



# ARKANSAS STATE ATHLETICS MEDIA RELATIONS

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## 2011, 2012, 2013 & 2015 SUN BELT CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS 2012, 2013, 2014 & 2015 GoDaddy Bowl | 2005 & 2015 New Orleans Bowl

### GAME 2: Arkansas State (0-1) at Auburn (0-1)

Sept. 10, 2016 | Jordan-Hare Stadium  
Auburn, Ala. | 6:30 p.m.

**Radio:** EAB Red Wolves Sports Network (107.9 FM, flagship)

**Television:** SEC Network

**Live Stats:** AStateRedWolves.com

**Live Game Notes:** twitter.com/AStateGameDay



### ARKANSAS STATE QUICK FACTS

**Location:** Jonesboro, Ark. (72,589) | **Enrollment:** 13,410  
**Nickname:** Red Wolves | **Colors:** Scarlet and Black  
**Stadium:** Centennial Bank Stadium (30,406) | **Playing Surface:** GEO Surfaces Field Turf | **Conference:** Sun Belt  
**Head Coach:** Blake Anderson (Sam Houston State, 1992)  
**Record at A-State:** 16-11 (3rd year) **Overall Record:** Same  
**Assistant Coaches:**

- Asst. HC/Cornerbacks . . . . . Trooper Taylor Baylor, 1992 (3rd year at Arkansas State)
- Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers . . . . . Joe Cauthen Stephen F. Austin, 1990 (3rd year at Arkansas State)
- Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks . . . . . Buster Faulkner Valdosta State, 2005 (1st year at Arkansas State)
- WR/Special Teams Coordinator . . . . . Luke Paschall Middle Tennessee, 2006 (3rd year at Arkansas State)
- Tight Ends/Recruiting Coordinator . . . . . Dan Dodd Drake, 1978 (3rd year at Arkansas State)
- Defensive Line . . . . . Brian Early Arkansas-Monticello, 1994 (3rd year at Arkansas State)
- Safeties . . . . . Allen Johnson Texas A&M-Commerce, 1999 (3rd year at Arkansas State)
- Running Backs . . . . . Norval McKenzie Vanderbilt, 2005 (1st year at A-State)
- Offensive Line . . . . . Allen Rudolph Southern Mississippi, 1995 (1st year at Arkansas State)

### 2016 ARKANSAS STATE SCHEDULE/RESULTS

SEPT. 2	TOLEDO (ESPN)	L, 10-31
Sept. 10	at Auburn (SEC Network)	6:30 p.m.
Sept. 16	at Utah State (CBS Sports Network)	8 p.m.
SEPT. 24	CENTRAL ARKANSAS	6 p.m.
OCT. 5	GEORGIA SOUTHERN* (ESPN2)	7 p.m.
OCT. 15	SOUTH ALABAMA*^A	6 p.m.
OCT. 29	LOUISIANA-MONROE*	6 p.m.
Nov. 3	at Georgia State* (ESPN)	6:30 p.m.
NOV. 12	NEW MEXICO STATE*	2 p.m.
Nov. 17	at Troy* (ESPN)	8:30 p.m.
Nov. 26	at Louisiana-Lafayette*	TBA
Dec. 3	at Texas State*	3 p.m.
*SBC game   ^Homecoming		All Times Central

### 2016 AUBURN SCHEDULE/RESULTS

SEPT. 3	CLEMSON (ESPN)	L, 13-19
SEPT. 10	ARKANSAS STATE (SEC Network)	6:30 p.m.
SEPT. 17	TEXAS A&M* (ESPN/2)	6 p.m.
SEPT. 24	LSU*	TBA
OCT. 1	LOUISIANA-MONROE	TBA
Oct. 8	at Mississippi State*	TBA
OCT. 22	ARKANSAS*	TBA
Oct. 29	at Ole Miss*	TBA
NOV. 5	VANDERBILT*	TBA
Nov. 12	at Georgia*	TBA
NOV. 19	ALABAMA A&M	TBA
Nov. 26	at Alabama*	TBA
*SEC game		All Times Central

### EAB RED WOLVES SPORTS NETWORK

Matt Stolz (play-by-play), Tim Allison (analyst),  
Brad Bobo (sideline)

### SEC NETWORK

Brent Musburger (play-by-play), Jesse Palmer (analyst),  
Jeannine Edwards (sideline)

**ON TAP:** Arkansas State hits the road this week for the first of back-to-back non-conference road games, traveling to Jordan-Hare Stadium to face an Auburn team that entered the season receiving votes in both the Associated Press and Coaches Top 25 polls. The game is set for a 6:30 p.m. kickoff and will be televised by the SEC Network. Every A-State game can be heard live on 107.9 FM in the Northeast Arkansas area. The live radio broadcast can also be accessed on the official A-State Athletics web site (AStateRedWolves.com) and the A-State Athletics app.

### BY THE NUMBERS . . .

- 0.70 career sacks p/g by **Ja'Von Rolland-Jones** is the 2nd highest avg. in the nation among active players.
- 1 or more turnovers gained by A-State in 24 of 27 games under defensive coordinator **Joe Cauthen**.
- 2 sacks needed by **Ja'Von Rolland-Jones** to tie the fifth most in A-State history for a career (19).
- 3 current players have already earned their degree -- **Austin Moreton, Darius Rosser, Blaise Taylor**.
- 3 career interception returns for a touchdown by **Money Hunter** are tied for the most in Sun Belt history.
- 4 second half comeback victories by A-State under **Blake Anderson**.
- 4 Sun Belt Conference championships (2011, 2012, 2013, 2015) over the last five seasons (2011-15).
- 5 straight bowl game appearances (2011-15).
- 5 consecutive winning seasons (2011-15) by A-State (last time 1949-53).
- 5 head coaches over the last 7 years (Steve Roberts, Hugh Freeze, Gus Malzahn, Bryan Harsin, Blake Anderson).
- 5 players named to at least one major award watch list.
- 7 or more victories each of the last five seasons (2011-15) -- first time in school history.
- 8 defensive touchdowns last season by A-State were the most in the nation.
- 8 of the last 11 seasons (2005-15) have seen A-State reach bowl eligibility, including the last five in a row.
- 8 of last 10 years w/at least one NFL Draft selection.
- 8 of the last 11 years A-State has been picked among the top three teams in the SBC Preseason Coaches Poll.
- 9 consecutive Sun Belt wins are tied for the nation's third longest conference winning streak.
- 11 Sun Belt Conference Team Academic Awards over the last 14 years, including 2015.
- 11 of last 13 games with at least one interception by the A-State defense.
- 11 consecutive seasons with a winning record at Centennial Bank Stadium (2005-15).
- 12 Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference selections -- the most in the league.
- 15 of A-State's 16 victories under HC **Blake Anderson** have come by a double-figure margin.
- 18 A-State players named preseason All-Sun Belt Conference by at least one major publication.
- 20 career rushing touchdowns by **Johnston White** are tied for the 10th most in school history.
- 26 interceptions last year led the nation, were the most by A-State since 1969 (32) & most in SBC history.
- 30 or more points scored by A-State in 41 of its last 60 regular-season games (68 percent).
- 33 Sun Belt Conference victories over the last five (2011-15) seasons (33-6 league record).
- 34 turnovers gained by A-State last season tied the second most in the nation.
- 35 of 58 touchdown drives (60.3 percent) by A-State last season took less than 2 minutes.
- 40.0 points per game last season ranked 12th in the nation.
- 44 victories by A-State over the last six seasons ranks tied for the 23rd most in the nation.
- 51 victories and just 12 losses at Centennial Bank Stadium since 2005 (.809 winning percentage).
- 59 punt returns yards needed by **Blaise Taylor** for the second most in Sun Belt history.
- 62 All-Sun Belt Conference selections over the last five seasons.
- 300 or more yds total offense in 69 of last 78 games (88 pct.), including all but 3 games under Blake Anderson.
- 400 or more yards total offense averaged last six seasons (2010-15).
- 520 points by A-State last season broke the school and Sun Belt Conference records.
- 556 career punt return yards by **Blaise Taylor** are the second most in school history.
- 709 rushing yds by **Warren Wand** are the most by a true freshman at A-State since Lamont Zachery in 1996.

### ARKANSAS STATE GAME WEEK MEDIA SCHEDULE

Monday, Sept. 5	Sun Belt Conference weekly teleconference begins at 10:30 a.m. (Coach Anderson at 11:05 a.m.) 11:30 a.m. press conference w/HC Blake Anderson, DC Joe Cauthen, OC Buster Faulkner (FB Facility, 3rd Floor)
Tuesday, Sept. 6	4:30 p.m. practice open to the media. "Live With the Red Wolves" radio show, 7-8 p.m. (KFAN, 107.9 FM/AStateRedWolves.com).
Wednesday, Sept. 7	4:30 p.m. practice open to the media (last day before post-game press conference for player interviews). Sun Belt Conference television highlight/interview package available.
Thursday, Sept. 8	4:30 p.m. practice. No player availability; coaches on a prearranged basis.
Friday, Sept. 9	Travel Day. No player or coach availability.
Saturday, Sept. 10	Game Day. Coaches and players available after the game.

**2016 SUN BELT STANDINGS**

Team	Conference			Overall		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Georgia Southern	0	0	.000	1	0	1.000
Idaho	0	0	.000	1	0	1.000
South Alabama	0	0	.000	1	0	1.000
Texas State	0	0	.000	1	0	1.000
Troy	0	0	.000	1	0	1.000
Louisiana-Monroe	0	0	.000	1	0	1.000
<b>Arkansas State</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.000</b>
Appalachian State	0	0	.000	0	1	.000
Georgia State	0	0	.000	0	1	.000
New Mexico State	0	0	.000	0	1	.000
Louisiana-Lafayette	0	0	.000	0	1	.000

**2016 PRESEASON SUN BELT COACHES POLL**

**SCHOOL -- POINTS (1st place votes)**

1. Appalachian State -- 114 (5) | 2. **Arkansas State** -- 110 (5) | 3. Georgia Southern (1) -- 98 | 4. Georgia State -- 73 | 5. Louisiana-Lafayette -- 70 | 6. Troy -- 70 | 7. South Alabama -- 62 | 8. Idaho -- 48 | 9. New Mexico State -- 37 | 10. Texas State -- 30 | 11. Louisiana-Monroe -- 14

**2016 PRESEASON ALL-SUN BELT FOOTBALL TEAM**

**First Team Offense**

Taylor Lamb (Appalachian State, QB, Jr.)  
 Matt Breida (Georgia Southern, RB, Sr.)  
 Larry Rose III (New Mexico State, RB, Jr.)  
**Dijon Paschal (Arkansas State, WR, Jr.)**  
 Robert Davis (Georgia State, WR, Jr.)  
 Penny Hart (Georgia State, WR, So.)  
 Gerald Everett (South Alabama, TE, Sr.)  
 Parker Collins (Appalachian State, OL, Sr.)  
**Jemar Clark (Arkansas State, OL, Sr.)**  
**Colton Jackson (Arkansas State, OL, Sr.)**  
 Andy Kwon (Georgia Southern, OL, Sr.)  
 Antonio Garcia (Troy, OL, Sr.)

**First Team Defense**

**Waylon Roberson (Arkansas State, DL, Sr.)**  
**Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (Arkansas State, DL, Jr.)**  
 Bernard Dawson (Georgia Southern, DL, Sr.)  
 Jay Ellison (Georgia Southern, DL, Sr.)  
 Rashad Dillard (Troy, DL, Sr.)  
 Eric Boggs (Appalachian State, LB, Jr.)  
 John Law (Appalachian State, LB, Sr.)  
**Xavier Woodson-Luster (Arkansas State, LB, Sr.)**  
**Cody Brown (Arkansas State, DB, Sr.)**  
 Bobby Baker (Georgia State, DB, Sr.)  
 Savion Brown (UL Lafayette, DB, Sr.)  
 Jeremy Reaves (South Alabama, DB, Jr.)

**First Team Special Teams**

Austin Rehkow (Idaho, P, Sr.)  
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**Blaise Taylor (Arkansas State, RS, Jr.)**

**Second Team Offense**

Matt Linehan (Idaho, QB, Jr.)  
 Marcus Cox (Appalachian State, RB, Sr.)  
 Elijah McGuire (UL Lafayette, RB, Sr.)  
 Callen Hightower (Idaho, WR, Sr.)  
 Ajalen Holley (ULM, WR, Sr.)  
 Josh Magee (South Alabama, WR, Sr.)  
 Keith Rucker (Georgia State, TE, Sr.)  
 Colby Gossett (Appalachian State, OL, Jr.)  
**Devin Mondie (Arkansas State, OL, Sr.)**  
 Anthony McMeans (New Mexico State, OL, Sr.)  
 Curtis Williams (South Alabama, OL, Sr.)  
 Ryan Melton (Texas State, OL, Sr.)

**Second Team Defense**

Darrius Sapp (Georgia Southern, DL, Jr.)  
 Shawanye Lawrence (Georgia State, DL, Sr.)  
 Karmichael Dunbar (UL Lafayette, DL, Sr.)  
 Taboris Lee (UL Lafayette, DL, Jr.)  
**Khari Lain (Arkansas State, LB, Jr.)**  
 Otha Peters (UL Lafayette, LB, Sr.)  
 Roman Buchanan (South Alabama, LB, Sr.)  
**Chris Humes (Arkansas State, DB, Sr.)**  
**Blaise Taylor (Arkansas State, DB, Jr.)**  
 Tracy Walker (UL Lafayette, DB, Jr.)  
 Tre' Hunter (UL Monroe, DB, Sr.)  
 Kalen Jackson (South Alabama, DB, Sr.)

**Second Team Special Teams**

Lumi Kaba (Texas State, P, Sr.)  
 Aleem Sunanon (South Alabama, PK, Sr.)  
 Xavier Johnson (South Alabama, RS, Jr.)

**Offensive Player of the Year:** Larry Rose III (NMSU, RB, Jr.)

**Defensive Player of the Year:** John Law (App St., LB, Sr.)

**THE PRINCIPALS:** Arkansas State, the only FBS program in the nation to win four conference championships over the last five seasons, began its 2016 campaign with a 31-10 setback at home against a Toledo team that entered the season receiving votes in both the Associated Press and Coaches Top 25 polls. Auburn continues a stretch of five consecutive home games to begin the season after falling 19-13 to No. 2-ranked Clemson in its season opener last week. The Red Wolves are one of two Sun Belt Conference opponents on the Tigers' schedule, also hosting Louisiana-Monroe in their fifth contest.

**HEAD COACH BLAKE ANDERSON:** *Blake Anderson*, a 16-year coaching veteran at the NCAA FBS level who also coached in an NJCAA National Championship game, was named the Red Wolves' 30th all-time head football coach on Dec. 19, 2013. Anderson led A-State to back-to-back winning seasons, a pair of bowl game appearances (2015 New Orleans Bowl and 2014 Go-Daddy Bowl) and the 2015 Sun Belt Conference championship his first two seasons at the helm, which also saw the Red Wolves break the school records for total offense (6,174 yards in 2014), average yards total offense (476.5 yards per game in 2014), total plays (1,024 in 2014), points scored (520 in 2015), touchdowns scored (69 in 2015) and interceptions (26 in 2015). During his first two years at the helm of the program, he saw 20 of his players earn 26 All-Sun Belt Conference selections -- the most in the league over that span.

**FAST START:** Out of 30 all-time head coaches at Arkansas State, *Blake Anderson* became one of just four to win at least seven games (2014) in his first season at the school. The other head coaches to win at least seven games in their first season as head coach at A-State were Bryan Harsin (2013), Gus Malzahn (2012) and Hugh Freeze (2011).

**TWO YEARS RUNNING:** With 16 combined victories in 2014 and 2015 while leading the Red Wolves, *Blake Anderson* became the first head coach in A-State history to win 12 or more games over his first two seasons at the school. Additionally, Anderson is the only head coach in school history to direct A-State to 16 wins in 25 or fewer games.

**THE ARKANSAS STATE - AUBURN SERIES:** Arkansas State and Auburn have played three times since first meeting in 2006, and Saturday's game will mark the third game this decade (2010, 2013, 2016) between the two programs. A-State suffered a 27-0 setback in 2006 when Auburn was ranked No. 6 and fell 52-26 to the eventual national champions when they were No. 22 in 2010. The last meeting between the two teams, played the season following Gus Malzahn's departure as A-State's head coach, saw the Tigers claim a 38-9 victory in 2013 before going on to play in the national championship game.

**A-STATE vs. THE SEC:** The Tigers will be Arkansas State's fifth SEC opponent over the last four years after facing both Auburn and Missouri in 2013, Tennessee in 2014 and Missouri again in 2015. Although A-State has never defeated a team while it was a member of the SEC, it has picked up victories over two current schools prior to them joining the league. The Red Wolves defeated Ole Miss 10-0 in 1915 and also tied the Rebels twice. The Red Wolves defeated Texas A&M 18-14 in 2008 as well while the Aggies were a member of the Big 12 Conference. A-State has played Ole Miss 23 times, more than any other current SEC member.

