## OFFENSE

| Left Tackle | Notes |
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| $\mathbf{7 3}$ Kyle Meadows, 6-5, 300, Sr-3L | Returning starter at right tackle |
| or 67 Landon Young, 6-7, 305, So-1L | Started in three games at left tackle <br> as a true freshman |

## Left Guard

| 71 | Logan Stenberg, 6-6, 318, So-1L | Named to All-SEC Freshman Team |
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| 55 | David Baumer, 6-5, 311, Jr-Sq |  |


| 65 Bunchy Stallings, 6-3, 315, Jr-1L | Started in eight games at right guard in 2016 |
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| or 68 Nick Haynes, 6-3, 300, Sr-3L | Started at left guard in 2016 |
| 52 Drake Jackson, 6-2, 290, Fr-RS |  |
| Right Guard |  |
| 68 Nick Haynes, 6-3, 300, Sr-3L | Started at left guard in 2016 |
| or 65 Bunchy Stallings, 6-3, 315, Jr-1L | Started in eight games at right guard in 2016 |
| 77 Mason Wolfe, 6-6, 310, So-Sq |  |
| Right Tackle |  |
| 64 George Asafo-Adjei, 6-5, 315, Jr-2L | Played in 12 of 13 games in 2016 |
| or 73 Kyle Meadows, 6-5, 300, Sr-3L | Returning starter at right tackle |
| 66 Naasir Watkins, 6-5, 300, Fr-HS | True freshman |
| Tight End |  |
| 87 C.J. Conrad, 6-5, 245, Jr-2L | 3 rec. for 97 yards, 1 TD in opener |
| 85 Greg Hart, 6-5, 245, Sr-1L | 6 receptions for 32 yards in 2016 |
| Wide Receiver [X] |  |
| 19 Kayaune Ross, 6-6, 225, Sr-Sq | 1 rec. for 8 yards in opener |
| or 6 Blake Bone, 6-5, 213, Sr-3L | 5 rec. for 82 yards in 2016 |

## Wide Receiver (Y)

| 88 | Charles Walker, 5-11, 203, Sr-3L | 1 rec. for 21 yards in opener |
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| 18 | Clevan Thomas Jr., 5-11, 205, Fr-HS | 1 rec. for 4 yards in opener |

## Wide Receiver (F)

| 9 | Garrett Johnson, 5-11, 175, Sr-3L | 109 career rec. for 1,572 yards; 8th on <br> UK's all-time receiving yards list |
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| 1 | Lynn Bowden Jr., 6-1, 190, Fr-HS | True freshman |

## Wide Receiver (Z)

| 11 | Tavin Richardson, 6-3, 214, So-1L | 1 rec. for 5 yards in opener |
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| 81 | Isaiah Epps, 6-2, 185, Fr-HS | 1 rec. for 6 yards in opener |
| or 82 Josh Ali, 6-0, 180, Fr-HS | True freshman |  |

## Quarterback

| $\frac{\text { Stephen Johnson, QB, 6-2, 185, Sr-1L }}{} \mathbf{1 5}$Has a 6-4 record as a starter; <br> Comp. 11 of 20 for 176 yards <br> and 1 TD/1 rushing TD in opener |  |
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| 7 | Drew Barker, 6-3, 225, Jr-2L |
| Missed the final nine games in '16 <br> with a back injury that required <br> off-season surgery; Comp. 18 of 36 36 <br> for 334 yards and four TDs prior |  |

## Running Back

$26 \quad$ Benny Snell Jr., 5-11, 223, So-1L 20 rushes for 67 yds in opener
22 Sihiem King, 5-9, 172, Jr-2L 8 rushes for 12 yds in opener

## SPECIALISTS

## Kicker

| 99 Austin MacGinnis, 5-10, 185, Sr-3L | 17 of 20 FGs; No. 2 scorer in UK his- <br> tory; Two game-winning FGs in 2016 |
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95 Miles Butler, 5-9, 171, Jr-1L

## Punter

93 Matt Panton, 6-4, 230, Sr.-TR

Avg. 42.0 yds per punt in opener with 5 inside 20, 1 punt 50 yards

80 Grant McKinniss, 6-1, 210, So-1L
Avg. 39.2 yds per punt, 10 inside 20, 4 punts over 50+ yards

## Long Snapper

| 42 | Tristan Yeomans, PS, 6-2, 190, Jr-1L |
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| 53 | Blake Best, FG, PAT, 6-1, 246, So-1L |

