

# ARIZONA CARDINALS

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## ARIZONA CARDINALS VS. CINCINNATI BENGALS

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### THIS WEEK'S PREVIEW

The 2022 season begins this week at Cincinnati where the Cardinals will take on the defending AFC Champion Bengals at Paul Brown Stadium in the preseason opener on Friday night.

This will mark the Cardinals first visit to Cincinnati since Week 5 of the 2019 regular season. That proved to be an emotional trip for Arizona. With team owner **Bill Bidwill** passing away on Wednesday of that week, the Cardinals went on to earn a walk-off 26-23 victory to give Kliff Kingsbury his first-ever win as an NFL head coach and Kyler Murray his first win as an NFL QB.



Friday's game will be just the sixth all-time preseason matchup between Arizona and Cincinnati, and just the second in the last 26 years.

As is the case at the beginning of every season, both the Cardinals and Bengals rosters are full with new players. One face Cincinnati fans will instantly recognize is that of WR **A.J. Green**, who is in his second season with Arizona following a record-breaking 10-year run with the Bengals.

Not new to their respective rosters are Cardinals QB **Kyler Murray** and Bengals signal-caller Joe Burrow, two of the most exciting young QBs in the game. Both former Heisman Trophy winners and #1 overall draft picks, each led his team to double-digit wins and playoff berths last season.

This week's contest will also serve as a milestone event for Arizona P **Andy Lee**, who will be playing his first game as a 40-year old after celebrating a birthday on Thursday (8/11). He joins an exclusive list of active players in their 40s, a list that includes just two names: Lee and Bucs QB Tom Brady (45).

Having played his last game with the University of Cincinnati Bearcats just 225 days prior - and his last game in Cincinnati 252 days prior - Cardinals first-year LB **Myjai Sanders** returns to the city he starred in during his college days to appear in his first-ever NFL game.

Friday's game is the first in a three-game preseason slate for Arizona, including a nationally-televised matchup with the Baltimore Ravens at State Farm Stadium next week. Arizona will then head to Tennessee to practice against the Titans in preparation for their meeting in the preseason finale on August 27.

### ARIZONA CARDINALS - 2022 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Preseason Location	AZ Time
Aug. 12	@ Cincinnati	Paul Brown Stadium	4:30 PM
Aug. 21	BALTIMORE+	State Farm Stadium	5:00 PM
Aug. 27	@ Tennessee	Nissan Stadium	4:00 PM

Date	Opponent	Regular Season Location	AZ Time
Sep. 11	KANSAS CITY	State Farm Stadium	1:25 PM
Sep. 18	@ Las Vegas	Allegiant Stadium	1:25 PM
Sep. 25	L.A. RAMS	State Farm Stadium	1:25 PM
Oct. 2	@ Carolina	Bank of America Stadium	1:05 PM
Oct. 9	PHILADELPHIA*	State Farm Stadium	1:25 PM
Oct. 16	@ Seattle*	Lumen Field	1:05 PM
Oct. 20	NEW ORLEANS#	State Farm Stadium	5:15 PM
Oct. 30	@ Minnesota*	U.S. Bank Stadium	10:00 AM
Nov. 6	SEATTLE*	State Farm Stadium	2:05 PM
Nov. 13	@ L.A. Rams*	SoFi Stadium	2:25 PM
Nov. 21	SAN FRANCISCO^	Estadio Azteca (Mexico City)	6:15 PM
Nov. 27	L.A. CHARGERS*	State Farm Stadium	2:05 PM
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Dec. 12	NEW ENGLAND^	State Farm Stadium	6:15 PM
Dec. 18	@ Denver*	Empower Field at Mile High	2:05 PM
Dec. 25	TAMPA BAY>	State Farm Stadium	6:20 PM
Jan. 1	@ Atlanta*	Mercedes-Benz Stadium	11:00 AM
TBD	@ San Francisco*	Levi's Stadium	TBD

+ Nationally Televised on FOX  
# Prime Video Thursday Night Football  
^ ESPN Monday Night Football  
> NBC Sunday Night Football  
\* Subject to flexible scheduling decisions

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### THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

- For just the second time (2017) in the last nine years, the Cardinals begin the preseason on the road as they travel to Cincinnati to face a Bengals team that is coming off an appearance in Super Bowl LVI.
- Friday's matchup will be Arizona's second-ever preseason road game against the Bengals. The only other one was over 50 years ago (1971).
- Both Cardinals head coach **Kliff Kingsbury** and Bengals head coach **Zac Taylor** begin their fourth season as NFL head coaches in 2022. The two have much in common, having starred as college QBs before beginning their coaching careers in 2008 and becoming first-time NFL head coaches in 2019.
- There are 36 players who could make their Cardinals debut in Cincinnati on Friday night, including 16 veterans, 8 draft picks and 12 rookie free agents.
- On the Bengals side, this week's game will be the NFL debut of WR **Kwamie Lassiter II** - the son of late Cardinals DB **Kwamie Lassiter** - who will be playing his first NFL game against his father's former team. The elder Lassiter starred for Arizona from 1995-2002.
- On Thursday (8/11), P **Andy Lee** will celebrate his 40<sup>th</sup> birthday. In the 125 seasons of Cardinals football, records have found just three others who have played in their 40s: Jim Thorpe (1928 at the age of 40), Trey Junkin (2001 at the age of 40) and Phil Dawson (2017-18 at the ages of 42-43).

### BROADCAST INFORMATION

Television: KPNX 12 News (NBC) / Play-By-Play: Dave Pasch Analyst: Ron Wolfley  
Cardinals Radio: Arizona Sports 98.7 FM / Play-By-Play: Paul Calvisi Analyst: Drew Stanton  
Cardinals Spanish Radio: KQMR 100.3 FM / Play-By-Play: Luis Hernandez Analyst: Jose Romero



## CARDINALS-BENGALS CONNECTIONS

### BENGALS CONNECTIONS

Cardinals WR **A.J. Green** played 10 seasons (2011-20) with the Bengals, who selected him in the first round (4<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2011 NFL Draft. While in Cincinnati, he became the first WR in NFL history to begin his career with at least seven consecutive Pro Bowl selections. He left the Bengals ranked second in franchise history in receptions (649), receiving yards (9,430) and TD receptions (65).

Cardinals Defensive Coordinator **Vance Joseph** was the Bengals DBs coach from 2014-15, helping the Bengals to back-to-back postseason appearances. During those two seasons the Bengals led the NFL with 41 INTs and were the only team to post more INTs than TDs allowed (36) in that span.

Cardinals D-Line coach **Matt Burke** served as the Bengals LBs coach from 2014-15, where he helped mentor LBs Rey Mauluga and Vincent Rey.

Cardinals LB **Nick Vigil** was drafted by the Bengals in the third round (87<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2016 NFL Draft and played four seasons (2016-19) with Cincinnati. He appeared in 54 games (37 starts) and totaled 295 tackles, 2.0 sacks, 12 tackles for loss, three fumble recoveries and two INTs.

Cardinals OL **Justin Murray** signed with the Bengals late in the 2017 season and spent the 2018 offseason with Cincinnati.

Cardinals DL **Christian Ringo** was with the Bengals during the 2017 season.

### CARDINALS CONNECTIONS

Bengals LBs coach **James Bettcher** was on the Cardinals coaching staff from 2013-17, first serving as the team's OLBs coach (2013-14) and then as defensive coordinator (2015-17).

Bengals WRs coach **Troy Walters** played for the Cardinals in 2006, appearing in 15 games and totaling 23 receptions for 209 yards and two TDs. Walters owns the distinction of scoring the first-ever regular season TD for the Cardinals at State Farm Stadium. In Week 1 of the 2006 regular season (year the venue opened), he caught a two-yard pass from Kurt Warner in the first quarter.

Bengals OL **Lamont Gaillard** was selected by the Cardinals in the sixth round (179<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2019 NFL Draft and played two seasons (2019-20) in Arizona. He appeared in 13 games with two starts with the Cardinals.

Bengals Asst. Strength and Conditioning coach **Garrett Swanson** played the 2016 preseason with the Cardinals after signing with the team as an undrafted rookie free agent.

### OHIO CONNECTIONS

Cardinals LB **Myjai Sanders** attended the University of Cincinnati from 2018-21 and his four-year run with the Bearcats was the most successful four-year span in school history as the team posted a 44-7 record. He was also part of the school's largest draft class in history as one of nine Bearcats selected in the 2022 NFL Draft.

Cardinals S **James Wiggins** played for the University of Cincinnati from 2016-20, appearing in 32 games. A two-time All-AAC selection and 2020 2<sup>nd</sup>-team All-American, he was a semifinalist for the Jim Thorpe Award in 2020.

Cardinals OL **Justin Murray** hails from Cincinnati and attended the University of Cincinnati from 2011-15.

Cardinals WR **Andy Isabella** (Mayfield), LBs coach **Bill Davis** (Youngstown) and Video Director **Jeff Wallo** (Youngstown) are Ohio natives. Davis was a QB and WR at the University of Cincinnati from 1985-88 and went on to coach at Ohio State from 2016-18.

Cardinals Head Athletic Trainer **Tom Reed** was an assistant athletic trainer at Miami (OH) University from 1996-99.

### ARIZONA CONNECTIONS

Bengals O-Line/Run Game Coordinator **Frank Pollack** attended Northern Arizona University and is a member of the school's Athletic Hall of Fame. He played guard and tackle for the Lumberjacks from 1985-89. After eight seasons playing in the NFL, he returned to NAU to begin his coaching career, starting as O-Line/TEs coach in 2005 and then O-Line coach in 2006.

Bengals Assistant OL coach **Derek Frazier** was an O-Line coach at Northern Arizona University in 2005.

### PRO/COLLEGE CONNECTIONS

Cardinals DL **Rashard Lawrence** and WR **Jontre Kirklin** were teammates with Bengals QB **Joe Burrow**, WR **Ja'Marr Chase** and TE **Thaddeus Moss** at LSU for two seasons (2018-19), including in 2019 when they were all part of the Tigers National Championship team. Both Lawrence and Burrow served as team captains that season and went on to be selected in the 2020 NFL Draft.

Cardinals TE **Zach Ertz** and Bengals S **Michael Thomas** were teammates at Stanford from 2010-11.

Cardinals DL **J.J. Watt** and WR **DeAndre Hopkins** were teammates with **D.J. Reader** on the Houston Texans from 2016-19.

Cardinals LB **Isaiah Simmons** and Bengals WR **Tee Higgins** were teammates at Clemson from 2017-19 before going on to be selected in the 2020 NFL Draft. They were part of the Tigers team that won the National Championship in 2018 and returned to the Championship game in 2019.

Bengals LB **Markus Bailey** and Cardinals WR **Rondale Moore** were teammates at Purdue from 2018-19.

Cardinals RB **James Conner** and Bengals CB **Mike Hilton** were teammates with the Pittsburgh Steelers from 2017-20.

## THE HEAD COACHES

### Kliff Kingsbury



24-25-1	Overall Record	19-33-1
24-24-1	Regular Season Record	16-32-1
0-01	Playoff Record	3-1
4 <sup>th</sup>	Years as NFL Head Coach	4 <sup>th</sup>
4 <sup>th</sup>	Years with Team	4 <sup>th</sup>

### Zac Taylor



Cardinals head coach **Kliff Kingsbury** and Bengals head coach **Zac Taylor** are both in their fourth season with their respective franchises after being hired as first-time NFL head coaches in 2019. The pair have much in common:

- Both began their coaching careers in 2008 - Kingsbury as an offensive quality control coach at Houston and Taylor as a grad assistant at Texas A&M.
- Both were star QBs at the college level and each was named Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year: Kingsbury at Texas Tech in 2002; Taylor at Nebraska in 2006. Kingsbury was drafted by the Patriots in the sixth round (201<sup>st</sup> overall) in 2003. Taylor signed with the Buccaneers as a rookie free agent in 2007.
- Kingsbury set 39 school and 17 NCAA records at Texas Tech, throwing for 12,423 yards and 95 TDs. Taylor led the Cornhuskers to a 9-3 record and an appearance the Big 12 Championship Game in '06.
- Both have earned reputations for their work with young QBs. Kingsbury tutored six future NFL QBs during his college tenure, a list including first-round selections **Patrick Mahomes** and **Baker Mayfield**. He has also helped **Kyler Murray** earn two Pro Bowl selections in his first three NFL seasons. Taylor was tasked with the development of first-round picks in both Miami (**Ryan Tannehill**) and Los Angeles (**Jared Goff**) and now mentors **Joe Burrow**.

## A SPECIAL DEBUT ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Cardinals fans watching Friday night's pre-season opener against the Bengals may hear a familiar name called during the broadcast.

That would be the name of Cincinnati rookie WR **Kwamie Lassiter II** - the son of beloved former Cardinals DB **Kwamie Lassiter** - who will be making his NFL debut against his father's former team.



The elder Lassiter was signed by the Cardinals as a rookie free agent in 1995 and went on to play eight seasons (1995-2002) with Arizona and tallied 541 tackles, 24 INTs, 33 passes defended, five forced fumbles and four fumble recoveries. He was a hero of the Cardinals 1998 regular season finale after recording four INTs in a 16-13 victory over the Chargers that earned Arizona a playoff berth. He was also named a Pro Bowl alternate in 2001 after finishing third in the NFL with nine INTs.

Following his playing days, Lassiter served as pregame and postgame host for Cardinals radio and also coached DBs at Mesa Community College. He tragically passed away of a heart attack in January of 2019 at the age of 49. In his honor, the Cardinals have been a strong supporter of the annual Kwamie Lassiter Memorial Golf Classic fundraiser to benefit the "Kwamie Lassiter Foundation."

Now on the Bengals, Kwamie Lassiter II is a native of Chandler, AZ and attended Hamilton High School where he starred on the football team while also competing in the Arizona state championships in long jump and triple jump.

## AN ELITE QB CLUB

Friday's pre-season opener at Cincinnati will be the first head-to-head matchup between Cardinals QB **Kyler Murray** and Bengals QB **Joe Burrow** - a pair of Heisman Trophy winners and #1 overall picks in the NFL Draft. They are among the 23 all-time players ever to win the Heisman and go on to be taken #1 overall in the NFL Draft.

Heisman Winner	Winners Drafted	1 <sup>st</sup> Overall Draft Yr
2019	Joe Burrow	2020
2018	Kyler Murray	2019
2017	Baker Mayfield	2018
2013	Jameis Winston	2015
2010	Cam Newton	2011
2008	Sam Bradford	2010
2002	Carson Palmer	2003
1986	Vinny Testaverde	1987
1985	Bo Jackson	1986
1980	George Rogers	1981
1978	Billy Sims	1980
1977	Earl Campbell	1978
1970	Jim Plunkett	1971
1968	O.J. Simpson	1969
1962	Terry Baker	1963
1961	Ernie Davis	1962
1959	Billy Cannon	1960
1956	Paul Hornung	1957
1949	Leon Hart	1950
1943	Angelo Bartelli	1944
1942	Frank Sinkwich	1943
1940	Tom Harmon	1941
1935	Jay Berwanger	1936



### ALREADY ACCOMPLISHED SO MUCH

**MURRAY:**  
 -2 time Pro Bowler; 2-time team captain  
 -2019 NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year  
 -1<sup>st</sup> player in NFL history with 70+ passing and 20+ rushing TDs in 1<sup>st</sup> 3 seasons

**BURROW:**  
 -Led Bengals to appearance in Super Bowl LVI last season  
 -Led NFL in completion pct. (70.4) while throwing for 4,611 yards and 34 TDs with 108.3 passer rating in 2021.



## BY THE NUMBERS

**271**

Last - and only - year the Cardinals played at Cincinnati in the preseason.