**2016 HEAD-to-HEAD**



Arkansas State	Auburn
0-1.....Record	.....0-1
10.0.....Points Avg.	▶.....13.0
266.0.....◀ Total Off. Avg.	.....262.0
142.0.....◀ Rushing Avg.	.....87.0
124.0.....Passing Avg.	▶.....175.0
19%.....◀ 3rd-Down Pct.	.....18%
50%.....4th-Down Pct.	▶.....60%
25:25.....TOP/Game	.....29:31
31.0.....Scoring Defense	▶.....19.0
556.0.....Total Defense	▶.....399.0
185.0.....Rush Defense	▶.....151.0
371.0.....Pass Defense	▶.....248.0
0-0.....Sacks-by-Yards	.....0-0
+2.....◀ Turnover Margin	.....-1
14.2.....◀ Kick Return Avg.	.....14.0
24.0.....◀ Punt Return Avg.	.....0.0
41.0.....Avg. Per Punt	▶.....44.4
48.0.....◀ Penalty Yards Avg.	.....60.0

**ALABAMA RED WOLVES:** Arkansas State has 13 players on its roster from the state of Alabama, which is third most behind just Arkansas (37) and Texas (18). Among the Red Wolves' 13 players from the state of Alabama, Blaise Taylor, Cam Echols-Luper and Griffin Riggs all three played at Auburn High School before finding their way to A-State. Additionally 10 of those 13 are listed on the Red Wolves current depth chart.

**AN A-STATE VICTORY WOULD . . . :** give the Red Wolves their first victory over Auburn and an SEC opponent . . . mark its second win over a high resource (Power 5) conference team since moving to FBS status in 1992, and its first since defeating Texas A&M in 2008 while the Aggies were a member of the Big 12 Conference . . . snap a three-game skid against non-conference opponents . . . give the Red Wolves their fifth consecutive road win . . . move its record to 1-1 after two games for the fifth time over the last six seasons (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016 . . . A-State began last season 0-2).

**THAT'S A FIRST:** The Red Wolves had 15 players participate in their first career game at A-State, including four as starters. There were 11 offensive players who saw their first action at A-State, including **Chad Voytik** (Sr., QB, starter), **Kendall Sanders** (Sr., WR, starter), **Cam Echols-Luper** (Jr., WR, starter), **Armond Weh-Weh** (Jr., RB), **Christian Booker** (Jr., WR), **Justice Hansen** (So., QB), **Justin McInnis** (So., WR), **Omar Bayless** (Fr.-R, WR), **Darveon Brown** (Fr.-R, WR), **Avery Johnson** (Fr.-R, TE) and **Dalton Ford** (Fr.-R, OL). There were two defensive players, including **Dee Liner** (Jr., DL, starter) and **Kyle Wilson** (Jr., LB). The remaining two were **Sawyer Williams** (Fr.-R, K) and **Damon Foncham** (Fr.-R, P).

**RED WOLVES TABBED SECOND IN SBC PRESEASON POLL:** Arkansas State was picked second in the Sun Belt Conference Preseason Coaches Poll, receiving 110 points and five first place votes. The Red Wolves have been picked to finish among the top three teams in the league eight of the last 11 years, but have never been picked to win the Sun Belt Conference.

**PRESEASON ALL-SUN BELT CONFERENCE:** A league-

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high 11 A-State players received 12 selections to the 2016 Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference Football Team. Not only were the Red Wolves' 12 total selections four more than the next closest team in the conference, they saw a league-best eight players tabbed first team.

**102ND SEASON:** Arkansas State kicked off its 102nd season of football Sept. 2 vs. Toledo. A-State holds a 450-473-37 record since the inaugural season and has played in 13 bowl games. A-State did not field a team from 1942-44 due to World War II. Arkansas State also didn't have a team in 1918 as World War I was ending.

**FIVE-YEAR WINS TOTAL:** Including back-to-back 10-win seasons in 2011 and 2012, eight more in 2013, seven in 2014 and nine last season, the Red Wolves have recorded 44 victories that are tied for the 23rd most in the nation over the last six years.

Team	NCAA FBS WINS SINCE 2011							Total
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016		
Alabama	12	13	11	12	14	1	63	
Florida State	9	12	14	13	10	0	58	
Oregon	12	12	11	13	9	1	58	
Clemson	10	11	11	10	14	1	57	
Ohio State	6	12	12	14	12	1	57	
Michigan State	11	7	13	11	12	1	55	
Stanford	11	12	11	8	12	1	55	
Northern Illinois	11	12	12	11	8	0	54	
Boise State	12	11	8	12	9	1	53	
Baylor	10	8	11	11	10	1	51	
Georgia	10	12	8	10	10	1	51	
Oklahoma	10	10	11	8	11	0	50	
LSU	13	10	10	8	9	0	50	
Wisconsin	11	8	9	11	10	1	50	
Oklahoma State	12	8	10	7	10	1	48	
Louisville	7	11	12	9	8	1	48	
Houston	13	5	8	8	13	1	48	
Notre Dame	8	12	9	8	10	0	47	
Cincinnati	10	10	9	9	7	1	46	
TCU	11	7	4	12	11	1	46	

Marshall	7	5	10	13	10	0	45
Toledo	9	9	7	9	10	1	45
Arkansas State	10	10	8	7	9	0	44
USC	10	7	10	9	8	0	44
Kansas State	10	11	8	9	6	0	44
Nebraska	9	10	9	9	6	1	44
Utah State	7	11	9	10	6	1	44
San Diego State	8	9	8	7	11	1	44
South Carolina	11	11	11	7	3	1	44
Texas A&M	7	11	9	8	8	1	44
BYU	10	8	8	8	9	1	44
UCLA	6	9	10	10	8	0	43
Western Kentucky	7	7	8	8	12	1	43
Navy	5	8	9	8	11	1	42
Michigan	11	8	7	5	10	1	42
Bowling Green	5	8	10	8	10	0	41
Missouri	8	5	12	11	5	0	41
Mississippi State	7	8	7	10	9	0	41
Virginia Tech	11	7	8	7	7	1	41
Arizona State	6	8	10	10	6	1	41
Ohio	10	9	7	6	8	0	40
Louisiana-Lafayette	9	9	9	9	4	0	40
Florida	7	11	4	7	10	1	40
North Carolina	7	8	7	6	11	0	39
Louisiana Tech	8	9	4	9	9	0	39
Washington	7	7	9	8	7	1	39
Iowa	7	4	8	7	12	1	39
Penn State	9	8	7	7	7	1	39

## 2016 AWARDS & HONORS (OFFENSE)

### JOSEPH BACCHUS (SR., OL):

- Phil Steele's 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- College Sports Madness Preseason 2nd Team All-SBC
- Athlon Sports 3rd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.

### JEMAR CLARK (SR., OL):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Athlon, Lindy's, Sporting News, College Sports Madness 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- Phil Steele's 2nd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- College Football News Preseason HM All-American

### CAM ECHOLS-LUPER (JR., WR/RS):

- Phil Steele's 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf. (PR)
- Athlon Sports 3rd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.
- NFL.com's "16 for 16: College Football's Most Freakish Athlete's" list
- Sporting News' "Fastest Receiver" in the Sun Belt
- Bleacher Report Top-25 (No. 8) Fastest Players in FBS

### J.D. HOUSTON (SR., K):

- Phil Steele's, Athlon 3rd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt

### COLTON JACKSON (SR., OL):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Athlon, Lindy's Sporting News, Phil Steele's, College Sports Madness 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- Lindy's No. 7-ranked top-10 NFL talent in the Sun Belt

### DEVIN MONDIE (SR., OL):

- Preseason 2nd Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Rimington Award Watch List
- Lindy's, Athlon 2nd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.

### DIJON PASCHAL (JR., WR):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Athlon Sports 2nd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.
- Phil Steele's, College Sports Madness 3rd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference

### CHAD VOYTIK (SR., QB):

- Yahoo Sports top-15 "Impact Transfer" for 2016

### WARREN WAND (JR., WR):

- Doak Walker Award Watch List
- Lindy's 2nd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- Athlon, Phil Steele's 4th Team Preseason All-Sun Belt

### JOHNSTON WHITE (JR., RB):

- Athlon Sports 3rd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.

## 2016 AWARDS & HONORS (DEFENSE)

### CODY BROWN (SR., S):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Thorpe Award Watch List
- Athlon, Lindy's, Sporting News, Phil Steele's, College Sports Madness 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.

### TAJHEA CHAMBERS (FR.-R, LB):

- Phil Steele's 4th Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- College Sports Madness Preseason Sun Belt Conference Freshman of the Year

### CHRIS HUMES (SR., S):

- Preseason 2nd Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Phil Steele's, Athlon Sports, College Sports Madness 3rd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference

### KHARI LAIN (JR., LB):

- Preseason 2nd Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Phil Steele's 2nd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- College Sports Madness Preseason 3rd Team All-Sun Belt
- Athlon Sports 4th Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.

### DEE LINER (JR., DL):

- Phil Steele's, Athlon, College Sports Madness 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference
- Yahoo Sports top-15 "Impact Transfer" for 2016

### WAYLON ROBERSON (SR., DL):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Lindy's, Phil Steele's 2nd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt
- Athlon Sports, College Sports Madness 3rd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference

### JA'VON ROLLAND-JONES (JR., DE):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Nagurski Award Watch List
- Bednarik Award Watch List
- Athlon, Lindy's, Sporting News, Phil Steele's, College Sports Madness 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt
- Lindy's "Best Pass Rusher" in the Sun Belt Conference
- Texas Football "Top Five Players from Texas in the SBC"
- College Sports Madness Preseason Sun Belt Conference Defensive Player of the Year

### BLAISE TAYLOR (JR., CB/RS):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference (RS)
- Preseason 2nd Team All-Sun Belt Conference (DB)
- Wuerffel Trophy Watch List
- Athlon Sports, College Sports Madness 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt (RS)
- Athlon Sports 2nd Team Preseason All-Sun Belt (DB)

### XAVIER WOODSON-LUSTER (SR., LB):

- Preseason 1st Team All-Sun Belt Conference
- Athlon, Sporting News, Lindy's, Phil Steele's, College Sports Madness 1st Team Preseason All-Sun Belt Conf.
- Athlon Sports "Five Players to Know in the Sun Belt"

**DON'T CALL IT A COMEBACK:** Three of Arkansas State's victories last season came after the Red Wolves entered halftime behind on the scoreboard. During those three victories, A-State outscored its opponents by a combined 86-23 in the second half. The Red Wolves also defeated Utah State during the 2014 season after entering the second half behind, giving them four second-half comeback victories under head coach **Blake Anderson**.

**DOUBLE DIGITS:** All nine A-State victories last season came by at least 10 points, and the Red Wolves average margin of victory in its eight Sun Belt wins was 21.1 points. Six of A-State's seven wins in 2014 also came by a double-figure margin, meaning 15 of the Red Wolves' 16 wins under head coach **Blake Anderson** have come by 10 or more points. The only exception was a 21-14 overtime win over Utah State in 2014.

**FIVE ALIVE:** Arkansas State has secured five consecutive winning seasons (2011-15) for not only the first as an FBS member, but also the first time at any level since 1949-53. The only time A-State has ever strung together six straight winning seasons was 1912-17. The Red Wolves piled up 44 victories from 2011-15 for its most over a five-year span in the program's 102-year history.

**TOP 25:** Arkansas State was receiving votes in both the Associated Press (2 points) and Coaches (6 points) Top 25 polls at the end of the 2015 regular season, making it the fourth season since 2011 that A-State was included among "others receiving votes" at one point during the year. The Red Wolves also earned votes in 2011, 2012 and 2013. A-State's most ever points in the Associated Press (28) and Coaches (23) Top 25 came in the 2012 final polls.

**SUN BELT CHAMPS:** Arkansas State won the 2015 Sun Belt Conference championship with an unblemished 8-0 record, giving it the league title for the fourth time over the last five seasons with a 33-6 conference record over that span. A-State also won the league title 2011-13, including outright championships in 2011 and 2012. It is just the second program in Sun Belt history with three (2015, 2011-12) outright titles, along with North Texas (2002-04). Arkansas State is

**ARKANSAS STATE TEAM RECORD**

Overall .....	.450-473-37
Centennial Bank Stadium .....	.136-75-1
Since Div. I-A (1992) .....	.109-163-1

**Team Streaks**

Wins .....	0
Centennial Bank Stadium Wins .....	0
Away Wins .....	4
Sun Belt Wins .....	9
Losses .....	2
Home Losses .....	1
Away Losses .....	0
Non-conference Losses .....	3
Wins When:	
allowing 10 points or less .....	35
allowing 17 points or less .....	19
scoring 20 points or more .....	0
scoring 30 points or more .....	9
rushing for 200+ yards .....	8
passing for 300+ yards .....	2
400+ yards of total offense .....	8
leading at the half .....	6
tied at the half .....	0
trailing at the half .....	0
scoring first .....	0

**2016 A-State Record When:**

at home .....	0-1
on the road .....	0-0
leading at the half .....	0-0
tied at the half .....	0-0
trailing at the half .....	0-1
leading after 3 quarters .....	0-0
tied after 3 quarters .....	0-0
trailing after 3 quarters .....	0-1
overtime .....	0-0
Scores	
17+ points .....	0-0
the opponents scores	
17+ points .....	0-1
more offensive yards .....	0-0
fewer offensive yards .....	0-1
more penalty yards .....	0-0
same penalty yards .....	0-0
fewer penalty yards .....	0-1
gains 300+ offensive yards .....	0-0
allows 300- offensive yards .....	0-0
rushes for 150+ yards .....	0-1
rushes for 200+ yards .....	0-0
passes for 200+ yards .....	0-0
Wins turnovers .....	0-1
Ties turnovers .....	0-0
Loses turnovers .....	0-0
More total yardage .....	0-0
Less total yardage .....	0-1
Wins time of possession .....	0-0
Ties time of possession .....	0-0
Loses time of possession .....	0-1

one of three programs to ever win at least four total Sun Belt Conference championships, joining North Texas (4) and Troy (5)

**A-STATE vs. THE SUN BELT:** Arkansas State has won 33 of its last 39 Sun Belt Conference games (.846 winning percentage) to run its all-time record in the conference to 66-42. The Red Wolves hold their most all-time victories against ULM with 23. With the exception of Georgia Southern, which A-State has never faced as an SBC opponent, the Red Wolves have defeated every team in the conference since the football league was formed in 2001. Along with ULM and Louisiana-Lafayette, A-State is one of three teams that have been a part of the conference since its inaugural football season.

**ALL-TIME CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS:** Including four of the last five Sun Belt Conference titles, Arkansas State has won 11 conference championships all-time. A-State won the Southland Conference seven times (1986, 1985, 1978, 1975, 1970, 1969, 1968). The Red Wolves also won the 2005 Sun Belt Conference title, but it was later vacated due to NCAA sanctions.

**BOWL HISTORY:** Arkansas State has played in 13 bowl games all-time and holds a 4-8-1 record in those contests. The Red Wolves have made a bowl game five consecutive years (2011-15) for the first time in school history. They played in the New Orleans Bowl last season and in the GoDaddy Bowl the four years prior to that, winning two of them during the 2012 and 2013 seasons. A-State also played in the 2005 New Orleans Bowl, which marked its first bowl appearance since 1970. Arkansas State played in seven bowl games from 1951-70, including the Pecan Bowl (1968-70), Tangerine Bowl (1952 & 1951) and the Refrigerator Bowl (1951-52). The Tangerine Bowl was played in Orlando, Fla., the Pecan Bowl in Arlington, Texas, and the Refrigerator Bowl in Evansville, Ind.

**OFFENSIVE NOTES**

**TWO-MINUTE OFFENSE:** The Arkansas State offense scored in two minutes or less on 35 of its 58 touchdown drive last season for a 60.3 percentage that ranked among the 10 highest in the nation. Both of the Red Wolves scoring drives in their 2016 season opener took less than two minutes.

**300-PLUS:** Dating back to the 2010 season, Arkansas State has posted at least 300 yards of total offense in 69 of its last 78 games (.885 percentage). A-State went over 300 yards in all 13 games during head coach Blake Anderson's first season and reached the mark 11 times last year, including the last nine games in a row.

**400-PLUS:** Arkansas State has posted at least 400 yards total offense in 18 of 27 games (66 percent) since 2014, which was Blake Anderson's first season as head coach. The Red Wolves posted over 500 yards total offense six times in 2015, including a season-high 624 yards against Missouri State. The last time A-State had recorded at least 500 yards total offense in six or more games was 2012 when it did so seven times.