## Punt Return

$88 \quad$ Charles Walker, 5-11, 203, Sr-3L $\quad$ Avg. 7.8 yds in 2016, 1 TD
$1 \quad$ Lynn Bowden Jr., 6-1, 190, Fr-HS $\quad$ True freshman

## Kickoff Return

22 Sihiem King, 5-9, 172, Jr-2L
1 Lynn Bowden Jr., 6-1, 190, Fr-HS True freshman

## Holder

42 Tristan Yeomans, PS, 6-2, 190, Jr-1L

86 Grant McKinniss, 6-1, 210, So-1L

## DEFENSE

## Strongside Linebacker

| 41 | Josh Allen, 6-5, 230, Jr-2L | 4 tkls, 2.0 TFL, 1.0 sacks, 1 FF, 2 QBH in <br> opener |
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| 47 | Jordan Bonner, 6-5, 222, Jr-1L | 2 tackles in opener |
| Defensive Tackle |  |  |
| 99 | Adrian Middleton, 6-3, 275, Jr-2L | 35 tackles, 5.5 TFL in 2016; 5 in opener |
| 59 | Kordell Looney, 6-3, 293, Fr-RS | 2 tackles in opener |

## Nose Guard

| 77 | Naquez Pringle, 6-3, 320, Sr-1L | $\mathbf{3 9}$ tackles, 2.0 TFL in 2016 |
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| 69 | Matt Elam, 6-7, 360, Sr-3L | 9 tackles in 2016; 4 in opener |
| Defensive End |  |  |
| 90 | T.J. Carter, 6-4, 280, So-1L | 11 tackles, 0.5 sacks in 2016 |
| 20 | Kengera Daniel, 6-5, 260, Jr-2L | 2 tackles in opener |

## Defensive End/ Outside Linebacker

35 Denzil Ware, 6-2, 245, Jr-2L 2 tkls, 1.0 TFL, 1.0 sack, 1 FF, 2 FR for 20 yds and a TD in opener
4 Josh Paschal, 6-3, 270, Fr-HS True freshman; 1.0 TFL in opener

## Nickelback

| 5 | Kendall Randolph, 6-0, 183, Sr-3L | 4 tackles in opener |
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| or 7 | Mike Edwards, 6-0, 200, Jr-2L | $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ tackles, 5.5 TFL, $\mathbf{0 . 5}$ sacks, $\mathbf{3}$ INT | for 46 yards, 8 PBU in 2016

## Middle Linebacker

| $\mathbf{5 1}$ | Courtney Love, 6-2, 242, Sr-1L | Team-high 9 tkls, 1.0 TFL, 1 FR in opener |
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| $56 \quad$ Kash Daniel, 6-1, 235, So-1L | 19 tackles in 2016 |  |
| or 31 Jamar "Boogie" Watson, 6-3, 240, Fr-RS |  |  |
| Weakside Linebacker |  |  |
| $\mathbf{3 4}$ | Jordan Jones, 6-2, 221, Jr-2L | Team-high 109 tackles, 15.5 TFL, |
| $\mathbf{3 2}$ | Eli Brown, 6-2, 215, So-1L | 4.0 sacks, 9 QB hurries in 2016 |
| $\mathbf{C o r n e r b a c k}$ |  |  |
| $\mathbf{8}$ | Derrick Baity, 6-3, 186, Jr-2L | 42 tackles in 2016 |
| 6 | Lonnie Johnson, 6-3, 203, Jr-JC | Enrolled in January; 4 tkls in opener |

## Cornerback

| 21 | Chris Westry, 6-4, 195, So-1L | 43 tackles, $\mathbf{3}$ PBU, 1 INT in 2016 |
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| 3 | Jordan Griffin, 6-0, 186, So-1L | Played in eight games as a true freshman |

## Strong Safety

| 7 | Mike Edwards, 6-0, 200, Jr-2L | $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ tackles, 5.5 TFL, $\mathbf{0 . 5}$ sacks, $\mathbf{3}$ INT <br> for 46 yards, $\mathbf{8}$ PBU in $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ |
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| 5 | Kendall Randolph, 6-0, 183, Sr-3L | 15 tackles, 1.0 TFL in 2016 |
| Free Safety |  |  |
| 25 | Darius West, 6-0, 210, Jr-2L | 7 tkls, 1.5 TFL, 1 FF in opener |
| 9 | Davonte Robinson, 6-2, 187, Fr-RS | 2 tkls in opener |

