	8:44	11:47	5:26	
Nov 19, 2016	at North Texas	L 23-29	33:25	7:59	7:52	10:42	6:52	
Nov 25, 2016	LOUISIANA TECH	W 39-24	38:22	9:18	9:08	8:55	11:01	
Dec 17, 2016	at LA	W 28-21	30:34	3:45	8:40	10:01	8:08	
Southern Miss			Total	105:00	99:30	117:28	112:58	0:00
Opponents			Avg.	8:04	7:39	9:02	8:41	0:00
Southern Miss			Total	90:00	95:30	77:32	82:02	0:00
Opponents			Avg.	6:55	7:20	5:57	6:18	0:00

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Southern Miss Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ						
									FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Sep 03, 2016	at Kentucky	W 44-35	6	6	34	4	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 10, 2016	SAVANNAH STATE	W 56-0	5	4	28	4	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sep 17, 2016	TROY	L 31-37	3	2	14	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Sep 24, 2016	at UTEP	W 34-7	4	3	17	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Oct 1, 2016	RICE	W 44-28	5	4	20	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Oct 8, 2016	at UTSA	L 32-55	5	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Oct 15, 2016	at LSU	L 10-45	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 29, 2016	MARSHALL	W 24-14	3	2	14	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Nov 05, 2016	CHARLOTTE	L 27-38	3	3	20	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 12, 2016	at Old Dominion	L 35-51	4	4	28	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 19, 2016	at North Texas	L 23-29	4	4	23	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 25, 2016	LOUISIANA TECH	W 39-24	6	6	32	4	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 17, 2016	at LA	W 28-21	5	4	28	4	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			55	47	285	37	23	14	10	1	2	1	1	3	0
47 of 55 (85.5%)															

Opponents Inside Southern Miss Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times In RZ	Times Scored	Total Pts	Rush TDs	Pass TDs	FGs Made	Failed to score inside RZ						
									FGA	Down	Int	Fumb	Half	Game	
Sep 03, 2016	at Kentucky	W 44-35	3	2	14	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sep 10, 2016	SAVANNAH STATE	W 56-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 17, 2016	TROY	L 31-37	2	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 24, 2016	at UTEP	W 34-7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Oct 1, 2016	RICE	W 44-28	3	3	21	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 8, 2016	at UTSA	L 32-55	6	6	38	5	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 15, 2016	at LSU	L 10-45	2	2	14	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 29, 2016	MARSHALL	W 24-14	1	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 05, 2016	CHARLOTTE	L 27-38	4	4	24	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 12, 2016	at Old Dominion	L 35-51	5	4	28	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Nov 19, 2016	at North Texas	L 23-29	5	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Nov 25, 2016	LOUISIANA TECH	W 39-24	4	3	17	2	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Dec 17, 2016	at LA	W 28-21	3	3	21	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals			40	33	211	28	21	7	5	1	1	1	2	2	0
33 of 40 (82.5%)															