**LIGHTING UP THE SCOREBOARD:** A-State has posted at least 30 points in 41 of its last 60 regular-season games (68 percent) dating back to the 2011 season, including 15 of the last 20 contests. The Red Wolves have won 29 of their last 33 games when scoring at least 30 points. A-State broke the school record in 2015 for both points scored (520) and touchdowns scored (69). Additionally, the Red Wolves ranked 12th in the nation in scoring

offense last year, averaging 40.0 points per game.

**RANKING THE O-LINE:** With all five starters returning on the offensive line in 2016, the Red Wolves' front five received high praise from Athlon Sports as the No. 27 ranked o-line unit in the nation. A-State's first-team unit has 106 combined starts between them entering the 2016 season. Senior center Devin Mondie is a member of the Rimington Award Watch List, Colton Jackson has started all 39 games of his career and Jemar Clark joined them on the Preseason All-Sun Belt Conference team.

**RUSHING RED WOLVES:** Arkansas State has posted at least 200 rushing yards in seven of their last 10 games, dating back to last season. The Red Wolves ran for over 200 yards in five straight games (first time since 1988 when it was an FCS member) at one point during the 2015 season. Arkansas State ranked 15th in the nation in rushing offense, averaging 231.3 yards per game.

**FINDING THE END ZONE:** A former walk-on and Burlsworth Trophy nominee, junior running back Johnston White recorded a team and career-best 14 rushing touchdowns last season as a sophomore to give him 20 running scores during his career. He has scored at least one rushing touchdown eight of his last 10 games played. White's 14 running scores last season tied for the fifth most in school history. His 20 career rushing touchdowns are tied for the 10th most in school history.

**WAND MADE EARLY IMPACT:** Running back Warren Wand rushed for 709 yards, the second most on the team, last season and averaged 6.0 yards per carry as a true freshman. His 709 yards were the most by a true freshman at A-State since Lamont Zachery ran for 846 yards in 1996. Wand has rushed for at least 50 yards in seven games, including a career-high 119 against Georgia State.

**DEFENSIVE NOTES**

**BREAK IT UP:** Arkansas State saw 15 different players combine to record 51 pass break-ups last season, which were its third most ever as an FBS member. The last time the Red Wolves had recorded more than 47 pass break-ups was 2013 when it had an FBS-era record 57. Senior safety Cody Brown (then a junior) posted a team-high nine pass break-ups and ranked tied for fifth in the Sun Belt in passes defended with 12. Brown was the only player in the Sun Belt ranked among the top 35 players in tackles and top five in both passes defended and interceptions.

**PICK IT OFF:** The Red Wolves led the nation in interceptions last season with a Sun Belt Conference record 26. Fifteen different players combined for those 26 picks that were the third most in school history and the most by an A-State team since the 1969 squad posted a school-record tying 32 (tied with the 1961 team). A-State posted a season-high four interceptions at ULM, and it recorded at least three in six games.

**PICK-SIX:** Arkansas State recorded six interception returns for a touchdown last season, which was the second most in Sun Belt Conference history and just two shy of the NCAA record currently held by the 2011 Southern Miss and 2012 SMU teams. While he coached on the offensive side of the ball, A-State head coach Blake Anderson was also a member of

that 2011 Southern Miss team. The current Sun Belt Conference record is seven, held by the 2011 Louisiana-Lafayette team. The Red Wolves also posted a school-record 503 interception return yards, led by senior safety **Money Hunter** (then a junior) with 128 yards that ranked tied for the fifth most ever by an A-State player. **Hunter had two interception returns for a touchdown last season to tie the Sun Belt Conference record. Additionally, he has three for his career to tie that Sun Belt record as well.**

**TURNOVER KINGS:** Arkansas State ranked second in the nation in turnovers gained last season with 34, including 26 interceptions and eight fumble recoveries. They turned eight of those turnovers into defensive touchdowns, which led the nation. A-State's 34 turnovers gained tied the 2002 team for the most by the Red Wolves since joining the FBS in 1992, and it was also the programs most at any level since 1988 when it had 39. The Red Wolves have recorded at least one turnover gained in 24 of 27 games played under defensive coordinator **Joe Cauthen**.

**WOODSON-LUSTER MATCHES CAREER HIGH:** Senior linebacker **Xavier Woodson-Luster** tied a personal career high with 14 tackles, while also posting two tackles for loss and a forced fumble during Arkansas State's season opener against Toledo. His 14 tackles not only tied his personal best, it also matched the most by a Sun Belt player and the 12th most in the nation last week. Reaching double figures in the tackles column for the seventh time of his career, Woodson-Luster's total stops were the most by an A-State player since the 2014 season. He was also responsible for the fourth forced fumble of his career and his two tackles for loss gives him 16.5 for his career.

**GETTING TO THE QUARTERBACK:** Arkansas State has

recorded 30 or more sacks in back-to-back seasons (2014-15) for the first time ever during its FBS era (1992-cur.). Sixteen players combined for 31 sacks a year ago, which came one year after tallying 37. The Red Wolves ranked second in the SBC in sacks and 41st in the nation.

**PLAYING IN THE BACKFIELD:** Junior defensive end **Ja'Von Rolland-Jones** recorded at least a half TFL in 10 games last season and in 14 of his last 18 contests dating back to his freshman year. He also had a team and Sun Belt Conference high 9.0 sacks last season, and he has a team-high 17.0 for his career. He has tallied at least a half sack in 12 of his last 19 games.

**SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES**

**SPECIAL TEAMS SOLID:** Arkansas State's special teams units under coordinator **Luke Paschall** have become one of the best-rounded in the nation the last two seasons, ranking among the top 41 teams in the country in five different statistical categories and among the top 31 in four:

Stat	2014 Rank	2015 Rank
Blocked Kicks	41 (2 total)	7 (4 total)
Net Punting	19 (39.8 avg.)	13 (40.4 avg.)
Kickoff Returns	31 (22.5 avg.)	8 (25.9 avg.)
KO Return Def.	4 (16.3 avg.)	18 (18.7 avg.)
Punt Return Def.	9 (3.1 avg.)	23 (4.7 avg.)
Punt Returns		30 (11.5 avg.)

**BLOCK PARTY:** Senior defensive end **Chris Odom** posted a team-high three blocked kicks last season as a junior to tie third most in school history. He recorded his first two career blocks during the Georgia State game, his first coming on a field goal and the second on an extra point attempt. In the process, he became the seventh player in school history to record multiple blocks in the same game. His third block came on a Texas State field goal attempt to end the first half. The Red Wolves had four total blocks, which tied the fifth most in school history.

**ON THE RETURN:** Junior cornerback **Blaise Taylor** recorded 322 punt returns yards last season to lead the Sun Belt Conference and account for the second most in school history. His two-year career has seen him pile up 556 punt return yards that are the second most in school history and the third most ever by a Sun Belt player. He has two punt returns for touchdowns (1 in both 2014 and 2015), making him one of six Sun Belt players all-time with multiple scores.

**RETURNING NCAA STATISTICAL LEADERS**

Blocked Kicks (No. 2)	Chris Odom (3)
Field Goal Percentage (No. 10)	J.D. Houston (.857)
Kickoff Return TDs (No. 11)	Blaise Taylor (1)
Forced Fumbles (No. 13)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (0.31)
Punt Return Average (No. 11)	Blaise Taylor (13.4)
Punt Return TDs (No. 13)	Blaise Taylor (1)
Yards Per Reception (No. 18)	Dijon Paschal (19.32)
Rushing TDs (No. 20)	Johnston White (14)
Sacks (No. 32)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (0.69)

**LOST NCAA STATISTICAL LEADERS**

Fumbles Recovered (No. 7)	Chris Stone (3)
Total Interceptions (No. 7)	Rocky Hayes (6)
Kickoff Return TDs (No. 11)	J.D. McKissic (1)
Kickoff Return Avg. (No. 12)	J.D. McKissic (27.3)
Interceptions Per Game (No. 12)	Rocky Hayes (0.5)
Receiving TDs (No. 17)	Tres Houston (10)
Rush Yds. Per Att. (No. 19)	Michael Gordon (6.41)
Pts. Resp. For P/G (No. 25)	Fredi Knighten (14.8)
Pass Yds. Per Comp. (No. 32)	Fredi Knighten (13.49)
Punting Average (No. 40)	Luke Ferguson (42.7)
Yards Per Reception (No. 41)	Tres Houston (17.08)
Points Responsible For (No. 44)	Fredi Knighten (148)
Passing TDs (No. 48)	Fredi Knighten (19)

**ACTIVE NCAA CAREER LEADERS**

(at end of the 2015 season)

Sacks Per Game (No. 2)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (0.73)
Forced Fum. P/G (No. 2)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (0.25)
INT Ret. TDs (No. 2)	Money Hunter (3)
TFL Per Game (No. 9)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (1.04)
Interception Return Yds. (No. 10)	Money Hunter (222)
Punt Return Avg. (No. 22)	Blaise Taylor (10.5)
Forced Fumbles (No. 23)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (6)
Total Sacks (No. 28)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (17.5)
Rushing TDs (No. 59)	Johnston White (20)
TFL Yards (No. 67)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (123)
Solo Tackles P/G (No. 86)	X. Woodson-Luster (3.56)
Total TDs Scored (No. 94)	Johnston White (21)
Total TFL (No. 97)	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (25.0)
Tackles P/G (No. 110)	Xavier Woodson-Luster (5.82)
Total Offense (No. 118)	Chad Voytk (2,990)
Total Tackles (No. 146)	Xavier Woodson-Luster (198)

**A-STATE IN FINAL 2015 NCAA STATS (top 50)**

Passes Intercepted (No. 1)	26
Defensive TDs (No. 1)	8
Turnovers Gained (No. 2)	34
Blocked Kicks (No. 7)	4
Kickoff Returns (No. 8)	25.86
4th DN Conversion Pct. Defense (No. 11)	333
Scoring Offense (No. 12)	40.0
Net Punting (No. 13)	40.39
Rushing Offense (No. 15)	231.3
Kickoff Return Defense (No. 18)	18.69
3rd DN Conversion Pct. Defense (No. 19)	335
Punt Return Defense (No. 23)	4.70
Turnover Margin (No. 23)	0.62
Punt Returns (No. 30)	11.47
Total Offense (No. 37)	438.5
Team Tackles For Loss (No. 38)	6.8
Team Pass Efficiency Defense (No. 41)	120.12
Team Sacks (No. 41)	2.38
Pass Yards Per Completion (No. 42)	13.01
First Downs Offense (No. 43)	290
Rushing Defense (No. 44)	151.5

**A-STATE INDIVIDUAL CAREER RECORDS**

**RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS**

	No.	Years
1. Richie Voit	57	1950-53
6. Calvin Harrell	26	1968-71
7. Lamont Zachery	24	1996-99
T8. David Oku	22	2012-13
Roy Johnson	22	1988-91
<b>T10. Fredi Knighten</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2012-cur.</b>
<b>Johnston White</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2014-cur.</b>
Corey Walker	20	1993-96

**PUNT RETURNS**

	No.	Years
1. Terry Whiting	66	1968-71
2. Steve Hanschen	63	1976-79
3. Chris Collier	58	1988-90
T4. Kevin Jones	56	2005-08
Billy Bowers	56	1981-84
<b>6. Blaise Taylor</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>2014-cur.</b>

**PUNT RETURN YARDS**

	Yds.	Years
1. Terry Whiting	748	1968-71
<b>2. Blaise Taylor</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>2014-cur.</b>

**SACKS**

	Avg.	Years
1. Marvin Neloms	28	1983-86
2. Alex Carrington	21.5	2006-09
T3. Clarence Williams	21	1995-98
Charlie Fredrick	21	1984-87
5. Robert Speer	19	1973-76
<b>T6. Ja'Von Rolland-Jones</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>2012-cur.</b>
Brandon Joiner	17.0	2010-11
Bryan Hall	17.0	2006-09
Glen Koenig	17.0	1976-79

**SUN BELT CONFERENCE INDIVIDUAL CAREER RECORDS**

**PUNT RETURN YARDS**

	Yds.	Years
1. Leodis McKelvin (Troy)	1,471	2004-07
2. T.Y. Hilton (FIU)	614	2008-11
<b>3. Blaise Taylor</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>2014-cur.</b>

**PUNT RETURN TOUCHDOWNS**

	No.	Years
1. Leodis McKelvin (Troy)	7	2004-07
<b>T2. Blaise Taylor</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2014-cur.</b>
Kevin Robinson (Utah St.)	2	2004
T.Y. Hilton (FIU)	2	2008-11
Don Jones (A-State)	2	2008-12
Darryl Surgent (ULL)	2	2010-13

**INTERCEPTIONS FOR TOUCHDOWNS**

	No.	Years
<b>T1. Money Hunter</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2013-cur.</b>
Anthony Gaitor (FIU)	3	2007-10
Dwight Bentley (ULL)	3	2008-11



Blake Anderson, a 14-year coaching veteran at the NCAA FBS level who also coached in an NJCAA National Championship game, was named the Red Wolves' 30th all-time head football coach on Dec. 19, 2013.

Anderson led A-State to back-to-back winning seasons, a pair of bowl game appearances (2015 New Orleans Bowl and 2014 GoDaddy Bowl) and the 2015 Sun Belt Conference championship his first two seasons at the helm, which also saw the Red Wolves break the school records for total offense (6,174 yards in 2014), average yards total offense (476.5 yards per game in 2014), total plays (1,024 in 2014), points scored (520 in 2015), touchdowns scored (69 in 2015) and interceptions (26 in 2015).

Out of 30 all-time head coaches, Anderson became just the fourth to win at least seven games in his first season at A-State. Now with 16 career victories leading the Red Wolves, he is the first head coach in A-State history to win 12 or more games his first two seasons at the school. Additionally, Anderson is the only head coach in school history to direct the program to 16 wins in 25 or fewer games.

The Red Wolves won the 2015 league title with an unblemished 8-0 record, giving them the conference title for the fourth time over the last five seasons. In the process, A-State became the only SBC program to ever go 8-0 in league play during multiple seasons (2015 and 2011).

All nine victories by the Red Wolves in 2015 came by at least 10 points, and the team's average margin of victory in its eight Sun Belt wins was 21.1 points. Six of A-State's seven wins in 2014 also came by a double-figure margin, meaning 15 of the Red Wolves' 16 wins under Anderson have come by 10 or more points.

Both of Anderson's first two squads ranked among the top 45 teams in the nation in at least 23 combined offensive, defensive and special teams categories, including last season when the Red Wolves led the nation in defensive touchdowns (8) and passes intercepted (26). Along the way, he saw 11 of his players earn All-Sun Belt recognition in 2014, followed by a school-record 16 in 2015 that also tied the most in conference history.

Anderson has led the Red Wolves to a 10-2 home record, which includes a 2014 overtime win over a Utah State team that won 10 games and received votes in the final Associated Press Top-25 Poll. Under his direction, A-State has won 13 games by at least 14 points as well.

Upon his arrival at A-State, he assembled a well-respected coaching staff and began working to put together his first recruiting class in an abbreviated time period. Not only did he sign the Sun Belt's No. 1 ranked class by Rivals.com, all three of his recruiting classes have ranked among the top three teams in the league by every major recruiting service.

Before joining A-State, Anderson worked on head coach Larry Fedora's staff as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at both

North Carolina and Southern Miss the previous four seasons. His dynamic offense helped lead the two programs to 34 victories, three bowl game appearances and two conference or divisional titles. Along the way, his potent offense was responsible for breaking both school's total offense records while also ranking among the most productive teams in the nation.

The Hubbard, Texas, native came to A-State after spending the previous two seasons as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at North Carolina, where he helped lead the Tar Heels to an Atlantic Coast Conference Coastal Division title in 2012 and the Belk Bowl in 2013. Under Anderson's direction, North Carolina averaged 432.4 total yards per game in 2013 after setting the school record the previous year with 485.6 yards per contest. Prior to his arrival in Chapel Hill, the Tar Heels had not averaged 400 yards in a season since 1993.

North Carolina's offense posted more than 500 yards of total offense seven times during Anderson's two seasons at the school, including a school-record 721 versus Old Dominion his last season, and scored 40 or more points in nine games. The Tar Heels averaged 44.2 points per game at Kenan Stadium (14 games) and 25.4 on the road (10 games) with Anderson as their offensive coordinator.

Anderson led a passing offense during the 2013 season ranked 23rd in the nation, averaging 286.3 yards per game. North Carolina posted 27 passing touchdowns, which were the second most in school history and just two behind the 29 recorded in 2012. The Tar Heels ranked among the top 44 teams in the nation in total offense, completion percentage, passing offense, red zone offense, scoring offense, passing efficiency, fourth down conversions and turnovers lost in 2013.

