

2022 Ohio Valley Conference Football Report

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OVC STANDINGS

(In games through September 10)

	OVC					OVERALL								
	W	L	PCT.	PF	PA	W	L	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Away	Neutral	Streak
Lindenwood	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.000	21	20	0-0	1-0	0-0	W1
UT Martin	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	72	60	1-0	0-1	0-0	L1
Southeast Missouri	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	44	73	0-0	1-1	0-0	W1
Tennessee Tech	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1	.500	36	81	1-0	0-1	0-0	W1
Eastern Illinois	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	.000	47	72	0-1	0-1	0-0	L2
Murray State	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	.000	13	97	0-1	0-1	0-0	L2
Tennessee State	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	.000	32	52	0-0	0-1	0-1	L2

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 17

Murray State at Ball State, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Nicholls **at Southeast Missouri**, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
#16 UT Martin at Boise State, 3:00 p.m. (FS1)
#24 Samford at Tennessee Tech, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
Tennessee State at Middle Tennessee, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Keiser **at Lindenwood**, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
Eastern Illinois at Illinois State, 6:30 p.m. (ESPN+)

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Thursday, September 8

@#5 Missouri State 35, **#14 UT Martin** 30

Saturday, September 10

#10 Chattanooga 38, **@Eastern Illinois** 20
Jacksonville State 34, **@Murray State** 3
#13 Jackson State 16, **Tennessee State** 3
@Tennessee Tech 26, Texas A&M-Commerce 25
Southeast Missouri 34, **@#17 Southern Illinois** 31
Lindenwood 21, **@Houston Baptist** 20

* Indicates OVC Contest
ALL TIMES CENTRAL

THIS WEEK'S OVC HIGHLIGHTS/STORYLINES

This year marks the 75th anniversary of the OVC, which was founded in 1948, making it the eighth-oldest Division I Conference ... The OVC is made up of seven football-playing schools in 2022, including Lindenwood which joined the league this season ... The league schedule is based around five Conference games this season (new member Lindenwood will play only four) ... OVC teams picked up three wins in Week 2, all of which came in the final minute of the game ... That included SEMO throwing a touchdown pass with 11 seconds left to beat No. 17 Southern Illinois; it was the eighth win over a Top 25 team for the Redhawks under Coach Matukewicz ... Lindenwood blocked a punt and recovered it for a touchdown with 28 seconds left to top Houston Baptist in its Division I debut ... Tennessee Tech overcame a 12-point deficit with 7:41 to play as it scored with two seconds left to beat Texas A&M-Commerce ... UT Martin WR Colton Dowell had 10 catches for 159 yards at No. 5 Missouri State; with that he eclipsed 2,000 career receiving yards, the fourth player in UTM history to achieve the feat (he is just 475 yards away from the school receiving record) ... UT Martin is ranked No. 16 in the Stats Perform Poll and No. 18 in the AFCA FCS Coaches Poll this week; SEMO is now receiving votes in the Stats Perform Poll after its win over No. 17 SIU ... Every current OVC team (except newly Division I Lindenwood) has been ranked in the Top 25 polls for at least one week over the past six years (2016-21) ... OVC teams have 13 playoff victories since 2013, including five Quarterfinal and one National Championship game appearance ... Since 2013, six different teams that have represented the OVC have won a playoff games; the only other conferences to accomplish that are the CAA, MVFC and Southern Conference ... SEMO's Geno Hess begins the season on the Walter Payton Watch List while UT Martin's John H. Ford II is on the Buck Buchanan Award Watch List ... In seven of the past 12 years (2010-21), an OVC team has defeated a Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) opponent ... Last academic year (2021-22), 103 football student-athletes were named to the OVC Commissioner's Honor Roll for achieving a 3.25 GPA or better ... This season the OVC and Southland Conference begin a two-year (2022, 2023) non-conference scheduling alliance which filled open schedule dates with a focus toward competitive balance and reasonable travel ... The OVC and Big South have created an alliance which begins next season (2023), and combines the two conferences' football membership to ensure NCAA championship access and stability for the multisport conferences.

OVC PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

OFFENSIVE

Paxton DeLaurent, QB • 6-5, 215, So. • Camdenton, Mo. • Southeast Missouri
DeLaurent, a transfer from Central Methodist, completed 33-of-44 passes for 332 yard and four touchdowns without an interception as Southeast Missouri won at No. 17 Southern Illinois by a 34-31 margin. His touchdown passes went for 6, 3, 4 and 2 yards, with two coming in the first half and the final two coming in the last six minutes of the fourth quarter. At one point, he completed 16 passes in a row. SEMO trailed, 31-21, when DeLaurent threw the game-winning touchdown, a two-yard pass to Damoriea Vick with 11 seconds left to play. He completed passes to nine different receivers and had the most passing yards in a game by a SEMO quarterback since 2018 (386, Daniel Santacaterina, at UT Martin).

Others Nominated: Robert Giaimo, Lindenwood; Willie Miller, Tennessee Tech; Dresser Winn, UT Martin.

DEFENSIVE

Tyrone Griffin, LB • 6-3, 208, So. • Brownsburg, Ind. • Lindenwood
Griffin, a transfer from Indiana State, made nine tackles, including a sack, and tallied two pass breakups as Lindenwood came from behind to top Houston Baptist 21-20 in its OVC and Division I debut. Griffin recorded a half sack in the third quarter, just one play before the defense recovered a fumble. On back-to-back plays in the fourth quarter, he recorded another half sack and broke up a pass to force a field goal attempt which was missed from 45 yards out. Lindenwood would later block a punt and recovery it for a touchdown to win by one point.

DEFENSIVE

John H. Ford II, LB • 6-3, 230, Grad. • Nashville, Tenn. • UT Martin
Ford made 12 tackles (4 solo), including 2.0 for loss and a sack, and broke up a pass as UT Martin came up just short at No. 5 Missouri State. Ford has recorded double-digit tackles in both games this season and has 3.5 tackles for loss through three games.

Others Nominated: Colin Bohanek, Eastern Illinois; Quinaz Turner, Murray State; Seth Carlisle, Tennessee Tech.

CO-SPECIALIST

Logan Seibert, K • 5-10, 184, So. • Belleville, Ill. • Lindenwood
Seibert connected on all three of his field goal attempts as Lindenwood made its OVC and Division I debut with a 21-20 victory at Houston Baptist. His field goals from 41 and 44 yards were the only points for the Lions in the first half. He then connected from 44 yards to pull the team to within five points early in the fourth quarter. The three makes were a new career-high for the sophomore. Seibert added six kickoffs for an average of 63.5 yards with a pair of touchbacks.

CO-SPECIALIST

DC Pippin, K • 6-0, 178, Jr. • Springfield, Ill. • Southeast Missouri
Pippin scored 10 points kicking in Southeast Missouri's 34-31 win at No. 17 Southern Illinois, making 2-of-3 field goals and 4-of-4 PATs. After missing from 50 yards at the end of the first half, Pippin nailed a 50-yarder late in the third quarter to tie the game at 17, and added a 45-yarder at the beginning of the fourth quarter to give SEMO a 20-17 lead. He is one of four players in the FCS with a 50-yard field goal this season. Pippin also kicked off five times for 294 yards, averaging 58.8 yards per kickoff.

Others Nominated: Stone Galloway, Eastern Illinois; Hayden Olsen, Tennessee Tech; Tyler Larco, UT Martin.

NEWCOMER

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Others Nominated: Trey Wilhoit, Eastern Illinois; Tyrone Griffin, Lindenwood; Gleson Sprewell, Tennessee State; DJ Nelson, UT Martin.

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WEEKLY NOTES: The OVC will release its Players of the Week each Sunday afternoon throughout the season. The full weekly notes report will be released each Monday throughout the season by 5 p.m. CT. The report is available via e-mail, and is posted on the league's Web site in text and PDF versions. Statistics are updated after each gameday on the OVC Web site.

2022 PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

OFFENSIVE

Sept. 4	Devon Starling, Tennessee State Zak Wallace, UT Martin
Sept. 11	Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Missouri
Sept. 18	
Sept. 25	
Oct. 2	
Oct. 9	
Oct. 16	
Oct. 23	
Oct. 30	
Nov. 6	
Nov. 13	
Nov. 20	

DEFENSIVE

Sept. 4	Shaun Lewis, UT Martin
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Bold indicates player went on to be named National Player of the Week (STATS, HERO Sports or NCAA.com).

NOTES FROM AROUND THE GRIDIRON

Quick Hitters: SEMO WR **Johnny King** had 14 receptions at No. 17 Southern Illinois on September 10; it is the second-most by a FCS player this season (15 is the top mark) ... SEMO kicker **DC Pippin** nailed a 50-yard field goal at Southern Illinois, making him one of four FCS players to connect from 50 yards or longer this season ... Tennessee State's **Devon Starling** had 207 yards in the season-opener at No. 12 Eastern Washington (Sept. 3), which is the second-most by a FCS player against a Division I team this season; Starling ranks fifth nationally in rushing (138.5 yards/game) ... Four different OVC players have reached the 100-yard rushing mark in 2022 ... Tennessee Tech was 2-for-2 on fourth down in its come-from-behind win over Texas A&M-Commerce ... UT Martin ranks seventh nationally in passing (330.5 yard/game); the Skyhawks are one of three teams to not allow a sack so far this season ... UTM's **Colton Dowell** now ranks fourth in receiving yards (2,019) and ninth in receiving touchdowns (15) in Skyhawk program history.

Martin Named National Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 12): Lindenwood's **Andrew Martin** was named the FedEx Ground FCS National Special Teams Player of the Week by Stats Perform for his performance in the Lions' 21-20 win over Houston Baptist on September 10. Martin recovered a blocked punt in the HBU end zone with 28 seconds remaining to give Lindenwood a road victory in its first game as an FCS program. The Lions trailed 20-15 when Jalen Bethany blocked the punt. Martin entered the game without a career TD, but he had two, first scoring on a four-yard run in the third quarter to pull LU to within 20-12. He finished with 49 rushing yards and also had a special teams tackle.

Top 25 Polls: After its loss at No. 5 Missouri State, UT Martin is now No. 16 in the Stats Perform Top 25 (down two spots) and No. 18 in the AFCA FCS Coaches Poll (down four spots). The Skyhawks finished last season ranked No. 12 in the Coaches Poll, its highest end-of-season finish in school history, and was ranked as high as No. 8 (matching its highest ranking). After its win over No. 17 Southern Illinois, Southeast Missouri is now receiving votes in the Stats Perform Poll. Every current OVC team (except newly Division I Lindenwood) has been ranked in the Top 25 polls for at least one week over the past six years (2016-21).

NCAA Division I Playoff Information: In 2010 the Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) playoff field expanded to 20 teams, up from 16 previously, and in 2013 the field increased to 24 for the first time. The expansion in 2010 to 20 teams was the first since the field grew from 12 to 16 teams in 1997. The 24-team field is comprised of 11 automatic bids and 13 at-large berths. There are eight first round matchups (16 total teams), while eight (8) teams receive a bye into the second round. For the 14th time in 2022, the championship game will be played in Frisco, Texas at Toyota Stadium, a 20,500-seat multi-purpose stadium. The Southland Conference will serve as the host of the championship, which will be held on Saturday, January 7.

Recent Playoff Success: Beginning with the 2001 season the OVC went until 2013 without a FCS Playoff victory. But over the past nine seasons OVC teams have performed well in the playoffs, winning 13 total games and advancing to the FCS Quarterfinals three times in the past six seasons. In 2013 the OVC placed three teams in the field for the first-time ever (each won a game) and in 2015 the league had a team advance to the National Championship game (the first for the league since 1982). Over the past nine years six different teams that have represented the OVC have won a playoff game (Austin Peay, Eastern Illinois, Jacksonville State, Southeast Missouri, Tennessee State and UT Martin).

Six Different OVC Teams With Playoff Wins Since 2013: The OVC is one of just four FCS Conferences to have six different teams win a playoff game over the past nine years (2013-2021). Over that time Austin Peay, Eastern Illinois, Jacksonville State, Southeast Missouri, Tennessee State and UT Martin have all won at least one game while representing the OVC. The other conferences to have six different teams win over that period are the CAA, Missouri Valley and Southern Conferences.

2022 Schedule: The 2022 OVC football schedule features the seven league members playing five Conference games apiece (the exception being new member Lindenwood who will play four). There is not a full round robin this year as most teams' non-conference schedules were full (including a previously announced non-conference scheduling partnership with the Southland Conference) when Lindenwood joined the league in February 2022. Eastern Illinois and Lindenwood will play on October 15 but will not count in the OVC standings.

Walter Payton Award Watch List: Southeast Missouri senior running back **Geno Hess** was one of 35 players nationally named to the Walter Payton Award Watch List by Stats Perform. The award is presented after the season to the national offensive player of the year in college football's Division I subdivision. More players can join the watch list during the regular season, and afterwards a national media panel will select the winner. First awarded in 1987, the Payton has been won by an OVC player twice, Tony Romo in 2002 and Jimmy Garoppolo in 2013.

Buck Buchanan Award Watch List: UT Martin graduate linebacker **John H. Ford II** is one of 35 players nationally named to the Buck Buchanan Award Watch List by Stats Perform. The award is presented to the national defensive player of the year in college football's Division I subdivision. More players can join the watch list during the regular season, and afterwards a national media panel will select the winner. First awarded in 1995, the Buchanan Award has twice been won by an OVC player, Jacksonville State's Darius Jackson (2017) and SEMO's Zach Hall (2018).

Deacon Jones Trophy Watch List: Three Tennessee State football players have been named to the Watch List for the Black College Football Player of the Year Award. The award, known as the Deacon Jones Trophy, is presented annually to the most outstanding college football player from a Historically Black College & University (HBCU). The players were quarterback **Draylen Ellis**, running back **Devon Starling** and linebacker **James Green**. Four finalists will be unveiled after the season. The winner of the Black College Football Player of the Year Award, which will be announced during halftime of the 2023 HBCU Legacy Bowl on Saturday, February 25, 2023 in New Orleans, Louisiana. TSU's Chris Rowland won the award in 2019.

Hess on CFPA National Performer of the Year Watch List: Southeast Missouri running back **Geno Hess** is one of 38 players on the initial Watch List for the College Football Performance Awards (CFPA) National Performer of the Year Award.

Individual Awards Winners: Since 2013, the OVC has produced one Walter Payton Award Winner, two Buck Buchanan Award Winners, an Eddie Robinson Award Winner and a Deacon Jones Trophy winner. In addition, the league has had two Doris Robinson Award Winners, as the National Scholar-Athlete of the Year.

Three OVC Players Named to FCS Punter of the Year Watch List: Three OVC players have been named to the 2022 FCS Punter of the Year Award Watch List by the Augusta Sports Council. The OVC picks, who were among the 22 nationally on the list, were Southeast Missouri's **Zach Haynes**, Tennessee State's **Kaleb Mosely** and Murray State's **Lewis Halton**. The FCS Punter of the Year Award winner will be voted on by the FCS Punter of the Year Award/Ray Guy Award Committee and will be announced after regular season play commences.

COACHES WEEKLY ZOOM

OVC coaches will hold a weekly video conference via Zoom. The sessions will be on Tuesday (beginning Aug. 30) between 10:10am-12pm CT, with each coach appearing for a maximum of 10 minutes. A schedule of what times coaches will appear weekly is below. For information on how to access the Zoom, please contact Kyle Schwartz in the OVC Office (615-690-6685 or kschwartz@ovc.org).

10:10 - Dean Hood, Murray State
10:40 - Jason Simpson, UT Martin
10:50 - Chris Wilkerson, Eastern Illinois
11:10 - Dewayne Alexander, Tennessee Tech
11:20 - Tom Matukewicz, Southeast Missouri
11:30 - Jed Stugart, Lindenwood
11:50 - Eddie George, Tennessee State

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Simpson Ranks Fourth in OVC Career Victories: UT Martin head coach **Jason Simpson** currently ranks fourth in OVC history for career victories. Simpson recorded his 100th victory in the Skyhawks FCS Playoff win over Missouri State in 2021. Including Simpson, only 22 active FCS coaches have 100 or more career wins.

315 - Roy Kidd, Eastern Kentucky (1964-2002)
 154 - Boots Donnelly, Austin Peay & Middle Tennessee (1977-78, 79-98)
 117 - Charles Murphy, Middle Tennessee (1952-68)
101 - Jason Simpson, UT Martin (2006-present)
 99 - Jimmy Feix, Western Kentucky (1968-81)

OVC Teams Against FBS Opponents: In seven of the past 12 seasons (2010-21), an OVC team has knocked off a Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) opponent (2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2020). OVC teams are 36-262-1 all-time against FBS opponents.

OVC and Big South Association: In February 2022 the Big South Conference and Ohio Valley Conference announced the creation of an association of their football member institutions, to begin with the 2023 NCAA Division I football season and have an initial term of at least four years. The unique agreement combines the two conferences' football membership to ensure NCAA championship access and stability for the multisport conferences. In creating the association, presidents from each of the multisport conferences pointed to the similarities of the OVC and the Big South, with their complementary geographies and intercollegiate athletic philosophies, as key to making this association possible.

OVC and Southland Conference Partner For Non-Conference Scheduling Alliance: In October 2021, the OVC and Southland Conference announced a football scheduling alliance for the 2022 and 2023 seasons. The collaboration will see institutions from each conference fill available non-conference dates on schedules in 2022 and 2023 with a focus toward competitive balance and reasonable travel. The alliance provides quality Division I FCS non-conference matchups, allows increased visibility, exposure and branding for each Conference. There are eight matchups on the schedule (with a ninth involving Lindenwood who joined the OVC after the schedule was set). OVC teams are 2-0 so far against Southland schools in 2022.

Sgt. York Trophy Presented by Delta Dental: The Sgt. York Trophy (founded in 2007 by the Nashville Sports Council and sponsored by Delta Dental) goes to the winner of the season football series between the four OVC football-playing schools located in the state of Tennessee (originally it included four schools, but beginning in 2022 includes three schools: Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech and UT Martin). The award is named in honor of Alvin C. York, the most noted Soldier of World War I. As a corporal in the 2nd battalion, 328th Infantry, in the Battle of the Meuse River-Argonne (Oct. 8, 1918), York and seven other soldiers captured 132 prisoners, was promoted to sergeant and received the Distinguished Service Cross, the French Croix de Guerre, the French Legion of Honor, the Croce di Guerra of Italy and the War Medal of Montenegro. Upon his return to the United States in 1919, he was bestowed the Congressional Medal of Honor. Last season UT Martin went 3-0 to claim the title.

Academic Success: During the past academic year (2021-22) there were 103 OVC football student-athletes who were named to the Commissioner's Honor Roll for having a 3.25 grade point average or higher. In addition, 10 student-athletes were awarded the OVC Academic Medal of Honor for achieving perfect 4.0 GPAs.

A Look at the Coaches: Five coaches from last season return to their respective teams in 2022. Among the newcomers is first-year Eastern Illinois head coach **Chris Wilkerson**, who played for the Panthers and was later an assistant coach. Also new to the league is **Jed Stugart**, who begins his sixth year (fifth season) at Lindenwood, who joined the OVC on July 1. In addition to Wilkerson, Tennessee Tech's **Dewayne Alexander** is also coaching at his alma mater. The longest tenured coach in the league is UT Martin's **Jason Simpson** who enters his 17th season with the Skyhawks in 2022; Simpson is the fourth-winningest coach in OVC history.

Alexander on NCAA Committee on Ethical Conduct and Sportsmanship: Beginning this season Tennessee Tech head coach **Dewayne Alexander** is on the NCAA's Committee on Ethical Conduct and Sportsmanship. The committee's mission is to improve the condition of sportsmanship and ethical conduct in all aspects of college athletics by developing and implementing strategies that foster greater acceptance of the value of respect, fairness, civility, honesty and responsibility. Since the establishment of the committee, the group has focused on two areas: (1) provide best practices and creative tools (e.g., the RESPECT campaign) for campus and conference implementation and (2) increase the awareness and profile of the NCAA Sportsmanship Awards.