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INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	36	SMITH, Ito at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Yards Rushing	173	SMITH, Ito at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
TD Rushes	3	SMITH, Ito at Old Dominion (Nov 12, 2016)
Long Rush	86	SMITH, Ito vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)
Pass attempts	52	MULLENS, Nick vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Pass completions	29	MULLENS, Nick vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Yards Passing	591	MULLENS, Nick vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
TD Passes	4	MULLENS, Nick vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Long Pass	93	MULLENS, Nick vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Receptions	12	THOMPSON, D.J. vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Yards Receiving	292	STAGGERS, Allenzae vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
TD Receptions	3	STAGGERS, Allenzae vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Long Reception	93	STAGGERS, Allenzae vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Field Goals	3	SHAUNFIELD, Parker at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
	3	SHAUNFIELD, Parker vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Long Field Goal	49	SHAUNFIELD, Parker at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Punts	8	SARRAZIN, Tyler vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Punting Avg	59.0	SARRAZIN, Tyler vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Long Punt	61	SARRAZIN, Tyler at LSU (Oct 15, 2016)
	61	SARRAZIN, Tyler vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Punts inside 20	3	SARRAZIN, Tyler vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
Long Punt Return	75	STAGGERS, Allenzae vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)
Long Kickoff Return	54	ANTOINE, D'Nerius vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Tackles	12	ANTOINE, D'Nerius vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
Sacks	3.5	BRADLEY, Dylan vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Tackles For Loss	4.0	THIGPEN, Xavier vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Interceptions	2	MIKELL, Curtis at UTEP (Sep 24, 2016)
	2	NELSON, Picasso vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	68	at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Yards Rushing	369	vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)
Yards Per Rush	7.4	vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)
TD Rushes	4	at Old Dominion (Nov 12, 2016)
Pass attempts	53	vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
Pass completions	32	vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
Yards Passing	591	vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Yards Per Pass	16.4	vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
TD Passes	4	vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)
	4	vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Total Plays	96	at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Total Offense	702	vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Yards Per Play	10.0	vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
Points	56	vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)
Sacks By	7	vs RICE (Oct 1, 2016)
First Downs	32	at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Penalties	16	vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Penalty Yards	135	vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Turnovers	5	at Old Dominion (Nov 12, 2016)
Interceptions By	3	vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Punts	8	vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Punting Avg	59.0	vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Long Punt	61	at LSU (Oct 15, 2016)
	61	vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Punts inside 20	3	vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
Long Punt Return	75	vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	36	Chunn, Jordan, vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Yards Rushing	183	PHILLIPS, Kalif, vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
TD Rushes	3	Rhodes, at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Long Rush	92	Williams,J, at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Pass attempts	39	HIGGINS, Ryan, vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Pass completions	22	HIGGINS, Ryan, vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Yards Passing	323	Drew Barker, at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
TD Passes	4	Drew Barker, at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Long Pass	80	Danny Etling, at LSU (Oct 15, 2016)
Receptions	10	TAYLOR, Trent, vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Yards Receiving	162	SMILEY, Turner, at North Texas (Nov 19, 2016)
TD Receptions	2	Garrett Johnson, at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
	2	Malachi Dupre, at LSU (Oct 15, 2016)
	2	SMILEY, Turner, at North Texas (Nov 19, 2016)
Long Reception	80	DJ Chark, at LSU (Oct 15, 2016)
Field Goals	3	Kay, Ryan, vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Long Field Goal	45	Falcon, at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Punts	10	VEDVIK, Kaare, vs Marshall (Oct 29, 2016)
Punting Avg	58.0	Josh Growden, at LSU (Oct 15, 2016)
Long Punt	72	VEDVIK, Kaare, vs Marshall (Oct 29, 2016)
Punts inside 20	6	VEDVIK, Kaare, vs Marshall (Oct 29, 2016)
Long Punt Return	25	McGuire, Elijah, at LA (Dec 17, 2016)
Long Kickoff Return	53	PASCAL, Zach, at Old Dominion (Nov 12, 2016)
Tackles	19	Jordan Jones, at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Sacks	2.5	FERGUSON, J., vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Tackles For Loss	3.0	Strong Jr., at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Interceptions	2	J.D. Harmon, at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
	2	WINCHESTER, T., vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
	2	BROOKS, Nate, at North Texas (Nov 19, 2016)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	49	vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Yards Rushing	339	at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Yards Per Rush	9.7	at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
TD Rushes	6	at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Pass attempts	39	vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Pass completions	22	vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Yards Passing	313	at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Yards Per Pass	16.1	at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
TD Passes	4	at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
Total Plays	77	vs TROY (Sep 17, 2016)
Total Offense	532	at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Yards Per Play	11.3	at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Points	55	at UTSA (Oct 8, 2016)
Sacks By	6	at Old Dominion (Nov 12, 2016)
First Downs	21	at LA (Dec 17, 2016)
Penalties	12	at North Texas (Nov 19, 2016)
Penalty Yards	95	at North Texas (Nov 19, 2016)
Turnovers	3	at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
	3	at UTEP (Sep 24, 2016)
	3	at North Texas (Nov 19, 2016)
	3	vs Louisiana Tech (Nov 25, 2016)
Interceptions By	3	at Kentucky (Sep 03, 2016)
	3	vs Charlotte (Nov 05, 2016)
	3	at North Texas (Nov 19, 2016)
Punts	11	vs Savannah State (Sep 10, 2016)
Punting Avg	58.0	at LSU (Oct 15, 2016)
Long Punt	72	vs Marshall (Oct 29, 2016)
Punts inside 20	6	vs Marshall (Oct 29, 2016)
Long Punt Return	25	at LA (Dec 17, 2016)

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#9 MULLENS, Nick	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Kentucky	18	28	3	64.3	258	2	71	3-31	143.83
Savannah State	16	20	1	80.0	216	3	65	0-0	210.22
TROY	24	52	2	46.2	263	1	24	0-0	87.29
UTEP	16	27	0	59.3	176	3	28	1-6	150.68
RICE	25	36	1	69.4	591	4	93	2-9	238.46
UTSA	24	47	1	51.1	370	3	35	1-8	134.00
LSU	25	36	0	69.4	161	0	27	2-13	107.01
Marshall	22	40	0	55.0	300	1	52	2-16	126.25
Charlotte	19	25	2	76.0	249	2	78	3-19	170.06
Louisiana Tech	29	33	0	87.9	342	3	40	3-20	204.93
LA	25	40	1	62.5	346	2	66	2-16	146.66
TOTALS	243	384	11	63.3	3272	24	93	19-138	149.75

#2Q HOWARD, Keon	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Old Dominion	12	24	1	50.0	230	1	55	6-57	135.92
North Texas	10	26	3	38.5	135	0	34	4-24	59.00
TOTALS	22	50	4	44.0	365	1	55	10-81	95.92