**36**

Players who could make their Cardinals debut in Cincinnati on Friday night, including 16 veterans, 8 draft picks and 12 rookie free agents.

**40**

Age of Andy Lee following his birthday this Thursday (8/11). In the 125 seasons of Cardinals football, records have found just three others who have played in their 40s: Jim Thorpe (1928 at the age of 40), Trey Junkin (2001 at the age of 40) and Phil Dawson (2017-18 at the ages of 42-43).

**7**

Consecutive Pro Bowls for WR A.J. Green to start his career while playing in Cincinnati. He became the first WR in NFL history to be named the Pro Bowl in each of his first seven seasons.

**1947**

Year in which former Cardinals owner Violet Bidwill became the first female owner of an NFL team and one of the first females to serve as a primary owner in professional sports. The 2022 season marks the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the historic season which also ended in an NFL championship for the Cardinals.

**11**

Wins for the Cardinals last season. The 2021 season marked the sixth time in franchise history Arizona won at least 11 games and head coach Kliff Kingsbury became the fifth head coach in team history to lead the team to 11+ wins in a season.

**8**

Win improvement between 2018 (3) - the year prior to Kingsbury's arrival - and 2021 (11). The Cardinals have increased their win total by at least two games in each of the first three seasons under Kingsbury: from 3 in 2018 to 5 in 2019 (+2), 8 in 2020 (+3) and 11 in 2021 (+3).

**8-1**

Cardinals record on the road in 2021. Arizona established a new franchise record for road wins in a season and became just the 10<sup>th</sup> team in NFL history to win eight road games in a single season.

**1**

Cardinals NFL ranking on the road last season in wins (8), points scored (267), total TDs (31), rushing TDs (12), passer rating (111.2), turnover margin (+18), forced fumbles (14) and fumble recoveries (11).

**3**

Consecutive seasons under Kingsbury (2019-21) in which the Cardinals ranked in the top-10 in both rushing yards per game and rushing TDs. Arizona tied for third in the NFL with 23 rushing TDs in 2021 and ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in the NFL averaging 122.1 rushing yards per game.

**18**

Total TDs for RB James Conner last season (15 rushing; 3 receiving). He ranked third in the NFL in total TDs and second in rushing TDs in 2021.

**90**

Career TDs for QB Kyler Murray (70 passing, 20 rushing). He is the first player in NFL history to have 70+ passing TDs and 20+ rushing TDs in his first three seasons.

**69.2**

Completion percentage for Murray in 2021. He established a new franchise single-season record and also ranked second in the NFL last season. Murray owns the top two - and three of the top six - single-season completion percentages in Cardinals history.

**56**

Receptions for TE Zach Ertz in 11 games with the Cardinals in 2021. His 56 receptions tied the franchise single-season record for catches by a TE, equaling the mark set by Hall of Famer Jackie Smith in 1967.

**120**

Tackles for S Jalen Thompson in 2021. That set a new career-high and also ranked second among all NFL DBs in 2021 behind only Steelers S Minkah Fitzpatrick (124).

**103**

Tackles for second-year LB Isaiah Simmons in 2021. He finished the regular season with 103 tackles, 7 passes defended, an INT, 4 forced fumbles, 4 tackles for loss, 4 QB hits and 1.5 sacks. Simmons became the first Cardinals defender since Tim McDonald in 1988 to have 100+ tackles and 4+ forced fumbles in a season.

**137**

Points for K Matt Prater in 2021, the second-best single-season total in franchise history behind only Neil Rackers (140 in 2005). Prater's 137 points also tied for the fourth-most in the NFL in 2021.

**49.0**

Punting average for P Andy Lee in 2021. That total set a new franchise single-season record and ranked third in the NFL in 2021. Lee now owns the fourth highest single-season punting averages in franchise history.

## THE TOUGH ROAD AHEAD

Below is a look at Arizona's scheduled opponents for the 2022 season and how they finished in 2021.

Home	'21 Rec	Away	'21 Rec
L.A. Rams*	12-5	L.A. Rams*	12-5
San Francisco*	10-7	San Francisco*	10-7
Seattle	7-10	Seattle	7-10
Kansas City*	12-5	Atlanta	7-10
L.A. Chargers	9-8	Carolina	5-12
Tampa Bay*	13-4	Las Vegas*	10-7
New Orleans	9-8	Denver	7-10
Philadelphia*	9-8	Minnesota	8-9
New England*	10-7		

\*Playoff team in 2021 +Super Bowl LVI Champion

**The regular season schedule includes four prime-time games which ties for the most in team history (2016).**

**The Cards have nine games against teams that earned a postseason berth in 2021, including two against the Super Bowl LVI champion Rams. AZ has eight games against teams that finished last season with 10+ wins.**

### 2022 STRENGTH OF SCHEDULE

**Based on opponent 2021 winning percentage, the Cardinals have one of the NFL's toughest schedules in 2022. Only the Rams enter the 2022 campaign with a tougher schedule than Arizona.**

2022 Strength of Schedule		
Rnk	Team	Win%
1	L.A. Rams	.567
2	<b>Arizona</b>	<b>.543</b>
3	Cincinnati	.536
4	Tampa Bay	.535
5t	San Francisco	.533
5t	Kansas City	.533

### FACING A RUN OF SUPER BOWL WINNERS

In 2022, the Cardinals will face a winner of each of the past nine Super Bowls: Rams (LVI), Buccaneers (LV), Chiefs (LIV), Patriots (LIII, LI, XLIX), Eagles (LII), Broncos (50) and Seahawks (XLVIII).

## IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

**Aug. 12** - Cardinals @ Bengals - Preseason Game #1 (Paul Brown Stadium)

**Aug. 16** - Teams must reduce rosters to maximum of 85 players

**Aug. 21** - Cardinals vs. Ravens - Preseason Game #2 (State Farm Stadium)

**Aug. 23** - Teams must reduce roster to maximum of 80 players

**Aug. 27** - Cardinals @ Titans - Preseason Game #3 (Nissan Stadium)

**Aug. 30** - Teams must reduce rosters to maximum of 53 players

**Aug. 31** - Teams may establish Practice Squad of no more than 16 players

**Sept. 11** - Cardinals vs. Chiefs - Regular Season Opener (State Farm Stadium)

## SUPER BOWL RETURNS TO AZ

### Valley Will Host 4th Super Bowl in February

The final game of the 2022 NFL season will take place in Arizona when State Farm Stadium plays host to Super Bowl LVII on Sunday, February 12, 2023.

It will be the fourth Super Bowl played in the state of Arizona and the third time the nation's most popular sporting event will be played at State Farm Stadium. The Cardinals home venue last staged the mega event when it hosted Super Bowl XLIX following the 2014 season.

Arizona joins South Florida, New Orleans, Los Angeles and Tampa Bay as the only sites selected to host the Super Bowl at least four times.

### Past Super Bowls in Arizona

Super Bowl	Site	Date	Result
XLIX (49)	State Farm Stadium	Feb. 1, 2015	Patriots 28, Seahawks 24
XLII (42)	State Farm Stadium	Feb. 3, 2008	Giants 17, Patriots 14
XXX (30)	Sun Devil Stadium	Jan. 28, 1996	Cowboys 27, Steelers 17

**ECONOMIC IMPACT:** The last time the game was staged in Arizona, it produced a record economic impact for the state. A 2015 study by the Seidman Research Institute, W.P. Carey School of Business at Arizona State University determined that Super Bowl XLIX, the 2015 Pro Bowl and related events produced a gross economic impact of \$719.4 million for the region. That was the largest economic impact of any special event ever held in Arizona. In addition to the games played in Glendale, more than 1 million people visited Verizon Super Bowl Central in downtown Phoenix and more than 500,000 people enjoyed events in downtown Scottsdale.

In a span of just over 26 months in 2015-17, State Farm Stadium hosted a Pro Bowl, Super Bowl, College Football National Championship Game and the NCAA Men's Final Four.

It was an unprecedented stretch for a stadium that generated \$1.3 billion in economic impact for the state during that 26-month span.

## THE NEW FACES IN 2022

Among the new faces in Arizona this season are 2 additions to **Kliff Kingsbury's** coaching staff, 16 veterans acquired during the offseason, 8 draft picks and 12 rookie free agents.

### Coaching Staff (New Additions)

**Matt Burke** - Defensive Line

**Connor Senger** - Bill Bidwill Fellowship/QBs

In addition to the new hires, other coaches received promotions in the offseason:

**Shawn Jefferson** will now serve as Associate Head Coach/WRs

**Cam Turner** will now serve as Co-Pass Game Coordinator/QBs

**Spencer Whipple** will now serve as Co-Pass Game Coordinator

**Kenny Bell** will serve as Chief of Staff/Offensive Assistant

**Mike Bercovici** will serve as Offensive Assistant

### THE NEW PLAYERS IN 2022



### VETERAN ACQUISITIONS

Player	Position	Prev. Team
Stephen Anderson	Wide Receiver	Chargers
Marcell Ateman	Wide Receiver	Raiders
Victor Bolden, Jr.	Wide Receiver	Lions
Marquise Brown	Wide Receiver	Ravens
Nolan Cooney	Punter	Saints
Rashaad Coward	Offensive Line	Steelers
Will Hernandez	Offensive Line	Giants
Josh Jackson	Cornerback	Chiefs
Kingsley Keke	Defensive Line	Texans
Jessie Lemonier	Linebacker	Lions
Ben Niemann	Linebacker	Chiefs
Christian Ringo	Defensive Line	Saints
Nick Vigil	Linebacker	Vikings
Darrel Williams	Running Back	Chiefs
Antwaun Woods	Defensive Line	Colts
Deon Yelder	Tight End	Giants

### 2022 DRAFT PICKS

Player	Position	Rnd (Overall)	School
Trey McBride	Tight End	2 <sup>nd</sup> (55 <sup>th</sup> )	Colorado State
Cameron Thomas	Linebacker	3 <sup>rd</sup> (87 <sup>th</sup> )	San Diego State
Myjai Sanders	Linebacker	3 <sup>th</sup> (100 <sup>th</sup> )	Cincinnati
Keontay Ingram	Running Back	6 <sup>th</sup> (201 <sup>st</sup> )	USC
Lecitus Smith	Offensive Line	6 <sup>th</sup> (215 <sup>th</sup> )	Virginia Tech
Christian Matthew	Cornerback	7 <sup>th</sup> (244 <sup>th</sup> )	Valdosta State
Jesse Luketa	Linebacker	7 <sup>th</sup> (256 <sup>th</sup> )	Penn State
Marquis Hayes	Offensive Line	7 <sup>th</sup> (257 <sup>th</sup> )	Oklahoma

### 2022 ROOKIE FREE AGENTS

Player	Position	School
Darrell Baker, Jr.	Cornerback	Georgia Southern
Tae Daley	Safety	Virginia Tech
Jarrett Guarantano	Quarterback	Washington State
Manny Jones	Defensive Line	Colorado State
Jontre Kirklin	Wide Receiver	LSU
Greg Long	Offensive Line	Purdue
Haggai Ndubuisi	Offensive Line	No College
JaVonta Payton	Wide Receiver	Tennessee
Chris Pierce, Jr.	Tight End	Vanderbilt
T.J. Pledger	Running Back	Utah
Ronnie Rivers	Running Back	Fresno State
Chandler Wooten	Linebacker	Auburn

## PRONUNCIATIONS

WR Andre Baccellia	buh-CHELL-ee
LB Victor Dimukeje	dee-moo-KAY-gee
DL Michael Dogbe	DOG-bee
DL Leki Fotu	LECK-ee / FOH-too
QB Jarrett Guarantano	gare-in-TAN-no
OL Danny Isidora	izz-uh-DORA
DL Kingsley Keke	key-key
LB Devon Kennard	duh-VONN / ken-ARD
LB Jessie Lemonier	lem-on-YAY
LB Jesse Luketa	loo-KETT-uh
OL Haggai Ndubuisi	HEY-guy / oon-doo-BEE-see
WR JaVonta Payton	ja-VON-tay
LB Myjai Sanders	MY-jay
TE Bernhard Seikovits	BURN-hard / SIKE-oh-vitts
OL Lecitus Smith	luh-SEET-us
LB Tanner Vallejo	vuh-LAY-ho

## CARDS EXTEND THEIR OWN IN 2022

The Cardinals gave out a number of high-profile contract extensions this offseason - beginning with head coach **Kliff Kingsbury** and GM **Steve Keim** in March, QB **Kyler Murray** in July and OL **D.J. Humphries** in August.



**Both Murray (2019) and Humphries (2015) are former first-round draft picks by Arizona. Keim has spent his entire professional career with the Cardinals and Kingsbury was made an NFL head coach for the first time when he was hired by the team in 2019.**

### CARDINALS SIGNING CONTRACT EXTENSIONS IN 2022

**OL D.J. Humphries:** Last week (8/2), the Cardinals signed Humphries to a three-year contract extension. It was the second contract extension Humphries signed with the Cardinals after previously agreeing to a three-year deal in 2020.



A captain each of the last two seasons, the 8<sup>th</sup>-year pro was selected to his first Pro Bowl in 2021 after starting all 16 games he appeared in at LT. He became the first Cardinals offensive tackle selected to the Pro Bowl since Lomas Brown in 1996.

**QB Kyler Murray:** On July 21 the Cardinals announced they had signed their signal-caller to the largest extension in franchise history.

The 24-year old Murray earned NFL Rookie of the Year honors (2019), is a two-time team captain and was named to the Pro Bowl twice (2020-21) in his first three seasons.

He became the first QB in franchise history to be named to the Pro Bowl twice in his first three seasons and joined Patrick Mahomes, Aaron Rodgers and Russell Wilson as the only NFL QBs named to the Pro Bowl in each of the last two seasons (2020-21).

**GM Steve Keim & Head Coach Kliff Kingsbury:** On March 2nd, the Cardinals signed both Keim and Kingsbury to contract extensions.

Now in his 24<sup>th</sup> season with Arizona and 10<sup>th</sup> as the team's GM, Keim has now signed three extensions since being promoted to his current post: February of 2015, February of 2018 and March of 2022.

Kingsbury earned his extension after leading Arizona to a playoff berth, 11 wins and a top-10 offense in 2021. In each of his first three seasons with the Cardinals Kingsbury increased the team's win total by multiple games.

## HARD KNOCKS IN SEASON: ARIZONA CARDINALS

In May it was announced that the second half of the Cardinals upcoming 2022 season will be featured on television's most acclaimed sports reality franchise **Hard Knocks**, which last year expanded its programming platform with the introduction of a multi-episode, in-season edition.



HBO Sports and NFL Films will team up to bring fans **Hard Knocks In Season: The Arizona Cardinals** this fall for an all-access primetime docuseries on the franchise.

The 18-time Emmy-winning weekly series will deliver its signature all access coverage to document an NFL franchise in-season and in real time, following the Cardinals as the team navigates the challenges of an NFL season and battles to return to the post-season. The series will be available on HBO and to stream on HBO Max during the 2022 NFL season beginning in November.

**Hard Knocks In Season** debuted last fall with the engaging and eventful drama of the Indianapolis Colts' 2021 regular season journey.

"Last season Hard Knocks made an unprecedented leap, documenting an NFL regular season in real time for the first time ever with the Indianapolis Colts," said Keith Cossrow, NFL Films Vice President and Senior Coordinating Producer. "This season, we are eager to build on that success and go even further with one of the most exciting teams in the NFL."

This will mark the Cardinals first appearance as part of the Hard Knocks franchise, which originally launched in 2001.

"I think coaches and players, you're gonna want to be on your A-game and be well prepared anytime that camera's around and make sure that you're putting your best foot forward," head coach **Kliff Kingsbury** said of appearing on the show. "I think it can be a real motivational tool if we approach it the right way."