UT Martin Tabbed Preseason OVC Favorite: Coming off an OVC Championship and its first FCS Playoff victory, UT Martin has been picked as the preseason football favorites in the Ohio Valley Conference for the 2022 season. The Skyhawks picked up 10 of a possible 14 first-place votes in a poll of league head coaches and communications directors. It marked the first time the Skyhawks have been picked the preseason favorites since joining the league prior to the 1992 season. UT Martin totaled 70 points to finish ahead of Southeast Missouri (59). Murray State (51) was tabbed third, just ahead of Tennessee State (46), who also picked up a first-place vote. The poll was rounded out by Tennessee Tech (29), Eastern Illinois (20) and Lindenwood (19).

Hess and Ford Headline Preseason All-OVC Team: Southeast Missouri senior running back **Geno Hess** and UT Martin graduate student linebacker **John H. Ford II** were named the 2022 OVC Preseason Offensive and Defensive

OVC IN THE POLLS WEEK-BY-WEEK (STATS/FCS COACHES)

	EIU	LIN	MUR	SEMO	TSU	TTU	UTM
Preseason	-/-	-/-	-/RV	-/RV	-/-	-/-	18/15
Sept. 5	-RV	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	14/14
Sept. 12	-/-	-/-	-/-	RV/-	-/-	-/-	16/18
Sept. 19							
Sept. 26							
Oct. 3							
Oct. 10							
Oct. 17							
Oct. 24							
Oct. 31							
Nov. 7							
Nov. 14							
Nov. 21							
Final							

NATIONAL POLLS

STATS PERFORM

No.	Team	Record	Pts.
1.	North Dakota State (52)	2-0	1,348
2.	South Dakota State (2)	1-1	1,263
3.	Montana	2-0	1,242
4.	Montana State	2-0	1,199
5.	Missouri State	2-0	1,097
6.	UIW	2-0	1,064
7.	Villanova	2-0	1,021
8.	Sacramento State	1-0	967
9.	Delaware	2-0	865
10.	Chattanooga	2-0	804
11.	Jackson State	2-0	758
12.	Weber State	2-0	748
13.	Holy Cross	2-0	713
14.	Eastern Washington	1-1	562
15.	William & Mary	2-0	542
16.	UT Martin	1-1	488
17.	Rhode Island	2-0	468
18.	ETSU	1-1	388
19.	Eastern Kentucky	1-1	285
20.	Mercer	1-1	243
21.	Stephen F. Austin	1-2	180
22.	North Dakota	1-1	157
23.	Kennesaw State	0-2	141
24.	Samford	1-1	139
25.	New Hampshire	2-0	138

Others (OVC Only): Southeast Missouri (40)

FCS COACHES POLL

No.	Team	Record	Pts.
1.	North Dakota State (26)	2-0	674
2.	Montana (1)	2-0	642
3.	South Dakota State	1-1	617
4.	Montana State	2-0	599
5.	Villanova	2-0	557
6.	Missouri State	2-0	528
7.	Sacramento State	1-0	489
8.	UIW	2-0	487
9.	Chattanooga	2-0	456
10.	Delaware	2-0	415
11.	Jackson State	2-0	367
12.	Holy Cross	2-0	363
13.	Weber State	2-0	355
14.	Rhode Island	2-0	272
15.	Eastern Washington	1-1	262
16.	Stephen F. Austin	1-2	233
17.	William & Mary	2-0	227
18.	UT Martin	1-1	218
19.	ETSU	1-1	210
20.	Mercer	1-1	129
21.	Fordham	2-0	60
22.	Kennesaw State	0-2	57
23.	Youngstown State	2-0	56
24.	Eastern Kentucky	1-1	55
25.	Samford	1-1	46

Others (OVC Only): none



Players of the Year in a vote of by the league's head football coaches and communications directors. Tennessee State and UT Martin led the way with eight selections apiece, while Eastern Illinois and Murray State had seven players apiece, Southeast Missouri had six selections, Tennessee Tech added three and newcomer Lindenwood had two players on the team. Returning players who were first- or second-team All-OVC selections last year were automatic selections to the preseason team this year.

NFL Connections: As of September 11, there were 12 former OVC players on NFL rosters (8 active, 3 practice squad and 1 IR). Overall the OVC has produced at least one NFL Draft Pick in 14 of the past 19 years (2003-21). In January 2020, Eastern Illinois alum Jimmy Garoppolo became just the eighth former FCS quarterback to start a Super Bowl, doing so with the San Francisco 49ers. For Super Bowl LV in February 2021, there were four participants with OVC connections including a player (Josh Pearson), a coach (Rick Christophel), an official (Jabir Walker) and a broadcaster (Tony Romo).

Romo Becomes Sixth College Football Hall of Famer With OVC Connections: In December 2021 former Eastern Illinois quarterback **Tony Romo** was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame Class. Romo is the third player that played in the OVC to be inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame joining Jim Youngblood from Tennessee Tech and George Floyd Jr., from Eastern Kentucky. Three former head coaches from the OVC have also been inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame with Roy Kidd (Eastern Kentucky), James "Boots" Donnelly (Middle Tennessee/Austin Peay) and Frank Beamer (Murray State). At EIU Romo was the winner of the 2002 Walter Payton Award as the top player in the FCS. After going undrafted in 2003, he would put together a standout NFL career with the Dallas Cowboys from 2003-16. The four-time Pro Bowl selection holds Cowboy records for career passing yards and passing touchdowns. Since retiring with the Cowboys, Romo has served as the lead color analyst for CBS' NFL telecasts, working alongside Jim Nantz.

Let's Get It Started: The 75th season of Ohio Valley Conference football got underway on Thursday, September 1. The OVC is made up of seven football-playing schools in 2022. Since its beginning, 15 of the 19 total schools that have played football in the league have claimed at least one championship.

I-AA No More: Although some people may still refer to it as I-AA football, the term that represents the level of Division I football in which the Ohio Valley Conference competes has been long retired. Beginning with the 2006 National Championship game, the term Football Championship Subdivision (or FCS) is to be used. Teams who play at the FCS level can offer a maximum of 63 scholarships (Football Bowl Subdivision teams can offer 85) and compete in a playoff at the end of the season to determine the national champion.

FCS All-In: Each week during the 2022 football season, "FCS All-In" will debut a new episode on ESPN+ each Friday night at 6pm CT. The program is a collaborative effort of the NCAA's 15 Division I FCS Conferences..

ESPN+: This season every Conference football game (and select non-conference contests) will be broadcast on ESPN+. This marks the fifth year of the OVC's deal with ESPN+, the multi-sport, direct-to-consumer video service from The Walt Disney Company's Direct-to-Consumer & International segment. Fans can subscribe to ESPN+ for \$9.99 a month (or \$99.99 per year) or as part of a bundle with Disney+ and ad-supported Hulu (\$13.99/month). ESPN+ is an integrated part of the ESPN App and (on mobile and connected devices) and ESPN.com. More information can be found at www.OVCsports.com/ESPN.

OVC VS. OTHER CONFERENCES

FCS Opponents	
ASUN	0-1
Big Sky	0-1
Big South	0-0
CAA	0-0
Independent	0-0
Ivy	0-0
MEAC	0-0
Missouri Valley	2-1
NEC	0-0
Patriot	0-0
Pioneer	0-0
Southern	0-1
Southland	2-0
SWAC	0-1
WAC	0-0
FCS Total	4-5
FBS Opponents	
American Athletic	0-0
Atlantic Coast	0-0
Big Ten	0-0
Big 12	0-3
Conference USA	0-0
MAC	0-1
Mountain West	0-0
Pac-12	0-0
SEC	0-0
Sun Belt	0-0
FBS Total	0-4
Non-Division I	0-0
Total Non-Conference Record	4-9

SCORING STREAKS

Below is a list of each OVC school and their current scoring streak; that list is followed by the longest FCS scoring streaks in NCAA history.

#	Team	Last Shutout
89	Tennessee State	44-0 vs. Eastern Ky. (11/2/13)
40	Lindenwood	19-0 vs. Northwest Mo. (10/21/19)
32	UT Martin	45-0 at Florida (9/7/19)
31	Southeast Missouri	50-0 at Missouri (9/14/19)
29	Murray State	45-0 at Toledo (9/14/19)
10	Tennessee Tech	26-0 vs. Furman (9/11/21)
5	Eastern Illinois	28-0 vs. Tennessee St. (10/23/21)

Longest All-Time FCS Streaks Without Being Shutout

#	Team	Years
423	Montana*	1989-present
305	Dayton* %	1993-present
291	Hampton	1984-2009
265	Lehigh	1986-2010
220	Delaware	1996-2014
199	Eastern Washington	1988-2006
166	North Dakota State*	2010-present
165	UNI	1983-96
158	McNeese State	1988-01
156	Murray State	2005-19

* Active Streak

% Overall streak is 499 (194 games were as a DIII team)

ACTIVE 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

Below is a list of 100-yard rushing games for active players in the OVC. Totals are for the players careers while in the OVC and are updated through Week 2 of the 2022 season.

Active OVCer's With 100-Yard Rushing Games

Geno Hess, Southeast Missouri	10
David Gist, Tennessee Tech	7
Devon Starling, Tennessee State	7
Damonta Witherspoon, Murray State	5
Zak Wallace, UT Martin	4
Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Illinois	2
Willie Miller, Tennessee Tech	1
Cortez Jones, Murray State	1
DJ Williams, Murray State	1
Shamenski Rucker, Southeast Missouri	1
Markenzy Pierre, Eastern Illinois	1
Robert Giaimo, Lindenwood	1

2022 SUPERLATIVES

100-Yard Rushing Games

207..... Devon Starling, Tennessee State at #12 Eastern Washington (Sept. 3)

100-Yard Rushing Games

139..... Zak Wallace, UT Martin vs. Western Illinois (Sept. 1)
108..... Robert Giaimo, Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sept. 10)
100..... Markenzy Pierre, Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sept. 1)

300-Yard Passing Games

344..... Dresser Winn, UT Martin at #5 Missouri State (Sept. 8)
332..... Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Missouri at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)
317..... Dresser Winn, UT Martin vs. Western Illinois (Sept. 1)

100-Yard Receiving Games

159..... Colton Dowell, UT Martin at #5 Missouri State (Sept. 8)
145..... Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Missouri at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)
132..... Zack Dobson, Tennessee State at #12 Eastern Washington (Sept. 3)
125..... Johnny King, Southeast Missouri at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)
100..... Colton Dowell, UT Martin vs. Western Illinois (Sept. 1)

10-Reception Games

14..... Johnny King, Southeast Missouri at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)
10..... Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Missouri at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)
10..... Colton Dowell, UT Martin at #5 Missouri State (Sept. 8)

200-Yard All-Purpose Games

230..... Devon Starling, Tennessee State at #12 Eastern Washington (Sept. 3)

50-Yard Field Goals

50..... DC Pippin, Southeast Missouri at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)

12-Tackle Games

13..... John H. Ford II, UT Martin vs. Western Illinois (Sept. 1)
13..... Eric Samuta, Murray State vs. Jacksonville State (Sept. 10)
13..... Rob Hicks, UT Martin at #5 Missouri State (Sept. 8)
12..... John H. Ford II, UT Martin at #5 Missouri State (Sept. 8)
12..... Lawrence Johnson, Southeast Missouri at Iowa State (Sept. 3)

Multiple Defensive Interception Games

1..... Shaun Lewis, UT Martin Last vs. Western Illinois (Sept. 1)
1..... Quinaz Turner, Murray State Last vs. Jacksonville State (Sept. 10)

Multiple Rushing Touchdown Games

1..... Zak Wallace, UT Martin Last vs. Western Illinois (Sept. 1)

Multiple Receiving Touchdown Games

1..... EJ Smoot, UT Martin Last vs. Western Illinois (Sept. 1)
1..... Johnny King, Southeast Missouri Last at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)

Multiple Passing Touchdown Games

2..... Dresser Winn, UT Martin Last at #5 Missouri State (Sept. 8)
2..... Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Illinois Last vs. #10 Chattanooga (Sept. 10)
1..... Draylen Ellis, Tennessee State Last at #12 Eastern Washington (Sept. 3)
1..... Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Missouri Last at #17 Southern Illinois (Sept. 10)
1..... Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Last vs. Texas A&M-Commerce (Sept. 10)

SGT. YORK TROPHY

The 2022 season marks the 16th of competition for the Sergeant York Trophy, an award created by the Nashville Sports Council and the Ohio Valley Conference. The trophy is contested between the OVC football-playing schools in the state of Tennessee - Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech and UT Martin - and goes to the team with the best combined record versus those schools in a given year.

The award is sponsored by Delta Dental of Tennessee.

In the event of a tie, the award will be shared; however, the previous winner will retain the trophy if they are part of the tie. If the tie is between two other institutions, the trophy will go to the institution that has gone the most seasons without winning the trophy.

The award is the only traveling trophy that involves four teams in college sports; there are three others that involve three teams, including the Commander in Chief's Trophy which has been contested between Air Force, Army and Navy annually since 1972. The award is named in honor of Alvin C. York, the most noted Soldier of World War I. Upon his return to the United States in 1919, he was bestowed the Congressional Medal of Honor. Following the war York returned his home in Pall Mall, Tenn. where he dedicated his life to improving education and facilitating educational opportunities for children in the state of Tennessee.

All-Time Sgt. York Trophy Winners

2007 - Tennessee State*, Austin Peay
2008 - Tennessee State
2009 - Tennessee Tech
2010 - UT Martin
2011 - Tennessee State*, Tennessee Tech
2012 - Tennessee State*, UT Martin
2013 - Tennessee State
2014 - UT Martin
2015 - UT Martin
2016 - UT Martin*, Tennessee State, Tenn. Tech
2017 - Austin Peay
2018 - Austin Peay*, Tennessee State, UT Martin
2019 - Austin Peay*, Tennessee State, UT Martin
2020 - Tennessee Tech*, UT Martin
2021 - UT Martin
2022 - TBD

**Took home the trophy due to winning the tiebreaker*

2022 Sgt. York Trophy Contests

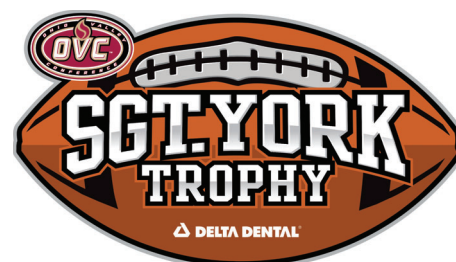
Oct. 1 - Tennessee Tech at UT Martin
Oct. 15 - Tennessee State at Tennessee Tech
Nov. 12 - UT Martin at Tennessee State

2022 Sgt. York Trophy Standings

Team	TSU	TTU	UTM	Record
Tenn. State	--	0-0	0-0	0-0
Tenn. Tech	0-0	--	0-0	0-0
UT Martin	0-0	0-0	--	0-0

All-Time Record in Sgt. York Games

Tennessee State	23-22
Tennessee Tech	18-27
UT Martin	32-13



OVC PLAYERS IN THE NFL

There are currently 12 former Ohio Valley Conference football players (8 active, 3 practice squad, 1 injured reserve) on NFL rosters for the 2022 season.

Active Players (11)

Drew Forbes, Cleveland Browns (Southeast Missouri)
Mike Ford, Atlanta Falcons (Southeast Missouri)
Jimmy Garoppolo, San Francisco 49ers (Eastern Illinois)
Kamu Grugier-Hill, Houston Texans (Eastern Illinois)
Siran Neal, Buffalo Bills (Jacksonville State)
Aaron Patrick, Denver Broncos (Eastern Kentucky)
Mark Robinson, Southeast Missouri (Pittsburgh Steelers)
Quincy Williams, New York Jets (Murray State)

Practice Squad (3)

Tim Boyle, Detroit Lions (Eastern Kentucky)
Jaylon Moore, Jacksonville Jaguars (UT Martin)
Lachavious Simmons, Chicago Bears (Tennessee State)

Injured Reserve/PUP (1)

Kristian Wilkerson, New England Patriots (SEMO)

General Managers (1)

Jon Robinson - Tennessee Titans (Southeast Missouri)

2022 PRESEASON HONORS/AWARDS

OVC PRESEASON HONORS (COACHES/SID'S)

Preseason All-OVC Team

Preseason Offensive Player of the Year:

Geno Hess (RB), Southeast Missouri

Preseason Defensive Player of the Year:

John H. Ford II (LB), UT Martin

Offense

QB - Draylen Ellis, Tennessee State
 QB - Cade Brister, Lindenwood
 QB - DJ Williams, Murray State
 RB - Devon Starling, Tennessee State
 RB - Geno Hess, Southeast Missouri
 RB - Zak Wallace, UT Martin
 RB - David Gist, Tennessee Tech
 RB - Damonta Witherspoon, Murray State
 WR - Johnny King, Southeast Missouri
 WR - Zaire Thornton, Tennessee State
 WR - Quintin Cross, Tennessee Tech
 WR - Isaiah Hill, Eastern Illinois
 WR - LaMarte Brooks, Murray State
 WR - Colton Dowell, UT Martin
 TE - Jay Vallie, Eastern Illinois
 OL - Levi Nesler, Murray State
 OL - Zack Gieg, Southeast Missouri
 OL - Matthan Hatchie, UT Martin
 OL - Robert Lacey, Tennessee State
 OL - Nate Korte, Southeast Missouri
 OL - Gavin Olson, UT Martin
 OL - Lamar Morgan, UT Martin

Defense

DE - Jordan Miles, Eastern Illinois
 DT - Teray Jones, Tennessee State
 DT - Tadarrius Patterson, Tennessee State
 DE - Tim Varga, Eastern Illinois
 OLB - Darnel Victor, Murray State
 ILB - John H. Ford II, UT Martin
 ILB - Eric Samuta, Murray State
 ILB - Bryce Norman, Southeast Missouri
 OLB - James Green, Tennessee State
 CB - Oshae Baker, UT Martin
 CB - Russell Dandy, Eastern Illinois
 SAF - Josh Reliford, Tennessee Tech
 SAF - Deven Sims, UT Martin
 SAF - Kai Ross, Lindenwood
 NB - Jordan Vincent, Eastern Illinois

Specialists

K - Aaron Baum, Murray State
 P - Zach Haynes, Southeast Missouri
 KR/PR - Dayron Johnson, Tennessee State

Newcomers to Watch

LB - Foday Jalloh, Eastern Illinois
 WR - Kobe Smith, Lindenwood
 DL - Nate Chambers, Murray State
 WR - Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Missouri
 LB - K'Vaughn Pope, Tennessee State
 QB - Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech
 DB - Shaun Lewis, UT Martin

STATS PERFORM

Preseason All-American First-Team

OL Matthan Hatchie, UT Martin

Preseason All-American Third-Team

RB Geno Hess, Southeast Missouri
 OL Levi Nesler, Murray State
 LB John Ford II, UT Martin
 DB Deven Sims, UT Martin

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Preseason All-American

OL Matthan Hatchie, UT Martin

LINDYS

Preseason All-American First-Team

OL Matthan Hatchie, UT Martin

Preseason All-American Second-Team

RB Geno Hess, Southeast Missouri
 OL Levi Nesler, Murray State

PHIL STEELE

Preseason Second-Team All-American

OL Matthan Hatchie, UT Martin

Preseason Fourth-Team All-American

LB John H. Ford II, UT Martin

HERO SPORTS

Preseason All-American

OL Matthan Hatchie, UT Martin
 RB Geno Hess, Southeast Missouri

BOXTOROW HBCU

Preseason All-American

OL Robert Lacey, Tennessee State
 RS Dayron Johnson, Tennessee State

OVC COACHING RECORDS

<u>Coach, School</u>	<u>OVC-Only Games</u>				<u>All Games*</u>			<u>Overall Career Record</u>			
	<u>Yrs.</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>Yrs.</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Chris Wilkerson, Eastern Illinois	1	0	0	.000	0	2	.000	9	51	29	.638
Jed Stugart, Lindenwood #	1	0	0	.000	1	0	1.000	15	118	45	.724
Dean Hood, Murray State %	11	52	24	.684	66	47	.584	11	66	47	.584
Tom Matukewicz, Southeast Missouri	9	33	27	.550	42	50	.457	10	43	50	.462
Eddie George, Tennessee State	2	3	3	.500	5	8	.385	2	5	8	.385
Dewayne Alexander, Tennessee Tech	5	7	22	.241	13	30	.302	11	54	63	.462
Jason Simpson, UT Martin	17	77	47	.621	101	81	.555	17	101	81	.555

*Indicates overall record while at current OVC school in years school was a member of the Conference.