North Carolina's offensive success was just a continuation from Anderson's initial season, which saw the Tar Heels establish more than 35 school records. The Tar Heels finished eighth in the country in scoring, averaging 40.6 points per game, and were 14th nationally with 485.6 yards per game. Their passing attack was 26th nationally with 291.8 yards per contest, and the Tar Heels also rushed for 193.8 yards per game, their highest average since 1994.

Individuals excelled in Anderson's system at every position. During his time at the school, six offensive players received All-ACC recognition, including First Team All-America selection Eric Ebron at tight end. As quarterbacks coach, Anderson tutored standouts Bryn Renner and Marquise Williams. Renner set the single-season school record for touchdowns passes with 28 in 2012, while Williams provided a spark to the UNC offense in 2013 with his mobility outside the pocket. Williams finished the regular season with 1,058 yards of total offense in the last three games alone, which was the most in any three-game stretch in Tar Heels history. He was also the first quarterback to lead North Carolina in rushing since 1968.

Anderson went to Chapel Hill after a record-setting run as Southern Miss' offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach. The Golden Eagles set school records for total offense in each of Anderson's last two years. He was part of a Southern Miss staff under Fedora that won a school-record 12 games in 2012, including the Conference USA championship over previously unbeaten Houston and the Hawaii Bowl over Nevada.

Anderson spent his first two seasons as USM's quarterbacks coach and run game coordinator and developed Austin Davis into one of the nation's top signal callers. Davis broke nearly every school record in an outstanding four-year career.

Under the eye of Anderson, the Golden Eagles were one of 14 teams in the country that averaged more than 200 yards per game in both rushing and passing in 2011. The Golden Eagles had nearly 6,500 yards of total offense and set a school record with 461.4 yards per game. In addition, USM was 15th nationally in scoring offense, 16th in total offense and 21st in rushing offense. Anderson's offense posted 30-or-more points in 10 of 14 games in 2011, including a season-high 63 in a win over Navy.

In 2010, Southern Miss was 18th in total offense, 20th in rushing offense and 35th in passing offense. The Golden Eagles also averaged 36.9 points per game to rank 15th in the nation. That season, Anderson's quarterbacks were among the most efficient in the nation with only eight interceptions thrown – including one by a wide receiver – to 24 touchdowns. Davis accounted for 10 of the team's 28 rushing touch-



downs, more than any other back.

In his first year in Hattiesburg in 2008, Anderson mentored then red-shirt freshman and first-year starter Davis, who responded by having the best season ever for a freshman QB at the school, while also putting together one of the better years that any signal caller has had at the university.

Davis, who was the first freshman to start in his opening game since 1991, notched 15 school records, including six season marks – passing yards (3,128), completions (261), attempts (454), total offense (3,636) and touchdowns responsible for (30).

Anderson came to Southern Miss after spending the 2007 campaign at Louisiana-Lafayette as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach. The Ragin' Cajuns posted the No. 6-rated rushing offense nationally (251.6) in 2007 and became the Sun Belt's first ever 3,000-yard rushing team (3,019).

Anderson, who was in private business from 2004-06, previously worked at Middle Tennessee, where he helped direct an offensive unit as co-offensive coordinator and wide receivers coach from 2002-04.

He spent three seasons at New Mexico before landing at MTSU. He served as the wide receivers coach in 2001 and running backs coach from 1999-2000. The UNM rushing attack was responsible for a major share of the Lobo offense in 2000. The Lobos averaged 148 yards per game on the ground, which accounted for 56 percent of the team's total offense.

Anderson worked at Trinity Valley Community College (1995-98) before joining the Division I FBS ranks at New Mexico. In 1998, he was the offensive coordinator and the Cardinals went 7-3. He helped lead the Cardinals to the 1997 NJCAA National Championship.

He began his coaching career at Eastern New Mexico in 1992 (graduate assistant) and 1993 (full-time), where he tutored the wide receivers. He then moved on to Howard Payne University in Brownwood, Texas, to coach wide receivers in 1994. HPU won the Texas IAA conference title.

A two-year letterwinner at wide receiver for Sam Houston State from 1989-91, Anderson was named Southland Conference All-Academic as a senior. He also played for two years as a quarterback and receiver at Baylor (1987-89) before transferring. Anderson graduated with his bachelor's degree in kinesiology from Sam Houston State in 1992. He also attained his master's degree in sports administration from Eastern New Mexico in 1994. Anderson and his wife Wendy have one daughter, Callie, and two sons, Coleton and Cason.

## ANDERSON AT A GLANCE

**BLAKE ANDERSON FILE:**

**Hometown:** Hubbard, Texas

**Born:** March 24, 1969

**High school:** Hubbard

**College:** Sam Houston State, 1992 (kinesiology); Eastern New Mexico (Master's)

**Years in coaching:** 23

**Wife:** Wendy

**Children:** daughter Callie and sons Coleton and Cason

### COACHING ASSIGNMENTS YEAR-BY-YEAR

Year	School	Position	Postseason/Bowls
2014-Cur.	Arkansas State	Head Coach	2015 GoDaddy Bowl, 2015 SBC Champs, 2015 New Orleans Bowl
2012-13	North Carolina	Offensive Coordinator/QB Coach	2013 Belk Bowl
2010-11	Southern Miss	Offensive Coordinator/QB Coach	2010 Beef 'O' Brady Bowl, 2011 C-USA Champs, 2011 Hawaii Bowl
2008-09	Southern Miss	QB Coach/Run Game Coordinator	2008 New Orleans Bowl, 2009 New Orleans Bowl
2007	Louisiana-Lafayette	Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach	
2002-04	Middle Tennessee	Co-Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers Coach	
2001	New Mexico	Wide Receivers Coach	
1999-2000	New Mexico	Running Backs Coach	
1998	Trinity Valley College	Offensive Coordinator	
1995-97	Trinity Valley College	QB/WR/DB/Recruiting Coordinator	1997 Red River Bowl/NJCAA Championship
1994	Howard Payne	Wide Receivers Coach	American Southwest Conference Champs
1993	Eastern New Mexico	Wide Receivers Coach	
1992	Eastern New Mexico	Graduate Assistant	

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No.	Name	No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Exp	Hometown (previous school)
43	Kavin Alexander	1	D.J. Pearson	QB	6-2	195	Fr.-R	RS	Duluth, Ga. (Northview)
77	Jacob Atnip	1	Blaise Taylor	CB	5-9	165	Jr.	2L	Auburn, Ala. (Auburn)
72	Joseph Bacchus	2	Nehemiah Wagner	CB	6-0	167	Jr.	2L	Mesquite, Texas (Horn)
7	Omar Bayless	2	Armond Weh-Weh	RB	6-0	205	Jr.	TR	Houston, Texas (Scottsdale (Ariz.) CC)
60	Jhamahl Bell	3	B.J. Edmonds	S	6-0	202	Fr.	HS	Mobile, Ala. (St. Paul's Episcopal School)
58	Brandon Berg	3	Jamal Jones	RB	5-9	183	Fr.-R	RS	Memphis, Tenn. (Trezevant)
70	Lanard Bonner	4	Kendall Sanders	WR	6-0	198	Sr.	TR	Athens, Texas (Texas)
12	Logan Bonner	5	Daryl Rollins-Davis	RB	5-9	163	So.-R	1L	Knoxville, Tenn. (Fulton)
13	Christian Booker	6	Warren Wand	RB	5-5	179	So.	1L	Edmond, Okla. (Memorial)
82	Brandon Bowling	7	Omar Bayless	WR	6-3	198	Fr.-R	RS	Laurel, Miss. (Laurel)
41	Donovan Boyce	8	Chauncey Mason	WR	5-9	182	So.	1L	Boynton Beach, Fla. (Boynton Beach)
50	William Bradley-King	8	Ben Sukut	S	6-1	209	Fr.	HS	San Juan Capistrano, Calif. (Capistrano Valley Christian)
87	Brandon Brockman	9	Khari Lain	LB	5-10	196	Jr.	2L	Tyrone, Ga. (Sandy Creek)
21	Cody Brown	9	Chad Voytik	QB	6-1	215	Sr.	TR	Cleveland, Tenn. (Pitt)
17	Darveon Brown	10	Justin Clifton	DB	6-0	206	So.	1L	Tupelo, Miss. (Tupelo)
59	Holden Byassee	10	Carson Coats	QB	6-1	203	Fr.-R	RS	Jonesboro, Ark. (Jonesboro)
28	Brandon Byner	11	Cam Echols-Luper	WR	6-0	192	Jr.-R	RS	Auburn, Ala. (TCU)
87	Javier Carbonell	11	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones	DE	6-2	233	Jr.-R	2L	Mesquite, Texas (Mesquite)
54	Caleb Caston	12	Logan Bonner	QB	6-1	224	Fr.	HS	Rowlett, Texas (Rowlett)
32	Tajhea Chambers	12	Kyle Martin	CB	5-9	175	Jr.	TR	Wichita, Kan. (Dodge City (Kan.) CC)
31	Jarrold Chandler	13	Christian Booker	WR	5-11	174	Jr.	TR	Union, S.C. (Dodge City (Kan.) CC)
79	Jemar Clark	14	Chris Murray	WR	5-9	181	Jr.	1L	Tampa, Fla. (Hutchinson (KS) CC)
10	Justin Clifton	15	Justice Hansen	QB	6-4	207	So.-R	TR	Edmond, Okla. (Butler (KS) CC)
10	Carson Coats	15	Kyle Wilson	LB	6-0	228	Jr.	TR	Wichita, Kan. (Hutchinson (KS) CC)
	Arnold Cunningham	16	Blake Mack	TE	6-3	245	Jr.	2L	Lonoke, Ark. (Lonoke)
73	Cameron Davis	16	Hayden Stricker	DB	6-0	175	Fr.-R	TR	Jonesboro, Ark. (Lyon (Ark.) College)
11	Cam Echols-Luper	17	Darveon Brown	WR	5-11	177	Fr.-R	RS	Warren, Ark. (Warren)
3	B.J. Edmonds	18	Justin McInnis	WR	6-6	202	Jr.	TR	Pierrefonds, Quebec (Dodge City (KS) CC)
86	Kendrick Edwards	19	Sterling Stowers	WR	5-10	191	Jr.-R	1L	Hardy, Ark. (Highland)
67	Troy Elliot	20	Jared Polston	WR	5-8	160	So.	HS	Cave City, Ark. (Cave City)
26	Trent Ellis-Brewer	20	Bo Sentimore	S	6-0	180	Sr.	1L	Laurel, Miss. (East Mississippi CC)
39	Dajon Emory	21	Cody Brown	S	6-2	208	Sr.	1L	Bellville, Texas (Independence (KA) CC)
45	Ryan Eustace	22	Jamaris Hart	CB	5-9	173	Jr.-R	2L	Florence, Ala. (Florence)
99	Damon Foncham	23	Niko Johnson	CB	5-9	167	So.	TR	Houston, Texas (Henderson State)
78	Jamal Fontenot	24	Jeremy Smith	CB	5-11	167	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Texas (Atlanta)
75	Dalton Ford	25	Dee Liner	DL	6-3	325	Jr.-R	RS	Muscle Shoals, Ala. (Alabama)
46	Ben Gallagher	25	Stephen Upton	WR	5-11	175	Fr.	HS	Skiatook, Okla. (Skiatook)
15	Justice Hansen	26	Trent Ellis-Brewer	DB	6-2	212	Fr.	HS	Daphne, Ala. (Daphne)
48	T.J. Harris	27	Money Hunter	S	6-1	185	Sr.	3L	Prosper, Texas (Prosper)
	Tremaine Harris	28	Brandon Byner	CB	5-11	173	Jr.	2L	Bessemer, Ala. (Bessemer City)
22	Jamaris Hart	29	Chris Humes	DB	5-11	206	Sr.-R	3L	Hoover, Ala. (Spain Park)
71	Klint Harvey	30	Johnston White	RB	5-11	188	Jr.-R	2L	Covington, Tenn. (Covington)
52	Quanterio Heath	30	Brandon Williams	CB	5-11	180	Fr.	HS	Chicago, Ill. (St. Rita)
88	Jonah Hill	31	Jarrold Chandler	DE	6-2	225	So.-R	1L	Barton, Ark. (Barton)
36	Katon Hill	32	Tajhea Chambers	LB	6-2	246	Fr.-R	RS	Gordon, Ga. (Tift County)
41	J.D. Houston	33	Shawn Rainer	RB	5-9	190	Jr.	HS	Blytheville, Ark. (Ark. Northeastern Coll.)
29	Chris Humes	33	Griffin Riggs	DE	6-3	253	So.	1L	Auburn, Ala. (Auburn)
27	Money Hunter	34	Malachi Stout	RB	5-7	170	Fr.	HS	Springfield, Mo. (Kickapoo)
5	6-1	34	Paul Swanson	DB	6-1	216	Sr.	1L	Spokane, Wash. (Orange Coast (CA) College)
81	Javonis Isaac	35	Mark Johnson	S	6-2	182	Jr.-R	1L	Prescott, Ark. (Prescott)
61	Colton Jackson	36	Katon Hill	RB	5-10	209	So.-R	SQ	Jonesboro, Ark. (Jonesboro)
42	Ryan Jernigan	37	Avery Johnson	TE	6-2	233	Fr.-R	RS	Hardy, Ark. (Highland)
37	Avery Johnson	38	Sawyer Williams	K	5-11	205	Fr.-R	RS	Allen, Texas (Allen)
<b>No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	39	Dajon Emory	DE	6-3	253	Jr.	TR	Bridgeville, Del. (Lackawanna (Pa.) College)
35	Mark Johnson	40	Antwon Turnage	LB	6-2	205	So.-R	TR	Columbia, Mo. (Dodge City (Kan.) CC)
23	Niko Johnson	41	Donovan Boyce	DB	5-11	161	Fr.	HS	Mansfield, Texas (Lakeridge)
44	Jaelyn Jones	41	J.D. Houston	K/P	5-11	175	Sr.	1L	Pelahatchie, Miss. (Hinds (MS) CC)
3	Jamal Jones	42	Ryan Jernigan	LB	6-0	209	So.	HS	Huntersville, N.C. (Jireh Prep)
9	Khari Lain	43	Kavin Alexander	DB	5-10	190	Jr.	TR	North Little Rock, Ark. (Butte (Calif.) College)