## CARDS DEBUT ALTERNATE HELMET

Last month, the Cardinals unveiled the alternate helmet that will be worn for three games during the upcoming 2022 season - the first of which comes next week when Arizona hosts the Baltimore Ravens in a nationally televised pre-season game on FOX.

The alternate helmet has a shiny, gloss black shell with red flecks as well as a black facemask. It features iridescent chrome decals with a gradient screen of the team's Cardinal head logo as well as front and back bumpers displaying "ARIZONA" in black type.



The Cardinals will wear the alternate helmet for three games in 2022, all at State Farm Stadium.

### Games in Alternate Helmet (2022)

Opponent	Date
vs. Baltimore	Aug. 21
vs. Philadelphia	Oct. 9
vs. New Orleans	Oct. 20

For the Baltimore and Philadelphia games the alternate helmet will accompany the team's alternate black jersey. For the New Orleans matchup, the Cardinals will wear the alternate helmet with their Color Rush uniform.

In June of 2021 the NFL changed its Uniform Policy to allow for one alternate color helmet to be added to each club's uniform. The 2022 season is the first in which teams are incorporating the alternate helmet option.

"The look of this helmet is so incredibly sharp and something I know that both are players and fans will absolutely love," said Cardinals owner **Michael Bidwill**. "We are excited to showcase them this season, especially on a national stage."

## A REMATCH IN MEXICO CITY

Later this season the Cardinals will take on the San Francisco 49ers at Estadio Azteca in Mexico City on ESPN's Monday Night Football.

The Week 11 contest will serve as a rematch of the 2005 Cardinals-49ers game at Estadio Azteca which was the NFL's first regular season game held outside the United States.

The Cards earned a 31-14 win over the 49ers in that game in front of a then-record crowd of 103,467.

The Cardinals have a long history with international games and have participated in many global "firsts" for the league:

- The franchise played in the first NFL regular season game held outside the United States when they defeated the San Francisco 49ers 31-14 at Estadio Azteca in Mexico City on October 2, 2005.
- The team also played the first NFL game outside of North America on August 16, 1976 against the San Diego Chargers in Tokyo's Korakuen Stadium. The Cardinals won, 20-10.
- The first American football contest played on British soil was a tilt between the Cardinals and Minnesota Vikings in London's Wembley Stadium on August 6, 1983.



### COMPLETE LIST OF CARDINALS INTERNATIONAL GAMES

Date	Opponent	Location	Result
8/5/59	Toronto Argonauts	Exhibition Stadium (Toronto)	W, 55-26
8/2/61	Toronto Argonauts	Exhibition Stadium (Toronto)	W, 36-7
8/16/76	San Diego Chargers	Korakuen Stadium (Tokyo)	W, 20-10
8/6/83	Minnesota Vikings	Wembley Stadium (London)	L, 10-28
10/2/05	San Francisco 49ers	Estadio Azteca (Mexico City)	W, 31-14
10/22/17	Los Angeles Rams	Twickenham Stadium (London)	L, 0-33

### HERNANDEZ HAS TIES TO MEXICO CITY

OL **Will Hernandez** has family ties to Mexico City. His parents, Robert Hernandez and Angelica Lemus, moved to the United States from Mexico prior to his birth. His grandparents hail from Mexico City. Hernandez's father was a professional soccer player in Mexico.

"This is a huge and special game for me," Hernandez said after the match-up was announced. "My dad's whole side of the family still lives in Mexico City. To be able to play a game at Estadio Azteca is huge. That is one of the most historic stadiums in Mexico. I am very excited to get to play in front of my people, where I am from and where my family grew up."

## 17TH SEASON AT STATE FARM STADIUM

The Cardinals will host eight regular season home games at State Farm Stadium in 2022 - which marks the team's 17<sup>th</sup> season at the venue.

### A LOOK AT THE CARDINALS OPPONENTS AT STATE FARM STADIUM IN 2022

- Of the Cardinals eight home games at State Farm Stadium, seven will come vs. teams that posted a winning record in 2021 and five will come vs. teams that made the playoffs last season.

- The eight teams posted a combined 44-25 (.638) record on the road last season.

- Arizona will host three primetime games at State Farm Stadium this season. vs. Saints on Thursday Night Football (Week 7)  
vs. Patriots on Monday Night Football (Week 14)  
vs. Buccaneers on Sunday Night Football (Week 16 on Christmas night)



### Cardinals Home Games at State Farm Stadium (2022)

Week	Opponent	2021 Highlights
1	Kansas City	12-5 record; made AFC Championship Game
3	L.A. Rams	12-5 record; won Super Bowl LVI
5	Philadelphia	9-8 record; earned playoff berth
7	New Orleans	9-8 record; finished 2 <sup>nd</sup> in NFC South
9	Seattle	7-10 record
12	L.A. Chargers	9-8 record; finished 3 <sup>rd</sup> in AFC West
14	New England	10-7 record; earned playoff berth
16	Tampa Bay	13-4 record; made Divisional Round of playoffs

### A CATALYST FOR THE CARDINALS SUCCESS

State Farm Stadium has been a catalyst for the Cardinals success since it opened in 2006. Below is a look at the Cardinals results in their first 16 years at State Farm Stadium compared to 18 seasons at Sun Devil Stadium.

Overall Comparison	16 seasons at State Farm Stadium	18 seasons at Sun Devil Stadium
<b>Statistic</b>	<b>154 (excluding 2020)</b>	<b>12</b>
Sellouts	71-55-2	64-80
Regular Season Home Record	.563	.444
Home Win %	5-4	1-1
Postseason Record	4-0	0-0
Postseason Home Record	6	1
Seasons with Winning Record	5	1
Postseason Berths	3	0
Division Titles	2	0
Conference Championship Games	1	0
Super Bowl Appearances		

## CARDS TAKING PRACTICE TO NASHVILLE

The Cardinals will travel to Tennessee on Tuesday, August 23 and will practice with the Titans for two days prior to playing against them on Saturday, August 27.

The team is scheduled to practice on Wednesday, August 24 and Thursday, August 25 at the Saint Thomas Sports Park during their stay in Nashville.



## PRESEASON TO AIR ON 12 NEWS KPNX-TV

The Emmy award winning Cardinals Broadcast Network will produce two of the three Cardinals preseason games that can be seen locally in Phoenix on 12 News KPNX-TV (NBC) beginning with this Friday's preseason opener at Cincinnati.



The other preseason broadcast on 12 News is Saturday, August 27 at Tennessee. The Cardinals regular radio team of **Dave Pasch** (play-by-play) and **Ron Wolfley** (analyst) will call the action. Cardinals reporter/producer **Dani Sureck** will be the sideline reporter for the matchup in Tennessee.

Arizona will also appear in a nationally-televised preseason game on FOX on Sunday, August 21 vs. Baltimore at 5:00 PM MST.

Coverage of the Cardinals-Bengals game on Friday will begin with a pregame show at 4:00 PM with kickoff to follow at 4:30 PM. The Cardinals-Titans game will get started with kickoff at 4:00 PM followed by a post-game show at approximately 7:00 PM. 12

In addition, the pregame and game broadcasts will be shown on KOAT in Albuquerque and KTTU & KMSB in Tucson.

On the radio side, **Paul Calvisi** (play-by-play) will be joined by former Cardinals quarterback **Drew Stanton** (analyst) on the call for the Bengals and Titans games. Pasch (play-by-play), Wolfley (analyst) and Calvisi (sideline) will work the Ravens contest. All three Cardinals preseason games can be heard on Arizona Sports 98.7 FM.

## CARDINALS 2022 DRAFT CLASS HIGHLIGHTS

### TE TREY MCBRIDE - ROUND 2 (55<sup>TH</sup>) - COLORADO STATE

• Was the first tight end selected in this year's draft and the only tight end selected in the first two rounds.

• Winner of the 2021 John Mackey Award as the nation's top tight end and was named the Mountain West 2021-22 Male Athlete of the Year.

• As a senior in 2021, became the first Colorado State player to earn unanimous first-team All-America honors after posting one of the best seasons by a TE in FBS history with 90 receptions for 1,121 yards. His 1,121 receiving yards were the fifth-most by a tight end in FBS history.

• A four-time all-conference selection, two-time All-State pick and two-time team MVP in football at Fort Morgan (CO) High School, he also set the school record for points in basketball and schools records for home runs and RBIs in baseball.

• Has uncommon speed for his position. At Colorado State's Pro Day in March, McBride ran the 40-yard dash in 4.54 seconds.



### OL LECITUS SMITH - ROUND 6b (215<sup>TH</sup>) - VIRGINIA TECH

• First name pronounced "luh-SEET-us".

• Was the first offensive lineman the Cardinals have ever selected out of Virginia Tech.

• Following a redshirt season in 2017, Smith played in 45 games (38 starts) over the next four seasons (2018-21). He made 37 starts at left guard and one at left tackle, starting his final 37 games played with the Hokies.

• Loves to cook and started a cooking show on YouTube with his girlfriend, Heaven.

• Before he was a 300-pound college offensive lineman, Smith was a highly-recruited tight end coming out of Fitzgerald (GA) High School. He was a three-time GHSA all-region pick who earned first-team All-State honors from the Atlanta Journal-Constitution in 2015.



### CB CHRISTIAN MATTHEW - ROUND 7a (244<sup>TH</sup>) - VALDOSTA STATE

• Matthew became the first Valdosta State player ever drafted by the Cardinals. He was the sixth Valdosta State player ever selected in the NFL Draft and first since DB Stephen Denmark was taken by Chicago in the seventh round (238<sup>th</sup> overall) in 2019.

• With the addition of Matthew, Valdosta State now has three cornerbacks active in the NFL in Kenny Moore II (Colts) and Kindel Vildor (Bears).

• After originally attending Georgia Southern (2017-18) and Samford (2019-20), Matthew transferred to Valdosta State for the 2021 season. He appeared in 14 games with the Blazers last season, totaling 37 tackles, an INT, 15 passes defended, a half-sack and a blocked kick on special teams.

• NFL career almost never happened. After coaching changes, eligibility issues and COVID-19 forced him to bounce from college to college, Matthew - who has a background in management and logistics - was offered a manager's position at a Walmart in Georgia. He was "very close" to accepting the position before his family and girlfriend convinced him to continue chasing his NFL dream.



### LB CAMERON THOMAS - ROUND 3a (87<sup>TH</sup>) - SAN DIEGO STATE

• In four seasons (2018-21) at SDSU, totaled 155 tackles, 39.0 tackles for loss, 21.0 sacks, three passes defended and a forced fumble in 23 games.

• As a junior in 2021, earned Mountain West Defensive Player of the Year honors and was a Bednarik Award semifinalist after posting 71 tackles, 20.5 tackles for loss, 11.5 sacks and 21 QB hurries. His 20.5 tackles for loss tied the Mountain West single-season record and his 11.5 sacks led the conference.

• According to analytics site ProFootballFocus.com, in 2021 Thomas had 77 total pressures, which ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> among all FBS edge defenders

• Over his final 17 games played (3 in 2020 & 14 in 2021), he totaled 98 tackles, 28.0 tackles for loss, 14 sacks and 26 QB hurries.

• Thomas' brother, Zachary, was a standout offensive lineman and teammate of Cameron at San Diego State. Both brothers were selected in the 2022 NFL Draft, with Zachary taken in the sixth round (186<sup>th</sup> overall) by the Bears.



### LB JESSE LUKETA - ROUND 7b (256<sup>TH</sup>) - PENN STATE

• Last name pronounced "loo-KETT-uh".

• Played four seasons (2018-21) at Penn State where he appeared in 46 games and totaled 143 tackles, 7.0 tackles for loss, an INT, eight passes defended and a fumble recovery (which he returned for a TD).

• Grew up in Ottawa, Ontario - the capital city of Canada - and at an early age developed a love of American football. "At the age of 10, I would literally send emails every single day to institutions across the United States, introducing myself and basically explaining my financial situation and my aspirations of playing football at the highest level," Luketa told TSN earlier this year. "Some schools responded, others did not. I would send emails to NFL agents as well. My brother laughed at me, but he said that was the day he knew I was different. I sent about 100 emails to agents and there were like, three agents who responded. They laughed at me and said, 'When you're ready, come contact me again.'"

• Developed into one of the top recruits in the state of Pennsylvania while attending Mercyhurst Prep (Erie, PA) High School, where he was the Pennsylvania Football News 3A Defensive Player of the Year, a 1<sup>st</sup>-Team All-Pennsylvania selection and a 1<sup>st</sup>-Team USA Today All-USA Pennsylvania Team in 2017.



### LB MYJAI SANDERS - ROUND 3b (100<sup>TH</sup>) - CINCINNATI

• First name pronounced "MY-jay".

• In four seasons (2018-21) at Cincinnati, appeared in 42 games and totaled 119 tackles, 24.5 tackles for loss, 13.5 sacks, 12 passes defended, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery.

• A two-time 1<sup>st</sup>-team American Athletic Conference selection (2020-21), Sanders finished the 2021 season with 62 total pressures, which led the AAC. He recorded 27 pressures in his final four games last season.

• In 2020, Sanders was a semifinalist for the Bednarik Award after posting 31 tackles, 10.5 tackles for loss and 7.0 sacks and five passes defended in just 10 games.



### RB KEAONTAY INGRAM - ROUND 6a (201<sup>ST</sup>) - USC

• In four seasons (42 games) at Texas (2018-20) and USC (2021), rushed for 2,722 yards and 16 TDs on 495 carries (5.5 avg.) and added 671 yards and six TDs on 89 receptions.

• Most productive college season came last year with USC when he rushed for a career-high 911 yards and five TDs on 156 carries, averaging 5.8 yards per attempt.

• As a standout at Carthage (TX) High School, Ingram was one of the most highly-sought after recruits in the country after rushing for more than 5,000 yards and a school record 76 TDs. Led Carthage to a 29-2 record and back-to-back State 4A Division I titles in 2016-17, earning championship game honors as a junior in 2016. Ingram was a 2017 All-American, a USA Today All-USA Texas pick and was a finalist for Mr. Texas Football High School Player of the Year as a senior.

• Grew up with nine siblings.



### OL MARQUIS HAYES - ROUND 7c (257<sup>TH</sup>) - OKLAHOMA

• Started his final 37 games played at left guard for the Sooners between 2019-21. He was a second-team All-Big 12 selection as a senior in 2021.

• As a junior in 2020, Hayes started 11 games and allowed just two sacks in 416 pass-blocking attempts.

• During his first two seasons in Oklahoma (2017-18), was a teammate of Cardinals QB Kyler Murray. Following a redshirt freshman season in 2017, Hayes' first college action came at guard during the 2018 season - the year Murray won the Heisman Trophy with Hollywood Brown at receiver.

• Was the 40<sup>th</sup> player the Cardinals have drafted from Oklahoma, the most of any school since the draft began back in 1936. Prior to Hayes, the last Sooner pick by Arizona was QB Kyler Murray, taken #1 overall in 2019.





The 2022 season marks the 16<sup>th</sup> with owner **Michael Bidwill** steering the organization. His leadership during that time has been instrumental in transforming the franchise both on and off the field.