Stugart is in his sixth year at Lindenwood, but his fifth season with the team (the 2020 season was canceled)

% Dean Hood was 55-38 overall (44-19 OVC) in eight seasons at Eastern Kentucky (2008-15) before coaching at Murray State.

TEAM COMPOSITE SCHEDULES



EASTERN ILLINOIS PANTHERS (0-2, 0-0)

Home: 0-1, Away: 0-1, Neutral: 0-0

SEPTEMBER

1	at Northern Illinois (ESPN+)	L, 27-34	10,864
10	#10 Chattanooga (ESPN+)	L, 20-38	6,565
17	at Illinois State (ESPN+)	6:30 p.m.	
24	at Murray State* (ESPN+)	4:00 p.m.	

OCTOBER

8	Northwestern State (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
15	Lindenwood # (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
22	at Tennessee State* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
29	Tennessee Tech* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

NOVEMBER

5	at McNeese (ESPN+)	7:00 p.m.	
12	Southeast Missouri* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
19	at UT Martin* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

* Ohio Valley Conference Game

- Does Not Count in Conference Standings

Home Games in Bold

All Times Central/Subject to Change



LINDENWOOD LIONS (1-0, 0-0)

Home: 0-0, Away: 1-0, Neutral: 0-0

SEPTEMBER

10	at Houston Baptist (ESPN3)	W, 21-20	2,125
17	Keiser (ESPN3)	6:00 p.m.	
24	at UT Martin* (ESPN+)	6:00 p.m.	

OCTOBER

1	Southeast Missouri* (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	
8	at Central Arkansas	4:00 p.m.	
15	at Eastern Illinois # (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
22	Murray State* (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	
29	William Jewell (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	

NOVEMBER

5	at Tennessee Tech* (ESPN+)	1:30 p.m.	
12	McKendree (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	

* Ohio Valley Conference Game

- Does Not Count in Conference Standings

Home Games in Bold

All Times Central/Subject to Change



MURRAY STATE RACERS (0-2, 0-0)

Home: 0-1, Away: 0-1, Neutral: 0-0

SEPTEMBER

3	at Texas Tech (ESPN+)	L, 10-63	57,142
10	Jacksonville State (ESPN3)	L, 3-34	6,911
17	at Ball State (ESPN3)	1:00 p.m.	
24	Eastern Illinois* (ESPN+)	4:00 p.m.	

OCTOBER

1	at Southeastern Louisiana (ESPN+)	6:00 p.m.	
8	UT Martin* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
15	at Austin Peay* (ESPN+)	3:00 p.m.	
22	at Lindenwood* (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	
29	Tennessee State* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

NOVEMBER

12	Robert Morris (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	
19	at Southeast Missouri* (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	

* Ohio Valley Conference Game

Home Games in Bold

All Times Central/Subject to Change



SOUTHEAST MISSOURI REDHAWKS (1-1, 0-0)

Home: 0-0, Away: 1-1, Neutral: 0-0

SEPTEMBER

3	at Iowa State (ESPN+)	L, 10-42	57,142
10	at #17 Southern Illinois (ESPN3)	W, 34-31	
17	Nicholls (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
24	Central Arkansas (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

OCTOBER

1	at Lindenwood* (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	
8	Tennessee Tech* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
22	at Northwestern State (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	
29	Eastern Kentucky (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	

NOVEMBER

5	at Tennessee State* (ESPN+)	5:00 p.m.	
12	at Eastern Illinois* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
19	Murray State* (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	

* Ohio Valley Conference Game

Home Games in Bold

All Times Central/Subject to Change

TEAM COMPOSITE SCHEDULES



TENNESSEE STATE TIGERS (0-2, 0-0)

Home: 0-0, Away: 0-1, Neutral: 0-1

SEPTEMBER

3	at #12 Eastern Washington (ESPN+)	L, 29-36	3,932
10	vs. #13 Jackson State \$	L, 3-16	51,351
17	at Middle Tennessee (ESPN+)	6:00 p.m.	

OCTOBER

1	Lane # (ESPN+)	1:00 p.m.	
8	Bethune-Cookman (ESPN+)	5:00 p.m.	
15	at Tennessee Tech* (ESPN+)	6:00 p.m.	
22	Eastern Illinois* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
29	at Murray State* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

NOVEMBER

5	Southeast Missouri* (ESPN+)	5:00 p.m.	
12	UT Martin* (ESPN+)	4:00 p.m.	
19	at Texas A&M-Commerce (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

* Ohio Valley Conference Game

\$ - Southern Heritage Classic (Memphis, Tenn.)

- John Merritt Classic (Hale Stadium - Nashville, Tenn.)

Home Games in Bold

All Times Central/Subject to Change



TENNESSEE TECH GOLDEN EAGLES (1-1, 0-0)

Home: 1-0, Away: 0-1, Neutral: 0-0

SEPTEMBER

2	at Kansas (ESPN+)	L, 10-56	34,902
10	Texas A&M-Commerce (ESPN+)	W, 26-25	7,352
17	#24 Samford (ESPN3)	6:00 p.m.	

OCTOBER

1	at UT Martin* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
8	at Southeast Missouri* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
15	Tennessee State* (ESPN+)	6:00 p.m.	
22	at Kennesaw State (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
29	at Eastern Illinois* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

NOVEMBER

5	Lindenwood (ESPN+)	1:30 p.m.	
12	at North Alabama (ESPN+)	4:00 p.m.	
19	North Carolina Central (ESPN+)	1:30 p.m.	

* Ohio Valley Conference Game

Home Games in Bold

All Times Central/Subject to Change



UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS (1-1, 0-0)

Home: 1-0, Away: 0-1, Neutral: 0-0

SEPTEMBER

1	Western Illinois (ESPN+)	W, 42-25	5,127
8	at #5 Missouri State (ESPN+)	L, 30-35	9,872
17	at Boise State (FS1)	3:00 p.m.	
24	Lindenwood* (ESPN+)	6:00 p.m.	

OCTOBER

1	Tennessee Tech* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
8	at Murray State* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	
22	at Tennessee	TBA	
29	at Houston Baptist (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

NOVEMBER

5	Kennesaw State (ESPN+)	12:00 p.m.	
12	at Tennessee State* (ESPN+)	4:00 p.m.	
19	Eastern Illinois* (ESPN+)	2:00 p.m.	

* Ohio Valley Conference Game

Home Games in Bold

All Times Central/Subject to Change

You've got to  **OVC** it!

OVC NOTABLES

- Every current OVC team (except newly Division I Lindenwood) has been ranked in the Top 25 polls for at least one week over the past six years (2016-21).
- The OVC has placed multiple teams in the FCS Playoffs seven times in the past 12 years (2010-21).
- The OVC is one of just four FCS Conferences to have six different teams win a playoff game over the past nine years (2013-2021). Over that time Austin Peay, Eastern Illinois, Jacksonville State, Southeast Missouri, Tennessee State and UT Martin have all won at least one game while representing the OVC. The other conferences to have six different teams win over that period are the CAA, Missouri Valley and Southern Conferences.
- OVC teams have 13 playoff wins since 2013, including five Quarterfinal appearances and one National Championship game appearance.
- Since 2013, the OVC has produced one Walter Payton Award Winner, two Buck Buchanan Award Winners, an Eddie Robinson Award Winner and a Deacon Jones Trophy winner. In addition, the league has had two Doris Robinson Award Winners, as the National Scholar-Athlete of the Year.
- In seven of the past 12 seasons (2010-21), an OVC team has knocked off a Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) opponent (2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2020).
- The OVC has produced at least one NFL Draft Pick in 14 of the last 19 years (2003-21).
- In January 2020, OVC alum Jimmy Garoppolo became just the eighth former FCS quarterback to start in a Super Bowl, doing so with the San Francisco 49ers. Last season 11 former OVC players were on active rosters at the end of the year.
- Former EIU quarterback Tony Romo was selected to the 2021 College Football Hall of Fame Class. He is the third former OVC player to be inducted (Jim Youngblood, George Floyd Jr.); in addition, there are also three former OVC coaches (Roy Kidd, Boots Donnelly, Frank Beamer) already enshrined.
- Over the previous 74 years, 15 of 18 teams that have competed have claimed at least one league championship.

2022 COMPOSITE SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Thursday, September 1

@#15 UT Martin 42, Western Illinois 25
@Northern Illinois 34, Eastern Illinois 27

Friday, September 2

@Kansas 56, Tennessee Tech 10

Saturday, September 3

@Iowa State 42, Southeast Missouri 10
@#12 Eastern Washington 36, Tennessee State 29
@Texas Tech 63, Murray State 10

Thursday, September 8

@#5 Missouri State 35, #14 UT Martin 30

Saturday, September 10

#10 Chattanooga 38, @Eastern Illinois 20
Jacksonville State 34, @Murray State 3
#13 Jackson State 16, Tennessee State 3
@Tennessee Tech 26, Texas A&M-Commerce 25
Southeast Missouri 34, @#17 Southern Illinois 31
Lindenwood 21, @Houston Baptist 20

Saturday, September 17

Murray State at Ball State, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Nicholls at Southeast Missouri, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
UT Martin at Boise State, 3:00 p.m. (FS1)
Samford at Tennessee Tech, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
Tennessee State at Middle Tennessee, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Keiser at Lindenwood, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN3)
Eastern Illinois at Illinois State, 6:30 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, September 24

Central Arkansas at Southeast Missouri, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Eastern Illinois at Murray State, 4:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Lindenwood at UT Martin, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, October 1

Lane College at Tennessee State, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Southeast Missouri at Lindenwood, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Tennessee Tech at UT Martin, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Murray State at Southeastern Louisiana, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, October 8

Northwestern State at Eastern Illinois, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Tennessee Tech at Southeast Missouri, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*UT Martin at Murray State, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Lindenwood at Central Arkansas, 4:00 p.m.
Bethune-Cookman at Tennessee State, 5:00 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, October 15

Murray State at Austin Peay, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
(#) Lindenwood at Eastern Illinois, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Tennessee State at Tennessee Tech, 6:00 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, October 22

*Murray State at Lindenwood, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Southeast Missouri at Northwestern State, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Tennessee Tech at Kennesaw State, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Eastern Illinois at Tennessee State, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
UT Martin at Tennessee, TBA

Saturday, October 29

Eastern Kentucky at Southeast Missouri, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
William Jewell at Lindenwood, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Tennessee Tech at Eastern Illinois, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Tennessee State at Murray State, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
UT Martin at Houston Baptist, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, November 5

Kennesaw State at UT Martin, 12:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Lindenwood at Tennessee Tech, 1:30 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Southeast Missouri at Tennessee State, 5:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Eastern Illinois at McNeese, 7:00 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, November 12

*Southeast Missouri at Eastern Illinois, 12:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
McKendree at Lindenwood, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Robert Morris at Murray State, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Tennessee Tech at North Alabama, 4:00 p.m.
*UT Martin at Tennessee State, 4:00 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, November 19

*Murray State at Southeast Missouri, 1:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
N. Carolina Central at Tennessee Tech, 1:30 p.m. (ESPN+)
*Eastern Illinois at UT Martin, 2:00 p.m. (ESPN+)
Tennessee State at Texas A&M-Commerce, 2 p.m. (ESPN+)

Saturday, November 26

FCS Playoffs First Round (campus sites)

Saturday, December 3

FCS Playoffs Second Round (campus sites)

Friday, December 9/Saturday, December 10

FCS Playoffs Quarterfinals (campus sites)

Friday, December 16/Saturday, December 17

FCS Playoffs Semifinals (campus sites)

Sunday, January 8

Division I National Championship (Frisco, Texas)

* - Denotes OVC contest

- Does Not Count in OVC Standings

All Times CENTRAL; dates and times subject to change

ALL-TIME CONFERENCE SERIES GAME-BY-GAME

EUI-LIN

Series tied 0-0 No Meetings

EUI-MUR

Series tied 19-19

1946	MUR, 38-13 (H)
1974	MUR, 13-0 (H)
1975	EUI, 14-6 (H)
1977	MUR, 35-7 (H)
1978	EUI, 35-14 (H)
1986	EUI, 28-21 (H)
1990	MUR, 14-10 (H)
1991	MUR, 28-27 (H)
1992	EUI, 48-9 (H)
1993	EUI, 34-7 (A)
1994	MUR, 31-15 (A)
1996	MUR, 35-28 (A)
1997	MUR, 24-17 (H)
1998	MUR, 35-21 (A)
1999	MUR, 37-32 (H)
2000	EUI, 48-7 (H)
2001	EUI, 37-6 (H)
2002	MUR, 37-35 (H)
2003	EUI, 27-17 (A)
2004	EUI, 24-9 (H)
2005	EUI, 35-28 (A)
2006	EUI, 20-10 (H)
2007	EUI, 27-24 (A)
2008	EUI, 34-6 (H)
2009	EUI, 16-10 (A)
2010	MUR, 38-28 (A)
2011	MUR, 36-27 (H)
2012	EUI, 50-49 (OT)(H)
2013	EUI, 37-17 (A)
2014	EUI, 48-26 (H)
2015	EUI, 34-20 (A)
2016	MUR, 40-38 (A)
2017	EUI, 27-24 (A)(2OT)
2018	MUR, 48-41 (A)
2019	MUR, 24-17 (H)
2020	MUR, 41-27 (H)
2021	MUR, 22-6 (H)
	MUR, 20-13 (A)

EUI-SEMO

EUI leads 18-11

1956	SEMO, 46-13 (H)
1957	SEMO, 41-0 (A)
1995	EUI, 35-18 (H)
1996	EUI, 41-21 (A)
1997	EUI, 32-7 (A)
1998	EUI, 35-33 (H)
1999	SEMO, 45-38 (H)
2000	EUI, 38-9 (H)
2001	EUI, 41-21 (H)
2002	EUI, 44-27 (H)
2003	SEMO, 30-17 (H)
2004	EUI, 35-28 (H)
2005	EUI, 48-24 (A)
2006	EUI, 21-0 (H)
2007	EUI, 31-16 (A)
2008	EUI, 24-21 (H)
2009	EUI, 23-14 (A)
2010	SEMO, 28-13 (A)
2011	SEMO, 37-30 (H)
2012	EUI, 39-20 (H)
2013	EUI, 55-33 (H)
2014	EUI, 52-13 (A)
2015	EUI, 33-28 (H)
2016	SEMO, 21-14 (H)
2017	EUI, 19-16 (H)
2018	SEMO 38-32 (H)
2019	SEMO, 26-12 (A)
2020	SEMO, 47-7 (A)
2021	SEMO, 38-15 (H)

EUI-TSU

EUI leads 15-10

1982	TSU, 20-19 (H)
1998	TSU, 27-21 (A)
1999	TSU, 43-25 (H)
2000	EUI, 33-19 (H)
2001	EUI, 52-49 (H)
2002	EUI, 54-48 (A)
2003	TSU, 24-14 (H)
2004	EUI, 34-24 (H)
2005	EUI, 27-3 (A)
2006	EUI, 29-3 (H)
2007	EUI, 38-35 (A)
2008	TSU, 45-24 (H)
2009	TSU, 21-10 (A)
2010	EUI, 31-28 (OT) (A)
2011	TSU, 18-17 (A)
2013	EUI, 34-16 (A)
	EUI, 51-10 (H)
2014	EUI, 28-3 (H)
2015	EUI, 25-22 (OT) (A)
2016	EUI, 35-34 (H)
2017	EUI, 19-16 (2OT)(A)
2018	TSU, 41-40 (A)
2019	EUI, 49-38 (A)
2020	TSU, 21-20 (H)
2021	TSU, 28-0 (A)

EUI-TTU

EUI leads 21-7

1975	TTU, 37-0 (H)
1976	TTU, 41-14 (A)
1996	EUI, 35-27 (A)
1997	EUI, 10-7 (A)
1998	EUI, 13-6 (A)
1999	TTU, 14-7 (A)
2000	EUI, 27-6 (A)
2001	EUI, 44-33 (H)
2002	EUI, 35-28 (A)
2003	EUI, 37-10 (H)

2004	TTU, 40-37 (OT) (H)
2005	EUI, 31-20 (H)
2006	EUI, 38-14 (A)
2007	EUI, 45-24 (H)
2008	EUI, 38-20 (A)
2009	EUI, 23-15 (H)
2010	TTU, 34-20 (H)
2011	TTU, 31-20 (A)
2012	EUI, 31-24 (A)
2013	EUI, 56-21 (H)
2014	EUI, 41-10 (A)
2015	EUI, 51-20 (H)
2016	EUI, 30-24 (A)
2017	EUI, 24-23 (H)
2018	EUI, 52-38 (A)
2019	TTU, 40-29 (A)
2020	EUI, 28-20 (H)
2021	EUI, 28-14 (A)

EUI-UTM

EUI leads 15-12

1995	EUI, 30-22 (H)
1996	EUI, 38-0 (A)
1997	EUI, 42-6 (H)
1998	EUI, 56-35 (A)
1999	EUI, 42-21 (H)
2000	EUI, 42-7 (A)
2001	EUI, 56-16 (A)
2002	EUI, 55-43 (H)
2003	EUI, 29-12 (H)
2004	UTM, 32-14 (H)
2005	EUI, 26-7 (H)
2006	UTM 15-9 (H)
2007	EUI, 29-23 (H)
2008	UTM, 29-26 (H)
2009	EUI, 49-13 (H)
2010	UTM, 20-10 (H)
2011	UTM, 24-23 (A)
2012	UTM, 51-37 (H)
2013	EUI, 70-22 (A)
2014	UTM, 37-16 (A)
2015	EUI, 23-21 (A)
2016	UTM, 33-17 (A)
2017	UTM, 27-10 (H)
2018	EUI, 24-21 (OT)(H)
2019	UTM, 27-18 (H)
2020	UTM, 28-15 (H)
2021	UTM, 28-17 (A)

LIN-MUR

Series tied 0-0 No Meetings

LIN-SEMO

Series tied 0-0 No Meetings

LIN-TSU

Series tied 0-0 No Meetings

LIN-TTU

Series tied 0-0 No Meetings

LIN-UTM

Series tied 0-0 No Meetings

LIN-UTM

Series tied 0-0 No Meetings

MUR-SEMO

MUR leads 43-13-1

1926	MUR, 3-0 (H)
1927	MUR, 6-0 (A)
1928	MUR, 12-0 (H)
1929	SEMO, 13-0 (H)
1930	MUR, 7-0 (H)
1931	MUR, 32-6 (A)
1948	MUR, 40-0 (A)
1960	MUR, 21-10 (H)
1961	MUR, 22-7 (A)
1962	MUR, 19-15 (A)
1968	MUR, 27-14 (A)
1969	MUR, 34-14 (H)
1976	MUR, 14-3 (H)
1977	MUR, 13-6 (A)
1978	SEMO, 24-12 (A)
1979	Tie, 21-21 (at SEMO)
1980	MUR, 19-6 (H)
1981	MUR, 37-23 (A)
1982	MUR, 16-6 (H)
1983	MUR, 25-11 (A)
1984	MUR, 42-3 (H)
1985	MUR, 33-25 (H)
1986	MUR, 42-17 (A)
1987	MUR, 30-12 (H)
1988	SEMO, 16-13 (H)
1991	MUR, 14-10 (H)
1992	SEMO, 27-21 (H)
1993	MUR, 17-14 (H)
1994	MUR, 23-16 (A)
1995	MUR, 34-0 (H)
1996	MUR, 16-0 (A)
1997	MUR, 17-3 (H)
1998	MUR, 26-14 (A)
1999	MUR, 45-18 (H)
2000	MUR, 38-28 (A)
2001	MUR, 45-35 (A)
2002	MUR, 38-31 (H)
2003	MUR, 27-24 (A)
2004	MUR, 28-13 (H)
2005	SEMO, 52-21 (H)
2006	SEMO, 24-17 (A)
2007	MUR, 31-17 (A)
2008	MUR, 17-10 (H)
2009	SEMO, 49-13 (H)
2010	SEMO, 30-17 (A)
2011	MUR, 35-34 (A)

2012	MUR, 42-35 (H)
2013	SEMO, 37-34 (3OT)(H)
2014	MUR, 44-41 (2OT) (H)
2015	SEMO, 27-10 (H)
2016	SEMO, 17-16 (A)
2017	SEMO, 21-10 (H)
2018	MUR, 40-38 (H)
2019	SEMO, 31-24 (H)
2020	MUR, 24-21 (A)
2021	MUR, 32-31 (A)
	MUR, 28-10 (H)

MUR-TSU

MUR leads 18-14

1988	MUR, 22-7 (H)
1989	MUR, 27-24 (*)
1990	TSU, 23-17 (A)
1991	TSU, 28-7 (H)
1992	TSU, 19-10 (A)
1993	TSU, 26-13 (H)
1994	TSU, 24-21 (A)
1995	MUR, 24-19 (A)
1996	MUR, 50-14 (H)
1997	MUR, 13-7 (A)
1998	TSU, 46-44 (A)
1999	TSU, 42-41 (H)
2000	MUR, 62-40 (H)
2001	TSU, 38-25 (H)
2002	MUR, 51-27 (H)
2003	TSU, 35-10 (A)
2004	MUR, 30-13 (A)
2006	TSU, 25-15 (H)
2007	TSU, 42-28 (H)
2008	MUR, 24-17 (H)
2009	MUR, 9-6 (A)
2010	MUR, 28-23 (H)
2011	MUR, 58-27 (H)
2012	MUR, 49-28 (H)
2013	TSU, 17-10 (H)
2014	TSU, 48-33 (A)
2015	MUR, 46-43 (OT)(A)
2016	MUR, 38-31 (H)
2018	MUR, 45-21 (H)
2019	MUR, 31-17 (A)
2020	MUR, 35-13 (H)
2021	TSU, 27-21 (H)

* Memphis, Tenn.