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No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Exp	Hometown (previous school)		
44	Jaelyn Jones	S	6-1	195	Fr.	HS	Bryant, Ark. (Bryant)	82	Warren Leapheart
44	Logan Moragne	RB	5-9	203	So.-R	1L	Little Rock, Ark. (Little Rock Central)	25	Dee Liner
45	Ryan Eustace	DS	6-0	208	Sr.-R	2L	Powder Springs, Ga. (Harrison)	51	Kirk Louis
46	Ben Gallagher	LB	6-0	227	Jr.-R	1L	Germantown, Tenn. (Christian Brothers)	16	Blake Mack
47	Ty Mimbs	DS	6-1	221	Fr.-R	RS	Sandersville, Ga. (Brentwood School)	80	Jaylon Marshall
47	Robert Mondie	DL	6-2	321	Sr.	1L	Memphis, Tenn. (UAB)	12	Kyle Martin
48	T.J. Harris	DE	6-2	235	Fr.-R	RS	Tulsa, Okla. (Booker T. Washington)	8	Chauncey Mason
50	William Bradley-King	DE	6-4	235	Fr.	HS	Kansas City, Mo. (Hogan Prep)	69	Robert Maxwell
51	Kirk Louis	LB	6-2	229	Fr.-R	RS	Baton Rouge, La. (McKinley)	18	Justin McInnis
52	Quanterio Heath	LB	6-2	217	Sr.-R	3L	Rison, Ark. (Rison)	95	Tevin Merritt
53	Luke Sexton	DS	6-3	280	Fr.	HS	Jonesboro, Ark. (Nettleton)	47	Ty Mimbs
54	Caleb Caston	DE	6-2	240	Jr.	2L	Pascagoula, Miss. (Pascagoula)	74	Devin Mondie
55	Xavier Woodson-Luster	LB	6-1	207	Sr.	3L	Eufaula, Ala. (Eufaula)	47	Robert Mondie
57	Jake Swalley	DL	6-2	286	Sr.	1L	Overland Park, Kan. (Highland (KA) CC)	44	Logan Moragne
58	Brandon Berg	OL	6-2	284	Sr.	1L	Tulsa, Okla. (NEO A&M College)	76	Austin Moreton
59	Holden Byassee	LB	6-1	226	Fr.	HS	Cherry Valley, Ark. (Cross County)	14	Chris Murray
60	Jhamahl Bell	OL	6-3	294	So.-R	1L	Warren, Ark. (Warren)	68	Alex Novak
61	Colton Jackson	OL	6-4	300	Sr.-R	3L	Ozark, Ark. (Ozark)	93	Chris Odom
64	Jacob Still	OL	6-1	288	Fr.	HS	Collierville, Tenn. (St. George's)	84	Jordan Papyion
65	Tyrell Reed	OL	6-5	332	Fr.-R	TR	Mount Dora, Fla. (Henderson State)	84	Dijon Paschal
67	Troy Elliott	OL	6-5	297	Fr.	OL	Flower Mound, Texas (Marcus)	1	D.J. Pearson
68	Alex Novak	OL	6-3	293	So.	TR	Fairhope, Ala. (Southwestern Mississippi CC)	20	Jared Polston
69	Robert Maxwell	OL	6-3	276	Sr.-R	1L	Little Rock, Ark. (Parkview)	33	Shawn Rainer
70	Lanard Bonner	OL	6-5	330	Jr.	TR	Birmingham, Ala. (Highland (Kan.) CC)	91	Donovan Ransom
71	Klint Harvey	OL	6-6	330	Fr.-R	TR	Corning, Ark. (Arkansas)	65	Tyrell Reed
72	Joseph Bacchus	OL	6-5	291	Sr.	1L	Southaven, Miss. (Itawamba (MS) CC)	89	Corban Richardson
73	Cameron Davis	OL	6-4	303	Fr.-R	RS	Bryant, Ark. (Bryant)		Jake Rieves
74	Devin Mondie	OL	6-5	302	Sr.-R	3L	Olive Branch, Miss. (Olive Branch)	33	Griffin Riggs
75	Dalton Ford	OL	6-4	307	Fr.-R	RS	Webb City, Mo. (Webb City)	94	Waylon Roberson
76	Austin Moreton	OL	6-1	314	Sr.-R	2L	Fort Smith, Ark. (Southside)	85	Chase Robison
77	Jacob Atnip	OL	6-5	325	Fr.	HS	Sheridan, Ark. (Sheridan)	11	Ja'Von Rolland-Jones
78	Jamal Fontenot	OL	6-4	302	So.-R	RS	Beaumont, Texas (Kilgore (TX) College)	5	Daryl Rollins-Davis
79	Jemar Clark	OL	6-6	307	Sr.-R	3L	McCrory, Ark. (McCrory)	92	Darrius Rosser
80	Jaylon Marshall	WR	6-2	185	Fr.-R	RS	Warren, Ark. (Warren)	4	Kendall Sanders
81	Javonis Isaac	TE	6-2	217	Fr.	HS	Lafayette, La. (Acadiana)	25	Stephen Upton
82	Brandon Bowling	WR	5-9	174	Fr.	HS	McKinney, Texas (Boyd)	20	Bo Sentimore
82	Warren Leapheart	TE	6-5	243	Sr.-R	3L	Morrilton, Ark. (Morrilton)	53	Luke Sexton
84	Dijon Paschal	WR	6-1	209	Jr.-R	2L	Tallassee, Ala. (Tallassee)	24	Jeremy Smith
85	Chase Robison	DE	6-4	244	Sr.-R	1L	Memphis, Tenn. (Auburn)	64	Jacob Still
86	Kendrick Edwards	WR	6-5	212	Jr.	TR	Miami, Fla. (Arkansas)	34	Malachi Stout
87	Brandon Brockman	TE	6-3	211	Jr.-R	1L	Jacksonville, Ark. (Jacksonville)	19	Sterling Stowers
87	Javier Carbonell	DL	6-2	297	Fr.-R	RS	Bentonville, Ark. (Bentonville)	16	Hayden Stricker
88	Jonah Hill	TE	6-3	242	Jr.-R	2L	Springfield, Mo. (Hillcrest)	8	Ben Sukut
89	Corban Richardson	TE	6-4	223	Fr.-R	RS	Jonesboro, Ark. (Valley View)	57	Jake Swalley
91	Donovan Ransom	DL	6-1	304	So.	1L	Garland, Texas (Garland)	34	Paul Swanson
92	Darrius Rosser	DE	6-3	273	Sr.-R	3L	Marion, Ark. (Marion)	1	Blaise Taylor
93	Chris Odom	DE	6-3	256	Sr.	3L	Arlington, Texas (Martin)	98	Clifford Thomas
94	Waylon Roberson	DL	6-2	341	Sr.	1L	Midland, Texas (New Mexico Military Institute)	40	Antwon Turnage
95	Tevin Merritt	DL	6-0	246	Fr.-R	RS	El Dorado, Ark. (El Dorado)	9	Chad Voytik
98	Clifford Thomas	DL	6-2	291	Jr.-R	2L	Marion, Ark. (Marion)	2	Nehemiah Wagner
99	Damon Foncham	P	5-8	196	Fr.-R	RS	Plano, Texas (Plano West)	6	Warren Wand
	Arnold Cunningham	RB	6-0	177	Fr.	HS	Cave City, Ark. (Cave City)	2	Armond Weh-Weh
	Tremaine Harris	WR	6-0	165	So.	HS	Osceola, Ark. (Jonesboro)		Thomas Weldon
	Jordan Papyion	DB	6-0	190	Fr.	HS	New Orleans, La. (Sterling)	30	Johnston White
	Princeton Pitts	CB	5-10	175	Fr.	HS	Jonesboro, Ark. (Jonesboro)	30	Brandon Williams
	Jake Rieves	TE	6-4	218	Fr.-R	HS	DeWitt, Ark. (DeWitt)		Bryce Williams
	Thomas Weldon	LB	5-11	225	Fr.	HS	Ringgold, Ga. (Hertiage)	38	Sawyer Williams
	Bryce Williams	LB	5-8	205	Fr.	HS	Jonesboro, Ark. (Jonesboro)	15	Kyle Wilson
								55	Xavier Woodson-Luster

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<b>LEFT TACKLE</b> .....79, Jemar Clark (6-6, 307, Sr.-R, 3L)		78, Jamal Fontenot (6-4, 302, So.-R, RS)
<b>LEFT GUARD</b> .....61, Colton Jackson (6-4, 300, Sr.-R, 3L)		73, Cameron Davis (6-4, 303, Fr.-R, RS)
<b>CENTER</b> .....74, Devin Mondie (6-5, 302, Sr.-R, 3L)		58, Brandon Berg (6-2, 284, Sr., 1L)
<b>RIGHT GUARD</b> .....76, Austin Moreton (6-1, 314, Sr.-R, 2L)		75, Dalton Ford (6-4, 307, Fr.-R, RS)
<b>RIGHT TACKLE</b> .....72, Joseph Bacchus (6-5, 291, Sr., 1L)		69, Robert Maxwell (6-3, 276, Sr.-R, 1L)
<b>QUARTERBACK</b> .....9, Chad Voytik (6-1, 215, Sr., TR)	or	15, Justice Hansen (6-4, 207, So.-R, TR)
<b>RUNNING BACK</b> ...6, Warren Wand (5-5, 179, So., 1L)		2, Armond Weh-Weh (6-0, 205, Jr., TR)
<b>A-BACK</b> .....11, Cam Echols-Luper (6-0, 192, Jr.-R, RS)		13, Christian Booker (5-11, 174, Jr., TR)
<b>TIGHT END</b> .....16, Blake Mack (6-3, 245, Jr., 2L)		37, Avery Johnson (6-2, 233, Fr.-R, RS)
<b>WR</b> .....84, Dijon Paschal (6-1, 209, Jr.-R, 2L)		7, Omar Bayless (6-3, 198, Fr.-R, RS)
<b>WR</b> .....4, Kendall Sanders (6-0, 198, Sr., TR)	or	14, Chris Murray (5-9, 181, Jr., 1L)

**DEFENSE**

<b>DEFENSIVE END</b> ....54, Caleb Caston (6-2, 240, Jr., 2L)	or	11, Ja'Von Rolland-Jones (6-2, 233, Jr.-R, 2L)
<b>NOSE GUARD</b> .....94, Waylon Roberson (6-2, 341, Sr., 1L)		91, Donovan Ransom (6-1, 304, So., 1L)
<b>DEFENSIVE TACKLE</b> ...47, Robert Mondie (6-2, 321, Sr., 1L)	or	25, Dee Linder (6-3, 325, Jr.-R, RS)
<b>BANDIT</b> .....93, Chris Odom (6-3, 256, Sr., 3L)		33, Griffin Riggs (6-3, 253, So., 1L)
<b>WILL LB</b> .....55, Xavier Woodson-Luster (6-1, 207, Sr., 3L)		9, Khari Lain (5-10, 196, Jr., 2L)
<b>MIKE LB</b> .....52, Quanterio Heath (6-2, 217, Sr.-R, 3L)		15, Kyle Wilson (6-0, 228, Jr., TR)
<b>NICKELBACK</b> .....10, Justin Clifton (6-0, 206, So., 1L)		26, Trent Ellis-Brewer (6-2, 212, Fr., HS)
<b>CORNERBACK</b> .....1, Blaise Taylor (5-9, 165, Jr., 2L)		28, Brandon Byner (5-11, 173, Jr., 2L)
<b>STRONG SAFETY</b> ...21, Cody Brown (6-2, 208, Sr., 1L)		27, Money Hunter (6-1, 185, Sr., 3L)
<b>FREE SAFETY</b> .....20, Bo Sentimore (6-0, 180, Sr., 1L)		3, B.J. Edmonds (6-0, 202, Fr., HS)
<b>CORNERBACK</b> .....29, Chris Humes (5-11, 206, Sr.-R, 3L)		2, Nehemia Wagner (6-0, 167, Jr., 2L)

**SPECIAL TEAMS**

<b>PLACEKICKER</b> .....41, J.D. Houston (5-11, 175, Sr., 1L)		38, Sawyer Williams (5-11, 205, Fr.-R, RS)
<b>PUNTER</b> .....99, Damon Foncham (5-8, 196, Fr.-R, RS)		11, Cam Echols-Luper (6-0, 192, Jr.-R, RS)
<b>KICKOFF RETURN</b> ... 11, Cam Echols-Luper (6-0, 192, Jr.-R, RS)	or	1, Blaise Taylor (5-9, 165, Jr., 2L)
<b>PUNT RETURN</b> .....11, Cam Echols-Luper (6-0, 192, Jr.-R, RS)	or	1, Blaise Taylor (5-9, 165, Jr., 2L)
<b>DEEP SNAPPER</b> ....45, Ryan Eustace (6-0, 208, Sr.-R, 2L)		47, Ty Mimbs (6-1, 221, Fr.-R, RS)
<b>HOLDER</b> .....99, Damon Foncham (5-8, 196, Fr.-R, RS)		19, Sterling Stowers (5-10, 191, Jr.-R, 1L)

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Kavin Alexander.....KAY-Vin		Devin Mondie.....Mahn-DEE
Joseph Bacchus.....BACK-US		Robert Mondie.....Mahn-DEE
Darveon Brown.....Dar-VEE-on		Logan Moragne.....More-Ayn-E
Holdy Byassee.....BYE-See		Dijon Paschal.....DEE-John
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Ryan Eustace.....YOU-Stuss		Ben Sukut.....SOO-KUHT
Damon Foncham.....Fahn-Chuhm		Blaise Taylor.....Blaze
Jamal Fontenot.....Font-lh-Know		Chad Voytik.....Voy-Tick
Katon Hill.....KAY-ton		Nehemia Wagner.....Knee-IH-my-UH
Niko Johnson.....KNEE-co		Armond Weh-Weh.....Way-Way
Khari Lain.....Ky-Ree		Xavier Woodson-Luster.....Ex-ZAVIER

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### #2 ARMOND WEH-WEH, RB, JR.

Rushes.....5 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Rushing Yards .....29 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Longest Rush.....12 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Rushing Touchdowns.....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #4 KENDALL SANDERS, WR, SR.

Receptions .....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Receiving Yards .....3 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #5 DARYL ROLLINS-DAVIS, RB, SO.

Rushes .....2 at Georgia State (10-11-14)  
 Rushing Yards .....3 at Georgia State (10-11-14)  
 Longest Rush .....3 at Georgia State (10-11-14)  
 Receptions .....3 at Idaho (11-1-14)  
 Receiving Yards .....43 at Idaho (11-1-14)  
 Longest Reception .....18 at Idaho (11-1-14)  
 Kickoff Returns .....5 at Miami (9-13-14)  
 Kickoff Return Yards .....126 at Miami (9-13-14)  
 Longest Kickoff Return.....41 at Tennessee (9-6-14)

### #6 WARREN WAND, RB, SO.

Rushes .....14 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Rushing Yards .....119 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)  
 Longest Rush.....60 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)  
 Rushing Touchdowns .....1, five times (last vs. LT, 12-19-15)  
 Receptions.....5 vs. Louisiana Tech (12-19-15)  
 Receiving Yards .....35 at Toledo (9-26-15)  
 Longest Reception .....31 at Toledo (9-26-15)  
 Kickoff Returns .....2 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Kickoff Return Yards .....47 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Longest Kickoff Return .....24 at South Alabama (10-13-15)

### #9 CHAD VOYTIK, 1B, SR.

Rushes.....18 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Rushing Yards .....38 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Longest Rush.....20 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Pass Attempts .....24 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Completions.....11 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Passing Yards .....124 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Longest Completion.....83 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #11 CAM ECHOLS-LUPER, WR, JR.

Rushes.....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Rushing Yards .....7 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Receptions .....3 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Receiving Yards.....6 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Longest Reception .....5 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Punt Returns .....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Punt Return Yards.....24 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Punts.....2 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Punting Yards .....76 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Punting Average .....38.0 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Longest Punt.....68 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #13 CHRISTIAN BOOKER, WR, JR.

Rushes.....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Receptions .....3 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Receiving Yards .....13 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Longest Reception .....11 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #14 CHRIS MURRAY, WR, JR.

Receptions .....5 at New Mexico State (11-28-15)  
 Receiving Yards .....52 at ULM (11-14-15)  
 Receiving Touchdowns ...1, three times (last vs TSU, 12-6-15)  
 Longest Reception.....53 at ULM (11-14-15)  
 Punt Returns .....3 at Toledo (9-26-15)  
 Punt Return Yards.....63 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)  
 Longest Punt Return .....34 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)  
 Kickoff Returns .....1, three times (last vs. LT, 12-19-15)  
 Kickoff Return Yards .....34 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)

### #15 JUSTICE HANSEN, QB, SO.

Rushes.....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Pass Attempts .....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #16, BLAKE MACK, TE, JR.

Receptions .....3, twice (last at Toledo, 9-26-15)  
 Receiving Yards .....90 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Longest Reception .....83 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Receiving Touchdowns .....1 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Rushes .....1, twice (last at Toledo, 9-26-15)  
 Rushing Yards .....12 vs. New Mexico State (11-29-14)

### #18 JUSTIN MCINNIS, WR, SO.

Receptions .....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Receiving Yards .....4 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #19 STERLING STOWERS, WR, JR.

Receptions .....3 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)  
 Receiving Yards .....27 vs. Louisiana Tech (12-19-15)  
 Longest Reception.....17 vs. Louisiana Tech (12-19-15)  
 Receiving Touchdowns .....1 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)

### #30 JOHNSTON WHITE, RB, JR.

Rushes.....18 vs. Utah State (9-20-14)  
 Rushing Yards .....110 vs. New Mexico State (11-29-14)  
 Longest Rush.....56 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)  
 Rushing TDs .....3 vs. Missouri State (9-9-15)  
 Receptions .....3 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Receiving Yards.....19 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Receiving Touchdowns .....1 vs Appalachian State (11-15-14)

### #41 J.D. HOUSTON, K, SR.

Field Goals.....4 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)  
 Field Goal Attempts .....4 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)  
 Long Field Goal .....42 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (10-20-15)  
 Extra Points.....4, twice (last at Appalachian State (11-5-15)  
 Scoring by Kick .....16 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)

### #82 WARREN LEAPHEART, TE, SR.

Receptions .....2, twice (last at Toledo, 9-26-15)  
 Receiving Yards .....38 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)  
 Longest Reception .....20 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)  
 Receiving TDs .....1, twice (last vs. South Alabama, 11-8-14)

### #84 DIJON PASCHAL, WR, JR.

Receptions .....8 at Louisiana-Lafayette (11-1-14)  
 Receiving Yards .....141 at Louisiana-Lafayette (11-1-14)  
 Longest Reception .....87 at Louisiana-Lafayette (11-1-14)  
 Receiving Touchdowns .....2 at Louisiana-Lafayette (11-1-14)  
 Rushes.....1 vs. Missouri (9-12-15)

### #99 DAMON FONCHAM, P, FR.

Punts .....5 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Punting Yards .....211 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Average .....42.2 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Longest Punt .....48 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Inside 20 .....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

## 2016 ARKANSAS STATE FOOTBALL NOTES: Career Highs (Defense)

### #1 BLAISE TAYLOR, CB, JR.

Tackles.....4, three times (last vs. Texas State, 12-6-15)  
 Tackles for Loss ....1, twice (last at South Alabama, 10-13-15)  
 Interceptions .....1 at New Mexico State (11-28-15)  
 Pass Break-ups .....3 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)  
 Forced Fumbles.....1 vs. South Alabama (11-8-14)  
 Punt Returns .....5, twice (last at ULM, 11-14-15)  
 Punt Return Yards .....111 at New Mexico State (11-28-15)  
 Punt Return TDs .....1, twice (last at NMSU, 11-28-15)  
 Long Punt Return .....73 at New Mexico State (11-28-15)  
 Kickoff Returns .....5 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Kickoff Return Yards .....174 vs. Louisiana Tech (12-19-15)  
 Long Kickoff Return.....98 vs. Louisiana Tech (12-19-15)

### #2, NEHEMIA WAGNER, CB, JR.

Tackles .....3, twice (last vs. Texas State, 12-6-15)  
 Interceptions .....1 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)  
 Pass Break-ups .....2 vs. Louisiana Tech 912-19-15)

### #9 KHARI LAIN, LB, JR.

Tackles .....12 vs. Missouri (9-12-15)  
 Tackles for Loss ....2, three times (last vs. La. Tech, 12-19-15)  
 Sacks .....2 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)  
 Pass Break-Ups.....1, twice (last vs. UL Lafayette, 10-20-15)  
 Interceptions .....1 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)  
 Fumble Recoveries .....1 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)

### #10, JUSTIN CLIFTON, DB, SO.

Tackles.....11 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Tackles for Loss.....2 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Sacks .....1.0, twice (last at USA, 10-13-15)  
 Interceptions .....1 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Pass Break-ups .....1, twice (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Forced Fumbles.....1, twice (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)

### #11 JA'VON ROLLAND-JONES, DE, JR.

Tackles .....8 at Idaho (11-1-14)  
 Tackles for Loss.....5 at Idaho (11-1-14)  
 Sacks .....5 at Idaho (11-1-14)  
 Fumbles Forced .....1, six times (last vs. Texas State, 12-5-15)  
 Fumbles Recovered .....1 at Miami (9-13-14)  
 Interceptions .....1 at Toledo (9-26-15)  
 Pass Break-ups ...1, twice (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12-19-15))

### #15 KYLE WILSON, LB, JR.

Tackles .....7 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #20, BO SENTIMORE, S, SR.