### Highlights of Bidwill's tenure:

- Michael continues a tradition of Bidwill ownership of the Cardinals that dates back to his grandfather, Hall of Famer Charles Bidwill, who purchased the team in 1933.
- Of the franchise's seven all-time postseason wins, five have come during Michael's tenure leading the organization. Arizona has played in 10 postseason contests over the last 15 seasons, after having appeared in just seven total playoff games prior.
- Arizona has appeared in the NFC Championship Game twice since 2008 including a victory in the 2008 conference title game that led to the franchise's first-ever Super Bowl appearance (Super Bowl XLIII).
- With an 11-6 record in 2021, the Cardinals reached 11+ wins in a season for the sixth time in franchise history. Three of those six 11-win campaigns came with Michael leading the team: 13 in 2015, 11 in 2014, 11 in 2021.
- Among Bidwill's most substantial accomplishments with the Cardinals is the creation of State Farm Stadium. The world-class venue has proved a critical turning point for the franchise, an economic engine for the state of Arizona, and a crucial resource in the battle against the COVID-19 pandemic.
- At the conclusion of the 2022 season, State Farm Stadium will host Super Bowl LVII – the third Super Bowl held at the venue since it opened in 2006. State Farm Stadium also hosted Super Bowls XLII (following 2007 season) and XLIX (following 2014 season).
- In addition to his role in helping Arizona land three Super Bowls, Michael was also instrumental in getting the 2015 Pro Bowl moved to State Farm Stadium; played a week before Super Bowl XLIX, the two events combined to deliver a record economic impact of \$720 million to the region.
- Since State Farm Stadium opened in 2006, the Cardinals have sold out 154 games at the venue (which is every non-pandemic game played there).
- During the 2022 season, the Cardinals will make their first-ever appearance on *Hard Knocks*, television's most acclaimed sports reality franchise. Arizona will be the second team to be featured on *Hard Knocks In Season*, which will document the second half of the Cardinals season in real time.
- In January of 2016, the National Football Foundation (NFF) and College Hall of Fame inducted Bidwill and Governor Doug Ducey into the NFF Leadership Hall of Fame.

### Cardinals Under Michael Bidwill (2007-Present)

Statistic	Totals
Overall Record (RS + Post)	126-123-2
Overall Win Pct.	.506
Postseason Record	5-5
Regular Season Home Record	68-50-2
Postseason Home Record	4-0
Overall Home Record (RS + Post)	72-50-2
Seasons with .500 Record or Better	10
Seasons with 10+ Wins	5
Postseason Berths	5
Best Regular Season Record	13-3
Division Titles	3
Conference Championship Games	2
Super Bowl Appearances	1



## AN INFLUENTIAL OWNER

**Within the National Football League, Bidwill's considerable influence is illustrated by his appointment to 10 different league committees, including his inclusion on the prestigious Management Council Executive Committee. His 10 committee assignments are the most of any NFL owner.**

In 2021, the league announced that Bidwill would replace Bengals owner Mike Brown on the Management Council Executive Committee that deals with the NFLPA on labor issues.

The full list of league committees that Bidwill serves on:

- Management Council Executive Committee
- Compensation Committee
- Legislative Committee
- Stadium Security & Fan Behavior (Chairman)
- Business Ventures Committee
- Conduct Committee (Chairman)
- NFL Foundation
- Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee
- Social Justice Working Group
- Health & Safety Advisory Committee



The 2022 season marks the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Cardinals historic 1947 season. It was a year in which Violet Bidwill made league history and one that ultimately ended in the team winning an NFL Championship.

The Cardinals suffered a big loss after team owner **Charles Bidwill** - having just recently put the finishing touches on his "Dream Backfield" with the unprecedented signing of All-American running back Charley Trippi - passed away of pneumonia in April. He had run the franchise since purchasing it in 1933 and was credited with pulling the team - and on a larger scale the NFL - through the Great Depression.



Violet Bidwill (center) with sons Stormy (left) and Bill Bidwill (right).

**With the passing of Charles, his wife, Violet Bidwill, took over as team owner. It was a historic moment, as she became the first female owner in NFL history and one of the first females to serve as a primary owner in professional sports.**

"She was a wonderful person and was in a tough situation with losing her husband at a young age," Violet's grandson, current Cardinals owner **Michael Bidwill**, said. "She decided she would take over the family businesses."

"Things worked out well," said then-team president Ray Benningson said of the front office under Violet. "I ran the business end of it, (head coach) Jimmy (Conzelman) ran the team on the field and we both appreciated Vi's (Violet) counsel. I'll tell you one thing. She knew her football and she was a shrewd businesswoman."

"She didn't suffer fools, and she was right there in the meetings with the rest of the owners and held her own," said Michael Bidwill.

**Violet Bidwill's first year of ownership saw the franchise win the NFL Championship after defeating the Philadelphia Eagles 28-21 in the Championship Game.**

Violet Bidwill served as Cardinals owner from 1947 through her death in 1962, having engineered the team's move to St. Louis in 1960.

## KEIM HAS BUILT SOME OF THE BEST

After 14 seasons working within the Cardinals personnel department, **Steve Keim** was elevated to GM on January 8, 2013.

### AMONG THE NFL'S BEST IN 2021

In 2021, the Cardinals posted an 11-6 record and secured their first playoff berth since 2015.

**In addition to winning 11 games during the regular season, the Cardinals also ranked in the top 10 in both offensive points scored and defensive points allowed per game.**

### KEIM TRADES FOR THE NFL'S BEST

Among the trades negotiated by Keim during his tenure as GM:

- QB **Carson Palmer** from Oakland in 2013
- LB **Chandler Jones** from New England in 2016
- WR **DeAndre Hopkins** from Houston in 2020
- OL **Rodney Hudson** from Las Vegas in 2021
- TE **Zach Ertz** from Philadelphia in 2021
- WR **Marquise Brown** from Baltimore in 2022

### CARDINALS HIGHLIGHTS IN KEIM'S TENURE

• The 2021 season marked the fourth time in his tenure the Cardinals have won 10+ games. That includes the 2015 season when Arizona won a franchise record 13 games and earned its first-ever postseason bye.

• During Keim's tenure, Arizona has established franchise records for wins in a season (13 in 2015), points in a season (489 in 2015), led the NFL in total offense for the first time in team history (#1 in 2015) and led the NFL in sacks for the second time ever (48.0 in 2016).

• Arizona has featured a top-10 defense four times and a top-10 offense four times dating back to Keim's first season as GM. The Cardinals had a top-10 defense in three consecutive seasons (2015-17) for the first time since the 1970 merger. In 2021, Arizona ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in the NFL in offensive points scored (435) and eighth in defensive points allowed (349).

• Selected QB **Kyler Murray** with the #1 overall pick in the 2019 NFL Draft. Murray was named the 2019 NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year and followed up with Pro Bowl selections in each of the last two years (2020-21), becoming the first QB in team history to earn multiple Pro Bowls in his first three seasons.

• The 2021 free agency period was one of Keim's busiest as GM. The players the Cardinals acquired have a combined 20 Pro Bowl selections and 11 All-Pro nods. Arizona brought in five different Pro Bowlers in the offseason: DL **J.J. Watt**, WR **A.J. Green**, OL **Rodney Hudson**, K **Matt Prater** and RB **James Conner**. Conner was selected to the Pro Bowl in 2021.

• Named Sporting News 2014 NFL Executive of the Year and earned back-to-back NFL Executive of the Year honors from Pro Football Talk (2013-14).



## CARDS COMING OFF 11-WIN SEASON IN '21

The Cardinals finished the 2021 regular season with an 11-6 record.

It marked just the sixth time in franchise history Arizona won at least 11 games in a season, with half of those coming during Michael Bidwill's 15 seasons (2007-21) running the team.

Kliff Kingsbury became the fifth coach in franchise history to win 11+ games in a season.

### Franchise Record – Wins (Season)

Rnk	Wins	Year	Coach
1	13	2015*	Bruce Arians
2t	11	2021*	Kliff Kingsbury
2t	11	2014*	Bruce Arians
2t	11	1975	Don Coryell
2t	11	1948	Jimmy Conzelman
2t	11	1925	Norm Barry

\*During Michael Bidwill's tenure running team

### HISTORIC WINNING-STREAK TO START 2021

Arizona started the 2021 season 7-0, tying the franchise record for wins to open a season (also had 7 in 1974).

### Franchise Record

#### Longest Winning Streak to Open Season

Rnk	Year	Wins
1t	2021	7
1t	1974	7
3	1922	6
4t	1966	5
4t	1923	5

In franchise history, there were just three winning streaks of any kind longer than the Cardinals seven-game winning streak to open the '21 campaign. A look at the longest winning streaks in franchise history:

### Franchise History - Longest Winning Streaks

Rnk	Year(s)	Wins	Games
1	1948-49	11	Games 3-12 in 1948 - Game 1 in '49
2	2015	9	Games 7-15
3	1925	8	Games 2-9
4t	2021	7	Games 1-7
4t	1974	7	Games 1-7



## A REMARKABLE TURNAROUND IN THE DESERT

When he took over in Arizona in 2019, head coach Kliff Kingsbury inherited a team with the league's worst record and one of the NFL's least-productive offenses.

The Cardinals had an NFL-low three wins and were ranked last in nearly every offensive category in 2018. In 2021, Arizona secured a playoff spot, posted 11 wins in the regular season and ranked in the top-10 in total offense, passing offense and rushing offense.

A look at the Cardinals offense in 2018 - the year prior to Kingsbury's arrival - compared to where it ranked in 2021.



Cardinals Offensive Rankings	2018 (Final)	2021 (Final)
Statistic	Rnk (Total)	Rnk (Total)
Games w/30+ Points	32 <sup>nd</sup> (0)	t-2 <sup>nd</sup> (9)
Rushing TDs	t-27 <sup>th</sup> (9)	t-3 <sup>rd</sup> (23)
Fewest Turnovers	27 <sup>th</sup> (28)	4 <sup>th</sup> (15)
Games w/ 400+ Yds & 30+ Pts	t-30 <sup>th</sup> (0)	t-5 <sup>th</sup> (5)
Games w/4+ TDs	t-29 <sup>th</sup> (1)	t-5 <sup>th</sup> (8)
Scoring Efficiency	32 <sup>nd</sup> (19.3)	6 <sup>th</sup> (44.7)
Games w/ 25+ Points	t-31 <sup>st</sup> (1)	t-6 <sup>th</sup> (10)
Big Plays (25+ Yards)	30 <sup>th</sup> (23)	t-6 <sup>th</sup> (44)
Wins	32 <sup>nd</sup> (3)	t-7 <sup>th</sup> (11)
Big Plays Passing (25+ Yards)	30 <sup>th</sup> (20)	8 <sup>th</sup> (39)
Total Yards/Game	32 <sup>nd</sup> (241.6)	8 <sup>th</sup> (373.6)
First Downs/Game	32 <sup>nd</sup> (239)	8 <sup>th</sup> (21.6)
Touchdowns	31 <sup>st</sup> (27)	t-8 <sup>th</sup> (52)
Scoring Drives	32 <sup>nd</sup> (36)	t-8 <sup>th</sup> (80)
Passing Yards/Game	32 <sup>nd</sup> (157.7)	10 <sup>th</sup> (251.5)
Rushing Yards/Game	32 <sup>nd</sup> (83.9)	10 <sup>th</sup> (122.1)
Offensive Points Scored	32 <sup>nd</sup> (203)	10 <sup>th</sup> (435)

### UPPING THE WIN TOTAL IN EACH OF HIS FIRST THREE YEARS

Arizona increased its win total by at least two games in each of the first three seasons under head coach Kliff Kingsbury:

3 in 2018 the year before his arrival  
5 in 2019 (+2)  
8 in 2020 (+3)  
**11 in 2021 (+3)**

## COMPLEMENTARY FOOTBALL WINS

Much of the Cardinals success in 2021 was the result of the team playing complementary football.

Arizona ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in the NFL in offensive points scored (435) and eighth in defensive points allowed (349) in 2021.

### 2021 NFL Leaders

#### Offensive Points Scored

Rnk	Team	Pts
1	Tampa Bay	498
2	Buffalo	476
3	Dallas	468
4	L.A. Chargers	460
5	L.A. Rams	453
6	Kansas City	452
7	Cincinnati	446
8	New England	441
9	Green Bay	437
10	Arizona	435

### 2021 NFL Leaders

#### Defensive Points Allowed

Rnk	Team	Pts
1	New England	270
2	Buffalo	280
3	Denver	288
4	New Orleans	314
5	L.A. Rams	338
6	Tampa Bay	339
7	Dallas	345
8	Arizona	349
9	Kansas City	350
10	Tennessee	354



The Cardinals scored 30+ points in a game AND allowed 20 points or less in the same game six times last season, tied for the most in the NFL. Arizona, Buffalo and Tampa Bay were the only teams in the NFL in 2021 that had six games in which the team did both.

The Cardinals scored 30+ points in a game nine times in 2021, tied for the second-highest total in the NFL behind only Tampa Bay (10). Arizona allowed 20 points or fewer eight times, tied for eighth in the NFL.

## HISTORICALLY-BALANCED ATTACK

Arizona finished the 2021 regular season with 6,352 total net yards, the second-high total in franchise history.

### Franchise Record

#### Total Net Yards (Season)

Rnk	Year	Yards
1	2015	6,533
2	2021	6,352
3	1984	6,345
3	2020	6,153
5	2016	5,868



The Cardinals had 4,276 net passing yards and 2,076 rushing yards in 2021. It marked just the second time in franchise history (1984) that Arizona had 4,000+ net passing yards and 2,000+ rushing yards in a season.

Arizona ranked in the top-10 in total offense (#8), rushing offense (#10) and passing offense (#10) in 2021. Arizona, Buffalo and Dallas were the only teams in the NFL last season that ranked in the top-10 in all three categories in 2021.

### 2021 OFFENSIVE NFL LEADERS

#### 2021 NFL Leaders - Total Offense

Rnk	Team	Y/G
1	Dallas	407.0
2	Tampa Bay	405.9
3	Kansas City	396.8
4	L.A. Chargers	390.2
5	Buffalo	381.9
6	Baltimore	378.6
7	San Francisco	375.7
8	Arizona	373.6
9	L.A. Rams	372.1
10	Green Bay	365.6



#### Rushing Offense

Rnk	Team	Y/G
1	Philadelphia	159.7
2	Indianapolis	149.4
3	Baltimore	145.8
4	Cleveland	145.4
5	Tennessee	141.4
6	Buffalo	129.9
7	San Francisco	127.4
8	New England	126.5
9	Dallas	124.6
10	Arizona	122.1

#### Passing Offense

Rnk	Team	Y/G
1	Tampa Bay	307.6
2t	Dallas	282.4
2t	L.A. Chargers	282.4
4	Kansas City	281.8
5	L.A. Rams	273.1
6	Las Vegas	268.6
7	Cincinnati	259.0
8	Green Bay	253.8
9	Buffalo	252.0
10	Arizona	251.5



## HISTORIC ROAD SUCCESS IN 2021

Arizona went 8-1 on the road during the 2021 regular season. The Cardinals led the NFL in road wins and also established a franchise record for road wins in a single season.

### Franchise Record - Road Wins (Season)

Rnk	Year	Wins
1	2021	8
2	2015	7
3t	2009	6
3t	1963	6
3t	1948	6

Arizona became just the 10<sup>th</sup> team in NFL history to win eight road games in a season.

### NFL Record - Roads Wins (Season)

Rnk	Team (Year)	Wins
1t	Arizona (2021)	8
1t	Kansas City (2020)	8
1t	New England (2016)	8
1t	Dallas (2014)	8
1t	New England (2007)	8
1t	St. Louis (2001)	8
1t	San Francisco (1990)	8
1t	San Francisco (1989)	8
1t	San Francisco (1984)	8
1t	Chicago (1934)	8



### A HISTORIC RUN TO OPEN THE SEASON

The Cardinals seven consecutive road wins to open the season marked the second-longest road winning streak in franchise history - and the longest in team history to start a season.