MUR-TTU

TTU leads 45-41-1

1930	TTU, 26-6 (A)
1931	TTU, 19-7 (H)
1932	Tie, 0-0 (at MUR)
1933	MUR, 9-6 (A)
1934	MUR, 40-7 (H)
1935	MUR, 13-0 (A)
1936	MUR, 47-0 (A)
1937	MUR, 14-6 (H)
1941	TTU, 14-6 (*)
1942	TTU, 14-6 (**)
1945	MUR, 13-7 (A)
1946	MUR, 20-13 (***)
1947	MUR, 7-2 (A)
1948	MUR, 34-6 (H)
1949	MUR, 26-7 (A)
1950	MUR, 6-0 (H)
1951	MUR, 20-7 (A)
1952	TTU, 14-3 (A)
1953	TTU, 9-0 (H)
1954	MUR, 19-12 (H)
1955	TTU, 20-7 (H)
1956	MUR, 34-7 (H)
1957	TTU, 26-14 (H)
1958	TTU, 15-14 (A)
1959	TTU, 29-16 (H)
1960	TTU, 14-12 (A)
1961	TTU, 27-8 (H)
1962	TTU, 16-12 (A)
1963	MUR, 28-27 (A)
1964	MUR, 28-21 (H)
1965	TTU, 23-14 (H)
1966	TTU, 51-13 (A)
1967	TTU, 22-21 (A)
1968	MUR, 19-0 (A)
1969	TTU, 28-21 (A)
1970	TTU, 21-7 (H)
1971	TTU, 37-23 (A)
1972	TTU, 10-0 (H)
1973	MUR, 18-17 (H)
1974	TTU, 26-0 (H)
1975	TTU, 14-7 (A)
1976	TTU, 24-7 (H)
1977	TTU, 21-19 (A)
1978	TTU, 24-14 (H)
1979	MUR, 24-3 (H)
1980	MUR, 10-3 (A)
1981	MUR, 15-10 (H)
1982	TTU, 10-3 (H)
1983	MUR, 20-6 (H)
1984	MUR, 37-0 (A)
1985	MUR, 29-21 (H)
1986	MUR, 23-16 (H)
1987	MUR, 24-21 (A)
1988	TTU, 16-13 (OT) (A)
1989	TTU, 21-20 (H)
1990	TTU, 16-3 (A)
1991	TTU, 45-7 (H)
1992	TTU, 35-10 (A)
1993	TTU, 31-16 (H)
1994	TTU, 38-21 (A)
1995	MUR, 45-14 (A)
1996	MUR, 41-3 (H)
1997	TTU, 16-13 (OT) (H)
1998	MUR, 23-3 (H)
1999	MUR, 22-11 (A)
2000	TTU, 36-21 (A)
2001	TTU, 15-12 (H)

2002	MUR, 31-14 (H)
2003	TTU, 49-24 (H)
2004	MUR, 34-15 (H)
2005	TTU, 42-21 (H)
2006	TTU, 20-14 (OT) (A)
2007	TTU, 48-24 (H)
2008	MUR, 51-21 (H)
2009	TTU, 45-14 (H)
2010	MUR, 44-13 (H)
2011	MUR, 38-37 (A)
2012	MUR, 70-35 (H)
2013	MUR, 35-24 (H)
2014	TTU, 30-27 (OT)(H)
2015	TTU, 31-29 (A)
2016	TTU, 55-19 (H)
2017	MUR, 31-21 (H)
2018	TTU, 27-24 (H)
2019	TTU, 17-7 (A)
2020	MUR, 36-31 (A)
2021	MUR, 32-27 (H)

* Owensboro, Ky.

** Henderson, Ky.

*** Paducah, Ky.

MUR-UTM

MUR leads 38-22-1

1927	MUR, 13-7 (A)
1928	MUR, 34-6 (H)
1929	MUR, 13-7 (H)
1930	MUR, 7-0 (A)
1961	MUR, 25-15 (H)
1962	MUR, 15-12 (A)
1963	MUR, 19-8 (H)
1964	MUR, 32-14 (A)
1965	UTM, 17-7 (A)
1966	UTM, 16-12 (H)
1967	UTM, 16-9 (H)
1968	Tie, 7-7 (at MUR)
1971	UTM, 41-0 (H)
1972	MUR, 14-7 (H)
1973	MUR, 21-10 (A)
1974	MUR, 14-6 (H)
1975	MUR, 17-10 (A)
1976	UTM, 24-0 (A)
1977	UTM, 31-20 (H)
1978	MUR, 21-7 (H)
1979	MUR, 24-0 (A)
1980	MUR, 20-6 (H)
1981	MUR, 10-7 (A)
1982	UTM, 10-7 (A)
1987	MUR, 34-6 (H)
1988	UTM, 32-24 (A)
1989	MUR, 24-3 (A)
1991	MUR, 40-34 (H)
1992	UTM, 13-7 (H)
1993	MUR, 28-21 (OT) (A)
1994	MUR, 28-24 (H)
1995	MUR, 33-9 (H)
1996	MUR, 28-14 (A)
1997	MUR, 45-7 (A)
1998	MUR, 47-35 (H)
1999	MUR, 62-14 (H)
2000	MUR, 48-3 (A)
2001	MUR, 35-17 (H)
2002	MUR, 42-3 (A)
2003	MUR, 41-26 (A)
2004	MUR, 38-0 (H)
2005	UTM, 49-20 (H)
2006	UTM, 42-14 (A)
2007	UTM, 76-34 (A)
2008	UTM, 63-38 (H)
2009	UTM, 38-24 (H)
2010	MUR, 52-16 (H)
2011	UTM, 48-26 (H)
2012	UTM, 66-59 (H)
2013	UTM, 45-17 (H)
2014	UTM, 62-38 (A)
2015	UTM, 52-45 (H)
2016	UTM, 38-31 (A)
2017	MUR, 13-10 (A)
2018	MUR, 45-38 (H)
2019	UTM, 40-7 (H)
2020	MUR, 14-10 (H)
2021	UTM, 48-24 (H)

WEEKLY MATCHUP PREVIEW



**Murray State Racers (0-2, 0-0 OVC)
at Ball State Cardinals (0-2, 0-1 MAC)**

**Saturday, September 17 • 1:00 p.m. CT
Scheumann Stadium (22,500) • Muncie, Ind.**

Video: <https://es.pn/3qgyBN1> (ESPN+)
Live Stats: <https://bit.ly/3RAsNtu>
Series Record: First meeting
Last Meeting: n/a
Dean Hood at Murray State: 11-9 (3 yrs.)
Dean Hood Overall: 66-47 (11 yrs.)
Mike Neu at Ball State: 82-88 (13 yrs.)
Mike Neu Overall: same
Murray State Last Week: L, 34-3 vs. Jacksonville State
Ball State Last Week: L, 37-30 vs. Western Michigan

NOTEWORTHY

- In search of its first win of the 2022 season, Murray State will play a road game at Ball State on Saturday.
- Murray State is facing its second FBS opponent of the young season, after falling to Texas Tech in week one. The Racers are 3-32-1 all-time against Football Bowl Subdivision opponents.
- Although not technically a FBS opponent yet, MSU played Jacksonville State last week, a team that is making the transition up to Conference USA next season. JSU led 10-3 at halftime but outscored MSU 24-0 in the second half on the way to a 34-3 victory.
- Murray State forced three turnovers in the game Saturday, two interceptions and a fumble. Quinaz Turner got both picks for Murray State in the game, while Chris Hill, Jr. forced the fumble.
- Preseason All-OVC selection Erica Samuta proved why he is one of the best defensive players in the league by racking up 13 tackles, 11 of which were solo stops. Jamari Dailey also had a big night defensively with eight tackles and 2.0 tackles-for-loss, while Lawaun Powell had six tackles, 1.0 sacks and two pass breakups.
- With a 45-yard field goal in the second quarter, Aaron Baum tied Stan Watts for 10th on MSU's all-time made field goals list with 21. He is now 21-for-30 in field goal attempts with the Racers for a career percentage of 70.0-percent.
- After a season-opening loss to Tennessee, Ball State opened the home portion of its schedule last Saturday, falling to MAC foe Western Michigan 37-30.
- The team put up 447 yards of offense, highlighted by a 147-yard performance and one touchdown on the ground from running back Carson Steele and a 291-yard aerial attack on 23-of-39 passing with two touchdowns from quarterback John Paddock.
- Ball State led 30-29 early in the fourth quarter, but gave up a 60-yard rushing touchdown with 7:33 left that proved to be the difference.
- Defensive backs Jaquan Amos and Jordan Riley guided Ball State with eight tackles apiece, while Amos added 3.0 tackles-for-loss.



**Nicholls Colonels (0-2, 0-0 Southland)
at Southeast Missouri State Redhawks (1-1, 0-0 OVC)**

**Saturday, September 17 • 2:00 p.m. CT
Houck Stadium (10,000) • Cape Girardeau, Mo.**

Video: <https://es.pn/3x3htOw> (ESPN+)
Live Stats: <https://bit.ly/3QxYja8>
Series Record: Nicholls leads 1-0
Last Meeting: Nicholls won 18-17 (10/4/75)
Tim Rebowe at Nicholls: 44-37 (8 yrs.)
Tim Rebowe Overall: same
Tom Matukewicz at Southeast Missouri: 42-50 (9 yrs.)
Tom Matukewicz Overall: 43-50 (10 yrs.)
Nicholls Last Week: L, 35-7 at ULM
Southeast Missouri Last Week: .. W, 34-31 at #17 Southern Illinois

NOTEWORTHY

- Southeast Missouri will open the home portion of its schedule on Saturday by hosting Nicholls. The teams are meeting for the first time since the 1975 season, a game the Colonels won by one point.
- SEMO recently broke ground for the first phase of a new transformational Houck multiuse complex, which will include the construction and replacement of the south sideline and grandstand of Houck Field as well as new seating, turf replacement, concession stands, restrooms, ADA access and associated HVAC, mechanical and other systems work.
- SEMO knocked off rival Southern Illinois 34-31 in Carbondale last week. It marked the eighth time the Redhawks have defeated a nationally-ranked FCS opponent under head coach Tom Matukewicz.
- A big part of the win was quarterback newcomer Paxton DeLaurent who completed 33-of-44 passes for 332 yard and four touchdowns without an interception. He threw two touchdowns in the final six minutes, including the game-winner with 11 seconds to play. He was named OVC Offensive Player and Newcomer of the Week.
- Kicker DC Pippin was named OVC Co-Specialist of the Week after making 2-of-3 field goals (45, 50) and 4-of-4 PATs. He is one of four players in the FCS with a 50-yard field goal this season.
- Johnny King had 14 receptions for 125 yard and two touchdowns. The 14 catches are the second-most by a FCS player this season.
- SEMO is now receiving votes in the Stats Perform Poll after its win over SIU.
- Nicholls has had a tough start to the season, playing a pair of FBS opponents in South Alabama and ULM
- Nicholls has had five-straight winning seasons and made three-straight playoffs from 2017-19.
- Through two weeks quarterback Kohen Granier has passed for 337 yards and a touchdown.
- Kaiden Jones leads Nicholls with 14 tackles.

WEEKLY MATCHUP PREVIEWS



#16 UT Martin Skyhawks (1-1, 0-0 OVC) at Boise State Broncos (1-1, 0-0 MWC)

Saturday, September 17 • 3:00 p.m. CT
Albertsons Stadium (35,944) • Boise, Idaho

Video:<https://foxs.pt/3RzzLim> (FS1)
Live Stats:<https://bit.ly/3TZjzbN>
Series Record: Boise State leads 1-0
Last Meeting: Boise State won 63-14 (9/7/13)
Jason Simpson at UT Martin: 101-81 (17 yrs.)
Jason Simpson Overall: same
Andy Avalos at Boise State: 8-6 (2 yrs.)
Andy Avalos Overall: same
UT Martin Last Week: L, 35-30 at #5 Missouri State
Boise State Last Week: W, 31-14 at New Mexico

NOTEWORTHY

- UT Martin will travel to Boise State for the second all-time meeting between the schools and first since 2013.
- In that game, the Skyhawks tied the game 7-7 in the first quarter but would not score again until the final stanza, falling 63-14 to the Broncos.
- This is the first of two FBS opponents for UT Martin this season (they will play Tennessee later in the year). UTM is 1-29 all-time against FBS foes, with the lone win coming against Memphis in 2012.
- In a rematch of last year's FCS Playoffs, UT Martin came up short, 35-30, at No. 5 Missouri State last Thursday. The Skyhawks led 24-21 entering the fourth quarter before falling by five points.
- Quarterback Dresser Winn completed 29-of-41 passes for 344 yards and three touchdowns. He has been protected through the first two games, as the UTM offensive line has not allowed a sack this season.
- Colton Dowell caught 10 passes for 159 yards and reached the 2,000 career receiving yard mark, the fourth player in UTM history to achieve the feat. He is just 475 receiving yards away from the school record.
- The Skyhawks recorded five sacks against Missouri State, including 2.0 by John H. Ford II. Ford also had 12 tackles and was named OVC Co-Defensive Player of the Week.
- UT Martin is now ranked No. 16 in the Stats Perform Top 25 and No. 18 in the AFCA FCS Coaches Poll.
- After a loss to Oregon State in the season-opener, Boise State bounced back with a victory over Mountain West foe New Mexico State.
- Senior quarterback Hank Bachmeier threw three touchdowns, including two to redshirt sophomore wide receiver Latrell Caples, and finished the game 16-for-27 and 170 yards.
- The Bronco defense kept New Mexico off the scoreboard until the fourth quarter and held the Lobos to just 64-total yards in the first half. Boise State finished the game with 12 tackles-for-loss and six sacks.



#24 Samford Bulldogs (1-1, 0-0 SoCon) at Tennessee Tech Golden Eagles (1-1, 0-0 OVC)

Saturday, September 17 • 6:00 p.m. CT
Tucker Stadium (16,500) • Cookeville, Tenn.

Video:<https://es.pn/3x5pwKu> (ESPN3)
Live Stats:<https://bit.ly/3RxZRm9>
Series Record: Samford leads 14-11
Last Meeting: Samford won 52-14 (9/2/21)
Chris Hatcher at Samford: 40-37 (7 yrs.)
Chris Hatcher Overall: 161-94 (22 yrs.)
Dewayne Alexander at Tennessee Tech: 13-30 (5 yrs.)
Dewayne Alexander Overall: 54-63 (12 yrs.)
Samford Last Week: L, 33-0 at #2 Georgia
Tennessee Tech Last Week: W, 26-25 vs. Texas A&M-Commerce

NOTEWORTHY

- Samford returns to Cookeville for the first time since 2019 and the Bulldogs and Golden Eagles play for the 26th time. Samford was a member of the OVC from 2003-07.
- The two teams have had some memorable meetings, including a 59-52 Samford win in 2007 in Cookeville, and a 59-58 Tennessee Tech double overtime victory in Cookeville in 2019. In those two games the teams have combined for over 2,300 yards of total offense.
- Last season the two teams opened the season in Birmingham, with Liam Welch throwing for 370 yards and four touchdowns as Samford won 52-14.
- Tennessee Tech fell behind 16-3 at halftime and was down 19-6 entering the fourth quarter before exploding for 20 points to pull out a 26-25 victory.
- Newcomer Jeremiah Oatsvall threw two touchdown passes in the final 3:19 of the game, the last coming with two seconds left on a pass to Willie Miller. Oatsvall finished the game 20-of-26 for 226 yards through the air while rushing for 65 yards.
- David Gist added 67 yards and a touchdown on the ground for the Golden Eagles.
- Seth Carlisle had a team-high nine tackles against Texas A&M-Commerce and lead the team with 14 through two games.
- Samford head coach Chris Hatcher coached in the OVC for five seasons with Murray State (2010-14). In that time he had four .500 or better Conference seasons.
- Samford upended No. 8 ranked Kennesaw State in week one of the season, before having to challenge defending FBS National Champion Georgia this past weekend. UGA pulled out the 33-0 victory, marking only the second time Samford had been shutout since the end 2000 season, when TTU won 29-0 (the other since then was Auburn in 2019).
- In his Samford debut in week one against KSU, quarterback Michael Hiers completed 18-of-24 passes for 289 yards and four touchdowns and earned Southern Conference Offensive Player of the Week honors. Two of his touchdowns came in the fourth quarter as the Bulldogs overcome a three-point deficit.
- Samford is No. 24 in the Stats Perform Poll and No. 25 in the AFCA FCS Coaches Poll. Tennessee Tech's last win over a ranked team came against No. 13 Austin Peay on February 21, 2021.

WEEKLY MATCHUP PREVIEWS



**Tennessee State Tigers (0-2, 0-0 OVC)
at Middle Tennessee Blue Raiders (1-1, 0-0 CUSA)**

**Saturday, September 17 • 6:00 p.m. CT
Floyd Stadium (30,788) • Murfreesboro, Tenn.**

Video: <https://es.pn/3D5Moxe> (ESPN+)
Live Stats: <https://bit.ly/3d3faUM>
Series Record: Middle Tennessee leads 11-8
Last Meeting: Middle Tennessee won 45-26 (9/7/19)
Eddie George at Tennessee State: 5-8 (2 yrs.)
Eddie George Overall: same
Rick Stockstill at Middle Tennessee: 102-99 (17 yrs.)
Rick Stockstill Overall: same
Tennessee State Last Week: L, 16-3 vs. Jackson St. (in Memphis)
Middle Tennessee Last Week: W, 34-19 at Colorado State

NOTEWORTHY

- Former OVC rivals meet for the second time in four years; prior to the 2019 meeting the two squads had not played since 1998 when the Blue Raiders left the conference for the FBS.
- Tennessee State won six of the first seven games in the all-time series (which began in 1973), before the Blue Raiders won six-straight from 1987-92. TSU won back-to-back games in 1996 and 1997 before dropping the 1998 and 2019 matchups.
- Tennessee State is 5-9 all-time against FBS opponents, with its last win coming in 2017 at Georgia State.
- Tennessee State has started the season with games against two nationally-ranked FCS opponents (Eastern Washington, Jackson State).
- After tallying 547 yards of total offense in the season-opener at Eastern Washington, TSU was limited to just 140 yards against Jackson State, including two net rushing yards after quarterback Draylen Ellis was sacked eight times.
- Devon Starling did manage 70 yards on 18 carries and leads the OVC with 138.5 yards/game through two contests.
- Houston transfer Gleson Sprewell had a team-high 10 tackles (nine solo) and forced a fumble against JSU.
- The TSU defense limited Jackson State to just 16 points after that high-powered offense had 59 points in its season-opener with FAMU.
- After a season-opening loss at James Madison (who moved from the FCS to the Sun Belt), Middle Tennessee went to Colorado State and won 34-19, marking its first September road victory since 2017.
- Tra Fluellen intercepted a pass on the first play from scrimmage and never looked back in building a 34-0 lead. The MTSU defense added nine sacks, tied for the most in a single game in program history.
- Quarterback Chase Cunningham completed 31-of-39 passes for 266 yards and a touchdown at CSU. The 31 completions were a new career-high.