#3Q ADAMSON, Parker	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Savannah State	5	9	0	55.6	30	1	12	0-0	120.22
UTSA	1	3	0	33.3	8	0	8	0-0	55.73
Charlotte	13	27	0	48.1	155	0	31	0-0	96.37
TOTALS	19	39	0	48.7	193	1	31	0-0	98.75

#5W STAGGERS, A.	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
North Texas	1	1	0	100.0	47	0	47	0-0	494.80
LA	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
TOTALS	1	2	0	50.0	47	0	47	0-0	247.40

#5 THOMPSON, D.J.	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
LSU	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
TOTALS	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00

#80 PARKS, Tez	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
Charlotte	0	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	-200.00
TOTALS	0	1	1	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	-200.00

#TM TEAM	Comp	Att	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sacked	Effic
LA	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00
TOTALS	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0-0	0.00

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RUSHING	No-Yds/TD	UK	SSU	TROY	UTEP	RICE	UTSA	LS	MAR	CHA	ODU	NT	LATECH	UL
SMITH, Ilo RB	265-1459/17	36-173/1	8-128/1	20-131/2	16-108/0	19-177/1	20-94/1	16-64/1	26-140/2	15-69/1	20-97/3	19-113/2	24-127/0	26-138/2
PAYNE, George RB	103-496/2	16-100/0	14-116/1	5-31/0	9-46/0	5-24/0	9-19/0	11-26/0	11-51/0	5-19/0	3-4/0	7-50/1	6-3/0	2-13/0
PARKS, Tez RB	34-155/0	-	13-68/0	-	3-16/0	-	5-44/0	5-5/0	-	-	3-25/0	4-4/0	DNP	1-1/0
HOWARD, Keon OB	44-150/2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	28-98/1	12-40/0	4-12/1	-
ADAMSON, Parker OB	13-60/1	DNP	6-28/0	DNP	2-7/0	DNP	1-6/0	DNP	DNP	4-19/1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
STAGGERS, A. WR	3-39/0	-	-	-	1-12/0	-	1-28/0	-	1-1/0	-	-	-	-	-
HOLMES, T. WR	4-30/0	2-7/0	1-18/0	-	1-5/0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-
SARRAZIN, Tyler P	2-10/0	-	-	1-6/0	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	1-4/0	-	-
KILCREASE, C. RB	3-8/0	DNP	2-7/0	-	1-1/0	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OLINGER, Ben WR	1-2/0	DNP	1-2/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
WHITEHEAD, C. WR	1-1/0	DNP	1-1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
THOMPSON, D.J. WR	1-0/0	-	-	-	1-0/0	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	-	-
JONES, Isaiah WR	1-2/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-2/0	-	DNP	-
ROBERTSON, K. WR	1-3/0	-	-	-	1-3/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MULLENS, Nick OB	51--54/4	10-14/2	2-3/1	2-7/0	4-10/0	7-13/0	2-7/0	4-14/0	5-14/0	5-13/0	DNP	DNP	8--9/1	2-16/0
TEAM	17--82/0	4-4/0	2-2/0	1--17/0	-	3-3/0	1-5/0	DNP	2-2/0	-	DNP	1-5/0	2-43/0	1-1/0

RECEIVING	No-Yds/TD	UK	SSU	TROY	UTEP	RICE	UTSA	LS	MAR	CHA	ODU	NT	LATECH	UL
STAGGERS, A. WR	63-1165/7	2-46/0	1-8/0	6-98/1	2-26/1	6-292/3	6-92/0	7-35/0	7-99/1	7-79/0	2-56/0	4-26/0	2-78/0	11-230/1
THOMPSON, D.J. WR	47-510/6	3-25/0	3-27/1	3-40/0	4-48/1	5-62/1	7-89/1	2-13/0	4-31/0	DNP	-	DNP	12-135/2	4-40/0
SMITH, Ilo RB	43-459/2	5-40/0	-	3-17/0	4-33/1	4-64/0	3-22/0	6-46/0	4-43/0	5-47/0	1-11/0	3-67/0	4-63/0	1-6/1
ROBERTSON, K. WR	37-437/3	1-14/0	1-22/1	1-0/0	3-33/0	4-46/0	3-65/0	1-18/0	1-17/0	8-80/1	2-34/0	1-12/0	6-47/1	5-49/0
JONES, Isaiah WR	20-331/2	3-93/1	3-82/1	4-30/0	-	-	1-22/0	2-15/0	1-24/0	6-65/0	-	-	DNP	-
WHITEHEAD, C. WR	18-286/2	DNP	-	-	-	2-20/0	3-63/1	5-27/0	1-25/0	2-84/1	1-27/0	1-16/0	1-9/0	2-15/0
ALLEN, Julian TE	19-281/1	3-30/1	2-14/0	2-13/0	1-15/0	3-101/0	-	-	2-57/0	1-9/0	2-9/0	1-27/0	1-6/0	1-0/0
RICARD, M. WR	12-182/2	1-10/0	6-50/1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	1-4/0	3-84/1	1-34/0	DNP	-
HOLMES, T. WR	8-102/0	-	2-22/0	4-56/0	1-18/0	-	DNP	DNP	-	1-4/0	-	-	-	1-6/0
PAYNE, George RB	10-67/0	-	1-8/0	1-9/0	-	1-6/0	DNP	2-7/0	2-4/0	1-31/0	-	-	2-2/0	-
WASHINGTON, J. TE	2-22/1	-	-	-	-	DNP	1-17/1	-	-	1-5/0	-	-	DNP	DNP
AARON, Jarrell WR	2-13/0	DNP	2-13/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
PARKS, Tez RB	1-9/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9/0	-	DNP	-
BRICKLEY, Shawn WR	1-8/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-8/0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
HARRIS, Jerry OL	1-3/0	-	-	-	1-3/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP
HOWARD, Keon OB	1-2/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	1-2/0	-