### Franchise Record - Consecutive Road Wins

Rnk	Wins	Year(s)	Notes on Streak
1	8	1947-48	Final 2 in 1947 and all six in 1948
2	7	2021	First 7 road games in 2021
3	6	1975-76	Final 5 in 1975 and first in 1976
4t	5	2015	Final 5 road games that season
4t	5	2009	First 5 road games that season
4t	5	1963-64	Final 4 in 1963 and first in 1964

### HISTORIC POINT DIFFERENTIAL STREAK

Prior to suffering their first - and only - road loss of the regular season at Detroit in Week 15, Arizona won each of its first seven road games by 10+ points:

25 points	(38-13 in Week 1 @ Ten)
12 points	(31-19 in Week 3 @ Jax)
17 points	(37-20 in Week 4 @ LAR)
23 points	(37-14 in Week 6 @ Cle)
14 points	(31-17 in Week 9 @ SF)
10 points	(23-13 in Week 11 @ Sea)
11 points	(33-22 in Week 13 @ Chi)

Arizona (1<sup>st</sup> 7 in 2021) and Dallas (1<sup>st</sup> 7 in 1968) are the only teams in league history to win each of their first seven road games in a season by 10+ points.

A look at where the Cardinals ranked on the road in 2021:

Statistic	Total	NFL Rnk
Wins	8	1 <sup>st</sup>
Points Scored	267	1 <sup>st</sup>
Passer Rating	111.2	1 <sup>st</sup>
Turnover Margin	+18	1 <sup>st</sup>
Forced Fumbles	14	1 <sup>st</sup>
Fumble Recoveries	11	1 <sup>st</sup>
Fewest Turnovers	3	1 <sup>st</sup>
Total TDs	31	t-1 <sup>st</sup>
Rushing TDs	12	t-1 <sup>st</sup>
Sacks	29	t-2 <sup>nd</sup>
Point Differential	+97	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Takeaways	21	2 <sup>nd</sup>

## DEFENSE HAS STRONG SHOWING IN 2021

The Cardinals defense had a solid 2021 season under third-year defensive coordinator Vance Joseph. A look at some of the defensive rankings last season:

### Cardinals Defensive Rankings in 2021

Statistic	Total	NFL Rnk
Fumble Recoveries	14	1 <sup>st</sup>
Forced Fumbles	20	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Rushing TDs Allowed	10	t-7 <sup>th</sup>
Takeaways	27	7 <sup>th</sup>
Passing Yards Allowed/Game	214.4	7 <sup>th</sup>
Defensive TDs Scored	2	t-7 <sup>th</sup>
Offensive Points Allowed/Game	20.5	8 <sup>th</sup>
Games Allowing 20 Pts or Fewer	8	t-8 <sup>th</sup>
3 <sup>rd</sup> Down Percentage	38.16	10 <sup>th</sup>
4 <sup>th</sup> Down Percentage	46.67	10 <sup>th</sup>
Offensive TDs Allowed	40	t-10 <sup>th</sup>
Net Yards Allowed/Game	329.2	11 <sup>th</sup>
Tackles for Loss	76	t-11 <sup>th</sup>



## SEASON-LONG BATTLE IN THE NFC WEST

The Cardinals and Rams were in a season-long battle for the NFC West - the NFL's toughest division - in 2021. The fight for the division crown came down to the regular season finale as the Rams eventually won it by a single game.

Arizona's four division wins led all NFC West teams in 2021 and the Cardinals were 3-0 on the road against division opponents last season - marking the first time since 2016 the team accomplished that feat.



### 2021 Final NFC West Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Hm	Road	Div	Conf
L.A. Rams*	12	5	460	372	5-3	7-2	3-3	8-4
Arizona*	11	6	449	366	3-5	8-1	4-2	7-5
San Francisco*	10	7	427	365	4-4	6-3	2-4	7-5
Seattle	7	10	395	366	3-5	4-5	3-3	4-8

\*Earned Postseason Berth

The Cardinals, Rams and 49ers all earned postseason berths in 2021. Dating back to division realignment in 2002, it marked the ninth time that three teams from the same division made the playoffs.

### 3 Teams From Same Division Make Playoffs (2002-21)

**2021: NFC West (Cardinals, Rams, 49ers)**

2020: AFC North (Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Cleveland)  
 2017: NFC South (New Orleans, Carolina, Atlanta)  
 2014: AFC North (Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Baltimore)  
 2013: AFC West (Denver, Kansas City, San Diego)  
 2011: AFC North (Baltimore, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati)  
 2007: NFC East (Dallas, NY Giants, Washington)  
 2007: AFC South (Indianapolis, Jacksonville, Tennessee)  
 2006: NFC East (Philadelphia, Dallas, NY Giants)

### In 2021, the NFC West:

- Was the only division to send 3 teams to the postseason
- Rams won Super Bowl LVI after defeating Niners in the NFC Championship Game
- Led the NFL in total wins (40) during the regular season
- Scored the most points (1,731) of any division during the regular season
- Tied (AFC East) for the fewest points allowed (1,469) of any division

## GROUND GAME KEEPS ON PRODUCING IN 2021

Arizona ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in the NFL with 2,076 rushing yards and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the NFL with 23 rushing TDs in 2021.

It was the third consecutive season (2019-20) the Cardinals ranked in the top-10 in both categories.

In three seasons under head coach Kliff Kingsbury, the Cardinals are tied for third in the NFL with 63 rushing TDs and eighth in the NFL with 6,303 rushing yards.



### NFL Leaders - Rushing TDs (2019-21)

Rnk	Team	TDs
1	Tennessee	70
2	San Francisco	64
3t	Arizona	63
3t	Baltimore	63
5	New England	61
6	Indianapolis	59
7	Philadelphia	57
8t	Carolina	56
8t	Cleveland	56
10	New Orleans	54

### NFL Leaders - Rushing Yards (2019-21)

Rnk	Team	Yards
1	Baltimore	8,846
2	Tennessee	7,317
3	Cleveland	6,746
4	Philadelphia	6,681
5	Indianapolis	6,666
6	San Francisco	6,360
7	Minnesota	6,346
8	Arizona	6,303
9	Seattle	6,245
10	New England	6,200

Dating back to 2019, the Cardinals are one of just five teams in the NFL with 6,000+ rushing yards and 60+ rushing TDs, joining Baltimore, Tennessee, San Francisco and New England.

## AVOIDING TURNOVERS UNDER KINGSBURY

Arizona's 15 turnovers and four fumbles lost in 2021 both represent the lowest single-season totals in franchise history.

The Cardinals went without a turnover in seven games last season, tied for the most in a single season in franchise history. Only twice in franchise history has that happened, and both seasons have come under Kingsbury.

### Fewest Total Turnovers (Season)

Rnk	Year	TO
1	2021	15
2	1982*	16
3t	2014	17
3t	1974	17
5	2019	18

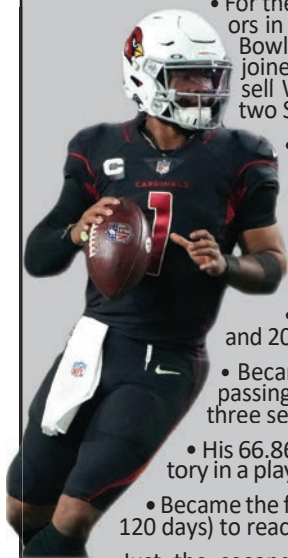
\*9-game season

### Franchise Record - Games w/o Turnover

Rnk	Year	Gms
1t	2021	7
1t	2019	7
3t	2016	6
3t	2015	6
3t	1974	6

## KYLER MURRAY - AT A GLANCE

• Selected #1 overall by the Cardinals in the 2019 NFL Draft. Signed the largest contract in franchise history when he agreed to an extension with the team in July of 2022 that will keep him in Arizona through the end of the 2028 season.



- For the second straight season, earned Pro Bowl honors in 2021. 1<sup>st</sup> QB in franchise history named to Pro Bowl twice within his first three NFL seasons and joined Aaron Rodgers, Patrick Mahomes and Russell Wilson as only NFL QBs named to each of last two Super Bowls.

- 2019 AP NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year.

- In his career (46 games), has completed 1,057-of-1,581 pass attempts (66.9%) for 11,480 yards and 70 TDs while rushing for 1,786 yards and 20 TDs on 314 carries (5.7 avg.).

### NFL HISTORY

- First player in NFL history with 70+ passing TDs and 20+ rushing TDs in his first three seasons.

- Became the first player in NFL history with 3,500+ passing yards and 400+ rushing in each of his first three seasons.

- His 66.86 completion percentage is the best in NFL history in a player's first three seasons (min. 1,000 attempts).

- Became the fourth-youngest player in NFL history (24 years, 120 days) to reach 10,000 career passing yards.

- Just the second player in NFL history (Cam Newton) with 11,000+ passing yards and 1,500+ rushing yards in first three seasons.

- His five games with 3+ pass TDs and 1+ rush TDs are the most in NFL history in a player's first three seasons.

- Joins Peyton Manning (2) and Aaron Rodgers (2) as the only players in NFL history with multiple games of 400+ passing yards, 3+ passing TDs and 1+ rushing TD.

- Became the first player in NFL history with 7,500+ passing yards, 45+ TD passes and 15+ TD runs in his first two NFL seasons.

- Became the first player in NFL history with 6,000+ passing yards and 1,100+ rushing yards in his first 25 career games.

- In 2020, set an NFL record for the most games (9) with a passing and rushing TD in a single season. Has 13 such performances in 46 career games, surpassing Jim Hart for the team record (11 in 199 games).

- Became the first player in NFL history with both a passing and rushing TD in five consecutive games (Games 5-9) in 2020.

- In Week 7 of the 2020 season vs. Seattle, became the first player in NFL history to throw for 350+ yards and 3+ TDs while also rushing for 50+ yards and a TD in a single game.

- In 2019, became just the 6<sup>th</sup> different QB in NFL history with 3,500+ passing yards and 500+ rushing yards in a season – and just the second rookie (Cam Newton, 2011).

- Between Weeks 4-10 of the 2019 season, set an NFL rookie record with 211 consecutive pass attempts without an INT.

### CARDINALS HISTORY

- Became the first player in franchise history to have 3,500+ passing yards in three consecutive seasons.

- Only player in franchise history with 11,000+ passing yards and 1,500+ rushing yards in their career.

- Already owns the franchise record for rushing TDs by a QB (20) and career games with both a passing and rushing TD (13).

- Tied Kurt Warner (5 in 2009) for the most games with a passer rating of 120.0+ in a single season in 2021.

- Established a single-season franchise record with a 67.2 completion percentage (375-of-558) in 2020, which he topped in 2021 with a 69.2 completion percentage (333-of-481).

- Set a single-season franchise record for rushing TDs (11) and rushing yards (819) by a QB in 2020.

- Has been named NFC "Offensive Player of the Week" five times, tying Kurt Warner for the most in franchise history. In 2020 became the first player in team history to earn the honor three times in a single season.

- First Cardinals rookie QB to start a season opener since Lamar McHan in 1954. Selected #1 overall by the Cardinals in the 2019 NFL Draft, the fifth player ever taken by Arizona #1 overall and first since 1958.

## A TALENT UNLIKE ANY OTHER

**QB Kyler Murray was named to his second consecutive Pro Bowl in 2021 after completing 333-of-481 pass attempts (69.2%) for 3,787 yards, 24 TDs, 10 INTs and a 100.6 passer rating. He also rushed for 423 yards and five TDs.**

A look at where Murray's totals ranked among NFL QBs in 2021 despite having missed three games due to injury:

### Murray's NFL Rankings in 2021

Statistic	Total	Rnk
Completion%	69.2	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Pass Yards/Attempt	7.87	4 <sup>th</sup>
Games w/ 120+ Rating	5	t-4 <sup>th</sup>
Rushing TDs (QBs)	5	t-4 <sup>rd</sup>
Games w/ 70+ Comp%	7	t-6 <sup>th</sup>
Passer Rating	100.6	8 <sup>th</sup>
Passing Yards/Game	270.5	8 <sup>th</sup>
Games w/ 100+ Rating	8	t-8 <sup>th</sup>
Completions of 25+ Yds	33	t-9 <sup>th</sup>
Offensive TDs (Pass/Rush)	29	10 <sup>th</sup>



As good as Murray was in 2021, it is the combined numbers he put up in his first three seasons that has him in the NFL record books.

**Through three seasons, the former #1 overall pick has completed 1,057-of-1,581 pass attempts (66.9%) for 11,480 yards, 70 TDs, 34 INTs and a 93.9 passer rating. He also rushed for 1,786 yards and 20 TDs on 314 carries (5.7 avg.).**

### 1<sup>st</sup> player in NFL history with:

**70+ TD passes and 20+ TD runs in 1<sup>st</sup> 3 seasons**

**3,500+ passing yards and 400+ rushing yards in each of his 1<sup>st</sup> 3 seasons**

**17+ games with a 70+ completion percentage in 1<sup>st</sup> 3 seasons**

### 1<sup>st</sup> player in Cardinals history with:

**3,500+ passing yards in 3 consecutive seasons**

**20+ TD passes in each of his 1<sup>st</sup> 3 seasons**

**3,500+ passing yards in each of his 1<sup>st</sup> 3 NFL seasons**

**60+ TD passes and 20+ TD runs in 1<sup>st</sup> 41 career games**

### 2<sup>nd</sup> player in NFL history with:

**11,000+ passing yards and 1,700+ rushing yards in 1<sup>st</sup> 3 seasons**

**Joined Cam Newton (2011-13)**

**20+ pass TDs and 4+ rushing TDs in each of his 1<sup>st</sup> 3 seasons**

**Joined Dak Prescott (2016-18)**

### 2<sup>nd</sup> player in Cardinals history with:

**Multiple games with 4+ TD passes in a single season (2021)**

**Joined Carson Palmer (2015) as only players to accomplish the feat**

**Passer rating of 100.0+ for an entire season (2021)**

**Joined Carson Palmer (2015) as only players to accomplish the feat**

## THREE YEARS AND 90 TOUCHDOWNS

**Murray accounted for 90 total TDs (70 passing; 20 rushing) in his first three NFL seasons.**

**He became the first player in NFL history with 70+ passing TDs and 20+ rushing TDs in his first three seasons.**

**Murray's 70 TD passes are 26 more than any other player in franchise history in their first three NFL seasons.**

### Franchise Record – TD Passes in 1st 3 NFL Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	TDs
1	Kyler Murray (2019-21)	70
2	Charley Johnson (1961-63)	44
3	Jake Plummer (1997-99)	41
4	Paul Christman (1945-47)	35
5	Jim Hart (1966-68)	34



**Murray's 20 rushing TDs mark the fourth-best total in franchise history in a player's first three NFL seasons - regardless of position.**

### Franchise Record – Rushing TDs in 1st 3 Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	TD	Gms
1	RB Ottis Anderson (1979-81)	26	48
2	RB David Johnson (2015-17)	24	33
3	RB Tim Hightower (2008-10)	23	48
4	QB Kyler Murray (2019-21)	20	46
5	RB Beanie Wells (2009-11)	19	43

**Only two QBs in NFL history had more rushing TDs in their first three seasons than Murray.**

### NFL History - Rushing TDs by QB in 1st 3 Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	TDs
1	Cam Newton (2011-13)	28
2	Josh Allen (2018-20)	25
3	Kyler Murray (2019-21)	20
4	Lamar Jackson (2018-20)	19
5	Dak Prescott (2016-18)	18



## HIGH PERCENTAGE PASSER IN 2021

Murray completed 333-of-481 pass attempts (69.2%) during the regular season in 2021. His 69.2 completion percentage established a new franchise single-season record and also ranked second in the NFL in 2021.

Murray now owns the top two - and three of the top six - single-season completion percentages in Cardinals history.