**Keiser University Seahawks (1-2, 0-0 Sun)
at Lindenwood Lions (1-0, 0-0 OVC)**

**Saturday, September 17 • 6:00 p.m. CT
Hunter Stadium (6,000) • St. Charles, Mo.**

Video: <https://es.pn/3BmeBPm> (ESPN3)
Live Stats: <https://bit.ly/3BtZfYV>
Series Record: First meeting
Last Meeting: n/a
Doug Socha at Keiser: 34-11 (5 yrs.)
Doug Socha Overall: same
Jed Stugart at Lindenwood: 27-21 (5 yrs.)
Jed Stugart Overall: 118-45 (15 yrs.)
Keiser Last Week: L, 26-8 at Mississippi College
Lindenwood Last Week: W, 21-20 at Houston Baptist

NOTEWORTHY

- Lindenwood will have its home opener on Saturday when it hosts Keiser University in the first meeting between the times. It is one of eight first-time opponents on Lindenwood's schedule this season.
- In its first game as a Division I member, Lindenwood came from behind to knock off Houston Baptist 21-20 on Saturday.
- Lindenwood managed just six points in the first half but chipped away at the lead in the second half. Trailing 20-15 late in the game, Jalen Bethany found a lane to block the HBU punt, sending the ball into the end zone which was recovered by Andrew Martin for the game-winning touchdown.
- It marked the program's second-ever win over a Division I opponent (the other game against Northern Colorado in 2011).
- Martin, who had never scored a touchdown before the game, also rushed for a four-yard score in the third quarter and finished the game with 49 rushing yards. For his performance he was named the FedEx Ground National Special Teams Player of the Week by Stats Perform.
- Linebacker Tyron Griffin was named OVC Co-Defensive Player of the Week after tallying nine tackles (including a sack) and two pass breakups in the win at HBU.
- Kicker Logan Seibert made field goals from 41, 44 and 44 yards and was named OVC Co-Specialist of the Week.
- Keiser, in its fifth year of football, is a member of the NAIA Sun Conference located in West Palm Beach, Florida. They entered last week ranked No. 7 nationally prior to a loss at Mississippi College. It marked the team's second-straight loss to a NCAA Division II opponent.
- Linebacker Jaelin Willis recorded a career-high 13 tackles (11 solo) against Mississippi College. He leads the team with 19 tackles through three games.
- Wide receiver Seth Rolle led Keiser with a career-high six catches last week. Rolle has caught five or more passes in each of the team's first three games.

WEEKLY MATCHUP PREVIEWS



Eastern Illinois Panthers (0-2, 0-0 OVC) at Illinois State Redbirds (1-1, 0-0 MVFC)

**Saturday, September 17 • 6:30 p.m. CT
Hancock Stadium (13,391) • Normal, Ill.**

Video: <https://es.pn/3Qqhu5Z> (ESPN+)
Live Stats: <https://bit.ly/3DeiNC7>
Series Record: Illinois State leads 58-42-9
Last Meeting: Illinois State won 31-24 (9/18/21)
Chris Wilkerson at Eastern Illinois: 0-2 (1 yr.)
Chris Wilkerson Overall: 51-29 (9 yrs.)
Brock Spack at Illinois State: 90-61 (14 yrs.)
Brock Spack Overall: same
Eastern Illinois Last Week: L, 38-20 vs. #10 Chattanooga
Illinois State Last Week: W, 28-21 vs. Valparaiso

NOTEWORTHY

- Saturday marks the 110th edition of the Mid-American Classic. The rivalry began in 1901 and 11 years ago was re-branded with the Mid-American Classic moniker. Illinois State has won four in a row and six of the last seven in the series.

- In last year's game, Illinois State's Pha'leak Brown scored on a rush with 1:54 to play to give the Redbirds the 31-24 victory.

- Illinois State head coach Brock Spack was an assistant at Eastern Illinois under Hall of Fame coach Bob Spoo from 1987-90.

- Although it was a one-score game entering the fourth quarter, Eastern Illinois could not complete the comeback to top No. 10 Chattanooga in its home opener. It marked the 13th-straight loss for the Panthers against a nationally-ranked team (dating back to 2017).

- Colin Bohanek led the Panthers defense with 10 tackles against UTC. He has 17 tackles through two games this year.

- Kicker Stone Galloway made two field goals (36, 33) against the Mocs and has now made eight-straight dating back to last season.

- Quarterback Jon O'Brien tossed two touchdowns, his second multi-touchdown game of the young season.

- After opening the season with FBS foe Wisconsin, Illinois State returned to FCS competition last week, topping Valparaiso 28-21 in its home opener. The Redbirds led 28-14 in the fourth quarter, before Valpo trimmed the margin to seven and got the ball back a sack by Zeke Vandenburg and an interception by Franky West sealed the victory.

- Jalen Carr returned a kickoff 98 yards for a touchdown, the first by an ISU player since the 2017 season.

- Quarterback Zack Annexstad, a transfer from Minnesota, completed 14-of-22 passes for 196 yards and two touchdowns and also ran for a touchdown.

- Redshirt freshman tailback Wenkers Wright recorded his first career 100-plus yard rushing effort, finishing the game with 101 yards on 21 carries thanks to a strong second half that saw him rush for 85 yards to seal the win.

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SCORING OFFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. UT Martin	2	10	1	9	0	0	0	72	36.0
2. Eastern Illinois	2	5	4	5	0	0	0	47	23.5
3. Southeast Missouri	2	5	3	5	0	0	0	44	22.0
4. Lindenwood	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	21	21.0
5. Tennessee Tech	2	4	3	3	0	0	0	36	18.0
6. Tennessee State	2	4	2	2	0	0	0	32	16.0
7. Murray State	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	13	6.5

SCORING DEFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. Lindenwood	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	20	20.0
2. Tennessee State	2	6	3	5	1	0	0	52	26.0
3. UT Martin	2	9	0	6	0	0	0	60	30.0
4. Eastern Illinois	2	9	3	9	0	0	0	72	36.0
5. Southeast Missouri	2	10	1	10	0	0	0	73	36.5
6. Tennessee Tech	2	11	2	9	0	0	0	81	40.5
7. Murray State	2	13	2	13	0	0	0	97	48.5

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. UT Martin	2	345	661	146	1006	6.9	10	503.0
2. Lindenwood	1	178	181	76	359	4.7	1	359.0
3. Southeast Missouri	2	156	554	131	710	5.4	5	355.0
4. Eastern Illinois	2	242	459	128	701	5.5	5	350.5
5. Tennessee State	2	292	395	141	687	4.9	4	343.5
6. Tennessee Tech	2	321	323	143	644	4.5	4	322.0
7. Murray State	2	224	303	125	527	4.2	1	263.5

TOTAL DEFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. Lindenwood	1	52	334	77	386	5.0	2	386.0
2. UT Martin	2	244	582	126	826	6.6	9	413.0
3. Eastern Illinois	2	380	470	118	850	7.2	9	425.0
4. Southeast Missouri	2	308	546	135	854	6.3	10	427.0
5. Tennessee Tech	2	489	399	114	888	7.8	10	444.0
6. Tennessee State	2	268	624	159	892	5.6	6	446.0
7. Murray State	2	497	654	141	1151	8.2	13	575.5

RUSHING OFFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Lindenwood	1	42	178	4.2	20	1	178.0
2. UT Martin	2	66	345	5.2	38	4	172.5
3. Tennessee Tech	2	91	321	3.5	25	1	160.5
4. Tennessee State	2	90	292	3.2	43	2	146.0
5. Eastern Illinois	2	65	242	3.7	42	0	121.0
6. Murray State	2	83	224	2.7	20	0	112.0
7. Southeast Missouri	2	48	156	3.2	20	0	78.0

RUSHING DEFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Lindenwood	1	30	52	1.7	20	0	52.0
2. UT Martin	2	64	244	3.8	47	0	122.0
3. Tennessee State	2	69	268	3.9	18	0	134.0
4. Southeast Missouri	2	67	308	4.6	42	4	154.0
5. Eastern Illinois	2	69	380	5.5	54	7	190.0
6. Tennessee Tech	2	64	489	7.6	80	7	244.5
7. Murray State	2	72	497	6.9	83	7	248.5

PASS OFFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. UT Martin	2	51-80-1	63.8	661	8.3	6	330.5
2. Southeast Missouri	2	52-83-1	62.7	554	6.7	5	277.0
3. Eastern Illinois	2	43-63-3	68.3	459	7.3	5	229.5
4. Tennessee State	2	27-51-1	52.9	395	7.7	2	197.5
5. Lindenwood	1	21-34-0	61.8	181	5.3	0	181.0
6. Tennessee Tech	2	35-52-3	67.3	323	6.2	3	161.5
7. Murray State	2	15-42-0	35.7	303	7.2	1	151.5

PASS DEFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Tennessee Tech	2	35-50-1	70.0	399	8.0	3	199.5
2. Eastern Illinois	2	31-49-1	63.3	470	9.6	2	235.0
3. Southeast Missouri	2	46-68-1	67.6	546	8.0	6	273.0
4. UT Martin	2	40-62-2	64.5	582	9.4	9	291.0
5. Tennessee State	2	59-90-0	65.6	624	6.9	6	312.0
6. Murray State	2	47-69-3	68.1	654	9.5	6	327.0
7. Lindenwood	1	26-47-0	55.3	334	7.1	2	334.0

PASS EFFICIENCY	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. UT Martin	2	51-80-1	63.7	661	330.5	6	155.4
2. Eastern Illinois	2	43-63-3	68.3	459	229.5	5	146.1
3. Southeast Missouri	2	52-83-1	62.7	554	277.0	5	136.2
4. Tennessee State	2	27-51-1	52.9	395	197.5	2	127.0
5. Tennessee Tech	2	35-52-3	67.3	323	161.5	3	127.0
6. Lindenwood	1	21-34-0	61.8	181	181.0	0	106.5
7. Murray State	2	15-42-0	35.7	303	151.5	1	104.2

PASS DEFENSE EFFIC.	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Lindenwood	1	26-47-0	55.3	334	334.0	2	129.1
2. Tennessee State	2	59-90-0	65.6	624	312.0	6	145.8
3. Tennessee Tech	2	35-50-1	70.0	399	199.5	3	152.8
4. Eastern Illinois	2	31-49-1	63.3	470	235.0	2	153.2
5. Southeast Missouri	2	46-68-1	67.6	546	273.0	6	161.3
6. Murray State	2	47-69-3	68.1	654	327.0	6	167.7
7. UT Martin	2	40-62-2	64.5	582	291.0	9	184.8

KICKOFF RETURNS	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Lindenwood	1	2	47	0	24	23.5
2. UT Martin	2	5	105	0	47	21.0
3. Tennessee Tech	2	6	124	0	27	20.7
4. Southeast Missouri	2	7	119	0	26	17.0
5. Tennessee State	2	8	129	0	28	16.1
6. Eastern Illinois	2	9	133	0	21	14.8
7. Murray State	2	3	4	0	30	1.3

PUNT RETURN AVG	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Lindenwood	1	2	24	1	0	12.0
2. Tennessee State	2	3	19	0	10	6.3
3. UT Martin	2	1	5	0	5	5.0
4. Eastern Illinois	2	1	0	0	0	0.0
5. Murray State	2	3	-1	0	0	-0.3
6. Tennessee Tech	2	2	-1	0	0	-0.5
7. Southeast Missouri	2	2	-6	0	1	-3.0

INTERCEPTIONS	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Murray State	2	3	5	0	5	1.7
2. UT Martin	2	2	4	0	4	2.0
3. Eastern Illinois	2	1	1	0	1	1.0
Tennessee Tech	2	1	1	0	1	1.0
5. Southeast Missouri	2	1	27	0	27	27.0
6. Tennessee State	2	0	0	0	0	0.0
Lindenwood	1	0	0	0	0	0.0

PUNTING	G	No.	Yards	Avg/P	Ret.	Avg/R	TB	Net/P
1. Eastern Illinois	2	7	330	47.1	6	0.9	1	43.4
2. Southeast Missouri	2	9	364	40.4	-1	-0.1	0	40.6
3. UT Martin	2	6	264	44.0	9	1.5	1	39.2
4. Lindenwood	1	3	117	39.0	4	1.3	0	37.7
5. Tennessee Tech	2	10	347	34.7	-3	-0.3	0	35.0
6. Tennessee State	2	14	560	40.0	60	4.3	2	32.9
7. Murray State	2	21	802	38.2	99	4.7	1	32.5

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KICKOFF COVERAGE	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Ret.	TB	NetAvg
1. Lindenwood	1	6	334	55.7	32	2	42.0
2. Eastern Illinois	2	11	612	55.6	117	2	40.5
3. Tennessee Tech	2	9	521	57.9	109	2	40.2
4. Tennessee State	2	8	500	62.5	119	3	38.2
5. Southeast Missouri	2	10	515	51.5	151	1	33.9
6. UT Martin	2	12	606	50.5	217	0	32.4
7. Murray State	2	5	263	52.6	35	3	30.6

FIELD GOALS	G	Made	Att	Pct.
1. Eastern Illinois	2	4	4	1.000
Lindenwood	1	3	3	1.000
Murray State	2	2	2	1.000
Tennessee State	2	2	2	1.000
5. Tennessee Tech	2	3	5	.600
Southeast Missouri	2	3	5	.600
7. UT Martin	2	1	3	.333

PAT KICKING	G	Made	Att	Pct.
1. UT Martin	2	9	9	1.000
Southeast Missouri	2	5	5	1.000
Eastern Illinois	2	5	5	1.000
Tennessee Tech	2	3	3	1.000
Murray State	2	1	1	1.000
6. Tennessee State	2	2	3	.667
7. Lindenwood	1	0	0	.000

SACKS BY	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. UT Martin	2	7	55	3.50
2. Lindenwood	1	4	33	4.00
3. Southeast Missouri	2	3	13	1.50
4. Murray State	2	2	15	1.00
Tennessee State	2	2	19	1.00
Tennessee Tech	2	2	10	1.00
7. Eastern Illinois	2	1	0	0.50

SACKS AGAINST	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. UT Martin	2	0	0	0.00
2. Southeast Missouri	2	2	10	1.00
3. Lindenwood	1	4	23	4.00
4. Tennessee Tech	2	7	35	3.50
Murray State	2	7	34	3.50
6. Eastern Illinois	2	8	65	4.00
7. Tennessee State	2	12	99	6.00

FIRST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. UT Martin	2	21	28	5	54	27.0
2. Eastern Illinois	2	13	24	4	41	20.5
Tennessee Tech	2	17	19	5	41	20.5
4. Southeast Missouri	2	11	20	5	36	18.0
5. Tennessee State	2	18	14	2	34	17.0
6. Lindenwood	1	10	12	3	25	25.0
7. Murray State	2	9	10	4	23	11.5

OPPONENT 1ST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. Lindenwood	1	6	13	2	21	21.0
2. Tennessee Tech	2	15	19	3	37	18.5
3. UT Martin	2	11	22	6	39	19.5
4. Eastern Illinois	2	14	23	3	40	20.0
5. Tennessee State	2	16	30	2	48	24.0
6. Southeast Missouri	2	18	24	7	49	24.5
7. Murray State	2	21	32	3	56	28.0

3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Eastern Illinois	2	12	26	46.2
2. Lindenwood	1	5	14	35.7
3. Tennessee Tech	2	10	30	33.3
Southeast Missouri	2	10	30	33.3
UT Martin	2	7	21	33.3
6. Tennessee State	2	10	33	30.3
7. Murray State	2	7	31	22.6

OPP 3RD-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Lindenwood	1	4	16	25.0
2. Tennessee State	2	11	31	35.5
3. UT Martin	2	9	24	37.5
4. Eastern Illinois	2	10	22	45.5
5. Tennessee Tech	2	11	23	47.8
6. Murray State	2	13	22	59.1
7. Southeast Missouri	2	17	28	60.7

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Tennessee Tech	2	3	3	100.0
2. Tennessee State	2	4	5	80.0
3. Southeast Missouri	2	3	4	75.0
4. UT Martin	2	2	4	50.0
5. Eastern Illinois	2	0	3	0.0
Murray State	2	0	3	0.0
Lindenwood	1	0	3	0.0

OPP 4TH-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Murray State	2	0	2	0.0
Tennessee Tech	2	0	4	0.0
Eastern Illinois	2	0	0	0.0
4. UT Martin	2	3	6	50.0
5. Lindenwood	1	3	4	75.0
6. Tennessee State	2	4	5	80.0
7. Southeast Missouri	2	3	3	100.0

PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Tennessee Tech	2	9	69	34.5
2. Eastern Illinois	2	13	120	60.0
3. UT Martin	2	13	125	62.5
4. Murray State	2	16	138	69.0
5. Lindenwood	1	7	77	77.0
6. Tennessee State	2	21	167	83.5
7. Southeast Missouri	2	15	171	85.5

OPPONENT PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Lindenwood	1	9	85	85.0
2. Eastern Illinois	2	14	166	83.0
3. Tennessee Tech	2	18	157	78.5
4. UT Martin	2	12	135	67.5
5. Southeast Missouri	2	16	128	64.0
6. Murray State	2	14	120	60.0
7. Tennessee State	2	13	117	58.5

TIME OF POSSESSION	G	Total possession	Avg/G
1. Lindenwood	1	35:02	35:02
2. Tennessee Tech	2	68:06	34:03
3. Murray State	2	63:53	31:56
4. Eastern Illinois	2	62:03	31:01
5. UT Martin	2	62:01	31:00
6. Tennessee State	2	59:39	29:49
7. Southeast Missouri	2	56:17	28:08

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TURNOVER MARGIN		Gained			Lost			Margin	Per/G
		Fum	Int	Tot	Fum	Int	Tot		
1. Murray State	2	1	3	4	1	0	1	+3	1.50
2. Lindenwood	1	2	0	2	1	0	1	+1	1.00
3. UT Martin	2	0	2	2	0	1	1	+1	0.50
4. Tennessee State	2	3	0	3	2	1	3	+0	0.00
Southeast Missouri	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	+0	0.00
6. Tennessee Tech	2	3	1	4	3	3	6	-2	-1.00
Eastern Illinois	2	1	1	2	1	3	4	-2	-1.00

RED ZONE OFFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Eastern Illinois	2	6-6	100.0	3	0-3	3-3	0
Tennessee State	2	3-3	100.0	1	1-0	2-2	0
Lindenwood	1	1-1	100.0	1	1-0	0-0	0
4. UT Martin	2	7-8	87.5	6	3-3	1-2	0
5. Southeast Missouri	2	6-7	85.7	5	0-5	1-1	1
6. Tennessee Tech	2	7-9	77.8	4	1-3	3-4	0
7. Murray State	2	1-3	33.3	0	0-0	1-1	0

RED ZONE DEFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Lindenwood	1	2-3	66.7	1	0-1	1-1	1
2. Tennessee State	2	7-10	70.0	4	0-4	3-4	1
3. Murray State	2	5-7	71.4	4	3-1	1-1	1
4. UT Martin	2	3-4	75.0	3	0-3	0-0	0
5. Tennessee Tech	2	9-10	90.0	7	5-2	2-2	0
6. Eastern Illinois	2	7-7	100.0	6	5-1	1-1	0
Southeast Missouri	2	8-8	100.0	7	3-4	1-1	0

ON-SIDE KICKS BY	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. Lindenwood	1	0	0	0.0
Tennessee State	2	0	0	0.0
Murray State	2	0	0	0.0
UT Martin	2	0	0	0.0
Tennessee Tech	2	0	0	0.0
Eastern Illinois	2	0	0	0.0
Southeast Missouri	2	0	0	0.0

ON-SIDE KICKS AGAINST	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. UT Martin	2	0	1	0.0
Tennessee State	2	0	0	0.0
Murray State	2	0	0	0.0
Tennessee Tech	2	0	0	0.0
Eastern Illinois	2	0	0	0.0
Southeast Missouri	2	0	0	0.0
Lindenwood	1	0	0	0.0