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ALL-PURPOSE YARDS	Total	UK	SSU	TROY	UTEP	RICE	UTSA	LS	MAR	CHA	ODU	NT	LATECH	UL
SMITH, Iio	1918	213	128	148	141	141	116	110	183	116	108	180	190	144
STAGGERS, A.	1409	46	93	99	79	292	136	40	110	107	55	26	93	233
PAYNE, George	606	100	124	40	46	30	19	33	55	50	4	77	15	13
PARKS, Tez	532	-	68	77	16	83	179	50	-	28	34	-4	DNP	1
THOMPSON, D.J.	510	25	27	40	48	62	89	13	31	DNP	-	DNP	135	40
JONES, Isalah	478	93	82	55	-	-	22	47	24	136	19	-	DNP	-
ROBERTSON, K.	434	14	22	-	30	46	65	18	17	80	34	12	47	49
WHITEHEAD, C.	287	DNP	1	-	-	20	63	27	25	84	27	16	9	15
ALLEN, Julian	281	30	14	13	15	101	-	-	57	9	9	27	6	-
MIKELL, Curtis	216	96	20	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ANTOINE, D.	201	-	-	45	-	6	35	-	-	-	38	-	69	8
RICARD, M.	182	10	50	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	4	84	34	DNP	-
HOWARD, Keon	152	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	98	40	14	-
HOLMES, T.	137	7	45	56	23	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	6
PARNELL, D.	107	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	24	-	-	58	25	DNP	-
FOSTER, Devonta	65	-	-	61	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
ADAMSON, Parker	60	DNP	28	DNP	7	DNP	6	DNP	DNP	19	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
SCHRIMSHER, P.	19	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	7	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	12
NELSON, Picasso	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-
AARON, Jarrell	13	DNP	13	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
WASHINGTON, J.	11	-	-	-11	-	DNP	17	-	-	5	-	-	DNP	DNP
SARRAZIN, Tyler	10	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
SANGSTER, J.	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-
KILCREASE, C.	8	DNP	7	-	1	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BRICKLEY, Shawn	8	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	8	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
HARRIS, Jerry	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP
OLINGER, Ben	2	DNP	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
MULLENS, Nick	-54	-14	3	7	10	13	-7	-14	-14	-13	DNP	DNP	-9	-16
TEAM	-82	-4	-2	-17	-	-3	-5	-	-2	-	-	-5	-43	-1

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	SEASON									CAREER								
Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
SMITH, Ito	13	265	1506	47	1459	5.5	17	86	112.2	39	572	3235	112	3123	5.5	29	86	80.1
PAYNE, George	13	103	526	30	496	4.8	2	25	38.2	28	232	1004	64	940	4.1	9	25	33.6
PARKS, Tez	12	34	171	16	155	4.6	0	17	12.9	22	62	341	30	311	5.0	0	35	14.1
HOWARD, Keon	4	44	239	89	150	3.4	2	22	37.5	4	44	239	89	150	3.4	2	22	37.5
ADAMSON, Parker	4	13	60	0	60	4.6	1	11	15.0	6	13	60	0	60	4.6	1	11	10.0
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13	3	40	1	39	13.0	0	28	3.0	13	3	40	1	39	13.0	0	28	3.0
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	10	4	30	0	30	7.5	0	18	3.0	23	8	42	9	33	4.1	0	18	1.4
SARRAZIN, Tyler	13	2	10	0	10	5.0	0	6	0.8	46	5	29	1	28	5.6	1	11	0.6
KILCREASE, Collin	11	3	8	0	8	2.7	0	4	0.7	13	3	8	0	8	2.7	0	4	0.6
OLINGER, Ben	1	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	2.0	1	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
WHITEHEAD, Chase	12	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1	12	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.1
THOMPSON, D.J.	11	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	46	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
JONES, Isaiah	12	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.2	12	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-0.2
ROBERTSON, Korey	13	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.2	27	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.1
MULLENS, Nick	11	51	95	149	-54	-1.1	4	9	-4.9	44	183	440	650	-210	-1.1	9	31	-4.8
TEAM	11	17	0	82	-82	-4.8	0	0	-7.5									
Total	13	544	2688	419	2269	4.2	26	86	174.5									
Opponents	13	427	2379	430	1949	4.6	28	92	149.9									