Tackles .....6 at USC (9-5-15)  
 Interceptions .....1 vs. Missouri (9-12-15)

### #21, CODY BROWN, S, SR.

Tackles .....8, twice (last vs. Louisiana Tech, 12-19-15)  
 Tackles for Loss .....1.5 vs. Louisiana Tech (12-19-15)  
 Interceptions .....1, three times (last vs. ULL, 10-20-15)  
 Pass Break-Ups.....1, eight times (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)

### #22 JAMARIS HART, CB, JR.

Tackles .....5 at Toledo (9-26-15)  
 Tackles for Loss .....1 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Sacks .....1 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Pass Break-Ups .....2, twice (last vs. ULL, 10-20-15)  
 Interceptions .....1 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)

### #25 DEE LINER, DL, JR.

Tackles .....2 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Quarterback Hurries .....1 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)

### #27, MONEY HUNTER, S, SR.

Tackles.....11, twice (last vs. Toledo, 1-4-15)  
 Tackles for Loss .....1, twice (last at USA, 10-13-15)  
 Sacks .....1 vs. New Mexico State (11-29-14)  
 Pass Break-ups.....1, six times (last at ULM, 11-14-15)  
 Interceptions.....1, five times (last at ULM, 11-14-15)  
 Forced Fumbles....1, twice (last at South Alabama, 10-13-15)

### #28, BRANDON BYNER, CB, JR.

Tackles.....3 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)

### #29, CHRIS HUMES, DB, SR.

Tackles .....12 at Auburn (9-7-13)  
 Tackles for Loss.....1, four times (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Sacks .....1 at Memphis (9-21-13)  
 Forced Fumbles .....1, three times (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Fumbles Recovered .....1, twice (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Pass Break-ups.....3 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)  
 Interceptions.....1, twice (last at ULM, 11-14-15)

### #31, JARROD CHANDLER, DE, SO.

Tackles.....2, four times (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Tackles for Loss.....1 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)

### #32, TAJHEA CHAMBERS, LB, FR.

Tackles .....8 at USC (9-5-15)  
 Tackles for Loss .....2.5 at USC (9-5-15)  
 Sacks .....2.5 at USC (9-5-15)

### #33, GRIFFIN RIGGS, DE, SO.

Tackles.....2, twice (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Tackles for Loss .....0.5, twice (last at NMSU, 11-28-15)

### #34, PAUL SWANSON, LB, SR.

Tackles.....2 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)

### #46, BEN GALLAGHER, LB, JR.

Tackles.....2 vs. Missouri State (9-19-15)

### #47, ROBERT MONDIE, DL, SR.

Tackles .....5, twice (last at ULM, 11-14-15)  
 Tackles for Loss.....2 vs. Missouri (9-12-15)  
 Fumble Recoveries.....1 at ULM (11-14-15)

### #52 QUANTERIO HEATH, LB, SR.

Tackles .....11 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Tackles for Loss.....3 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Sacks .....1.0 vs. UAPB (8-31-13)  
 Interceptions .....1 at New Mexico State (11-28-15)  
 Pass Break-Ups .....1, twice (last at USA, 10-13-15)

### #54 CALEB CASON, DE, JR.

Tackles .....5 at ULM (11-14-15)  
 Tackles for Loss .....1, four times (last at ULM, 11-14-15)  
 Sacks .....1, twice (last vs. ULM, 10-4-14)  
 Fumble Recoveries.....1, twice (last at NMSU, 11-28-15)  
 Pass Break-ups .....1 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (10-20-15)

### #55 XAVIER WOODSON-LUSTER, LB, SR.

Tackles .....14, twice (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Tackles for Loss .....3 vs. ULM (10-4-14)  
 Sacks .....1, five times (last at Appalachian State, 11-5-15)  
 Fumbles Forced .....1, four times (last vs. Toledo, 9-2-16)  
 Fumbles Recovered .....1 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Interceptions .....1, twice (last at NMSU, 11-28-15)  
 Pass Break-ups .....2 vs. Ball State (1-5-14)

### #57, JAKE SWALLEY, DL, SR.

Tackles.....4 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Tackles for Loss .....1.5 at South Alabama (10-13-15)  
 Sacks .....1.5 at South Alabama (10-13-15)

### #85, CHASE ROBISON, DE, SR.

Tackles .....3, twice (last vs. Texas State, 12-5-15)  
 Tackles for Loss .....1, six times (last vs. La. Tech, 12-19-15)  
 Sacks .....1 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)

### #91, DONOVAN RANSOM, DL, SO.

Tackles.....2, three times (last vs. Idaho, 10-3-15)

### #92 DARRIUS ROSSER, SR., DE

Tackles .....5 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Tackles for Loss .....2 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Sacks .....1.5, twice (last at ULM, 11-14-15)  
 Fumbles Forced .....1 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Fumbles Recovered .....1 at Idaho (11-1-14)  
 Pass Break-ups.....1 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)

### #93 CHRIS ODOM, SR., DE

Tackles .....5 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Tackles for Loss.....1.0, four times (last vs. Toledo, 1-4-15)  
 Sacks .....1.0, twice (last vs. Toledo, 1-4-15)  
 Pass Break-ups.....1, twice (last at Georgia State, 10-11-14)  
 Blocked Kicks .....2 vs. Georgia State (10-31-15)

### #94, WAYLON ROBERSON, DL, SR.

Tackles .....7 vs. Toledo (9-2-16)  
 Tackles for Loss.....1 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)  
 Forced Fumbles .....1 at Appalachian State (11-5-15)  
 Blocked PAT .....1 at USC (9-5-15)

### #98, CLIFF THOMAS, DL, JR.

Tackles.....5 at Texas State (11-20-14)  
 Tackles for Loss.....1 vs. Appalachian State (11-15-14)  
 Forced Fumbles .....1 vs. Appalachian State (11-15-14)

**TEAM**

**SHUT OUT AN OPPONENT**

ASU: 12-1-12 vs. Middle Tennessee (45-0)  
 OPP: 11-1-08, No. 2 Alabama (35-0)

**RUSHED FOR OVER 250 YARDS**

ASU: 12-5-15 vs. Texas State (46 attempts for 353 yards)  
 OPP: 1-4-15 vs. Toledo (53 attempts, 365 yards)

**RUSHED FOR OVER 300 YARDS**

ASU: 12-5-15 vs. Texas State (46 attempts for 353 yards)  
 OPP: 1-4-15 vs. Toledo (53 attempts, 365 yards)

**PASSED FOR OVER 300 YARDS**

ASU: 11-28-15 at NMSU (23-of-43 for 367 yards)  
 OPP: 9-2-16 vs. Toledo (23-of-31 for 371 yards)

**HAD OVER 500 YARDS OF TOTAL OFFENSE**

ASU: 12-5-15 vs. Texas State (545 yards: 353 rush, 192 pass)  
 OPP: 9-2-16 vs. Toledo (556 yards: 185 rush, 371 pass)

**HAD OVER 600 YARDS OF TOTAL OFFENSE**

ASU: 11-28-15 at New Mexico State (605 yards: 238 rush, 367 pass)  
 OPP: 12-19-15 vs. Louisiana Tech (687 yards: 238 rush, 367 pass)

**RECORDED 30 OR MORE FIRST DOWNS**

ASU: 11-28-15 at New Mexico State (30)  
 OPP: 1-4-15 vs. Toledo (30)

**FAILED TO RUSH FOR 100 YARDS**

ASU: 9-26-15 at Toledo (24 carries for -14 yards)  
 OPP: 10-13-15 at South Alabama (32 attempts for 29 yards)

**FAILED TO PASS FOR OVER 100 YARDS**

ASU: 11-16-13 vs. Texas State (14-of-18 for 96 yards)  
 OPP: 11-8-14 vs. South Alabama (9 of 25 for 90 yards)

**HELD AN OPPONENT UNDER 200 YARDS TOTAL OFF.**

ASU: 8-31-13 vs. UAPB (173 yards: 12 rush, 161 pass)  
 OPP: 10-22-13, UL Lafayette (168 yards: 79 rushing, 89 passing)

**SCORED A SAFETY**

ASU: 9-3-11 at Illinois  
 OPP: 11-3-12, at North Texas

**SCORED 50 OR MORE POINTS**

ASU: 12-5-15 vs. Texas State (55-17)  
 OPP: 9-5-15 vs. USC (55-6)

**INDIVIDUAL**

**PLAYER RUSHED FOR 100 YARDS**

ASU: 12-5-15 vs. Texas State (Michael Gordon, 20 carries for 158 yards)  
 OPP: 12-19-15 vs. Louisiana Tech, Boston Scott (4 carries for 106 yards)  
 12-19-15 vs. La. Tech, Kenneth Dixon (21 carries for 102 yards)

**PLAYER RUSHED FOR 200 YARDS**

ASU: 9-6-08, Derek Lawson vs. TX Southern (18 for 209 yards)  
 OPP: 10-20-15 vs. UL Lafayette, Jalen Nixon (19 carries for 201 yards)

**TWO OR MORE PLAYERS RUSHED FOR 100 YARDS**

ASU: 11-29-14 vs. New Mexico State: Fredi Knighten (153 yards),  
 Michael Gordon (143 yards), Johnston White (110 yards)  
 OPP: 12-19-15 vs. Louisiana Tech, Boston Scott (106 yards),  
 Kenneth Dixon (102 yards)

**TWO OR MORE PLAYERS WITH 100 YARDS RECEIVING**

ASU: 11-14-15 at NMSU: Tres Houston (7 receptions for 155 yards)  
 and Dijon Paschal (4 receptions for 115 yards)  
 OPP: 12-19-15 vs. Louisiana Tech: Trent Taylor (10 receptions for 149  
 yards), Kenneth Dixon (6 receptions for 113 yards)

**PLAYER PASSED FOR 300 YARDS**

ASU: 11-28-15, Fredi Knighten at NMSU (23-42-1 for 367 yards)  
 OPP: 9-2-16, Logan Woodside, Toledo (23-31-0 for 371 yards)

**PLAYER PASSED FOR 400 YARDS**

ASU: 1-4-15, Fredi Knighten vs. Toledo (23-31-0 for 403 yards)  
 OPP: 12-19-15, Jeff Driskel, Louisiana Tech (26-38-0 for 458 yards)

**RETURNED A KICKOFF FOR A TOUCHDOWN**

ASU: 12-19-15, Blaise Taylor vs. Louisiana Tech (98 yards)  
 OPP: 10-31-15, Marquan Greene, Georgia State (100 yards)

**RETURNED A PUNT FOR A TOUCHDOWN**

ASU: 11-28-15, Blaise Taylor at New Mexico State (73 yards)  
 OPP: 11-3-07, L. Singleton, FIU (80 yards)

**RETURNED AN INTERCEPTION FOR A TOUCHDOWN**

ASU: 12-5-15, Money Hunter vs. Texas State (99 yards)  
 OPP: 10-31-15, Chandon Sullivan, Georgia State (25 yards)

**RETURNED A FUMBLE FOR A TOUCHDOWN**

ASU: 11-5-15, Chris Stone at Appalachian State (19 yards)  
 OPP: 9-5-15, Osa Masina (USC) (46 yards)

**BLOCKED AN OPPONENT'S PUNT**

ASU: 11-23-13, Brock Barnhill vs. Georgia State  
 OPP: 10-13-12, Maleki Harris (South Alabama)

**RETURNED A BLOCKED PUNT FOR A TOUCHDOWN**

ASU: 11-23-13, Brock Barnhill (block) and Raziel Valgis (TD) vs. Georgia State (25 yards)  
 OPP: 9-8-12, Anthony Watson (block) and Teven Jones (TD), Memphis (0 yards)

**RETURNED A BLOCKED FIELD GOAL FOR A TD**

ASU: 2000, Hanis Bowens vs. North Carolina State (80 yards)  
 OPP: 2004, Terryl Fenton, UL-Lafayette (80-yards)

**RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE OF 50 YARDS OR MORE**

ASU: 12-5-15, Logan Moragne vs. Texas State (58 yards)  
 OPP: 12-19-15, Boston Scott (vs. Louisiana Tech, 77 yards)

**PASS FROM SCRIMMAGE OF 50 YARDS OR MORE**

ASU: 9-2-16, 87 yards vs. Toledo (Chad Voytick to Blake Mack)  
 OPP: 9-2-16, 54 yards vs. Toledo (L. Woodside to Cody Thompson)

**MADE 50+ YARD FIELD GOAL**

ASU: 11-2-13, 50 yards (Brian Davis at South Alabama)  
 OPP: 12-19-15, 50 yards (Jonathan Barnes, Louisiana Tech)

## 2016 ARKANSAS STATE STARTING LINEUPS

### OFFENSE

	<b>QB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>A-BACK</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RT</b>
<b>TOLEDO</b>	Voytik	White	Echols-Luper	Paschal	Sanders	Mack	Clark	Jackson	Mondie	Moreton	Bacchus

### DEFENSE

	<b>BANDIT</b>	<b>DT</b>	<b>NG</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>MLB</b>	<b>WLB</b>	<b>NB</b>	<b>CB</b>	<b>CB</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>FS</b>
<b>TOLEDO</b>	Odom	Liner	Roberson	Caston	Heath	Woodson-Luster	Clifton	Humes	Taylor	Brown	Sentimore

## 2016 A-STATE LONG PLAYS (20+ YARDS)

Yds	Play	Opponent	Date	Qtr.
83	Voytik pass to Mack	Toledo	9-2	4
20	Voytik rush	Toledo	9-2	2
<b>TOTAL: 2 80+: 1 70+: 1 60+: 1 50+: 1 40+: 1 30+: 1</b>				

## 2016 ARKANSAS STATE SCORING DRIVES

Plays	Yards	TOP (QTR)	Score
<b>TOLEDO (2: 1 TD/1 FG)</b>			
6	32	1:44 (1)	Houston 43-yard field goal
6	94	1:51 (4)	Weh-Weh 2 yd run
<b>TOTAL SCORING DRIVES: 2    SCORING DRIVES TAKING 2 MINUTES OR LESS: 2 (100% of all drives)    SCORING DRIVES TAKING 4 MINUTES OR LONGER: 0 (0% of all drives)</b>			

**GAME 1**

SEPT. 2, 2016 | CENTENNIAL BANK STADIUM: 26,182 | Toledo 31, A-State 10



JONESBORO, Ark. (9/2/16) – Arkansas State dropped its season opener versus Toledo 31-10 in front of 26,182 fans at Centennial Bank Stadium.

“It was a rough night and not how we wanted to start,” said A-State head coach Blake Anderson. “We didn’t respond well and a really good football team beat us. We have a lot of work to do in a very short period of time to get ready for a really good opponent next week. We’ve got to get some things ironed out.”