ATTENDANCE	Home	Away	Neutral	Total
Eastern Illinois	1-6565	1-10864	0-0	2-8714
Lindenwood	0-0	1-2125	0-0	1-2125
Murray State	1-6911	1-0	0-0	2-3456
Southeast Missouri	0-0	2-28571	0-0	2-28571
Tennessee State	0-0	1-3932	1-51351	2-27642
Tennessee Tech	1-7352	1-34902	0-0	2-21127
UT Martin	1-5127	1-9872	0-0	2-7500
Totals	4-6489	8-14855	1-51351	13-15088

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RUSHING	Cl	G	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Lg	Avg/G
1. STARLING, Devon-TSU	Jr	2	43	277	6.4	1	43	138.5
2. GIAIMO, Robert-LIN	So	1	20	108	5.4	0	20	108.0
3. WALLACE, Zak-UTM	So	2	37	215	5.8	4	38	107.5
4. PIERRE, Markenz-EIU	Sr	2	31	166	5.4	0	42	83.0
5. OATSVALL, Jeremiah-TTU	Sr	2	32	107	3.3	0	16	53.5
6. GIST, David-TTU	Sr	2	25	101	4.0	1	11	50.5
7. MARTIN, Andrew-LIN	Jr	1	9	49	5.4	1	13	49.0
8. FRANKLIN, Sam-UTM	Fr	2	12	86	7.2	0	32	43.0
9. BENEFIELD, Jaelin-EIU	Sr	2	16	83	5.2	0	19	41.5
10. HESS, Geno-SEMO	Sr	2	25	73	2.9	0	11	36.5

PASSING AVG/GAME	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Avg/G
1. WINN, Dresser-UTM	Sr	2	51-78-1	661	6	330.5
2. DELAURENT, Paxton-SEMO	So	2	52-82-1	554	5	277.0
3. O'BRIEN, Jonah-EIU	Jr	2	43-62-3	459	5	229.5
4. ELLIS, Draylen-TSU	Jr	2	27-51-1	395	2	197.5
5. BRISTER, Cade-LIN	Sr	1	21-33-0	181	0	181.0
6. OATSVALL, Jeremiah-TTU	Sr	2	30-44-3	302	3	151.0
7. MAUE, Lucas-MUR	Fr	2	6-25-0	56	0	28.0
8. HALTON, Lewis-MUR	Sr	2	1-1-0	37	0	18.5
9. ROSE, Payton-LIN	Sr	1	0-1-0	0	0	0.0
10. OGBONNA, CJ-SEMO	Sr	2	0-1-0	0	0	0.0

PASS EFFICIENCY	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Eff.
1. WINN, Dresser-UTM	Sr	2	51-78-1	661	6	159.4
2. O'BRIEN, Jonah-EIU	Jr	2	43-62-3	459	5	148.5
3. DELAURENT, Paxton-SEMO	So	2	52-82-1	554	5	137.8
4. OATSVALL, Jeremiah-TTU	Sr	2	30-44-3	302	3	134.7
5. ELLIS, Draylen-TSU	Jr	2	27-51-1	395	2	127.0
6. BRISTER, Cade-LIN	Sr	1	21-33-0	181	0	109.7
7. MAUE, Lucas-MUR	Fr	2	6-25-0	56	0	42.8
8. ROSE, Payton-LIN	Sr	1	0-1-0	0	0	0.0

RECEPTIONS/GAME	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Yds/G	Rec/G
1. KING, Johnny-SEMO	Sr	2	20	171	2	33	85.5	10.0
2. DOWELL, Colton-UTM	Sr	2	17	259	2	48	129.5	8.5
3. FLOURNOY, Ryan-SEMO	Jr	2	13	201	1	42	100.5	6.5
4. THOMAS, Justin-EIU	Sr	2	12	122	1	42	61.0	6.0
5. SMITH, Kobe-LIN	Sr	1	6	46	0	17	46.0	6.0
6. TANKSLEY, DeVonte-UTM	So	2	10	157	0	39	78.5	5.0
7. WYCHE, Cam-TSU	Sr	2	10	147	1	57	73.5	5.0
8. LANCKRIET, Chase-LIN	Jr	1	5	51	0	14	51.0	5.0
9. REDD, Spencer-LIN	Jr	1	5	44	0	21	44.0	5.0
10. DOBSON, Zack-TSU	Sr	2	8	158	1	67	79.0	4.0

RECEIVE YDS/GAME	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Avg/C	Yds/G
1. DOWELL, Colton-UTM	Sr	2	17	259	2	48	15.2	129.5
2. FLOURNOY, Ryan-SEMO	Jr	2	13	201	1	42	15.5	100.5
3. KING, Johnny-SEMO	Sr	2	20	171	2	33	8.6	85.5
4. DOBSON, Zack-TSU	Sr	2	8	158	1	67	19.8	79.0
5. TANKSLEY, DeVonte-UTM	So	2	10	157	0	39	15.7	78.5
6. WYCHE, Cam-TSU	Sr	2	10	147	1	57	14.7	73.5
7. THOMAS, Justin-EIU	Sr	2	12	122	1	42	10.2	61.0
8. LANCKRIET, Chase-LIN	Jr	1	5	51	0	14	10.2	51.0
9. FLEMING, Metrius-TTU	Sr	2	8	96	0	32	12.0	48.0
10. SMOOT, EJ-UTM	Jr	2	6	92	3	34	15.3	46.0

TOTAL OFFENSE	Cl	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Total	Yds/G
1. WINN, Dresser-UTM	Sr	2	16	661	80	677	338.5
2. DELAURENT, Paxton-SEMO	So	2	67	554	101	621	310.5
3. O'BRIEN, Jonah-EIU	Jr	2	-7	459	80	452	226.0
4. OATSVALL, Jeremiah-TTU	Sr	2	107	302	76	409	204.5
5. ELLIS, Draylen-TSU	Jr	2	14	395	88	409	204.5
6. BRISTER, Cade-LIN	Sr	1	23	181	44	204	204.0
7. STARLING, Devon-TSU	Jr	2	277	0	43	277	138.5
8. GIAIMO, Robert-LIN	So	1	108	0	20	108	108.0
9. WALLACE, Zak-UTM	So	2	215	0	37	215	107.5
10. PIERRE, Markenz-EIU	Sr	2	166	0	31	166	83.0

SCORING	Cl	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	Pts	Pts/G
1. WALLACE, Zak-UTM	So	2	4	0	0	0	24	12.0
2. MARTIN, Andrew-LIN	Jr	1	2	0	0	0	12	12.0
3. SEIBERT, Logan-LIN	So	1	0	3	0	0	9	9.0
4. SMOOT, EJ-UTM	Jr	2	3	0	0	0	18	9.0
5. GALLOWAY, Stone-EIU	Sr	2	0	4	5	0	17	8.5
6. PIPPIN, DC-SEMO	Jr	2	0	3	5	0	14	7.0
7. DOWELL, Colton-UTM	Sr	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
8. KING, Johnny-SEMO	Sr	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
9. VICK, Damorie-SEMO	Jr	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
10. MOSLEY, Kaleb-TSU	Sr	2	0	2	2	0	8	4.0

SCORING (TDs)	Cl	G	TD	Run	Pass	Ret	Pat	Pts	Avg/G
1. WALLACE, Zak-UTM	So	2	4	4	0	0	0	24	12.0
2. MARTIN, Andrew-LIN	Jr	1	2	1	0	1	0	12	12.0
3. SMOOT, EJ-UTM	Jr	2	3	0	3	0	0	18	9.0
4. KING, Johnny-SEMO	Sr	2	2	0	2	0	0	12	6.0
5. VICK, Damorie-SEMO	Jr	2	2	0	2	0	0	12	6.0
6. DOWELL, Colton-UTM	Sr	2	2	0	2	0	0	12	6.0
7. ELLIS, Draylen-TSU	Jr	2	1	1	0	0	0	6	3.0
8. STARLING, Devon-TSU	Jr	2	1	1	0	0	0	6	3.0
9. BELL, Jacob-MUR	Jr	2	1	0	1	0	0	6	3.0
10. GIST, David-TTU	Sr	2	1	1	0	0	0	6	3.0

SCORING (KICK)	Cl	G	PAT	FG	Pts	Avg/G
1. SEIBERT, Logan-LIN	So	1	0-0	3-3	9	9.0
2. GALLOWAY, Stone-EIU	Sr	2	5-5	4-4	17	8.5
3. PIPPIN, DC-SEMO	Jr	2	5-5	3-5	14	7.0
4. MOSLEY, Kaleb-TSU	Sr	2	2-3	2-2	8	4.0
5. BAUM, Aaron-MUR	Sr	2	1-1	2-2	7	3.5
6. ONATE, Frankie-UTM	Sr	2	6-6	0-2	6	3.0
7. LARCO, Tyler-UTM	So	2	3-3	1-1	6	3.0
8. PARKER, Devin-TTU	Sr	2	1-1	1-3	4	2.0

PUNT RETURN AVG	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. BETHANY, Jalen-LIN	So	1	1	25	0	0	25.0
2. TROTTER, Boogie-TSU	Fr	2	3	19	0	10	6.3
3. GOMES, Dameon-MUR	Sr	2	3	-1	0	0	-0.3
4. REDD, Spencer-LIN	Jr	1	1	-1	0	0	-1.0
5. MCDONALD, Dalyn-SEMO	So	2	2	-6	0	1	-3.0

KICK RETURN AVG	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. REDD, Spencer-LIN	Jr	1	1	24	0	24	24.0
2. SMITH, Kobe-LIN	Sr	1	1	23	0	23	23.0
3. FLEMING, Metrius-TTU	Sr	2	5	107	0	27	21.4
4. FRANKLIN, Sam-UTM	Fr	2	5	105	0	47	21.0
5. BROOKS, LaMartez-MUR	Sr	2	2	40	0	30	20.0
6. MCDONALD, Dalyn-SEMO	So	2	6	119	0	26	19.8
7. JEFFERSON, Tysean-TSU	Fr	2	8	129	0	28	16.1
8. BENEFIELD, Jaelin-EIU	Sr	2	4	61	0	18	15.2
9. GENTRY, Zay-EIU	So	2	5	72	0	21	14.4

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ALL PURPOSE		Cl	G	Rush	Rcv	PR	KR	Yds	Avg/G
1.	STARLING, Devon-TSU	Jr	2	277	30	0	0	307	153.5
2.	DOWELL, Colton-UTM	Sr	2	0	259	0	0	259	129.5
3.	WALLACE, Zak-UTM	So	2	215	34	0	0	249	124.5
4.	GAIMO, Robert-LIN	So	1	108	2	0	0	110	110.0
5.	BENEFIELD, Jaelin-EIU	Sr	2	83	70	0	61	214	107.0
6.	FLOURNOY, Ryan-SEMO	Jr	2	0	201	0	0	201	100.5
7.	FLEMING, Metrius-TTU	Sr	2	-4	96	-1	107	198	99.0
8.	FRANKLIN, Sam-UTM	Fr	2	86	0	0	105	191	95.5
9.	PIERRE, Markenzy-EIU	Sr	2	166	9	0	0	175	87.5
10.	KING, Johnny-SEMO	Sr	2	0	171	0	0	171	85.5

PUNTING		Cl	G	No.	Yds	Lg	I20	50+	TB	Avg.
1.	WILHOIT, Trey-EIU	Jr	2	7	330	62	1	4	1	47.1
2.	LARCO, Tyler-UTM	So	2	4	187	55	2	2	0	46.8
3.	HAYNES, Zach-SEMO	Jr	2	9	364	49	2	0	0	40.4
4.	HALTON, Lewis-MUR	Sr	2	20	802	57	6	4	1	40.1
5.	MOSLEY, Kaleb-TSU	Sr	2	14	560	54	3	2	2	40.0
6.	RIPPER, Riley-LIN	Sr	1	3	117	41	1	0	0	39.0
7.	BIGELOW, Nicholas-TTU	So	2	9	319	50	2	1	0	35.4

FIELD GOALS		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.	FG/G
1.	SEIBERT, Logan-LIN	So	1	3	3	44	100.0	3.00
2.	GALLOWAY, Stone-EIU	Sr	2	4	4	44	100.0	2.00
3.	PIPPIN, DC-SEMO	Jr	2	3	5	50	60.0	1.50
4.	MOSLEY, Kaleb-TSU	Sr	2	2	2	34	100.0	1.00
	BAUM, Aaron-MUR	Sr	2	2	2	45	100.0	1.00
6.	LARCO, Tyler-UTM	So	2	1	1	23	100.0	0.50
	PARKER, Devin-TTU	Sr	2	1	3	28	33.3	0.50

FIELD GOAL PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.
1.	GALLOWAY, Stone-EIU	Sr	2	4	4	44	100.0
	SEIBERT, Logan-LIN	So	1	3	3	44	100.0
3.	PIPPIN, DC-SEMO	Jr	2	3	5	50	60.0

PAT KICKING PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Pct.
1.	ONATE, Frankie-UTM	Sr	2	6	6	100.0
	GALLOWAY, Stone-EIU	Sr	2	5	5	100.0
	PIPPIN, DC-SEMO	Jr	2	5	5	100.0

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TACKLES (All positions)								SACKS							
	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total	Avg/G		Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total	Avg/G
1. FORD, John-UTM	Sr	2	LB	10	15	25	12.5	1. FORD, John-UTM	Sr	2	LB	2	0	2.0	1.00
2. HICKS, Rob-UTM	Sr	2	LB	6	17	23	11.5	BOOKER, Keandre-SEMO	Sr	2	LB	2	0	2.0	1.00
3. TOLBERT, Elijahwah-EIU	So	2	LB	5	13	18	9.0	3. McCLENDON, Kobe-LIN	Fr	1	DL	1	1	1.5	1.50
BRYANT, Jahsun-TSU	Sr	2	LB	11	7	18	9.0	4. BROWN, Cam-MUR	Sr	2	DL	1	0	1.0	0.50
GRIFFIN, Tyrone-LIN	So	1	LB	2	7	9	9.0	PATTERSON, Tadarrius-TSU	Sr	2	DL	1	0	1.0	0.50
6. BOHANEK, Colin-EIU	Jr	2	LB	5	12	17	8.5	6. GRIFFIN, Tyrone-LIN	So	1	LB	0	2	1.0	1.00
7. JOHNSON, Lawrence-SEMO	Sr	2	DB	14	2	16	8.0	7. NASH, Davion-TSU	Sr	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
SAMUTA, Eric-MUR	Sr	2	LB	13	3	16	8.0	HUNTER, Chris-UTM	So	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
9. MCCALL, William-SEMO	Jr	2	DB	14	1	15	7.5	9. WINGATE, Donnie-LIN	Fr	1	DL	1	0	1.0	1.00
TROTTER, Boogie-TSU	Fr	2	DB	10	5	15	7.5	10. DOTSON, Daylan-UTM	So	2	DE	1	0	1.0	0.50
SPREWELL, Gleson-TSU	Sr	2	DB	12	3	15	7.5	GORE, Tyler-UTM	Sr	2	DB	1	0	1.0	0.50
VINCENT, Jordan-EIU	So	2	DB	8	7	15	7.5	HOWARD, Dominic-TTU	So	2	DB	1	0	1.0	0.50
13. CARLISLE, Seth-TTU	Sr	2	LB	12	2	14	7.0	POWELL, Lawaun-MUR	So	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
LOCKETT, Lloyd-LIN	Sr	1	DB	5	2	7	7.0	FUHRMAN, Christian-SEMO	So	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
WHITTEMORE, David-LIN	Fr	1	LB	4	3	7	7.0	15. BAKER, Oshae-UTM	So	2	DB	0	1	0.5	0.25
16. DAILEY, Jamari-MUR	So	2	DB	11	2	13	6.5	16. WILLIAMS, Sterlin-LIN	Jr	1	DL	0	1	0.5	0.50
17. POPE, K'Vaughan-TSU	Sr	2	LB	6	5	11	5.5	17. DAVIS, Kenyonte-UTM	Jr	2	DL	0	1	0.5	0.25
GREEN, Josh-TSU	Jr	2	DB	8	3	11	5.5	HICKS, Rob-UTM	Sr	2	LB	0	1	0.5	0.25
COATES, Nick-EIU	So	2	DB	4	7	11	5.5	NEAL, TJ-UTM	Sr	2	LB	0	1	0.5	0.25
BOLDEN, Jaylon-MUR	Sr	2	DB	9	2	11	5.5	CANTRELL, Christian-TTU	Jr	2	DL	0	1	0.5	0.25
CRAWFORD, Michael-TSU	Sr	2	LB	8	3	11	5.5								
22. BALL, Elijah-EIU	Sr	2	DB	5	5	10	5.0								
RELIFORD, Josh-TTU	Sr	2	DB	9	1	10	5.0								
PHILLIPS, Bryce-TSU	Fr	2	DB	8	2	10	5.0								
EVANS, Carson-UTM	So	2	DB	4	6	10	5.0								
LEWIS, Joedrick-SEMO	So	2	DB	10	0	10	5.0								
SIMS, Deven-UTM	Sr	2	DB	3	7	10	5.0								
WATKINS, Jashon-TSU	So	2	DB	7	3	10	5.0								
ROSS, Kai-LIN	Sr	1	DB	4	1	5	5.0								
BOLDEN, Darion-LIN	Sr	1	DB	4	1	5	5.0								
31. LEONARD, Ty-SEMO	Sr	2	DB	5	4	9	4.5								
POWELL, Lawaun-MUR	So	2	LB	7	2	9	4.5								
LEWIS, Shaun-UTM	Sr	2	CB	7	2	9	4.5								
RICKERT, Daniel-TTU	So	2	DL	4	5	9	4.5								
GORE, Tyler-UTM	Sr	2	DB	7	2	9	4.5								
GILMORE, Jyron-TTU	So	2	DB	9	0	9	4.5								
WALTON, Mali-SEMO	So	2	P	6	3	9	4.5								
38. PORTER, Phoenix-EIU	Jr	2	LB	2	6	8	4.0								
DAVIS, Kenyonte-UTM	Jr	2	DL	2	6	8	4.0								
VARGA, Tim-EIU	Sr	2	DL	3	5	8	4.0								
BARNETT, Matt-LIN	So	1	LB	2	2	4	4.0								
PETTI, Dylan-LIN	Sr	1	DL	2	2	4	4.0								
43. FUHRMAN, Christian-SEMO	So	2	LB	7	0	7	3.5								
NORMAN, Bryce-SEMO	So	2	LB	6	1	7	3.5								
BAKER, Oshae-UTM	So	2	DB	3	4	7	3.5								
RAINES, Aidan-TTU	Sr	2	LB	5	2	7	3.5								
HAWKINS, Davoan-TSU	Sr	2	DL	2	5	7	3.5								
48. HOWARD, Dominic-TTU	So	2	DB	6	0	6	3.0								
TAYLOR, Dony'e-SEMO	Jr	2	DB	4	2	6	3.0								
DAVIS, Giovanni-UTM	So	2	LB	1	5	6	3.0								

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PASSES DEFENDED		Cl	G	BrUp	Int.	Total	Avg/G
1.	BOLDEN, Darion-LIN	Sr	1	3	0	3	3.00
2.	GRIFFIN, Tyrone-LIN	So	1	2	0	2	2.00
	LEWIS, Shaun-UTM	Sr	2	2	2	4	2.00
4.	POWELL, Lawaun-MUR	So	2	3	0	3	1.50
	TURNER, Quinaz-MUR	Sr	2	1	2	3	1.50
	PHILLIPS, Bryce-TSU	Fr	2	3	0	3	1.50
7.	JOHNSON, Lawrence-SEMO	Sr	2	2	0	2	1.00
	WATKINS, Jashon-TSU	So	2	2	0	2	1.00
	RELIFORD, Josh-TTU	Sr	2	2	0	2	1.00
	FORD, John-UTM	Sr	2	2	0	2	1.00
	ROSS, Kai-LIN	Sr	1	1	0	1	1.00
	HOLMES, Cayvian-MUR	Jr	2	2	0	2	1.00
	HARVEY, Tyris-EIU	Jr	2	2	0	2	1.00
	McCLENDON, Kobe-LIN	Fr	1	1	0	1	1.00
	COATES, Nick-EIU	So	2	2	0	2	1.00
	CARLISLE, Seth-TTU	Sr	2	2	0	2	1.00
	DANLEY, Trace-TTU	So	2	2	0	2	1.00
	LEWIS, Joedrick-SEMO	So	2	1	1	2	1.00
	TROTTER, Boogie-TSU	Fr	2	2	0	2	1.00
20.	HOWARD, Dominic-TTU	So	2	1	0	1	0.50