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
MULLENS, Nick	11	149.75	243-384-11	63.3	3272	24	93	297.5	44	137.81	928-1546-46	60.0	11994	87	93	272.6
HOWARD, Keon	4	95.92	22-50-4	44.0	365	1	55	91.2	4	95.92	22-50-4	44.0	365	1	55	91.2
ADAMSON, Parker	4	98.75	19-39-0	48.7	193	1	31	48.2	6	96.28	19-40-0	47.5	193	1	31	32.2
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13	247.40	1-2-0	50.0	47	0	47	3.6	13	247.40	1-2-0	50.0	47	0	47	3.6
TEAM	11	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0								
PARKS, Tez	12	-200.00	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	22	-100.00	0-2-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
THOMPSON, D.J.	11	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	46	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	13	139.01	285-478-16	59.6	3877	26	93	298.2								
Opponents	13	129.40	170-312-10	54.5	2274	19	80	174.9								

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13	63	1165	18.5	7	93	89.6	13	63	1165	18.5	7	93	89.6
THOMPSON, D.J.	11	47	510	10.9	6	35	46.4	46	131	1628	12.4	12	54	35.4
SMITH, Ito	13	43	459	10.7	2	54	35.3	39	100	1050	10.5	5	54	26.9
ROBERTSON, Korey	13	37	437	11.8	3	28	33.6	27	51	637	12.5	6	44	23.6
JONES, Isaiah	12	20	331	16.5	2	71	27.6	12	20	331	16.5	2	71	27.6
ALLEN, Julian	13	19	281	14.8	1	82	21.6	13	19	281	14.8	1	82	21.6
WHITEHEAD, Chase	12	18	286	15.9	2	78	23.8	12	18	286	15.9	2	78	23.8
RICARD, Marquise	8	12	182	15.2	2	55	22.8	32	66	905	13.7	7	55	28.3
PAYNE, George	13	10	67	6.7	0	31	5.2	28	20	183	9.1	1	31	6.5
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	10	8	102	12.8	0	24	10.2	23	62	515	8.3	2	34	22.4
WASHINGTON, Jay'Sha	10	2	22	11.0	1	17	2.2	11	4	72	18.0	2	31	6.5
AARON, Jarell	4	2	13	6.5	0	8	3.2	14	3	60	20.0	1	47	4.3
PARKS, Tez	12	1	9	9.0	0	9	0.8	22	6	37	6.2	0	12	1.7
BRICKLEY, Shawn	3	1	8	8.0	0	8	2.7	9	1	8	8.0	0	8	0.9
HARRIS, Jerry	8	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.4	21	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.1
HOWARD, Keon	4	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.5	4	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.5
Total	13	285	3877	13.6	26	93	298.2							
Opponents	13	170	2274	13.4	19	80	174.9							

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Total Offense	SEASON						CAREER					
	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
MULLENS, Nick	11	435	-54	3272	3218	292.5	44	1729	-210	11994	11784	267.8
SMITH, Ito	13	265	1459	0	1459	112.2	39	572	3123	0	3123	80.1
HOWARD, Keon	4	94	150	365	515	128.8	4	94	150	365	515	128.8
PAYNE, George	13	103	496	0	496	38.2	28	232	940	0	940	33.6
ADAMSON, Parker	4	52	60	193	253	63.2	6	53	60	193	253	42.2
PARKS, Tez	12	35	155	0	155	12.9	22	64	311	0	311	14.1
STAGGERS, Allenzae	13	5	39	47	86	6.6	13	5	39	47	86	6.6
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	10	4	30	0	30	3.0	23	9	33	0	33	1.4
SARRAZIN, Tyler	13	2	10	0	10	0.8	46	9	28	28	56	1.2
KILCREASE, Collin	11	3	8	0	8	0.7	13	3	8	0	8	0.6
OLINGER, Ben	1	1	2	0	2	2.0	1	1	2	0	2	2.0
WHITEHEAD, Chase	12	1	1	0	1	0.1	12	1	1	0	1	0.1
JONES, Isaiah	12	1	-2	0	-2	-0.2	12	1	-2	0	-2	-0.2
ROBERTSON, Korey	13	1	-3	0	-3	-0.2	27	1	-3	0	-3	-0.1
TEAM	11	18	-82	0	-82	-7.5						
Total	13	1022	2269	3877	6146	472.8						
Opponents	13	739	1949	2274	4223	324.8						