Toledo converted seven third down conversions in the second quarter to spark three touchdown scores and a 21-3 halftime advantage. The Rockets were 12-of-17 on third downs while holding A-State to 3-of-16 behind the chains. Toledo finished with 556 total yards, including 371 yards through the air, while A-State managed 266 yards on 63 plays.

A-State senior quarterback Chad Voytik finished his Red Wolves’ debut 11-of-24 passing for 124 yards while carrying the ball 18 times for 38 yards, including a run of 20 yards. Sophomore running back Warren Wand led A-State in rushing with 12 carries for 77 yards, his eighth-straight outing with 50 or more yards rushing. Junior tight end Blake Mack led A-State with 87 yards receiving, a career-long 83 of which came on a fourth-quarter scoring drive.

Senior linebacker Xavier Woodson-Luster posted a career-high 14 tackles, a tackle for loss and a forced fumble. Justin Clifton and Quanterio Heath also recorded double-digit stops with 11 tackles each. Toledo quarterback Logan Woodside was 23-of-31 passing for three touchdowns and 371 yards while wide-out Cody Thompson had five receptions for 174 yards and a score.

A-State opened up the scoring with a career-long 43-yard field goal

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Score
Arkansas State	3	0	0	7	31
Toledo	0	21	10	0	10

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring play	Pys-Yds	TOP	Score
A-State	1	01:17	Houston 43 yd field goal	6-32	1:44	3-0
Toledo	2	11:58	Roberts 5 yd reception	12-75	4:19	3-7
Toledo	2	06:14	Hunt 1 yd run	11-51	4:19	3-14
Toledo	2	02:03	Thompson 16 yd rec.	6-33	2:05	3-21
Toledo	3	11:13	Vest 42 yd field goal	7-40	2:58	3-24
Toledo	3	06:09	Roberts 22 yd reception	5-86	2:15	3-31
A-State	4	11:14	Weh-Weh 2 yd run	6-94	1:51	10-31

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	A-STATE	TOLEDO
First Downs	13	24
Net yards rushing	142	185
Net yards passing	124	371
Passes Comp-Att-Int	11-25-0	23-31-0
Total Net Yards	266	556
Fumbles: Number-Lost	3-2	0-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	6-48	6-58
Possession Time	25:25	34:35
Third Down Conversions	3 of 16	12 of 17
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-26	0-0

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** Toledo - JONES-MOORE, D. 11-81; HUNT, Kareem 17-78; SWANSON, Terry 14-30; WOODSIDE, Logan 1-2; TEAM 2-minus 6. Arkansas State - Wand, Warren 12-77; Voytik, Chad 18-38; Weh-Weh, Armond 5-29; Echols-Luper, C 1-7; Booker, C. 1-minus 3; Hansen, Justice 1-minus 6. **PASSING:** Toledo - WOODSIDE, Logan 23-31-0-371. Arkansas State - Voytik, Chad 11-24-0-124; Hansen, Justice 0-1-0-0. **RECEIVING:** Toledo - JONES, Corey 6-54; THOMPSON, Cody 5-174; ROBERTS, M. 4-41; HUNT, Kareem 4-26; JOHNSON, Jon'Vea 2-28; MCKINLEY-LEWIS 1-40; SWANSON, Terry 1-8. Arkansas State - Booker, C. 3-13; Echols-Luper, C 3-6; Mack, Blake 2-87; Murray, Chris 1-11; McInnis, Justin 1-4; Sanders, K. 1-3. **INTERCEPTIONS:** Toledo - None. Arkansas State - None. **FUMBLES:** Toledo - JONES, Corey 1-0; THOMPSON, Cody 1-1; SWANSON, Terry 1-1. Arkansas State - None.

by J.D. Houston near the end of the first quarter. The drive was set up by a fumble forced by Chris Humes, which he also recovered at A-State’s 42-yard line. The turnover forced was the 24th time in 27 games under defensive coordinator Joe Cauthen that the Red Wolves have caused a giveaway.

However, the second period belonged to Toledo as the Rockets scored three minutes into the frame with a five-yard touchdown pass by Logan Woodside to Michael Roberts. The scoring play gave the visitors a 7-3 edge and capped a 12-play, 75-yard drive. Kareem Hunt added a one-yard rushing touchdown after an A-State three-and-out to put the Rockets up 14-3, while Woodside tossed his second scoring pass of the quarter after another Red Wolves’ three-and-out, this one a 16-yard strike to Cody Thompson to set the halftime score at 21-3.

Toledo added to their advantage with a 42-yard field goal by Jameson Vest to make the score 24-3 after the Red Wolves went three-and-out on offense to begin the half. Arkansas State drove to near midfield in its second possession of the third quarter after four straight runs by Armond Weh-Weh, the first two picking up 12 and 10 yards respectively.

However, the drive stalled for the Red Wolves when Chad Voytik was sacked. Punter Damon Foncham pinned the Rockets inside their 20-yard line, but the visitors only needed five plays to cover 86 yards to earn a 31-3 lead with Woodside’s third touchdown toss of the game.

A-State scored its first touchdown of the game early in the fourth quarter when Armond Weh-Weh plunged into the end zone from two yards out for his first career score. The team drove 94 yards in six plays with an 83-yard toss to Blake Mack, the longest of his career, representing the biggest play of the drive.

Arkansas State Game Results (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	Conference	Time	Attend
Sep 02, 2016	TOLEDO	L 10-31	0-1	0-0	3:10	26182



## Arkansas State Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 03, 2016) All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral						
Sep 02, 201	TOLEDO	L 10-31	26182	All games	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0						
				Conference	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0						
				Non-Conference	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0						
Rushing				Team Statistics		ASU		OPP						
Wand, Warren	g att gain loss net avg td lg avg/g	FIRST DOWNS		13		24								
Voytik, Chad	1 12 78 1 77 6.4 0 18 77.0	Rushing		8		9								
Weh-Weh, Armond	1 18 61 23 38 2.1 0 20 38.0	Passing		3		14								
Echols-Luper, C	1 5 29 0 29 5.8 1 12 29.0	Penalty		2		1								
Booker, C.	1 1 7 0 7 7.0 0 7 7.0	RUSHING YARDAGE		142		185								
Hansen, Justice	1 1 0 3 -3 -3.0 0 0 -3.0	Rushing Attempts		38		45								
Total	1 1 0 6 -6 -6.0 0 0 -6.0	Average Per Rush		3.7		4.1								
Opponents	1 38 175 33 142 3.7 1 20 142.0	Average Per Game		142.0		185.0								
Passing				TDs Rushing		1		1						
Voytik, Chad	g efficcomp-att-int pct yds td lg avg/g	PASSING YARDAGE		124		371								
Hansen, Justice	1 89.23 11-24-0 45.8 124 0 83 124.0	Comp-Att-Int		11-25-0		23-31-0								
Total	1 0.00 0-1-0 0.0 0 0 0 0.0	Average Per Pass		5.0		12.0								
Opponents	1 85.66 11-25-0 44.0 124 0 83 124.0	Average Per Catch		11.3		16.1								
Receiving				Average Per Game		124.0		371.0						
Booker, C.	g no. yds avg td lg avg/g	TDs Passing		0		3								
Echols-Luper, C	1 3 13 4.3 0 11 13.0	TOTAL OFFENSE		266		556								
Mack, Blake	1 3 6 2.0 0 5 6.0	Average Per Play		4.2		7.3								
Murray, Chris	1 2 87 43.5 0 83 87.0	Average Per Game		266.0		556.0								
McInnis, Justin	1 1 11 11.0 0 11 11.0	KICK RETURNS: #-Yards		5-71		2-32								
Sanders, K.	1 1 4 4.0 0 4 4.0	PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards		1-24		3-18								
Total	1 11 124 11.3 0 83 124.0	INT RETURNS: #-Yards		0-0		0-0								
Opponents	1 23 371 16.1 3 54 371.0	FUMBLES-LOST		0-0		3-2								
Field Goals				PENALTIES-Yards		6-48		6-58						
Houston, J.D.	fg pct. 01-19 20-29 30-39 40-49 50-99 lg blk	PUNTS-AVG		7-41.0		3-47.0								
	1-1 100. 0-0 0-0 0-0 1-1 0-0 43 0	TIME OF POSSESSION/G		25:25		34:35								
Scoring				3RD-DOWN Conversions		3/16		12/17						
Weh-Weh, Armond	td fg kick rush rcv pass dxp saf pts	4TH-DOWN Conversions		2/4		0/0								
Houston, J.D.	1 - 1-1 1-1 - - - - - 4	Interceptions		no. yds avg td lg										
Total	1 1-1 1-1 - - - - - 10	Punting		no. yds avg lg tb fc i2050+ blk										
Opponents	4 1-2 4-4 - - - - - 31	Foncham, Damon		5 211 42.2 48 0 3 1 0 0										
Score by Quarters				Echols-Luper, C		2 76 38.0 68 0 0 0 1 0								
Arkansas State	1st 2nd 3rd 4th OT Total	Punt Returns		no. yds avg td lg										
Opponents	3 0 0 7 0 10	Echols-Luper, C		1 24 24.0 0 24										
	0 21 10 0 0 31	Total		1 24 24.0 0 24										
				Opponents		3 18 6.0 0 6								
				Kick Returns		no. yds avg td lg								
				Taylor, Blaise		5 71 14.2 0 20								
				Total		5 71 14.2 0 20								
				Opponents		2 32 16.0 0 16								
				All Purpose		g rush rcv pr kr ir total avg/g								
				Mack, Blake		1 0 87 0 0 0 87 87.0								
				Wand, Warre		1 77 0 0 0 0 77 77.0								
				Taylor, Blaise		1 0 0 0 71 0 71 71.0								
				Voytik, Chad		1 38 0 0 0 0 38 38.0								
				Echols-Luper, C		1 7 6 24 0 0 37 37.0								
				Total		1 142 124 24 71 0 361 361.0								
				Opponents		1 185 371 18 32 0 606 606.0								
				Total Offense		g plays rush pass total avg/g								
				Voytik, Chad		1 42 38 124 162 162.0								
				Wand, Warren		1 12 77 0 77 77.0								
				Weh-Weh, Armond		1 5 29 0 29 29.0								
				Echols-Luper, C		1 1 7 0 7 7.0								
				Total		1 63 142 124 266 266.0								
				Opponents		1 76 185 371 556 556.0								
				Tackles		Sacks		Pass defense		Fumbles		blkd		
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
55	Woodson-Luster	1	4	10	14	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
10	Clifton, Justin	1	8	3	11	2.0-4	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
52	Heath, O.	1	1	10	11	2.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Wilson, Kyle	1	2	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Hunter, Money	1	4	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	1	34	64	98	6-10	0-0	.	3	1	1-0	3	.	.
	Opponents	1	33	40	73	9-37	4-26	.	3	.	.	.	.	.

Arkansas State Overall Team Statistics (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

Team Statistics	ASU	OPP
SCORING	10	31
Points Per Game	10.0	31.0
FIRST DOWNS	13	24
Rushing	8	9
Passing	3	14
Penalty	2	1
RUSHING YARDAGE	142	185
Yards gained rushing	175	197
Yards lost rushing	33	12
Rushing Attempts	38	45
Average Per Rush	3.7	4.1
Average Per Game	142.0	185.0
TDs Rushing	1	1
PASSING YARDAGE	124	371
Comp-Att-Int	11-25-0	23-31-0
Average Per Pass	5.0	12.0
Average Per Catch	11.3	16.1
Average Per Game	124.0	371.0
TDs Passing	0	3
TOTAL OFFENSE	266	556
Total Plays	63	76
Average Per Play	4.2	7.3
Average Per Game	266.0	556.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	5-71	2-32
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	1-24	3-18
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	0-0	0-0
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	14.2	16.0
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	24.0	6.0
INT RETURN AVERAGE	0.0	0.0
FUMBLES-LOST	0-0	3-2
PENALTIES-Yards	6-48	6-58
Average Per Game	48.0	58.0
PUNTS-Yards	7-287	3-141
Average Per Punt	41.0	47.0
Net punt average	38.4	32.3
KICKOFFS-Yards	3-195	6-375
Average Per Kick	65.0	62.5
Net kick average	46.0	46.5
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	25:25	34:35
3RD-DOWN Conversions	3/16	12/17
3rd-Down Pct	19%	71%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	2/4	0/0
4th-Down Pct	50%	0%
SACKS BY-Yards	0-0	4-26
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	1	4
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	1-1	1-2
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(1-2) 50%	(3-4) 75%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(1-2) 50%	(3-4) 75%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(1-1) 100%	(4-4) 100%
ATTENDANCE	26182	0
Games/Avg Per Game	1/26182	0/0
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Arkansas State	3	0	0	7	0	10
Opponents	0	21	10	0	0	31

Arkansas State Overall Individual Statistics (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

Rushing	g	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Wand, Warren	1	12	78	1	77	6.4	0	18	77.0
Voytik, Chad	1	18	61	23	38	2.1	0	20	38.0
Weh-Weh, Armond	1	5	29	0	29	5.8	1	12	29.0
Echols-Luper, C	1	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Booker, C.	1	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-3.0
Hansen, Justice	1	1	0	6	-6	-6.0	0	0	-6.0
Total	1	38	175	33	142	3.7	1	20	142.0
Opponents	1	45	197	12	185	4.1	1	42	185.0

Passing	g	effic	comp	att	in	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Voytik, Chad	1	89.23	11	24	0	45.8	124	0	83	124.0
Hansen, Justice	1	0.00	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	1	85.66	11	25	0	44.0	124	0	83	124.0
Opponents	1	206.66	23	31	0	74.2	371	3	54	371.0

Receiving	g	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Booker, C.	1	3	13	4.3	0	11	13.0
Echols-Luper, C	1	3	6	2.0	0	5	6.0
Mack, Blake	1	2	87	43.5	0	83	87.0
Murray, Chris	1	1	11	11.0	0	11	11.0
McInnis, Justin	1	1	4	4.0	0	4	4.0
Sanders, K.	1	1	3	3.0	0	3	3.0
Total	1	11	124	11.3	0	83	124.0
Opponents	1	23	371	16.1	3	54	371.0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Echols-Luper, C	1	24	24.0	0	24
Total	1	24	24.0	0	24
Opponents	3	18	6.0	0	6

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Taylor, Blaise	5	71	14.2	0	20
Total	5	71	14.2	0	20
Opponents	2	32	16.0	0	16

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Arkansas State Overall Individual Statistics (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Weh-Weh, Armond	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Houston, J.D.	-	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Total	1	1-1	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	10
Opponents	4	1-2	4-4	-	-	-	-	-	31

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Voytik, Chad	1	42	38	124	162	162.0
Wand, Warren	1	12	77	0	77	77.0
Weh-Weh, Armond	1	5	29	0	29	29.0
Echols-Luper, C	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
Booker, C.	1	1	-3	0	-3	-3.0
Hansen, Justice	1	2	-6	0	-6	-6.0
Total	1	63	142	124	266	266.0
Opponents	1	76	185	371	556	556.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Houston, J.D.	1-1	100.	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	43	0

FG Sequence	Arkansas State	Opponents
Toledo	(43)	40,(42)

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i2050+	blk
Foncham, Damon	5	211	42.2	48	0	3	1	0
Echols-Luper, C	2	76	38.0	68	0	0	0	1
Total	7	287	41.0	68	0	3	1	1
Opponents	3	141	47.0	51	1	0	1	2

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net ydIn
Williams, S.	3	195	65.0	1	0		
Total	3	195	65.0	1	0	16.0	46.0
Opponents	6	375	62.5	1	0	14.2	46.5

Arkansas State Overall Individual Statistics (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Mack, Blake	1	0	87	0	0	0	87	87.0
Wand, Warre	1	77	0	0	0	0	77	77.0
Taylor, Blaise	1	0	0	0	71	0	71	71.0
Voytik, Chad	1	38	0	0	0	0	38	38.0
Echols-Luper,	1	7	6	24	0	0	37	37.0
Weh-Weh, Ar	1	29	0	0	0	0	29	29.0
Murray, Chris	1	0	11	0	0	0	11	11.0
Booker, C.	1	-3	13	0	0	0	10	10.0
McInnis, Justi	1	0	4	0	0	0	4	4.0
Sanders, K.	1	0	3	0	0	0	3	3.0
Hansen, Justi	1	-6	0	0	0	0	-6	-6.0
Total	1	142	124	24	71	0	361	361.0
Opponents	1	185	371	18	32	0	606	606.0