INTERCEPTIONS		Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1.	TURNER, Quinaz-MUR	Sr	2	2	5	0	5	1.00
	LEWIS, Shaun-UTM	Sr	2	2	4	0	4	1.00
3.	LEWIS, Joedrick-SEMO	So	2	1	27	0	27	0.50
	BOHANEK, Colin-EIU	Jr	2	1	1	0	1	0.50
	McGOWAN, Jacquez-TTU	Fr	2	1	1	0	1	0.50
	APPLETON, Dylan-MUR	So	2	1	0	0	0	0.50

FUMBLES FORCED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	WINGATE, Donnie-LIN	Fr	1	1	1.00
	LOCKETT, Lloyd-LIN	Sr	1	1	1.00
3.	POPE, K'Vaughan-TSU	Sr	2	1	0.50
	ALLEN, Tre-MUR	Sr	2	1	0.50
	NASH, Davion-TSU	Sr	2	1	0.50
	SPREWELL, Gleson-TSU	Sr	2	1	0.50
	SWAFFORD, Aaron-TTU	So	2	1	0.50
	DAVIS, Kenyonte-UTM	Jr	2	1	0.50

FUMBLES RECOVERED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	WHITEMORE, David-LIN	Fr	1	1	1.00
	WILLIAMS, Sterlin-LIN	Jr	1	1	1.00
3.	NASH, Davion-TSU	Sr	2	1	0.50
	SWAFFORD, Aaron-TTU	So	2	1	0.50
	WATKINS, Jashon-TSU	So	2	1	0.50
	WOODS, Henry-EIU	So	2	1	0.50
	TROTTER, Boogie-TSU	Fr	2	1	0.50
	HUDSON, Cameron-TTU	Jr	2	1	0.50
	LONG, Andrew-MUR	So	2	1	0.50
	ROSS, O.J.-TTU	Fr	2	1	0.50

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TEAM HIGHS (highest totals made by)

Points	42	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	34	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Points scored kicking	10	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [2fg,4pat]
	9	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [2fg,3pat]
	9	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022) [3fg,0pat]
Touchdowns	6	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	4	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	4	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	4	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Total offense yards	577	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [260r,317p]
	547	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [290r,257p]
Total offense plays	82	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [43r,39p]
	81	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [54r,27p]
Total offense yards/play	7.0	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [82-577]
	6.8	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [65-441]
Rushing yards	290	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	260	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
Rushing attempts	54	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	48	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
Yards per rush	6.0	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [43-260]
	5.5	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [30-165]
Rushing TDs	3	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
Longest rush	43	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	42	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
Passing yards	344	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	332	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Passing attempts	45	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	41	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Passing TDs	4	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	3	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	3	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
	3	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Longest pass	67	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	54	Murray State at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
Passes completed	33	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	29	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Had intercepted	2	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
Pass completion pct	76.9	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022) [20-26]
	73.3	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [33-45]
Passing yards/attempt	9.5	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [27-257]
	9.2	Murray State at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [23-211]
Yards per catch	23.4	Murray State at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [9-211]
	15.3	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022) [6-92]
Field goal attempts	3	Tennessee Tech at Kansas (Sep 02, 2022)
	3	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	3	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Field goals made	3	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	Eastern Illinois vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Longest field goal	50	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	45	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)

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Field goal pct	100.0	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022) [3-3]
	100.0	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [2-2]
	100.0	Eastern Illinois vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022) [2-2]
	100.0	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022) [2-2]
PAT kicks attempted	6	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	4	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
PAT kicks made	6	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	4	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
PAT kicks pct	100.0	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [6-6]
	100.0	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [4-4]
	100.0	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [3-3]
	100.0	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [3-3]
	100.0	Eastern Illinois vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022) [2-2]
	100.0	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022) [2-2]
2-point PAT attempts	2	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	1	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	1	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	1	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
Punts	12	Murray State at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
	9	Tennessee State vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022)
	9	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Longest punt	62	Eastern Illinois vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022)
	57	Murray State at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
Yards punted	474	Murray State at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [12-474]
	344	Tennessee State vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022) [9-344]
Punting avg	46.0	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [2-92]
	46.0	Eastern Illinois vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022) [6-276]
Punt returns	3	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	2	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Punt return yards	24	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	19	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
Punt return avg	12.0	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022) [2-24]
	6.3	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [3-19]
Punt return TDs	1	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
Longest punt return	10	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	5	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Kick returns	5	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	5	Eastern Illinois vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022)
	5	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
Kick return yards	105	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	98	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
Kick return avg	23.5	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022) [2-47]
	21.8	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [4-87]
Longest kick return	47	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	30	Murray State at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
Interceptions	2	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Interception return yds	27	Southeast Missouri at Iowa State (Sep 03, 2022)
	5	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Interception return avg	2.5	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022) [2-5]
	2.0	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [2-4]
Longest interception rtn	27	Southeast Missouri at Iowa State (Sep 03, 2022)
	5	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Fumbles lost	3	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)

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	2	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
Fumbles recovered	2	Tennessee Tech at Kansas (Sep 02, 2022)
	2	Tennessee State vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
Sacked by opp	8	Tennessee State vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022)
	6	Eastern Illinois vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022)
QB sacks	5	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	4	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
Turnovers committed	5	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
	3	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
Turnovers caused	3	Tennessee Tech at Kansas (Sep 02, 2022)
	3	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Kicks blocked	2	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	1	Tennessee State vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022)
	1	Lindenwood at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
First downs	30	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	27	Tennessee Tech vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
1st downs rushing	15	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	14	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
1st downs passing	16	Eastern Illinois at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
	14	UT Martin vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	14	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
1st downs by penalty	5	Southeast Missouri at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	4	UT Martin at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Penalties	12	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	10	Murray State vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Penalties yards	100	Southeast Missouri at Iowa State (Sep 03, 2022)
	95	Tennessee State at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)

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INDIVIDUAL PLAYER GAME HIGHS

Points scored	18	WALLACE, Zak (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	12	SMOOT, EJ (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	12	MARTIN, Andrew (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	12	KING, Johnny (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Touchdowns	3	WALLACE, Zak (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	SMOOT, EJ (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	MARTIN, Andrew (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	KING, Johnny (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
TD responsibility	4	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [0r
	3	WALLACE, Zak (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [3r,0p]
	3	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [0r,3p]
	3	O'BRIEN, Jonah (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [0r,3p]
	3	ELLIS, Draylen (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [1r,2p]
	3	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [0r,3p]
Points scored kicking	10	PIPPIN, DC (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [2fg,4pat]
	9	GALLOWAY, Stone (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [2fg,3pat]
	9	SEIBERT, Logan (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022) [3fg,0pat]
Total offense yards	360	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [16r,344p]
	339	ELLIS, Draylen (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [82r,25
Total offense plays	51	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [7r
	50	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Iowa State (Sep 03, 2022) [12r,38p
Total offense yards/play	9.4	WILLIAMS, DJ (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [20-189]
	8.9	FRANKLIN, Sam (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [10-89]
Rushing yards	207	STARLING, Devon (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	139	WALLACE, Zak (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
Rushing attempts	25	STARLING, Devon (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	22	ELLIS, Draylen (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
Yards per rush	8.9	FRANKLIN, Sam (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [10-89]
	8.3	STARLING, Devon (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [25-
Rushing TDs	3	WALLACE, Zak (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	1	ELLIS, Draylen (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	1	STARLING, Devon (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	1	WALLACE, Zak (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	1	GIST, David (Tennessee Tech) vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
	1	MARTIN, Andrew (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
Longest rush	43	STARLING, Devon (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	42	PIERRE, Markenzy (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
Passing yards	344	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	332	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Passing attempts	44	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	41	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Passing TDs	4	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	3	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	3	O'BRIEN, Jonah (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
	3	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Longest pass	67	ELLIS, Draylen (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	54	WILLIAMS, DJ (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
Passes completed	33	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	29	WINN, Dresser (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Had intercepted	2	O'BRIEN, Jonah (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	OATSVALL, Jeremiah (Tennessee Tech) vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 202
Pass completion pct	76.9	OATSVALL, Jeremiah (Tennessee Tech) vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 202
	75.0	DELAURENT, Paxton (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [33
Pass yards/attempt	13.1	WILLIAMS, DJ (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [16-210]

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	9.5	ELLIS, Draylen (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [27-25]
Pass yards/catch	26.2	WILLIAMS, DJ (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [8-210]
	15.1	ELLIS, Draylen (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [17-25]
Receiving yards	159	DOWELL, Colton (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	145	FLOURNOY, Ryan (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Receptions	14	KING, Johnny (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	10	DOWELL, Colton (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	10	FLOURNOY, Ryan (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Yards per catch	38.0	BELL, Jacob (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [2-76]
	26.4	DOBSON, Zack (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [5-132]
Receiving TDs	2	SMOOT, EJ (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	KING, Johnny (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Longest reception	67	DOBSON, Zack (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	57	WYCHE, Cam (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
Field goal attempts	3	PARKER, Devin (Tennessee Tech) at Kansas (Sep 02, 2022)
	3	SEIBERT, Logan (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	3	PIPPIN, DC (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Field goals made	3	SEIBERT, Logan (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	GALLOWAY, Stone (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	GALLOWAY, Stone (Eastern Illinois) vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	OLSEN, Hayden (Tennessee Tech) vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
	2	PIPPIN, DC (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Longest field goal	50	PIPPIN, DC (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
	45	BAUM, Aaron (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Field goal pct	100.0	SEIBERT, Logan (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022) [3-3]
	100.0	GALLOWAY, Stone (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [2-2]
	100.0	GALLOWAY, Stone (Eastern Illinois) vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022) [2-2]
	100.0	OLSEN, Hayden (Tennessee Tech) vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022) [2-
PAT kicks attempted	6	ONATE, Frankie (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	4	PIPPIN, DC (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
PAT kicks made	6	ONATE, Frankie (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	4	PIPPIN, DC (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
PAT kicks pct	100.0	ONATE, Frankie (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [6-6]
	100.0	PIPPIN, DC (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [4-4]
	100.0	GALLOWAY, Stone (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022) [3-3]
	100.0	LARCO, Tyler (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [3-3]
	100.0	GALLOWAY, Stone (Eastern Illinois) vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022) [2-2]
	100.0	OLSEN, Hayden (Tennessee Tech) vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022) [2-
Punts	12	HALTON, Lewis (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
	9	MOSLEY, Kaleb (Tennessee State) vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022)
Yards punted	474	HALTON, Lewis (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022) [12-474]
	344	MOSLEY, Kaleb (Tennessee State) vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022) [9-344]
Longest punt	62	WILHOIT, Trey (Eastern Illinois) vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022)
	57	HALTON, Lewis (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
Punting avg	46.5	BIGELOW, Nicholas (Tennessee Tech) vs TEXAS A&M-COMMERCE (Sep 10, 2022)
	46.0	WILHOIT, Trey (Eastern Illinois) vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022) [6-276]
Punt returns	3	TROTTER, Boogie (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	2	GOMES, Dameon (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Punt return yards	25	BETHANY, Jalen (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)
	19	TROTTER, Boogie (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
Longest punt return	10	TROTTER, Boogie (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	5	BAKER, Oshae (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
Punt return TDs	1	MARTIN, Andrew (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022)

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Punt return avg	6.3	TROTTER, Boogie (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022) [3-1
	-0.5	GOMES, Dameon (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022) [2--1]
Kick returns	5	FRANKLIN, Sam (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	5	GENTRY, Zay (Eastern Illinois) vs CHATTANOOGA (Sep 10, 2022)
Kick return yards	105	FRANKLIN, Sam (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	87	MCDONALD, Dalyn (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022)
Kick return avg	21.8	MCDONALD, Dalyn (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [4-8
	21.0	FRANKLIN, Sam (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [5-105]
Longest kick return	47	FRANKLIN, Sam (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022)
	30	BROOKS, LaMartez (Murray State) at Texas Tech (Sep 03, 2022)
Combined PR/KR yards	105	FRANKLIN, Sam (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [0pr-105kr]
	88	MCDONALD, Dalyn (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [1pr
Interceptions	2	LEWIS, Shaun (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022)
	2	TURNER, Quinaz (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Interception return yds	27	LEWIS, Joedrick (Southeast Missouri) at Iowa State (Sep 03, 2022)
	5	TURNER, Quinaz (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
Interception return avg	2.5	TURNER, Quinaz (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022) [2-5]
	2.0	LEWIS, Shaun (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [2-4]
Longest interception rtn	27	LEWIS, Joedrick (Southeast Missouri) at Iowa State (Sep 03, 2022)
	5	TURNER, Quinaz (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022)
All-purpose yards	230	STARLING, Devon (Tennessee State) at Eastern Washington (Sep 03, 2022)
	181	BENEFIELD, Jaelin (Eastern Illinois) at Northern Illinois (Sep 01, 2022)
Tackles	13.0	FORD, John (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [6-7]
	13.0	HICKS, Rob (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [4-9]
	13.0	SAMUTA, Eric (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022) [11-2]
Sacks	2.0	BOOKER, Keandre (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [2-0]
	1.5	McCLENDON, Kobe (Lindenwood) at Houston Baptist (Sep 10, 2022) [1-1]
Tackles for loss	2.0	SHIPP, Tevin (UT Martin) vs WESTERN ILLINOIS (Sep 01, 2022) [2-0]
	2.0	FORD, John (UT Martin) at Missouri State (Sep 08, 2022) [1-2]
	2.0	ADEWOLE, Detoye (Tennessee State) vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022) [2-0]
	2.0	PATTERSON, Tadarrius (Tennessee State) vs Jackson State (Sep 10, 2022) [2-0]
	2.0	FUHRMAN, Christian (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [2-
	2.0	BOOKER, Keandre (Southeast Missouri) at Southern Illinois (Sep 10, 2022) [2-0]
	2.0	DAILEY, Jamari (Murray State) vs JACKSONVILLE STATE (Sep 10, 2022) [2-0]

NCAA Statistics

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Statistic	Team	National Rank	Value	National Leader	Value
3rd Down Conversion Pct (115 ranked)	Eastern Ill.	22	0.462	Eastern Ky.	0.657
	Southeast Mo. St.	62	0.333		
	Tennessee Tech	62	0.333		
	UT Martin	62	0.333		
	Tennessee St.	76	0.303		
	Murray St.	107	0.206		
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense (115 ranked)	Tennessee St.	36	0.355	Weber St.	0.138
	UT Martin	46	0.375		
	Eastern Ill.	76	0.455		
	Tennessee Tech	84	0.478		
	Murray St.	103	0.591		
	Southeast Mo. St.	106	0.607		
4th Down Conversion Pct (88 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	1	1.000	12 teams tied	1.000
	Southeast Mo. St.	14	0.750		
	Tennessee St.	21	0.667		
	UT Martin	39	0.500		
	Eastern Ill.	88	0.000		
	Murray St.	88	0.000		
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense (103 ranked)	Eastern Ill.	1	0.000	19 teams tied	0.000
	Murray St.	1	0.000		
	Tennessee Tech	1	0.000		
	UT Martin	50	0.500		
	Tennessee St.	100	0.800		
	Southeast Mo. St.	103	1.000		
Blocked Kicks (6 ranked)	UT Martin	2	2	Northwestern St.	4
	Tennessee St.	6	1		
Blocked Kicks Allowed (114 ranked)	Eastern Ill.	1	0	72 teams tied	0
	Tennessee St.	1	0		
	UT Martin	1	0		
	Southeast Mo. St.	73	1		
	Tennessee Tech	73	1		
	Murray St.	107	2		
Blocked Punts (2 ranked)				Georgetown	2
Blocked Punts Allowed (115 ranked)	Eastern Ill.	1	0	90 teams tied	0
	Southeast Mo. St.	1	0		
	Tennessee St.	1	0		
	Tennessee Tech	1	0		
	UT Martin	1	0		
	Murray St.	112	2		
Completion Percentage (114 ranked)	Eastern Ill.	15	0.683	Furman	0.803
	Tennessee Tech	19	0.673		
	UT Martin	26	0.638		
	Southeast Mo. St.	34	0.627		
	Tennessee St.	85	0.529		
	Murray St.	112	0.357		
Defensive TDs (6 ranked)				Southern U.	3
Fewest Penalties (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	17	9	Stony Brook	2
	Eastern Ill.	51	13		
	UT Martin	51	13		
	Murray St.	79	16		
	Southeast Mo. St.	79	16		
	Tennessee St.	104	21		
Fewest Penalties Per Game (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	16	4.50	McNeese	2.00
	Eastern Ill.	52	6.50		
	UT Martin	52	6.50		
	Murray St.	79	8.00		
	Southeast Mo. St.	79	8.00		
	Tennessee St.	107	10.50		
Fewest Penalty Yards (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	17	69	Stony Brook	20
	Eastern Ill.	55	120		
	UT Martin	63	125		
	Murray St.	81	138		
	Tennessee St.	91	159		
	Southeast Mo. St.	103	186		
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	17	34.50	Kennesaw St.	17.00
	Eastern Ill.	56	60.00		
	UT Martin	64	62.50		
	Murray St.	81	69.00		
	Tennessee St.	92	79.50		
	Southeast Mo. St.	104	93.00		
First Downs Defense (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	36	36	Stetson	16
	Eastern Ill.	51	40		
	UT Martin	51	40		
	Southeast Mo. St.	77	48		
	Tennessee St.	82	49		
	Murray St.	102	58		

First Downs Offense (115 ranked)	UT Martin	11	53	Austin Peay	81
	Eastern Ill.	38	41		
	Tennessee Tech	38	41		
	Southeast Mo. St.	55	36		
	Tennessee St.	69	34		
	Murray St.	106	23		
Fumbles Lost (114 ranked)	Southeast Mo. St.	1	0	33 teams tied	0
	UT Martin	1	0		
	Eastern Ill.	34	1		
	Murray St.	34	1		
	Tennessee St.	67	2		
	Tennessee Tech	93	3		
Fumbles Recovered (49 ranked)	Tennessee St.	9	3	Jacksonville St. Lafayette	5 5
	Tennessee Tech	9	3		
	Eastern Ill.	49	1		
	Murray St.	49	1		
Kickoff Return Defense (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	40	18.17	5 teams tied	0.00
	Eastern Ill.	52	19.50		
	Southeast Mo. St.	71	21.57		
	Tennessee St.	91	23.80		
	UT Martin	101	27.12		
	Murray St.	110	35.50		
Kickoff Returns (113 ranked)	UT Martin	31	23.40	Illinois St.	50.50
	Tennessee Tech	48	20.67		
	Murray St.	56	20.00		
	Southeast Mo. St.	85	17.00		
	Tennessee St.	91	16.12		
	Eastern Ill.	99	14.78		
Net Punting (115 ranked)	Eastern Ill.	8	43.43	Youngstown St.	48.60
	Southeast Mo. St.	15	40.56		
	UT Martin	28	39.17		
	Tennessee Tech	61	35.56		
	Murray St.	69	34.62		
	Tennessee St.	83	32.86		
Passes Had Intercepted (115 ranked)	Murray St.	1	0	17 teams tied	0
	Southeast Mo. St.	18	1		
	UT Martin	18	1		
	Tennessee St.	18	1		
	Eastern Ill.	77	3		
	Tennessee Tech	77	3		
Passes Intercepted (66 ranked)	Murray St.	12	3	Weber St.	7
	UT Martin	34	2		
	Eastern Ill.	66	1		
	Tennessee Tech	66	1		
	Southeast Mo. St.	66	1		
Passing Offense (115 ranked)	UT Martin	7	330.5	UIW	428.5
	Southeast Mo. St.	19	277.0		
	Eastern Ill.	37	229.5		
	Tennessee St.	59	197.5		
	Tennessee Tech	81	161.5		
	Murray St.	86	150.0		
Passing Yards Allowed (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	44	199.5	Sacred Heart	58.0
	Eastern Ill.	64	235.0		
	Southeast Mo. St.	88	273.0		
	UT Martin	94	291.0		
	Tennessee St.	103	312.0		
	Murray St.	108	326.0		
Passing Yards per Completion (115 ranked)	Murray St.	4	20.00	Villanova	27.44
	Tennessee St.	25	14.63		
	UT Martin	38	12.96		
	Eastern Ill.	73	10.67		
	Southeast Mo. St.	74	10.65		
	Tennessee Tech	95	9.23		
Punt Return Defense (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	4	-3.00	Fordham San Diego	-4.00 -4.00
	Southeast Mo. St.	7	-0.33		
	Eastern Ill.	29	2.00		
	UT Martin	43	4.50		
	Tennessee St.	63	7.50		
	Murray St.	85	11.00		
Punt Returns (114 ranked)	Tennessee St.	45	6.33	The Citadel	50.00
	UT Martin	55	5.00		
	Eastern Ill.	90	0.00		
	Murray St.	105	-0.33		
	Tennessee Tech	107	-0.50		
	Southeast Mo. St.	113	-3.00		
Red Zone Defense (89 ranked)	Tennessee St.	29	0.700	Abilene Christian N.C. Central	0.000 0.000
	Murray St.	35	0.714		
	UT Martin	39	0.750		
	Tennessee Tech	78	0.900		
	Eastern Ill.	89	1.000		
	Southeast Mo. St.	89	1.000		