### Franchise Record – Completion Pct. (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	Pct.
1	Kyler Murray (2021)	69.2
2t	Kyler Murray (2020)	67.2
2t	Kurt Warner (2008)	67.1
4	Kurt Warner (2009)	66.1
5	Kurt Warner (2005)	64.5
6	Kyler Murray (2019)	64.4

### 2021 NFL Leaders – Completion Percentage

Rnk	Player (Team)	Pct.
1	Joe Burrow (Cin)	70.4
2	Kyler Murray (AZ)	69.2
3	Aaron Rodgers (GB)	68.9
4	Dak Prescott (Dal)	68.8
5	Derek Carr (LV)	68.4



## NO ONE MORE ACCURATE IN 1ST THREE SEASONS

Murray has completed 1,057-of-1,581 career pass attempts. His 66.86 completion percentage is the best in NFL history in a player's first three seasons (min. 1,000 pass attempts).

### NFL History – Completion Percentage in 1st 3 Seasons (Min. 1,000 Attempts)

Rnk	Player (Years)	Pct.	Cmp	Att
1	Kyler Murray (2019-21)	66.86	1,057	1,581
2	Deshaun Watson (2017-10)	66.78	804	1,204
3	Justin Herbert (2020-21)	66.22	839	1,267
4	Dak Prescott (2016-18)	66.10	975	1,475
5	Patrick Mahomes (2017-19)	65.88	724	1,099



## KEEPING IT ABOVE 70 PERCENT

Murray had 17 games with a 70+ completion percentage in his first three seasons. Not only is that tied for the most in franchise history - for an entire career - but it also represents the most in NFL history in player's first three seasons.

### Franchise History – Games w/ 70.0+ Comp. % (Career)

Rnk	Player (Years)	Games
1t	Kyler Murray (2019-21)	17
2	Kurt Warner (2005-09)	15
3	Neil Lomax (1981-88)	12
4	Carson Palmer (2013-17)	10
5	Jim Hart (1966-83)	8

### NFL History – Games w/ 70.0+ Comp. % (1st 3 Seasons)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Games
1	Kyler Murray (AZ)	17
2t	Dak Prescott (Dal)	16
2t	Deshaun Watson (Hou)	16
4t	Russell Wilson (Sea)	15
4t	Lamar Jackson (Bal)	15



## HISTORIC COMPLETIONS TOTAL

Murray has 1,057 career completions. Only Andrew Luck had more completions in his first three NFL seasons.

### NFL History – Completions in 1st 3 Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	Cmp
1	Andrew Luck (2012-14)	1,062
2	Kyler Murray (2019-21)	1,057
3	Derek Carr (2014-16)	1,055
4	Ryan Tannehill (2012-14)	1,029
5	Peyton Manning (1998-00)	1,014

Murray owns three of the top-10 single-season completion totals in team history.

### Franchise History – Completions (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	Cmp
1	Kurt Warner (2008)	401
2	Kyler Murray (2020)	375
3	Carson Palmer (2016)	364
4	Carson Palmer (2013)	362
5	Kyler Murray (2019)	349
6	Neil Lomax (1984)	345
7	Carson Palmer (2015)	342
8	Kurt Warner (2009)	339
9	Kyler Murray (2021)	333
10	Jake Plummer (1998)	324

## A HIGHLY-RATED CAMPAIGN IN 2021

Murray posted a 100.6 passer rating in 2021. It represented the second-highest single-season total in franchise history. He now owns two of the top-5 single-season passer rating totals in franchise history.

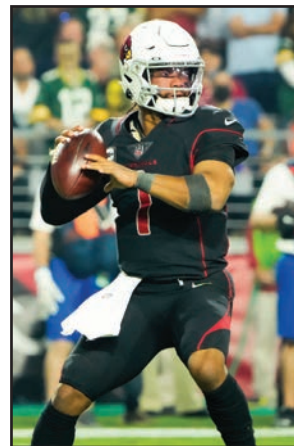
### Franchise Record – Passer Rating (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	Rating
1	Carson Palmer (2015)	104.6
2	Kyler Murray (2021)	100.6
3	Kurt Warner (2008)	96.9
4	Carson Palmer (2014)	95.6
5	Kyler Murray (2020)	94.3

Murray's 110.6 passer rating in 2021 ranked eighth in the NFL.

### NFL Leaders – Passer Rating (2021)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Rating
1	Aaron Rodgers (GB)	111.9
2	Joe Burrow (Cin)	108.3
3	Dak Prescott (Dal)	104.2
4t	Kirk Cousins (Min)	103.1
4t	Russell Wilson (Sea)	103.1
6	Matthew Stafford (LAR)	102.9
7	Tom Brady (TB)	102.1
8	Kyler Murray (AZ)	100.6
9	Jimmy Garoppolo	98.7
10	Patrick Mahomes	98.5



Murray's five games with a passer rating of 120.0+ in 2021 tied for the most in a single season in franchise history.

### Franchise Record – Games w/ 120+ Passer Rating (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	120+
1t	Kyler Murray (2021)	5
1t	Kurt Warner (2009)	5
3	Neil Lomax (1984)	4
4t	Carson Palmer (2015)	3
4t	Kurt Warner (2008)	3
4t	Neil Lomax (1983)	3

In franchise history, only Neil Lomax (10 in 108 games) had more such outings in a career than Murray has in his first 46 career games (9).

### Franchise Record – Games w/ 120.0+ Passer Rating (Career)

Rnk	Player (Years)	120+	Gms Played
1	Neil Lomax (1981-88)	10	108
2t	Kyler Murray (2019-21)	9	46
2t	Kurt Warner (2005-09)	9	61
4	Jim Hart (1966-83)	6	199
5	Carson Palmer (2013-17)	4	60

### Murray's Career Games w/ Passer Rating of 120+

Rate	Opponent
150.5	11/8/20 vs. Mia
136.9	12/5/21 @ Chi
130.7	10/31/19 vs. SF
129.0	10/17/21 @ Cle
128.2	10/13/19 vs. Atl
127.8	12/20/20 vs. Phi
121.3	10/24/21 vs. Hou
121.0	9/12/21 @ Ten
120.3	10/3/21 @ LAR

## AMONG THE YOUNGEST TO 10,000

In Week 13 of the 2021 season at Chicago, Murray surpassed 10,000 passing yards in his career (currently sits at 11,480).

At 24 years, 120 days old he became the fourth-youngest player in NFL history to reach 10,000 career passing yards.

### NFL History

#### Youngest to Reach 10,000+ Passing Yards

Rnk	Player (Team)	Age
1	Drew Bledsoe (NE)	23 years, 299 days
2	Jameis Winston (TB)	23 years, 303 days
3	Dan Marino (Mia)	24 years, 63 days
4	Kyler Murray (AZ)	24 years, 120 days
5	Cam Newton (Car)	24 years, 191 days

Murray (11,480 passing yards and 1,786 rushing yards) joined Cam Newton (2011-13) as the only players in NFL history with 11,000+ passing yards and 1,500+ rushing yards in their first three seasons.

Murray's 11,480 passing yards are the fourth most in NFL history in a player's first three seasons.

### NFL History – Passing Yards in 1st 3 Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	Yards
1	Andrew Luck (2012-14)	12,957
2	Peyton Manning (1998-00)	12,287
3	Jameis Winston (2015-17)	11,636
4	Kyler Murray (2019-21)	11,480
5	Dan Marino (1983-85)	11,431



## TDS BY THE BUNCH

*In his first three seasons, Murray had seven games with 4+ TDs. Four of those performances came in 2021.*

### Murray Career Games with 4+ Combined TDs

TD	Opponent	Pass/Rush
5	9/12/21 @ Ten	4/1
4	12/5/21 @ Chi	2/2
4	10/17/21 @ Cle	4/0
4	9/19/21 vs. Min	3/1
4	12/20/20 vs. Phi	3/1
4	11/8/20 vs. Mia	3/1
4	10/25/20 vs. Sea	3/1

*In 2021, Murray (2) joined Carson Palmer (3 in 2015) as the only players in Cardinals history with multiple games of at least four TD passes in a single season.*



In franchise history, only Charley Johnson (4), Jim Hart (3) and Carson Palmer (3) had more games with at least four TD passes in their career than Murray has in his first 46 games.

### Franchise History – Games w/4+ TD Passes (Career)

Rnk	Player (Years)	4+	Gms
1	Charley Johnson (1961-69)	4	108
2t	Carson Palmer (2013-17)	3	60
2t	Jim Hart (1966-83)	3	199
4t	<b>Kyler Murray (2019-21)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>46</b>
4t	Kurt Warner (2005-09)	2	61
4t	Jake Plummer (1997-02)	2	84
4t	Lamar McHan (1954-58)	2	60

*In Week 6 of the 2021 season at Cleveland, Murray threw four TD passes without throwing an INT. It marked just the ninth time in franchise history – and just the second time in the last 15 years – that a player threw for 4+ TDs with no INTs in a game.* Murray became the first Cardinals player to do so since Hall of Famer Kurt Warner in 2009.

### Franchise History – Players w/ 4+ TD Passes & 0 INTs (Game)

Player	Opponent	TD/INT
<b>Kyler Murray</b>	<b>10/17/21 @ Cle</b>	<b>4/0</b>
Kurt Warner	11/8/09 @ Chi	5/0
Kent Graham	9/29/96 vs. StL	4/0
Neil Lomax	11/13/83 vs. Sea	4/0
Jim Hart	10/28/73 vs. NYG	4/0
Jim Hart	10/22/67 vs. Phi	4/0
Charley Johnson	12/8/63 vs. Phi	4/0
Lamar McHan	11/4/56 vs. Phi	4/0
Ray Mallouf	10/17/48 @ NYG	4/0

*The Week 13 victory at Chicago last season marked the first time Murray had multiple passing TDs and multiple rushing TDs in a game. It marked just the seventh such performance in franchise history and the first in 17 years - since Josh McCown had two passing TDs and two rushing TDs vs. St. Louis on 12/19/04.*

## MURRAY'S IMPRESSIVE GROUND GAME

*Murray had three of the top-five QB rushing totals in franchise history in his first three seasons.* In 2021, he rushed for 423 yards, the fifth-best single-season total in team history.

### Franchise Record - Rushing Yards By QB (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	Yds
1	<b>Kyler Murray (2020)</b>	<b>816</b>
2	<b>Kyler Murray (2019)</b>	<b>544</b>
3	Charley Trippi (1951)	501
4	Timm Rosenbach (1990)	470
5	<b>Kyler Murray (2021)</b>	<b>423</b>

Murray is one of just five QBs in NFL history with 400+ rushing yards in each of his first three seasons.

### NFL History - QBs w/ 400+ Rushing Yards in Each of 1st 3 Seasons

Rnk	Player	Years (Yards)
1	<b>Kyler Murray</b>	<b>2019 (544), 2020 (816), 2021 (423)</b>
2	Lamar Jackson	2018 (695), 2019 (1,206), 2020 (1,005)
3	Josh Allen	2018 (631), 2019 (510), 2020 (421)
4	Russell Wilson	2012 (489), 2013 (539), 2014 (849)
5	Cam Newton	2011 (706), 2012 (741), 2013 (585)

### A COUPLE OF LONG RUNS ALREADY

Murray's 57-yard run in Week 16 vs. Indianapolis last season was the second-longest by a QB in franchise history.

### Franchise Record - Longest Runs By Quarterback (All-Time)

Rnk	Player	Dist	Opponent
1	Charley Trippi	59t	10/5/52 vs. Chi
2	<b>Kyler Murray</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>12/25/21 vs. Ind</b>
3	M.C. Reynolds	50	11/2/58 vs. Phi
4	<b>Kyler Murray</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>10/4/20 at Car</b>
5	Sam Etcheverry	44	12/17/61 vs. Pit



## A DUAL THREAT UNLIKE ANY OTHER

*In just 46 career starts, Murray has 13 career games with both a passing and rushing TD, a franchise record.*

### Franchise Record – Games w/ Rush & Pass TD (Career)

Rnk	Player (Years)	Gms	Gms Played
1	<b>Kyler Murray (2019-)</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>46</b>
2	Jim Hart (1966-83)	11	199
3	Ernie Nevers (1929-31)	8	31
4	Charley Johnson (1961-69)	7	87
5	Paul Christman (1945-49)	6	50

*Murray has 12 such performances over the last two seasons (2020-21). That total leads the NFL.*

### NFL Leaders – Games w/Rushing & Passing TD (2020-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Gms
1	<b>Kyler Murray (AZ)</b>	<b>12</b>
2	Josh Allen (Buf)	10
3	Ryan Tannehill (Ten)	9
4	Justin Herbert (LAC)	8
5t	Lamar Jackson (Bal)	6
5t	Aaron Rodgers (GB)	6
5t	Cam Newton (Car)	6

Dating back to Murray's rookie season in 2019, only Bills QB Josh Allen has more games with both a passing and rushing TD.

### NFL Leaders - Games w/ Rushing & Passing TD (2019-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Gms
1	Josh Allen (Buf)	16
2	<b>Kyler Murray (AZ)</b>	<b>13</b>
3	Ryan Tannehill (Ten)	12
4	Lamar Jackson (Bal)	9
5	Justin Herbert (LAC)	8

### NFL RECORD FIVE GAMES WITH 3+ PASS TDS AND 1+ RUSH TD

*The Cardinals win over Minnesota in Week 2 last season was Murray's fifth career game with at least three passing TDs and a rushing TD. That is the most such performances in NFL history in a player's first three seasons.*

### NFL History – Games w/ 3+ Pass TD & 1+ Rush TD (1st 3 Seasons)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Gms	Years
1	<b>Kyler Murray (AZ)</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2019-21</b>
2t	Josh Allen (Buf)	4	2018-20
2t	Jack Kemp (LAC)	4	1957, '60-61
4t	Justin Herbert (LAC)	3	2020-21
4t	Marcus Mariota (Ten)	3	2015-17
4t	Cam Newton (Car)	3	2011-13
4t	Daunte Culpepper (Min)	3	1999-01



## 20 RUSHING TDs AND COUNTING

*Murray has 20 rushing TDs in his career, including five in 2021.*

*Murray (20) joined Cam Newton (28) and Josh Allen (25) as the only QBs in NFL history with at least 20 rushing TDs in their first three NFL seasons.*

*Dating back to his rookie season in 2019, Murray and Josh Allen (23) are the only QBs in the NFL with 20+ rushing TDs.*

### NFL Leaders – Rushing TDs by QB (2019-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	TDs
1	Josh Allen (Buf)	23
2	<b>Kyler Murray (AZ)</b>	<b>20</b>
3	Ryan Tannehill (Ten)	18
4	Cam Newton (Car)	17
5	Lamar Jackson (Bal)	16

*Despite having played just three seasons, Murray already has four more rushing TDs than any another QB in franchise history in their career.*

### Franchise Record – Rushing TDs by QB (Career)

Rnk	Player (Years)	TD	Gms
1	<b>Kyler Murray (2019-)</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>46</b>
2	Jim Hart (1963-88)	16	199
3	Lamar McHan (1954-58)	11	60
4t	Jake Plummer (1997-02)	10	84
4t	Neil Lomax (1981-88)	10	108
4t	Charley Johnson (1961-69)	10	87

Only five times in franchise history has a QB had at least five rushing TDs in a season. Murray – who established a franchise single-season QB record with 11 rushing TDs in 2020 – has accounted for two of those seasons.