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass						kick	rush	rcv	pass			
SMITH, Ito	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	114	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	204	
SHAUNFIELD, Parker	-	12-14	40-40	-	-	-	-	76	-	14-19	62-62	-	-	-	-	-	104	
STAGGERS, Allenzae	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	
THOMPSON, D.J.	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72	
MULLENS, Nick	4	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	24	9	-	-	-	1-4	-	-	-	54	
BRAUCHLE, Stephen	-	3-4	10-12	-	-	-	-	19	-	14-18	58-64	-	-	-	-	-	100	
ROBERTSON, Korey	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	
PAYNE, George	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	
RICARD, Marquise	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	
HOWARD, Keon	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
JONES, Isaiah	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
WHITEHEAD, Chase	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
ALLEN, Julian	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	8	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8	
WASHINGTON, Jay'Sha	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
FOSTER, Devonta	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	
ADAMSON, Parker	1	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	6	
MIKELL, Curtis	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Total	55	15-18	50-52	-	1	1-3	-	427										
Opponents	50	10-14	50-50	-	-	-	-	384										

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
STAGGERS, Allenzae	21	205	9.8	1	75	21	205	9.8	1	75
ANTOINE, D'Nerius	5	42	8.4	0	31	5	42	8.4	0	31
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	1	5	5.0	0	5	1	5	5.0	0	5
Total	27	252	9.3	1	75					
Opponents	16	86	5.4	1	25					

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
PARKS, Tez	19	368	19.4	0	30	19	368	19.4	0	30
ANTOINE, D'Nerius	8	159	19.9	0	54	9	182	20.2	0	54
MIKELL, Curtis	7	116	16.6	0	20	14	257	18.4	0	27
JONES, Isaiah	7	149	21.3	0	26	7	149	21.3	0	26
PARNELL, Devontre	5	107	21.4	0	26	5	107	21.4	0	26
PAYNE, George	3	43	14.3	0	27	3	43	14.3	0	27
SCHRIMSHER, Paxton	2	19	9.5	0	12	2	19	9.5	0	12
WASHINGTON, Jay'Sha	2	-11	-5.5	0	2	2	-11	-5.5	0	2
SANGSTER, Jeremy	1	9	9.0	0	9	1	9	9.0	0	9
Total	54	959	17.8	0	54					
Opponents	52	1158	22.3	0	53					

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SEASON						CAREER					
Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	
FOSTER, Devonta	2	65	32.5	1	61	3	91	30.3	2	61	
MIKELL, Curtis	2	100	50.0	1	100	2	100	50.0	1	100	
NELSON, Picasso	2	15	7.5	0	14	4	68	17.0	0	45	
MOORE, Tarvarius	2	0	0.0	0	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	
COLLINS, Trae	1	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	
ARMSTRONG, Cornell	1	0	0.0	0	0	3	-1	-0.3	0	0	
Total	10	180	18.0	2	100						
Opponents	16	157	9.8	0	53						

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
THIGPEN, Xavier	1	7	7.0	0	7	1	7	7.0	0	7
Total	1	7	7.0	0	7					
Opponents	6	112	18.7	2	30					

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
SMITH, Ito	13	1459	459	0	0	0	1918	147.5	39	3123	1050	0	456	0	4629	118.7
STAGGERS, Alle	13	39	1165	205	0	0	1409	108.4	13	39	1165	205	0	0	1409	108.4
PAYNE, George	13	496	67	0	43	0	606	46.6	28	940	183	0	43	0	1166	41.6
PARKS, Tez	12	155	9	0	368	0	532	44.3	22	311	37	0	368	0	716	32.5
THOMPSON, D.	11	0	510	0	0	0	510	46.4	46	0	1628	0	0	0	1628	35.4
JONES, Isaiah	12	-2	331	0	149	0	478	39.8	12	-2	331	0	149	0	478	39.8
ROBERTSON, K	13	-3	437	0	0	0	434	33.4	27	-3	637	0	34	0	668	24.7
WHITEHEAD, Ch	12	1	286	0	0	0	287	23.9	12	1	286	0	0	0	287	23.9
ALLEN, Julian	13	0	281	0	0	0	281	21.6	13	0	281	0	0	0	281	21.6
MIKELL, Curtis	13	0	0	0	116	100	216	16.6	39	-4	71	0	257	100	424	10.9
ANTOINE, D'Neri	13	0	0	42	159	0	201	15.5	27	0	0	42	182	56	280	10.4
RICARD, Marqui	8	0	182	0	0	0	182	22.8	32	0	905	43	0	0	948	29.6
HOWARD, Keon	4	150	2	0	0	0	152	38.0	4	150	2	0	0	0	152	38.0
HOLMES, Tyre'o	10	30	102	5	0	0	137	13.7	23	33	515	5	0	0	553	24.0
PARNELL, Devo	7	0	0	0	107	0	107	15.3	7	0	0	0	107	0	107	15.3
FOSTER, Devont	13	0	0	0	0	65	65	5.0	23	0	0	0	0	91	91	4.0
ADAMSON, Park	4	60	0	0	0	0	60	15.0	6	60	0	0	0	0	60	10.0
SCHRIMSHER,	10	0	0	0	19	0	19	1.9	10	0	0	0	19	0	19	1.9
NELSON, Picass	13	0	0	0	0	15	15	1.2	39	0	0	20	0	68	88	2.3
AARON, Jarell	4	0	13	0	0	0	13	3.2	14	0	60	0	68	0	128	9.1
WASHINGTON,	10	0	22	0	-11	0	11	1.1	11	0	72	0	-11	0	61	5.5
SARRAZIN, Tyle	13	10	0	0	0	0	10	0.8	46	28	0	0	0	0	28	0.6
SANGSTER, Jer	13	0	0	0	9	0	9	0.7	26	0	0	0	9	0	9	0.3
KILCREASE, Col	11	8	0	0	0	0	8	0.7	13	8	0	0	0	0	8	0.6
BRICKLEY, Sha	3	0	8	0	0	0	8	2.7	9	0	8	0	0	0	8	0.9
HARRIS, Jerry	8	0	3	0	0	0	3	0.4	21	0	3	0	0	0	3	0.1
OLINGER, Ben	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2.0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
MULLENS, Nick	11	-54	0	0	0	0	-54	-4.9	44	-210	0	0	0	0	-210	-4.8
TEAM	11	-82	0	0	0	0	-82	-7.5								
Total	13	2269	3877	252	959	180	7537	579.8								
Opponents	13	1949	2274	86	1158	157	5624	432.6								