Red Zone Offense (115 ranked)	Eastern Ill.	1	1.000	28 teams tied	1.000
	Tennessee St.	1	1.000		
	UT Martin	36	0.875		
	Southeast Mo. St.	39	0.857		
	Tennessee Tech	61	0.778		
	Murray St.	109	0.333		
Rushing Defense (115 ranked)	UT Martin	29	122.0	Jackson St.	18.0
	Tennessee St.	40	134.0		
	Southeast Mo. St.	55	154.0		
	Eastern Ill.	79	190.0		
	Tennessee Tech	99	244.5		
	Murray St.	104	260.5		
Rushing Offense (115 ranked)	UT Martin	32	172.5	Sacramento St.	378.0
	Tennessee Tech	43	160.5		
	Tennessee St.	50	146.0		
	Eastern Ill.	68	121.0		
	Murray St.	75	113.5		
	Southeast Mo. St.	100	78.0		
Sacks Allowed (115 ranked)	UT Martin	1	0.00	Nicholls North Dakota St. UT Martin	0.00 0.00 0.00
	Southeast Mo. St.	14	1.00		
	Eastern Ill.	89	3.50		
	Murray St.	89	3.50		
	Tennessee Tech	89	3.50		
	Tennessee St.	114	6.00		
Scoring Defense (115 ranked)	Tennessee St.	44	26.0	Jackson St.	3.0
	UT Martin	58	30.0		
	Eastern Ill.	77	36.0		
	Southeast Mo. St.	78	36.5		
	Tennessee Tech	83	37.5		
	Murray St.	103	48.5		
Scoring Offense (114 ranked)	UT Martin	21	36.0	Ark.-Pine Bluff	62.0
	Eastern Ill.	50	23.5		
	Southeast Mo. St.	52	22.0		
	Tennessee Tech	68	18.0		
	Tennessee St.	77	16.0		
	Murray St.	108	6.5		
Tackles for Loss Allowed (115 ranked)	Southeast Mo. St.	27	4.50	North Dakota St.	1.00
	UT Martin	27	4.50		
	Eastern Ill.	97	8.50		
	Tennessee Tech	108	10.00		
	Murray St.	111	10.50		
	Tennessee St.	114	11.50		
Team Passing Efficiency (115 ranked)	UT Martin	22	155.40	UIW	272.53
	Eastern Ill.	31	146.12		
	Southeast Mo. St.	43	136.19		
	Tennessee St.	52	127.02		
	Tennessee Tech	53	126.98		
	Murray St.	80	103.57		
Team Passing Efficiency Defense (115 ranked)	Tennessee St.	70	145.80	Weber St.	55.44
	Tennessee Tech	79	152.83		
	Eastern Ill.	80	153.22		
	Southeast Mo. St.	87	161.27		
	Murray St.	92	167.49		
	UT Martin	107	184.82		
Team Sacks (108 ranked)	UT Martin	13	3.50	Jackson St.	6.00
	Southeast Mo. St.	54	1.50		
	Murray St.	73	1.00		
	Tennessee St.	73	1.00		
	Tennessee Tech	73	1.00		
Team Tackles for Loss (115 ranked)	UT Martin	27	7.0	UIW	13.0
	Tennessee St.	60	5.0		
	Southeast Mo. St.	74	4.5		
	Tennessee Tech	74	4.5		
	Eastern Ill.	102	3.0		
	Murray St.	102	3.0		
Time of Possession (115 ranked)	Tennessee Tech	16	34:03	Villanova	39:39
	Murray St.	35	31:56		
	Eastern Ill.	41	31:02		
	UT Martin	42	31:00		
	Tennessee St.	65	29:46		
	Southeast Mo. St.	81	28:09		
Total Defense (115 ranked)	UT Martin	66	413.0	Jackson St.	147.5
	Eastern Ill.	69	425.0		
	Southeast Mo. St.	70	427.0		
	Tennessee Tech	78	444.0		
	Tennessee St.	80	446.0		
	Murray St.	113	586.5		
Total Offense (115 ranked)	UT Martin	10	503.0	Fordham	626.5
	Southeast Mo. St.	48	355.0		
	Eastern Ill.	50	350.5		
	Tennessee St.	53	343.5		
	Tennessee Tech	63	322.0		
	Murray St.	92	263.5		

Turnover Margin (115 ranked)	Murray St.	7	1.50	Sacramento St.	3.00
	UT Martin	29	0.50		
	Southeast Mo. St.	47	0.00		
	Tennessee St.	47	0.00		
	Eastern Ill.	87	-1.00		
	Tennessee Tech	87	-1.00		
Turnovers Gained (100 ranked)	Murray St.	31	4	Duquesne Weber St.	7 7
	Tennessee Tech	31	4		
	Tennessee St.	50	3		
	Eastern Ill.	79	2		
	UT Martin	79	2		
	Southeast Mo. St.	100	1		
Turnovers Lost (114 ranked)	Murray St.	2	1	North Dakota St.	0
	Southeast Mo. St.	2	1		
	UT Martin	2	1		
	Tennessee St.	39	3		
	Eastern Ill.	69	4		
	Tennessee Tech	99	6		
Winning Percentage (71 ranked)	Southeast Mo. St.	28	0.500	25 teams tied	1.000
	Tennessee Tech	28	0.500		
	UT Martin	28	0.500		
	Eastern Ill.	71	0.000		
	Murray St.	71	0.000		
	Tennessee St.	71	0.000		

Statistic	Player	National Rank	Value	National Leader	Value
All Purpose (197 ranked)	Devon Starling, Tennessee St. Colton Dowell, UT Martin Zak Wallace, UT Martin Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill. Sam Franklin, UT Martin Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Mo. St. Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech Markenzy Pierre, Eastern Ill. Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St. Zack Dobson, Tennessee St. Devonte Tanksley, UT Martin Cam Wyche, Tennessee St.	14 30 37 60 71 77 83 106 109 134 136 163	153.50 129.50 124.50 107.00 101.50 100.50 99.00 87.50 85.50 79.00 78.50 73.50	Cameron Skattebo, Sacramento St.	226.00
Blocked Kicks (1 ranked)				Jomard Valsin Jr., Northwestern St.	2
Combined Kick Returns (194 ranked)	Tysean Jefferson, Tennessee St. Sam Franklin, UT Martin Dalyn McDonald, Southeast Mo. St. Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech Zay Gentry, Eastern Ill. Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill. LaMarte Brooks, Murray St. Boogie Trotter, Tennessee St.	16 21 26 30 62 79 115 187	129 117 113 106 72 61 40 19	Joey Audia, Butler	257
Completion Percentage (110 ranked)	Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Dresser Winn, UT Martin Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St.	13 18 26 30 84	0.694 0.682 0.654 0.634 0.529	Pierce Holley, Georgetown	0.797
Completions Per Game (150 ranked)	Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Dresser Winn, UT Martin Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St. Lucas Maue, Murray St. Lewis Halton, Murray St.	7 9 17 53 69 126 150	26.00 25.50 21.50 15.00 13.50 3.00 0.50	Parker McKinney, Eastern Ky.	34.00
Field Goal Percentage (65 ranked)	Stone Galloway, Eastern Ill. Aaron Baum, Murray St. Kaleb Mosley, Tennessee St. DC Pippin, Southeast Mo. St. Devin Parker, Tennessee Tech	1 1 1 54 65	1.000 1.000 1.000 0.600 0.333	29 players tied	1.000
Field Goals Per Game (85 ranked)	Stone Galloway, Eastern Ill. DC Pippin, Southeast Mo. St. Aaron Baum, Murray St. Kaleb Mosley, Tennessee St. Tyler Larco, UT Martin Devin Parker, Tennessee Tech	2 14 31 31 62 62	2.00 1.50 1.00 1.00 0.50 0.50	Alex Schmoke, Saint Francis (PA)	2.50
Forced Fumbles (0 ranked)					
Fumbles Recovered (5 ranked)	Josh Green, Tennessee St. Cameron Hudson, Tennessee Tech Andrew Long, Murray St. O.J. Ross, Tennessee Tech Gleson Sprewell, Tennessee St. Aaron Swafford, Tennessee Tech Boogie Trotter, Tennessee St. Henry Woods, Eastern Ill.	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	4 players tied	2
Interceptions Per Game (26 ranked)	Shaun Lewis, UT Martin Quinaz Turner, Murray St. Dylan Appleton, Murray St. Colin Bohanek, Eastern Ill. Joedrick Lewis, Southeast Mo. St. Jacquez McGowan, Tennessee Tech	5 5 26 26 26 26	1.0 1.0 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5	Victor Nelson Jr., LIU	2.0
Kickoff Return TDs (1 ranked)				6 players tied	1
Kickoff Returns (78 ranked)	Sam Franklin, UT Martin Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech Dalyn McDonald, Southeast Mo. St. Tysean Jefferson, Tennessee St. Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill. Zay Gentry, Eastern Ill.	23 36 44 65 69 72	23.4 21.4 19.8 16.1 15.2 14.4	Montrae Braswell, Missouri St.	55.0
Passes Defended (0 ranked)					
Passing Efficiency (110 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St.	21 28 38 44 52	159.4 148.5 137.8 134.7 127.0	Lindsey Scott, UIW	265.9
Passing TDs (25 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill.	6 12 12	6 5 5	Tim DeMorat, Fordham Mike DiLiello, Austin Peay	11 11

Passing Yards (150 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Lucas Maue, Murray St. Lewis Halton, Murray St.	8 18 29 51 75 128 138	661 554 459 395 302 56 37	Tim DeMorat, Fordham	838
Passing Yards Per Game (150 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Lucas Maue, Murray St. Lewis Halton, Murray St.	6 14 26 47 74 129 135	330.5 277.0 229.5 197.5 151.0 28.0 18.5	Tim DeMorat, Fordham	419.0
Passing Yards per Completion (110 ranked)	Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St. Dresser Winn, UT Martin Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech	24 36 68 70 80	14.63 12.96 10.67 10.65 10.07	Lindsey Scott, UIW	22.77
Points Responsible For (157 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Zak Wallace, UT Martin Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Elijah Smoot, UT Martin Stone Galloway, Eastern Ill. DC Pippin, Southeast Mo. St. Colton Dowell, UT Martin Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St. Damoriea Vick, Southeast Mo. St.	12 21 21 43 71 71 71 123 137 157 157 157	36 30 30 24 18 18 18 17 14 12 12 12	Mike DiLiello, Austin Peay	78
Points Responsible For Per Game (146 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St. Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill. Zak Wallace, UT Martin Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St. Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech Elijah Smoot, UT Martin Stone Galloway, Eastern Ill. DC Pippin, Southeast Mo. St.	12 22 22 41 70 70 70 118 133	18.0 15.0 15.0 12.0 9.0 9.0 9.0 8.5 7.0	Tim DeMorat, Fordham	36.0
Punt Return TDs (1 ranked)				7 players tied	1
Punt Returns (34 ranked)	Boogie Trotter, Tennessee St. Dameon Gomes, Murray St.	21 33	6.3 -0.3	Taco Dowler, Montana St.	26.3
Punting (70 ranked)	Lewis Halton, Murray St. Zach Haynes, Southeast Mo. St. Kaleb Mosley, Tennessee St. Nicholas Bigelow, Tennessee Tech	33 34 36 60	40.5 40.4 40.0 36.1	Jake Gerardi, Southern Utah	50.5
Receiving TDs (17 ranked)	Elijah Smoot, UT Martin Colton Dowell, UT Martin Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St. Damoriea Vick, Southeast Mo. St.	3 17 17 17	3 2 2 2	Naseim Brantley, Western Ill. Drae McCray, Austin Peay	4 4
Receiving Yards (150 ranked)	Colton Dowell, UT Martin Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Mo. St. Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St. Zack Dobson, Tennessee St. Devonte Tanksley, UT Martin Cam Wyche, Tennessee St. Justin Thomas, Eastern Ill. Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech Elijah Smoot, UT Martin Jacob Bell, Murray St.	7 23 32 45 46 55 80 136 142 145	259 201 171 158 157 147 122 96 92 91	Darion Chafin, UIW	368
Receiving Yards Per Game (199 ranked)	Colton Dowell, UT Martin Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Mo. St. Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St. Zack Dobson, Tennessee St. Devonte Tanksley, UT Martin Cam Wyche, Tennessee St. Justin Thomas, Eastern Ill. Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech Elijah Smoot, UT Martin Jacob Bell, Murray St. Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill. Nile Hill, Eastern Ill.	5 20 29 39 40 50 74 132 139 142 199 199	129.5 100.5 85.5 79.0 78.5 73.5 61.0 48.0 46.0 45.5 35.0 35.0	Darion Chafin, UIW	184.0

Receptions Per Game (165 ranked)	Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St.	2	10.0	Fotis Kokosioulis, Fordham	11.0
	Colton Dowell, UT Martin	4	8.5		
	Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Mo. St.	19	6.5		
	Justin Thomas, Eastern Ill.	23	6.0		
	Devonte Tanksley, UT Martin	53	5.0		
	Cam Wyche, Tennessee St.	53	5.0		
	Zack Dobson, Tennessee St.	91	4.0		
	Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech	91	4.0		
	Anthony Manaves, Eastern Ill.	126	3.5		
	Damoriea Vick, Southeast Mo. St.	126	3.5		
	Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill.	165	3.0		
	Willie Miller, Tennessee Tech	165	3.0		
	Elijah Smoot, UT Martin	165	3.0		
Rush Yards Per Carry (151 ranked)	Devon Starling, Tennessee St.	22	6.44	Cameron Skattebo, Sacramento St.	15.30
	Zak Wallace, UT Martin	29	5.81		
	Markenzy Pierre, Eastern Ill.	42	5.35		
	David Gist, Tennessee Tech	87	4.04		
	Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech	111	3.34		
	Geno Hess, Southeast Mo. St.	124	2.92		
	Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St.	147	0.38		
Rushing TDs (11 ranked)	Zak Wallace, UT Martin	5	4	Zion Webb, Jacksonville St.	6
Rushing Yards (200 ranked)	Devon Starling, Tennessee St.	5	277	Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.	332
	Zak Wallace, UT Martin	14	215		
	Markenzy Pierre, Eastern Ill.	29	166		
	Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech	106	107		
	David Gist, Tennessee Tech	114	101		
	Sam Franklin, UT Martin	147	86		
	Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill.	157	83		
	Geno Hess, Southeast Mo. St.	181	73		
	Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St.	197	67		
Rushing Yards Per Game (198 ranked)	Devon Starling, Tennessee St.	5	138.5	Jaleel McLaughlin, Youngstown St.	166.0
	Zak Wallace, UT Martin	13	107.5		
	Markenzy Pierre, Eastern Ill.	29	83.0		
	Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech	101	53.5		
	David Gist, Tennessee Tech	108	50.5		
	Sam Franklin, UT Martin	142	43.0		
	Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill.	153	41.5		
	Geno Hess, Southeast Mo. St.	178	36.5		
	Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St.	192	33.5		
Sacks (87 ranked)	Keandre Booker, Southeast Mo. St.	18	1.00	Chris Whittaker, UIW	3.00
	John Ford, UT Martin	18	1.00		
	Cam Brown, Murray St.	87	0.50		
	Daylan Dotson, UT Martin	87	0.50		
	Christian Fuhrman, Southeast Mo. St.	87	0.50		
	Tyler Gore, UT Martin	87	0.50		
	Dominic Howard, Tennessee Tech	87	0.50		
	Chris Hunter, UT Martin	87	0.50		
	Davion Nash, Tennessee St.	87	0.50		
	Tadarrius Patterson, Tennessee St.	87	0.50		
	Lawaun Powell, Murray St.	87	0.50		
Scoring (199 ranked)	Zak Wallace, UT Martin	7	12.0	Cameron Skattebo, Sacramento St.	18.0
	Elijah Smoot, UT Martin	23	9.0		
	Stone Galloway, Eastern Ill.	48	8.5		
	DC Pippin, Southeast Mo. St.	63	7.0		
	Colton Dowell, UT Martin	80	6.0		
	Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St.	80	6.0		
	Damoriea Vick, Southeast Mo. St.	80	6.0		
	Kaleb Mosley, Tennessee St.	199	4.0		
Solo Tackles (0 ranked)					
Tackles For Loss (0 ranked)					
Total Offense (200 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin	7	338.5	Tim DeMorat, Fordham	436.5
	Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St.	11	310.5		
	Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill.	41	226.0		
	Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St.	52	204.5		
	Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech	52	204.5		
	Devon Starling, Tennessee St.	93	138.5		
	Zak Wallace, UT Martin	116	107.5		
	Markenzy Pierre, Eastern Ill.	143	83.0		
Total Points Scored (0 ranked)					
Total Tackles (0 ranked)					

Total Touchdowns (138 ranked)	Zak Wallace, UT Martin	6	4	Zion Webb, Jacksonville St.	6
	Elijah Smoot, UT Martin	15	3		
	Colton Dowell, UT Martin	39	2		
	Johnny King, Southeast Mo. St.	39	2		
	Damoriea Vick, Southeast Mo. St.	39	2		
	Jayvian Allen, Tennessee Tech	138	1		
	Jacob Bell, Murray St.	138	1		
	Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill.	138	1		
	Zack Dobson, Tennessee St.	138	1		
	Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St.	138	1		
	Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Mo. St.	138	1		
	David Gist, Tennessee Tech	138	1		
	Nile Hill, Eastern Ill.	138	1		
	Willie Miller, Tennessee Tech	138	1		
	DJ Nelson, UT Martin	138	1		
	Heath Price, Tennessee Tech	138	1		
	DeAirious Smith, Eastern Ill.	138	1		
	Devon Starling, Tennessee St.	138	1		
	Justin Thomas, Eastern Ill.	138	1		
	Jay Vallie, Eastern Ill.	138	1		
	Cam Wyche, Tennessee St.	138	1		
Yards per Pass Attempt (110 ranked)	Dresser Winn, UT Martin	25	8.47	Lindsey Scott, UIW	15.94
	Draylen Ellis, Tennessee St.	37	7.75		
	Jonah O'Brien, Eastern Ill.	41	7.40		
	Jeremiah Oatsvall, Tennessee Tech	55	6.86		
	Paxton DeLaurent, Southeast Mo. St.	56	6.76		
Yards per Reception (200 ranked)	Zack Dobson, Tennessee St.	39	19.75	T.J. Luther, Gardner-Webb	37.60
	Devonte Tanksley, UT Martin	76	15.70		
	Ryan Flournoy, Southeast Mo. St.	79	15.46		
	Elijah Smoot, UT Martin	83	15.33		
	Colton Dowell, UT Martin	86	15.24		
	Cam Wyche, Tennessee St.	96	14.70		
	Nile Hill, Eastern Ill.	110	14.00		
	Metrius Fleming, Tennessee Tech	160	12.00		
	Dewayne Cooks Jr, Eastern Ill.	165	11.80		
	Jaelin Benefield, Eastern Ill.	171	11.67		
	DJ Nelson, UT Martin	196	10.80		