### Franchise Record – Rushing TDs by Quarterback (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	TDs
1	<b>Kyler Murray (2020)</b>	<b>11</b>
2	Jim Hart (1968)	6
3t	<b>Kyler Murray (2021)</b>	<b>5</b>
3t	King Hill (1959)	5
3t	Lamar McHan (1956)	5





## DEANDRE HOPKINS - AT A GLANCE

• Five-time Pro Bowl (2015; 2017-20) and four-time All-Pro selection. Named 1<sup>st</sup>-team All-Pro in three straight seasons (2017-19) and 2<sup>nd</sup>-team All-Pro in 2020 in his first season with Arizona.

• Has surpassed 100 receptions four times in his career, has six seasons of 1,000+ receiving yards, three seasons with 10+ TDs and has posted 100+ receiving yards in a game 37 times in the regular season.

• In 2019, had 104 receptions for 1,165 yards and seven TDs while being named to the Pro Bowl for the third consecutive year and being named 1<sup>st</sup>-team All-Pro for the third straight season.

• Including postseason, Hopkins missed four times as many games in 2021 (8) as he had in his entire career entering the season (2).



### NFL LEADER

• Since entering the NFL in 2013, ranks first in receptions (789), second in receiving yards (10,581) and fourth in TD receptions (68).

• Dating back to 2017, his 6,094 receiving yards and 325 receiving 1<sup>st</sup> downs rank third in the NFL. In that same span, he ranks third with 711 total targets, fourth with 472 receptions and fourth with 45 TD receptions.

• Has at least one reception in all 136 career games played during the regular season. That represented the longest active streak among NFL players at the end of the 2021 season.

• Has finished a season ranked in the NFL's top-3 in receptions four times and receiving yards three times.

• Was the only NFL player to have 100+ receptions every season between 2018-20.

• Is the only active NFL player with at least 100 receptions, 1,500 receiving yards and 11 TD receptions in multiple seasons (2015; 2018).

### NFL HISTORY

• Has 789 career receptions, the most in NFL history by a player prior to his 30<sup>th</sup> birthday. Hopkins turned 30 on June 6, 2022.

• In the 2020 finale against the Rams, surpassed 10,000 career receiving yards. At 28 years, 211 days old, he became the youngest player in NFL history to reach 10,000 career receiving yards.

• One of four players in history with 750+ receptions, 10,500+ receiving yards and 65+ TDs in his first nine seasons.

### FRANCHISE HISTORY

• Established a single-season franchise record with a career-high-tying 115 receptions during his first season with the Cardinals in 2020.

• Has hauled in three game-winning TD receptions in two seasons with Arizona (2020-21), including a 43-yard "Hail Murray" game-winner vs. Buffalo in Week 10 of 2020 that won the 2021 ESPY for "Best Play."

• In his Cardinals debut (@ SF in '20), established a franchise record for the most receptions in a season-opener with 14 catches for 151 yards.

## RECORD 789 CATCHES BEFORE TURNING 30

In the Week 5 win vs. San Francisco last season, **Hopkins reached 770 receptions in his career, the most in NFL history prior to a player's 30<sup>th</sup> birthday. The previous NFL mark was held by former Cardinals WR Larry Fitzgerald (764).**

**Hopkins - who just turned 30 on June 6, 2022 - continued to add to his record. He finished the 2021 season with 789 career receptions.**

NFL History - Receptions Prior to Turning 30		
Rnk	Player (Years)	Rec
1	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (2012-21)</b>	<b>789</b>
2	Larry Fitzgerald (2004-12)	764
3	Antonio Brown (2010-17)	733
4	Keenan Allen (2013-21)	730
5	Brandon Marshall (2006-13)	712

**Hopkins is just 11 receptions shy of 800 catches in his career. When he reaches the mark, he will become one of the youngest players in NFL history to achieve the career milestone.**

### NFL History - Youngest Players to Reach 800 Career Receptions

Rnk	Player	Age
1	Larry Fitzgerald	30 years, 57 days
2	Antonio Brown	30 years, 138 days
3	Jason Witten	30 years, 238 days
4	Andre Johnson	31 years, 165 days
5	Brandon Marshall	31 years, 195 days



## HISTORIC START TO HOPKINS' CAREER

Despite missing seven games last season, Hopkins finished the 2021 campaign with 42 receptions for 572 yards and eight TDs. Those totals added to the historic numbers in his first nine NFL seasons.

**Only four players in NFL history had more receptions in their first nine NFL seasons.**

### NFL History - Receptions in 1<sup>st</sup> 9 Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	Rec
1	Marvin Harrison (1996-04)	845
2	Antonio Brown (2010-18)	837
3	Torry Holt (1999-07)	805
4	Julio Jones (2011-19)	797
5	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (2013-21)</b>	<b>789</b>

**Hopkins is one of just four players in history with 750+ receptions, 10,500+ yards and 65+ TDs in their first nine NFL seasons.**

### 700+ Receptions; 10,000+ Receiving Yards; 65+ TD Catches (1<sup>st</sup> 9 Seasons)

Rnk	Player (Years)	Rec	Yds	TDs
1	Marvin Harrison (1996-04)	845	11,185	98
2	Antonio Brown (2010-18)	837	11,207	74
3	Torry Holt (1999-07)	805	11,864	71
4	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (2013-21)</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>10,581</b>	<b>68</b>



## WHERE HE RANKS SINCE 2013

A look at where Hopkins ranks since entering the league in 2013.

### NFL Leaders - Receptions (2013-)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	Rec
1	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)</b>	<b>789</b>
2	Antonio Brown (FA)	764
3	Julio Jones (TB)	740
4	Keenan Allen (LAC)	710
5	Travis Kelce (KC)	685

### NFL Leaders - Receiving Yards (2013-)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	Yds
1	Julio Jones (TB)	11,108
2	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)</b>	<b>10,581</b>
3	Antonio Brown (FA)	10,102
4	Mike Evans (TB)	9,151
5	Travis Kelce (KC)	8,756

### NFL Leaders - Receiving Touchdowns (2013-)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	TD
1	Antonio Brown (FA)	76
2	Mike Evans (TB)	72
3	Davante Adams (LV)	69
4	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)</b>	<b>68</b>
5	Jimmy Graham (FA)	59



## 136 STRAIGHT WITH A RECEPTION

Hopkins had at least one catch in all 10 games played in 2021. **He has at least one reception in all 136 games played in his career. That total ranks first among all active players at the conclusion of the 2021 season.**

### NFL Leaders

#### Consecutive Games w/ Reception (Active)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Gms
1	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)</b>	<b>136</b>
2	Travis Kelce (KC)	126
3	Jarvis Landry (NO)	122
4	Marvin Jones (Jax)	114
5	Zach Ertz (AZ)	106

**In the Super Bowl era, only three players had a longer streak to open their career than Hopkins' current streak of 136 games.**

#### Consecutive Games w/ Reception to Start Career (Super Bowl Era)

Rnk	Player	Team(s)	Gms	Start	End
1	WR Marvin Harrison	Ind	190	9/1/96	12/28/08
2	WR Keyshawn Johnson	NYJ, TB, Dal, Car	167	9/1/96	12/31/06
3	RB Marshall Faulk	Ind, StL	158	9/4/94	12/19/04
4t	<b>WR DeAndre Hopkins</b>	<b>Hou, AZ</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>9/9/13</b>	<b>Active</b>
4t	TE Jeremy Shockey	NYG, NO, Car	136	9/5/02	1/1/12
6	WR Calvin Johnson	Det	135	9/9/07	1/3/16



## HOPKINS - INSIDE THE NUMBERS

### CAREER RECEPTION/RECEIVING YARDAGE SPLITS

Rec By Opponent (32)	Rec Yds By Opponent (32)	Rec Yds By Opponent (32)
Rec Opponent	Yds Opponent	Yds Opponent
89 Tennessee	1,396 Tennessee	
82 Jacksonville	1,053 Indianapolis	
77 Indianapolis	951 Jacksonville	
41 San Francisco	458 New England	
34 New England	458 San Francisco	
32 Kansas City	419 NY Jets	
31 LA Rams	405 Seattle	
25 Baltimore	394 Kansas City	
25 Seattle	388 Philadelphia	
24 Philadelphia	366 LA Rams	
23 Denver	342 Buffalo	
22 Buffalo	338 NY Giants	
21 NY Giants	303 Baltimore	
21 NY Jets	287 Dallas	
20 Cincinnati	269 Denver	
20 Las Vegas	245 Atlanta	
17 Carolina	245 Cleveland	
17 Dallas	213 Washington	
17 Washington	212 Cincinnati	
16 Atlanta	203 LA Chargers	
16 Cleveland	196 Las Vegas	
16 LA Chargers	181 Detroit	
15 Miami	173 Pittsburgh	
14 Detroit	162 Miami	
13 New Orleans	147 New Orleans	
13 Tampa Bay	145 Arizona	
10 Arizona	135 Carolina	
10 Pittsburgh	124 Green Bay	
9 Minnesota	124 Tampa Bay	
7 Houston	100 Minnesota	
7 Chicago	86 Chicago	
5 Green Bay	53 Houston	



### CAREER TOUCHDOWN SPLITS

By Opponent (24)	By Quarterback (11)	By Season
TDs Opponent	TDs Quarterback	TDs Season
9 Tennessee	25 Deshaun Watson	13 2017
7 Kansas City	14 <b>Kyler Murray</b>	11 2018
6 Indianapolis	7 T.J. Yates	11 2015
6 Jacksonville	6 Ryan Fitzpatrick	8 2021
5 NY Jets	5 Brian Hoyer	7 2019
4 Buffalo	4 Brock Osweiler	6 2020
3 Cleveland	4 Ryan Mallett	6 2014
3 San Francisco	2 Ryan Mallett	4 2016
3 Washington	2 Tom Savage	2 2013
2 Chicago	1 Case Keenum	
2 Denver	1 Matt Schaub	
2 Miami	1 Brandon Weeden	
2 Minnesota		
2 New Orleans		
2 Philadelphia		
2 Seattle		
1 Arizona		
1 Cincinnati		
1 Green Bay		
1 Houston		
1 LA Rams		
1 Las Vegas		
1 Pittsburgh		
1 Tampa Bay		

## AN EXPLOSIVE TALENT

Hopkins has posted some explosive performances in his NFL career. He has nine career games with 150+ receiving yards, 12 games with 10+ receptions and 12 games with multiple TD catches.

### Hopkins Career Games w/10+ Receptions

Opponent	Rec	Yds
<b>9/13/20 @ San Francisco</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>151</b>
12/30/18 vs. Jacksonville	12	147
10/27/19 vs. Oakland	11	109
12/10/17 vs. San Francisco	11	149
10/8/15 vs. Indianapolis	11	169
<b>10/25/20 vs. Seattle</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>103</b>
<b>9/27/20 vs. Detroit</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>137</b>
12/15/18 @ NY Jets	10	170
11/4/18 @ Denver	10	105
9/30/18 @ Indianapolis	10	169
10/1/17 vs. Tennessee	10	107
10/18/15 @ Jacksonville	10	148

### Hopkins Career Games w/150+ Receiving Yards

Opponent	Yds	Rec	Avg
11/30/14 vs. Tennessee	238	9	26.4
10/29/17 @ Seattle	224	8	28.0
12/15/18 @ NY Jets	170	10	17.0
<b>12/20/20 vs. Philadelphia</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>18.8</b>
10/8/15 vs. Indianapolis	169	11	15.4
9/30/18 @ Indianapolis	169	10	16.9
10/4/15 @ Atlanta	157	9	17.4
<b>9/13/20 @ San Francisco</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>10.8</b>
10/7/18 vs. Dallas	151	9	16.8



## INJURIES STALL A HIGH-SCORING SEASON

Injuries were the only thing stopping Hopkins from scoring in 2021. The ninth-year pro recorded eight TD receptions in just 10 games played, marking the fourth-best single-season total of his career.

### Hopkins Career Highs – TD Receptions

Rnk	Year	TDs	Team	Gms
1	2017	13	Houston	15
2t	2018	11	Houston	16
2t	2015	11	Houston	16
<b>4</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Arizona</b>	<b>10</b>
5	2019	7	Houston	15

Through Week 14, Hopkins was tied for fourth in the NFL in TD receptions despite having already missed three games. He was the only player in the top-five that had played in fewer than 12 games. Hopkins would miss final four regular season games due to a knee injury.



### 2021 NFL Leaders – Receiving TDs (Through Week 14)

Rnk	Player (Team)	TD	Gms Played
1	Cooper Kupp (LAR)	11	12
2t	Mike Evans (TB)	10	12
2t	Adam Thielen (Min)	10	12
<b>4t</b>	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
4t	Ja'Marr Chase (Cin)	8	12
4t	Tyreek Hill (KC)	8	12
4t	D.K. Metcalf (Sea)	8	12

### CATCHING MORE THAN ONE IN 2021

Hopkins had at least one TD reception in six of 10 games played last season. He had multiple TD catches in two games, equaling the total from his previous two years (2019-20, 31 games) combined.

Hopkins had two TD receptions in Week 1 at Tennessee and also posted a pair of TD catches in Week 6 at Cleveland. Just once in his career (3 in 2015) has Hopkins had more games with multiple TD catches than he had in 10 games played in 2021.

## THREE GAME-WINNERS SO FAR IN ARIZONA

Hopkins has six career game-winning TD receptions in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter/OT, including three with Arizona.

He has as many game-winners in his last 18 games played with the Cardinals (3) as he had in 110 games with the Texans.

His "Hail Murray" grab against the Bills in 2020 - which won the 2021 ESPY for "Best Play" - was the only one to come with under a minute remaining on the clock.

### Career Game-Winning TD Catches (4th Qtr/OT)

Opponent	Qtr	Dist	Time Remaining
<b>10/10/21 vs. SF</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5:13</b>
<b>12/20/20 vs. Phi</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>7:24</b>
<b>11/15/20 vs. Buf</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0:02</b>
11/21/19 vs. Ind	4	4	12:34
11/16/15 @ Cin	4	22	14:20
9/15/13 vs. Ten	OT	3	10:32



## YOUNGEST EVER TO 10,000 RECEIVING YARDS

In the Cardinals 2020 regular season finale against the Rams, Hopkins surpassed 10,000 receiving yards for his career. At 28 years, 211 days old he became the youngest player in NFL history to reach the milestone.

### NFL History - Youngest to Reach 10,000 Receiving Yards

Rnk	Player (Years)	Age
<b>1</b>	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (2013-20)</b>	<b>28 years, 211 days</b>
2	Randy Moss (1998-05)	28 years, 314 days
3	Larry Fitzgerald (2004-12)	29 years, 44 days
4	Calvin Johnson (2007-14)	29 years, 59 days
5	Julio Jones (2011-18)	29 years, 276 days

Hopkins became just the seventh player in NFL history with 10,000+ receiving yards in his first eight seasons.

### Players w/ 10,000+ Receiving Yards in 1st 8 Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	Yds
1	Julio Jones (2011-18)	10,731
2	Torry Holt (1999-06)	10,675
3	Calvin Johnson (2007-14)	10,405
4	Jerry Rice (1985-92)+	10,273
5	Randy Moss (1998-05)+	10,147
6	Marvin Harrison (1996-03)+	10,072
<b>7</b>	<b>DeAndre Hopkins (2013-20)</b>	<b>10,009</b>

+Hall of Fame Inductee





## ZACH ERTZ - AT A GLANCE



- Selected by Philadelphia in the 2<sup>nd</sup> round (35<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2013 NFL Draft and acquired by Arizona in a trade with the Eagles in Week 6 of the 2021 season.
- A three-time Pro Bowl selection (2017-19), has appeared in 134 games (96 starts) during the regular season with 635 receptions for 6,841 yards and 41 TDs. Also has 12 games with 100+ receiving yards.
- In eight career playoff games (6 starts), has 36 receptions for 381 yards and two TDs.
- Caught game-winning TD in Super Bowl LII that gave the Eagles a 38-33 lead with just over two minutes left in regulation.