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd	att	good	long	blkd
SHAUNFIELD, Parker	14	12	49	0	19	14	49	1
BRAUCHLE, Stephen	4	3	25	0	18	14	39	0
Total	18	15	49	0				
Opponents	14	10	45	2				

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
SARRAZIN, Tyler	53	2371	44.7	61	1	208	8501	40.9	61	2
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0					
Total	54	2371	43.9	61	1					
Opponents	87	3756	43.2	72	1					

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20-YARD PLUS PLAYS

Yds	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
100*	INT	MIKELL, Curtis	UTEP
93*	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	RICE
86*	Rush	SMITH, Ito	Savannah State
82	Pass	ALLEN, Julian from MULLENS, Nick	RICE
81*	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	RICE
78*	Pass	WHITEHEAD, Chase from MULLENS, Nick	Charlotte
75*	PR	STAGGERS, Allenzae	Savannah State
75*	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	RICE
71*	Pass	JONES, Isaiah from MULLENS, Nick	Kentucky
70*	Rush	SMITH, Ito	TROY
69	Rush	SMITH, Ito	North Texas
65*	Pass	JONES, Isaiah from MULLENS, Nick	Savannah State
61*	INT	FOSTER, Devonta	TROY
55*	Pass	RICARD, Marquise from HOWARD, Keon	Old Dominion
54	Pass	SMITH, Ito from MULLENS, Nick	RICE
54	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from HOWARD, Keon	Old Dominion
54	KR	ANTOINE, D'Nerius	Louisiana Tech
52	Pass	ALLEN, Julian from MULLENS, Nick	Marshall
47	Pass	SMITH, Ito from STAGGERS, Allenzae	North Texas
40*	Rush	SMITH, Ito	Marshall
40	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	Louisiana Tech
38	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	Louisiana Tech
36	Rush	SMITH, Ito	Old Dominion
35	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	Marshall
35*	Pass	THOMPSON, D.J. from MULLENS, Nick	UTSA
34	Pass	RICARD, Marquise from HOWARD, Keon	North Texas
33	Pass	SMITH, Ito from MULLENS, Nick	Louisiana Tech
33*	Pass	WHITEHEAD, Chase from MULLENS, Nick	UTSA
33	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	UTSA
33	Pass	ROBERTSON, Corey+ROBERTSON, Corey from MUL	UTSA
31	Pass	PAYNE, George from MULLENS, Nick	Charlotte
31	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from ADAMSON, Parker	Charlotte
31	PR	ANTOINE, D'Nerius	UTSA
30	KR	PARKS, Tez	RICE
30	KR	PARKS, Tez	TROY
29	Pass	THOMPSON, D.J. from MULLENS, Nick	RICE
28	Rush	STAGGERS, Allenzae	UTSA
28	Rush	SMITH, Ito	UTEP
28	KR	PARKS, Tez	Charlotte
28*	Pass	SMITH, Ito from MULLENS, Nick	UTEP
28	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	Kentucky
27	KR	PAYNE, George	North Texas
27	KR	PARKS, Tez	RICE
27	Pass	ALLEN, Julian from HOWARD, Keon	North Texas
27	Pass	SMITH, Ito from MULLENS, Nick	LSU
27	Pass	ROBERTSON, Corey from MULLENS, Nick	Charlotte
27	Pass	WHITEHEAD, Chase from HOWARD, Keon	Old Dominion
26	Pass	ROBERTSON, Corey from MULLENS, Nick	Charlotte
26	KR	PARKS, Tez	Charlotte
26	KR	PARNELL, Devontre	Old Dominion
26	Rush	SMITH, Ito	Louisiana Tech
26	Pass	THOMPSON, D.J. from MULLENS, Nick	Louisiana Tech
26	KR	ANTOINE, D'Nerius	TROY
26	KR	JONES, Isaiah	Charlotte
25	KR	JONES, Isaiah	Charlotte
25	KR	PARNELL, Devontre	North Texas
25	KR	PARKS, Tez	UTSA
25	Pass	WHITEHEAD, Chase from MULLENS, Nick	Marshall
25	PR	STAGGERS, Allenzae	UTEP
25	Rush	PAYNE, George	Savannah State
24	Pass	JONES, Isaiah from MULLENS, Nick	Marshall
24	KR	PARNELL, Devontre	LSU
24	Pass	HOLMES, Tyre'oune from MULLENS, Nick	Savannah State
24	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	TROY
23	Rush	PAYNE, George	Savannah State
23	Pass	JONES, Isaiah from ADAMSON, Parker	Charlotte
23	Pass	STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick	UTEP
22*	Pass	ROBERTSON, Corey from MULLENS, Nick	Savannah State
22*	Pass	SMITH, Ito from ADAMSON, Parker	Charlotte
22	Pass	JONES, Isaiah from MULLENS, Nick	UTSA
22	Pass	ROBERTSON, Corey from MULLENS, Nick	RICE
22	Rush	HOWARD, Keon	Old Dominion
22	PR	STAGGERS, Allenzae	Charlotte
22	Pass	SMITH, Ito from MULLENS, Nick	Kentucky
21	Pass	HOLMES, Tyre'oune from MULLENS, Nick	TROY
21*	Pass	THOMPSON, D.J. from MULLENS, Nick	Louisiana Tech