Arkansas State Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

#	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
55	Woodson-Luster	1	4	10	14	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
10	Clifton, Justin	1	8	3	11	2.0-4	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	
52	Heath, Q.	1	1	10	11	2.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
15	Wilson, Kyle	1	2	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
27	Hunter, Money	1	4	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
94	Roberson, W.	1	1	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
11	Rolland-Jones	1	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
93	Odom, Chris	1	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
21	Brown, Cody	1	3	2	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
29	Humes, Chris	1	3	1	4	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	
9	Lain, Khari	1	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
20	Sentimore, Bo	1	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
33	Riggs, Griffin	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
57	Swalley, Jake	1	.	2	2	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
31	Chandler, J.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
25	Liner, Dee	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	
91	Ransom, Donovan	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
2	Wagner, Nehemia	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
14	Murray, Chris	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
1	Taylor, Blaise	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
54	Caston, Caleb	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
19	Stowers, S.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
32	Chambers, T.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total		1	34	64	98	6-10	0-0	.	3	1	1-0	3	.	.	
Opponents		1	33	40	73	9-37	4-26	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	

Arkansas State Team Game-by-Game (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
Sep 02	TOLEDO	38	142	1	20	11	124	0	83	11	25	0	124	0	83	5	71	0	20	1	24	0	24	266
Opponents		45	185	1	42	23	371	3	54	23	31	0	371	3	54	2	32	0	16	3	18	0	6	556

Games played: 1  
 Avg per rush: 3.7  
 Avg per catch: 11.3  
 Pass efficiency: 85.66  
 Kick ret avg: 14.2  
 Punt ret avg: 24.0  
 All purpose avg/game: 361.0  
 Total offense avg/gm: 266.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			Blkd	PAT Attempts				
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	pts
Sep 0	TOLEDO	34	64	98	6.0-10	0.0-0	3	1-0	0-0	1	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	10
Opponents		33	40	73	9.0-37	4.0-26	0	0-0	0-0	0	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	31

Date	Opponent	Punting							Field Goals			Kickoffs						
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 0	TOLEDO	7	287	41.0	68	0	0	3	1	1	1-1	43	0	3	195	65.0	1	0
Opponents		3	141	47.0	51	0	1	0	2	1	1-2	42	0	6	375	62.5	1	0

# Arkansas State Opponent Game-by-Game (as of Sep 03, 2016)

## All games

### OPPONENT STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off		
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds		td	lg
Sep 02	TOLEDO	45	185	1	42	23	371	3	54	23	31	0	371	3	54	2	32	0	16	3	18	0	6	556
Arkansas State		38	142	1	20	11	124	0	83	11	25	0	124	0	83	5	71	0	20	1	24	0	24	266

Games played: 1  
 Avg per rush: 4.1  
 Avg per catch: 16.1  
 Pass efficiency: 206.66  
 Kick ret avg: 16.0  
 Punt ret avg: 6.0  
 All purpose avg/game: 606.0  
 Total offense avg/gm: 556.0

Date	Opponent	Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			Blkd	PAT Attempts				pts
		ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	
Sep 0	TOLEDO	33	40	73	9.0-37	4.0-26	0	0-0	0-0	0	3	0	4-4	0	0	0	31
Arkansas State		34	64	98	6.0-10	0.0-0	3	1-0	0-0	1	3	0	1-1	0	0	0	10

Date	Opponent	Punting								Field Goals			Kickoffs					
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 0	TOLEDO	3	141	47.0	51	0	1	0	2	1	1-2	42	0	6	375	62.5	1	0
Arkansas State		7	287	41.0	68	0	0	3	1	1	1-1	43	0	3	195	65.0	1	0



Arkansas State By-Quarter Statistics (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

3rd-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02, 201	TOLEDO	L 10-31	3-16	18.8	1-4	25.0	1-4	25.0	0-5	0.0	1-3	33.3		
	Arkansas State		3-16	18.8	1-4	25.0	1-4	25.0	0-5	0.0	1-3	33.3	0-0	0.0
	Opponents		12-17	70.6	2-4	50.0	8-8	100.0	0-1	0.0	2-4	50.0	0-0	0.0

4th-Down Conversions

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02, 201	TOLEDO	L 10-31	2-4	50.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	1-3	33.3		
	Arkansas State		2-4	50.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	1-1	100.0	1-3	33.3	0-0	0.0
	Opponents		0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0

Time of Possession

Date	Opponent	Score	Overall		1st Qtr		2nd Qtr		3rd Qtr		4th Qtr		Overtime	
Sep 02, 201	TOLEDO	L 10-31	25:25		5:31		5:34		9:04		5:16			
	Arkansas State	Total	25:25		5:31		5:34		9:04		5:16		0:00	
		Avg.	25:25		5:31		5:34		9:04		5:16		0:00	
	Opponents	Total	34:35		9:29		9:26		5:56		9:44		0:00	
		Avg.	34:35		9:29		9:26		5:56		9:44		0:00	

Arkansas State Red-Zone Results (as of Sep 03, 2016)  
All games

Arkansas State Inside Opponent Red-Zone

Date	Opponent	Score	Times	Times	Total	Rush			Pass	FGs	Failed to score inside RZ					
			In RZ	Score	Pts	TDs	TDs	TDs	Made	FGA	Dow	Int	Fum	Half	Gam	
Sep 02, 201	TOLEDO	L 10-31	2	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals			2	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0

1 of 2 (50.0%)

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Sep 02, 201	TOLEDO	L 10-31	4	3	21	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals			4	3	21	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

3 of 4 (75.0%)

# NCAA Statistics

## Arkansas St. - 2016-17 Football Ranking Summary thru games 09/03/2016

Statistic	National Rank	Conference Rank	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference Leader	Value
3rd Down Conversion Pct (122 ranked)	117	10	0.188	Michigan	1.000	Ga. Southern	0.667
3rd Down Conversion Pct Defense (122 ranked)	121	11	0.706	San Diego St. Louisville	0.000 0.000	Ga. Southern	0.111
4th Down Conversion Pct (71 ranked)	43	4	0.500	33 teams tied	1.000	Texas St. South Ala. La.-Monroe	1.000 1.000 1.000
4th Down Conversion Pct Defense (99 ranked)	1	1	0.000	61 teams tied	0.000	6 teams tied	0.000
Blocked Kicks (1 ranked)				17 teams tied	1	South Ala.	1
Blocked Kicks Allowed (112 ranked)	1	1	0	111 teams tied	0	11 teams tied	0
Blocked Punts (1 ranked)				8 teams tied	1	South Ala.	1
Blocked Punts Allowed (117 ranked)	1	1	0	116 teams tied	0	11 teams tied	0
Completion Percentage (122 ranked)	117	9	0.440	Navy	1.000	Troy	0.806
Defensive TDs (1 ranked)				5 teams tied	2		
Fewest Penalties (121 ranked)	54	3	6	Virginia	0	Appalachian St. Idaho	5 5
Fewest Penalties Per Game (121 ranked)	53	3	6.00	6 teams tied	2.00	Appalachian St. Idaho	5.00 5.00
Fewest Penalty Yards (122 ranked)	56	3	48	Virginia	0	Appalachian St.	36
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game (121 ranked)	55	3	48.00	Colorado St.	15.00	Appalachian St.	36.00
First Downs Defense (122 ranked)	93	7	24	Duke	4	Ga. Southern	8
First Downs Offense (122 ranked)	114	11	13	Hawaii	42	Ga. Southern	34
Fumbles Lost (122 ranked)	1	1	0	55 teams tied	0	6 teams tied	0
Fumbles Recovered (21 ranked)	21	3	1	Oklahoma St.	4	Texas St. Ga. Southern	2 2
Kickoff Return Defense (122 ranked)	33	3	16.00	5 teams tied	0.00	Ga. Southern	9.00
Kickoff Returns (115 ranked)	103	10	14.20	Pittsburgh	59.00	Ga. Southern	27.00
Net Punting (121 ranked)	57	6	38.43	Northwestern	51.00	UL Lafayette	44.83
Passes Had Intercepted (115 ranked)	1	1	0	63 teams tied	0	5 teams tied	0
Passes Intercepted (30 ranked)				8 teams tied	3	Georgia St.	2
Passing Offense (122 ranked)	113	10	124.0	Texas Tech	633.0	Texas St.	440.0
Passing Yards Allowed (122 ranked)	114	9	371.0	Temple	15.0	Ga. Southern	80.0
Passing Yards per Completion (122 ranked)	72	5	11.27	Air Force	33.50	Idaho	16.00
Punt Return Defense (122 ranked)	84	8	6.00	South Ala.	-19.00	South Ala.	-19.00
Punt Returns (122 ranked)	8	2	24.00	Oklahoma St.	57.00	Appalachian St.	45.00
Red Zone Defense (65 ranked)	47	3	0.750	13 teams tied	0.000	Ga. Southern	0.000
Red Zone Offense (120 ranked)	108	10	0.500	55 teams tied	1.000	4 teams tied	1.000
Rushing Defense (122 ranked)	95	6	185.0	Illinois	-10.0	Ga. Southern	34.0
Rushing Offense (122 ranked)	74	6	142.0	New Mexico Utah St.	428.0 428.0	Ga. Southern	420.0
Sacks Allowed (122 ranked)	102	9	4.00	28 teams tied	0.00	4 teams tied	0.00
Scoring Defense (122 ranked)	93	7	31.0	5 teams tied	0.0	Ga. Southern	0.0
Scoring Offense (122 ranked)	112	10	10.0	Ohio St.	77.0	Troy	57.0
Tackles for Loss Allowed (118 ranked)	103	8	9.00	Louisville TCU Nebraska	1.00 1.00 1.00	Idaho Troy New Mexico St.	2.00 2.00 2.00
Team Passing Efficiency (122 ranked)	112	9	85.66	Navy	440.80	Ga. Southern	214.27
Team Passing Efficiency Defense (122 ranked)	116	11	206.66	Virginia Tech	32.89	Georgia St.	75.59
Team Sacks (74 ranked)				Stanford	8.00	Ga. Southern La.-Monroe	4.00 4.00
Team Tackles for Loss (119 ranked)	55	5	6.0	Baylor Akron Miami (FL)	15.0 15.0 15.0	New Mexico St.	13.0
Time of Possession (122 ranked)	96	8	25:25	Southern Miss.	40:32	Ga. Southern	38:06
Total Defense (122 ranked)	113	9	556.0	Baylor	78.0	Ga. Southern	114.0
Total Offense (122 ranked)	110	11	266.0	Ohio St.	776.0	Troy	706.0
Turnover Margin (121 ranked)	25	1	1.00	7 teams tied	3.00	4 teams tied	1.00

Turnovers Gained (57 ranked)	57	5	1	5 teams tied	4	Ga. Southern	3
Turnovers Lost (121 ranked)	1	1	0	27 teams tied	0	4 teams tied	0
Winning Percentage (81 ranked)	81	7	0.000	80 teams tied	1.000	6 teams tied	1.000

Statistic	Player	National	Conference	Value	National Leader	Value	Conference	Value
		Rank	Rank				Leader	
All Purpose (199 ranked)					Aaron Jones, UTEP	292.00	Jordan Chunn, Troy	161.00
Blocked Kicks (0 ranked)								
Combined Kick Returns (198 ranked)	Blaise Taylor Cam Echols-Luper	41 141	7 13	71 24	Charles Nelson, Oregon	251	Glenn Smith, Georgia St.	128
Completion Percentage (115 ranked)	Chad Voytik	108	8	0.458	Philip Nelson, East Carolina	0.875	Brandon Silvers, Troy	0.741
Completions Per Game (100 ranked)	Chad Voytik	100	9	11.00	Luke Falk, Washington St.	41.00	Tyler Jones, Texas St.	40.00
Field Goal Percentage (87 ranked)	JD Houston	1	1	1.000	56 players tied	1.000	6 players tied	1.000
Field Goals Per Game (40 ranked)	JD Houston	40	3	1.00	5 players tied	4.00	Austin Rehkow, Idaho Marcus Ripley, Texas St.	2.00 2.00
Forced Fumbles (4 ranked)	Justin Clifton Chris Humes Xavier Woodson	4 4 4	1 1 1	1.00 1.00 1.00	Tai'Yon Devers, Minnesota Micah Kiser, Virginia Anthony Nelson, Iowa	2.00 2.00 2.00	13 players tied	1.00
Fumbles Recovered (2 ranked)	Chris Humes	2	2	1	Teron Fitzgerald, Texas St.	2	Teron Fitzgerald, Texas St.	2
Interceptions Per Game (96 ranked)					7 players tied	2.0	Jerome Smith, Georgia St.	2.0
Kickoff Return TDs (1 ranked)					John Ross, Washington Quadree Henderson, Pittsburgh T.J. Logan, North Carolina	1 1 1		
Kickoff Returns (90 ranked)	Blaise Taylor	85	9	14.2	Quadree Henderson, Pittsburgh	59.0	Jabir Frye, Troy	26.0
Passes Defended (19 ranked)					4 players tied	4.0	Russell Siavii, Idaho	4.0
Passing Efficiency (115 ranked)	Chad Voytik	105	8	89.2	Lamar Jackson, Louisville	264.5	Brandon Silvers, Troy	169.8
Passing TDs (6 ranked)					J.T. Barrett, Ohio St. Lamar Jackson, Louisville Thomas Woodson, Akron	6 6 6	Tyler Jones, Texas St.	4
Passing Yards (130 ranked)	Chad Voytik	111	9	124	Mike White, Western Ky.	517	Tyler Jones, Texas St.	418
Passing Yards Per Game (130 ranked)	Chad Voytik	111	9	124.0	Mike White, Western Ky.	517.0	Tyler Jones, Texas St.	418.0
Passing Yards per Completion (115 ranked)	Chad Voytik	63	5	11.27	Quinton Flowers, South Fla.	22.25	Matt Linehan, Idaho	16.00
Points Responsible For (191 ranked)					Lamar Jackson, Louisville	48	Tyler Jones, Texas St.	38
Points Responsible For Per Game (190 ranked)					Lamar Jackson, Louisville	48.0	Tyler Jones, Texas St.	38.0
Punt Return TDs (1 ranked)					4 players tied	1		
Punt Returns (64 ranked)					Kavontae Turpin, TCU	41.0	Montay Crockett, Ga. Southern	18.3
Punting (78 ranked)	Damon Foncham	31	3	42.2	Mitch Wishnowsky, Utah	55.5	Peyton Theisler, New Mexico St.	48.3
Receiving TDs (4 ranked)					Devonte Boyd, UNLV Jojo Natson, Akron Courtland Sutton, SMU	3 3 3	Elijah King, Texas St.	2
Receiving Yards (197 ranked)	Blake Mack	66	6	87	Amba Etta-Tawo, Syracuse	210	Josh Magee, South Ala.	113
Receiving Yards Per Game (195 ranked)	Blake Mack	64	6	87.0	Amba Etta-Tawo, Syracuse	210.0	Josh Magee, South Ala.	113.0
Receptions Per Game (142 ranked)					Chad Hansen, California Ervin Philips, Syracuse	14.0 14.0	Eric Luna, Texas St.	10.0
Rush Yards Per Carry (186 ranked)	Warren Wand Chad Voytik	43 168	8 15	6.42 2.11	Chris High, Navy	17.60	Jordan Chunn, Troy	12.38
Rushing TDs (1 ranked)					5 players tied	3		
Rushing Yards (198 ranked)	Warren Wand	100	10	77	Aaron Jones, UTEP	249	Jordan Chunn, Troy	161
Rushing Yards Per Game (199 ranked)	Warren Wand	98	10	77.0	Aaron Jones, UTEP	249.0	Jordan Chunn, Troy	161.0
Sacks (40 ranked)					Justin Lawler, SMU	3.50	15 players tied	1.00
Scoring (157 ranked)	Armond Weh-Weh	157	11	6.0	14 players tied	18.0	7 players tied	12.0
Solo Tackles (125 ranked)	Justin Clifton	17	4	8.0	Kevin Davis, Colorado St.	17.0	Roman Buchanan, South Ala.	10.0
Tackles For Loss (39 ranked)	Justin Clifton Quanterio Heath	39 39	4 4	2.0 2.0	Troy Dye, Oregon	4.5	Rodney Butler, New Mexico St. Terrill Hanks, New Mexico St.	3.5 3.5
Total Interceptions (8 ranked)					7 players tied	2	Jerome Smith, Georgia St.	2
Total Offense (199 ranked)	Chad Voytik	103	9	162.0	Patrick Mahomes, Texas Tech	540.0	Tyler Jones, Texas St.	429.0
Total Tackles (125 ranked)	Xavier Woodson Justin Clifton Quanterio Heath	9 32 32	2 8 8	14.0 11.0 11.0	Kevin Davis, Colorado St. Jordan Jones, Kentucky	19.0 19.0	Rodney Butler, New Mexico St.	15.0
Yards per Pass Attempt (115 ranked)	Chad Voytik	97	7	5.17	Mike White, Western Ky.	16.68	Brandon Silvers, Troy	8.48
Yards per Reception (199 ranked)	Blake Mack	1	1	43.50	Blake Mack, Arkansas St.	43.50	Blake Mack, Arkansas St.	43.50