LONG PLAYS BY THE NUMBERS

Long Plays By Yards	No.	TD
100+	1	1
90-99	1	1
80-89	3	2
70-79	5	5
60-69	3	2
50-59	5	1
40-49	3	1
30-39	14	2
20-29	53	3

Long Plays By Type	No.	TD
Rushing	14	3
Passing	48	12
Punt returns	4	1
Kick returns	20	0
Interceptions	2	2
Fumble returns	0	0
Other	0	0
TOTAL	88	18

20-YARD PLUS BY PLAYER

Player	No.	TD	R	P	KR	PR	IR	FR
STAGGERS, Allenzae	16	4	1	12	0	3	0	0
SMITH, Ito	16	4	9	7	0	0	0	0
JONES, Isaiah	10	2	0	5	5	0	0	0
PARKS, Tez	8	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
ROBERTSON, Corey	6	1	0	6	0	0	0	0
THOMPSON, D.J.	5	2	0	5	0	0	0	0
WHITEHEAD, Chase	4	2	0	4	0	0	0	0
PAYNE, George	4	0	2	1	1	0	0	0
ANTOINE, D'Nerius	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
ALLEN, Julian	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
PARNELL, Devontre	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
RICARD, Marquise	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
MIKELL, Curtis	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
HOWARD, Keon	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
HOLMES, Tyre'oune	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
FOSTER, Devonta	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
ROBERTSON, Corey+RO	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	88	18	14	48	20	4	2	0

LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR

Rushing	86 SMITH, Ito vs Savannah State (9/10/2016)
Rushing Touchdown	86 SMITH, Ito vs Savannah State (9/10/2016)
Passing	93 STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick vs RICE (10/1/2016)
Passing Touchdown	93 STAGGERS, Allenzae from MULLENS, Nick vs RICE (10/1/2016)
Punt Return	75 STAGGERS, Allenzae vs Savannah State (9/10/2016)
Kick Return	54 ANTOINE, D'Nerius vs Louisiana Tech (11/25/2016)
Interception Return	100 MIKELL, Curtis vs UTEP (9/24/2016)
Fumble Return	7 THIGPEN, Xavier vs Kentucky (9/3/2016)
Punt	61 SARRAZIN, Tyler vs Louisiana Tech (11/25/2016)
	61 SARRAZIN, Tyler vs LSU (10/15/2016)
Field Goal	49 SHAUNFIELD, Parker vs Kentucky (9/3/2016)

* touchdown scored on play

Yds	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
21	KR	JONES, Isaiah	LSU
21	Rush	SMITH, Ito	Charlotte
21	KR	JONES, Isaiah	Old Dominion
21	KR	PARKS, Tez	TROY
21	KR	PARKS, Tez	RICE
20	Rush	HOWARD, Keon	Old Dominion
20	Rush	SMITH, Ito	Marshall
20	Pass	THOMPSON, D.J. from MULLENS, Nick	UTEP
20	KR	MIKELL, Curtis	Savannah State
20	Pass	ROBERTSON, Korey from MULLENS, Nick	Louisiana Tech
20	KR	JONES, Isaiah	Charlotte
20	Pass	ROBERTSON, Korey from HOWARD, Keon	Old Dominion