### NFL LEADER

- Among TEs dating back to his first season in 2013, ranks 2<sup>nd</sup> in receptions (635), 2<sup>nd</sup> in receiving yards (6,841), 4<sup>th</sup> in TD receptions (41), and 4<sup>th</sup> in 100-yard receiving games (12).

### NFL HISTORY

- His 635 receptions rank 9<sup>th</sup> in NFL history among TEs and represent the fourth-highest total in history by a TE in his first nine seasons behind Travis Kelce (704), Jason Witten (696) and Tony Gonzalez (648).
- In NFL history, the only TEs to reach 600 receptions in fewer games than Ertz (128) were Travis Kelce (110) and Jason Witten (125).

- Set the NFL single-season record for receptions by a TE with 116 catches in 2018, surpassing the mark of Jason Witten (110 in 2012).

- Playing his first game with Arizona in Week 7 vs. Houston, caught a 47-yard TD reception. Combined with his five-yard TD catch in Week 6 in his final game with Philly, became the first player in NFL history with a TD reception in back-to-back games in a season for two different teams.

- The 2021 season was his sixth with 70+ receptions. Joined Tony Gonzalez (14), Jason Witten (9), Travis Kelce (7) and Antonio Gates (6) as the only TEs in NFL history with at least six seasons of 70+ receptions.

- The 2021 season was his seventh with 700+ receiving yards. Joined Tony Gonzalez (14), Jason Witten (12), Antonio Gates (10), Shannon Sharpe (9) and Travis Kelce (8) as the only TEs in NFL history with at least seven seasons of 700+ receiving yards.

### FRANCHISE HISTORY

- In 11 games with the Cardinals in 2021, caught 56 passes for 574 yards and three TDs. His 56 catches tied the franchise single-season record for receptions by a TE and his 574 receiving yards represent the ninth-best total by a TE in team history.

- In Week 11 of the 2021 season at Seattle, recorded eight receptions for 88 yards and two TDs. It was just the second time in franchise history a TE had 8+ receptions, 80+ receiving yards and 2+ TD receptions in a game: Jackie Smith (9 for 212 yards & 2 TDs) on 10/13/63 vs. Steelers.

- His 116 catches in 2018 set an Eagles single-season franchise record.

## IN ELITE COMPANY WITH 600+ RECEPTIONS

In Week 11 of the 2021 season at Seattle, Ertz surpassed 600 career receptions. He became just the ninth TE in NFL history to reach the milestone.

Travis Kelce (110) and Jason Witten (125) are the only TEs to reach 600 receptions in fewer games than Ertz (128).

### NFL History - Receptions by Tight End (Career)

Rnk	Player (Years)	Rec
1	Tony Gonzalez (1997-13)	1,325
2	Jason Witten (2003-20)	1,228
3	Antonio Gates (2003-18)	955
4	Shannon Sharpe (1990-03)	815
5	Greg Olsen (2007-20)	742
6	Jimmy Graham (2010-)	713
7	Travis Kelce (2013-)	704
8	Ozzie Newsome (1978-90)	662
9	<b>Zach Ertz (2013-)</b>	<b>635</b>
10	Rob Gronkowski (2010-)	621

Ertz finished the 2021 season with 635 career receptions, the fourth-most in NFL history by a TE in his first nine seasons.

### NFL History - Receptions by TE in 1st 9 Seasons

Rnk	Player (Years)	Rec
1	Travis Kelce (2013-21)	704
2	Jason Witten (2003-11)	696
3	Tony Gonzalez (1997-05)	648
4	<b>Zach Ertz (2013-21)</b>	<b>635</b>
5	Jimmy Graham (2010-18)	611



## ERTZ MAKES BIG FIRST IMPRESSION IN AZ

After the Cards acquired Ertz in October last year, the Pro Bowl TE made a memorable first impression in Arizona despite playing in just 11 games.

Ertz caught 56 passes for 574 yards and three TDs in 11 games with Arizona last season. His 56 catches tied the franchise single-season record for receptions by a TE (56).

### Franchise Record - Receptions by TE (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	Rec	Gms
1t	<b>Zach Ertz (2021)</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>11</b>
1t	Jackie Smith (1967)	56	14
3	Freddie Jones (2003)	55	16
4	Jackie Smith (1968)	49	14
5	Jackie Smith (1964)	47	14

He also became the first Cardinals TE since Freddie Jones (517) in 2003 to have 500+ receiving yards in a season.

### Franchise Record - Receiving Yards by TE (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	Yds	Gms
1	Jackie Smith (1967)	1,205	14
2	Jackie Smith (1966)	810	14
3	Jackie Smith (1968)	789	14
4	Jackie Smith (1970)	687	14
5	Jackie Smith (1964)	657	14
6	Jackie Smith (1965)	648	14
7	Doug Marsh (1984)	608	16
8	Jackie Smith (1973)	600	14
9	<b>Zach Ertz (2021)</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>11</b>
10	Jay Novacek (1988)	569	16

### A BIG GAME IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST

Ertz had his best game of the season in the Cardinals Week 11 win at Seattle, hauling in eight receptions for 88 yards and two TDs. It marked just the second time in franchise history a tight end had 8+ receptions, 80+ receiving yards and 2+ TD receptions in a game: Jackie Smith (9 for 212 yards and 2 TDs) on 10/13/63 vs. Pittsburgh.



## ERTZ HITS MILESTONES IN SEASON #9

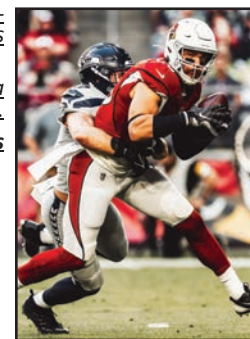
Ertz finished the 2021 regular season with 74 receptions for 763 yards and five TDs in 17 games with the Eagles and Cardinals.

He had 56 receptions for 574 yards with Arizona and 18 receptions for 189 yards with Philadelphia.

His 74 receptions ranked fourth among NFL TEs in 2021.

### 2021 NFL Leaders - Receptions (TE)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Rec
1	Mark Andrews (Bal)	107
2	Travis Kelce (KC)	92
3	Dalton Schultz (Dal)	78
4	<b>Zach Ertz (AZ/Phi)</b>	<b>74</b>
5	Mike Gesicki (Mia)	73



### SIX SEASONS WITH 70+ RECEPTIONS

The 2021 season marked Ertz's sixth with 70+ catches. He became just the fifth TE in NFL history to have at least six seasons of 70+ receptions in their career.

### NFL History - Seasons w/ 70+ Receptions by TE

Rnk	Player (Years)	70+
1	Tony Gonzalez (1997-2013)	14
2	Jason Witten (2003-20)	9
3	Travis Kelce (2013-)	7
4t	<b>Zach Ertz (2013-)</b>	<b>6</b>
4t	Antonio Gates (2003-18)	6

Ertz (6) joined Kelce (7), Gonzalez (6) and Witten (6) as the only TEs in NFL history with 70+ catches at least six times in their first nine seasons.

### SEVEN SEASONS WITH 700+ RECEIVING YARDS

The 2021 season marked Ertz's seventh with at least 700 receiving yards. He became just the sixth TE in NFL history to have at least seven seasons of 700+ receiving yards in their career.

### NFL History - Seasons w/ 700+ Receiving Yards by TE (All-Time)

Rnk	Player (Years)	700+
1	Tony Gonzalez (1997-2013)	14
2	Jason Witten (2003-20)	12
3	Antonio Gates (2003-18)	10
4	Shannon Sharpe (1990-2003)	9
5	Travis Kelce (2013-)	8
6	<b>Zach Ertz (2013-)</b>	<b>7</b>

Ertz (7) joins Gates (8), Kelce (8), Witten (8) and Gonzalez (7) as the only TEs in NFL history with 700+ receiving yards at least seven times in their first nine seasons.

## A.J. GREEN - AT A GLANCE



- Seven-time Pro Bowl selection (2011-17) and two-time 2<sup>nd</sup>-team All-Pro honoree (2012-13). First WR in NFL history to be named to the Pro Bowl in each of his first seven seasons.

- Has appeared in 143 games (134 starts) with 703 receptions for 10,278 yards and 68 TDs during the regular season. One of three active NFL players – DeAndre Hopkins and Julio Jones – with 700+ receptions and 10,000+ receiving yards.

- Has 35 career games with 100+ receiving yards and six 1,000-yard receiving seasons.

- Since entering the league in 2011, ranks 4<sup>th</sup> in the NFL in receiving yards, 7<sup>th</sup> in receptions, t-7<sup>th</sup> in TD receptions, 4<sup>th</sup> in 100-yard receiving games and 6<sup>th</sup> in receiving yards per game.

- Joins teammate DeAndre Hopkins (6), Travis Kelce (6), Brandin Cooks (6), Julio Jones (7), Antonio Brown (7) and Mike Evans (8) as the only players in the NFL with at least six seasons of 1,000+ receiving yards dating back to 2011.

- In 2021, playing in his 11<sup>th</sup> NFL season at the age of 33 years old, Green's 15.7-yard receiving average was the second-highest of his career (16.3 as a rookie in 2011 at 23 years old).

- Had 10 games of 150+ receiving yards in his first 10 seasons in the league. Only nine other players in NFL history, including six Hall of Famers, had at least 10 games of 150+ receiving yards in their first 10 career seasons.

- Has five career games of 180+ receiving yards. Only Antonio Brown (8) has more such performances over the past 11 seasons (2011-21).

- Has ranked in the top-10 in the NFL in receptions twice (2012-13), receiving yards three times (2012-13, 2015), receiving TDs four times (2012-13, 2015, 2017) and receiving yards per game four times (2012-13, 2015-16).

- Of Green's 68 career TD receptions, 18 covered at least 40 yards and 13 went for 50+ yards. His 13 TD catches of 50+ yards trail only DeSean Jackson (21) for the most in the NFL over the last 10 seasons.

## WHERE GREEN RANKS SINCE 2011

Since entering the league as a first-round selection (4<sup>th</sup> overall) in the 2011 NFL Draft, Green ranks 4<sup>th</sup> in the NFL in receiving yards, t-7<sup>th</sup> in TD catches, 7<sup>th</sup> in receptions and 4<sup>th</sup> in 100-yard receiving games.

### NFL Leaders – Receiving Yards (2011-)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	Yds
1	Julio Jones (TB)	13,330
2	Antonio Brown (FA)	12,124
3	DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)	10,581
4	A.J. Green (AZ)	10,278
5	T.Y. Hilton (FA)	9,691

### NFL Leaders – Receptions (2011-)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	Rec
1	Antonio Brown (FA)	912
2	Julio Jones (TB)	879
3	Larry Fitzgerald	819
4	DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)	789
5	Keenan Allen (LAC)	730
6	Travis Kelce (KC)	704
7	A.J. Green (AZ)	703

### NFL Leaders – TD Receptions (2011-)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	TDs
1	Antonio Brown (FA)	83
2	Rob Gronkowski	82
3	Jimmy Graham (FA)	80
4	Mike Evans (TB)	75
5	Devante Adams (LV)	73
6	Dez Bryant (FA)	69
7t	A.J. Green (AZ)	68
7t	DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)	68

### NFL Leaders – 100-Yard Receiving Games (2011-)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	Gms
1	Julio Jones (TB)	59
2	Antonio Brown (FA)	46
3	DeAndre Hopkins (AZ)	37
4	A.J. Green (AZ)	35
5	T.Y. Hilton (FA)	34



## GREEN MUCH BETTER THAN AVERAGE IN 2021

*In his first season with the Cardinals in 2021, WR A.J. Green had 54 receptions for 848 yards (15.7 avg.) and three TDs.*

*He easily exceeded his totals from his final season with the Bengals in 2020 when he had 47 catches for 523 yards (11.1 avg.) and two TDs.*

*Among players with at least 50 receptions in 2021, Green's 15.7 receiving average ranked fifth in the NFL.*

### 2021 NFL Leaders - Receiving Avg. (Min. 50 Receptions)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Avg	Yds	Rec
1	Deebo Samuel (SF)	18.2	77	1,405
2	Ja'Marr Chase (Cin)	18.0	81	1,455
3	Tyler Lockett (Sea)	16.1	73	1,175
4	Van Jefferson (LAR)	16.0	50	802
5	A.J. Green (AZ)	15.7	54	848

*Playing in his 11<sup>th</sup> NFL season at the age of 33 years old, Green's 15.7-yard receiving average was the second-highest of his career. He established his career high of 16.3 yards per reception in his rookie season when he was 23 years old.*

*Green had 11 receptions of 25+ yards during the regular season. Only three times in his career - in his first three NFL seasons: 14 in 2011; 12 in 2012; 12 in 2013 - did Green have more receptions of 25+ yards.*



## INSIDE THE NUMBERS

### CAREER RECEPTION/RECEIVING YARDAGE SPLITS

Rec By Opponent (31)	Rec Yds By Opponent (31)
90 Pittsburgh	1,218 Pittsburgh
77 Cleveland	1,143 Cleveland
53 Baltimore	886 Baltimore
36 Miami	478 Miami
35 Denver	446 Buffalo
34 Houston	444 Houston
29 Indianapolis	414 Denver
24 LA Rams	372 Jacksonville
22 LA Chargers	371 Indianapolis
22 Tennessee	345 LA Rams
22 Washington	345 Washington
21 Buffalo	344 Tennessee
21 Jacksonville	300 Detroit
20 Kansas City	295 NY Jets
19 Green Bay	290 Kansas City
18 Seattle	264 LA Chargers
16 Dallas	242 Seattle
16 Detroit	240 Chicago
16 New England	230 Dallas
15 Chicago	230 New England
15 NY Jets	207 Green Bay
14 NY Giants	174 Las Vegas
12 Minnesota	171 Minnesota
11 Philadelphia	153 NY Giants
9 Tampa Bay	133 Tampa Bay
8 Las Vegas	127 New Orleans
6 Arizona	104 Arizona
6 New Orleans	93 Philadelphia
6 San Francisco	79 San Francisco
6 Carolina	78 Atlanta
4 Atlanta	62 Carolina



### CAREER TOUCHDOWN SPLITS

By Opponent (26)	By Quarterback (6)	By Season
TDs Opponent	TDs Quarterback	TDs Season
9 Baltimore	58 Andy Dalton	11 2013
8 Cleveland	3 Kyler Murray	11 2012
8 Pittsburgh	3 A.J. McCarron	10 2015
4 Denver	1 Joe Burrow	8 2017
4 Indianapolis	1 Mohamed Sanu	7 2011
3 Jacksonville	1 Brandon Allen	6 2018
3 LA Rams	1 Bruce Gradkowski	6 2014
3 Minnesota		4 2016
2 Buffalo		3 2021
2 Chicago		2 2020
2 Green Bay		
2 LA Chargers		
2 Miami		
2 NY Giants		
2 Tampa Bay		
2 Washington		
1 Atlanta		
1 Dallas		
1 Detroit		
1 Kansas City		
1 New England		
1 New Orleans		
1 NY Jets		
1 Philadelphia		
1 Seattle		
1 Tennessee		

By Distance
TDs Distance
22 30 or more yards
19 4-9 yards
19 10-19 yards
5 20-29 yards
3 3 or fewer yards

By Day
TDs Day
59 Sunday
5 Thursday
4 Monday

By Quarter
TDs Quarter
22 1 <sup>st</sup>
18 4 <sup>th</sup>
17 2 <sup>nd</sup>
11 3 <sup>rd</sup>



## CONNER BACK IN PRO BOWL FORM IN 2021

Signed to a one-year contract as a free agent, RB James Conner had perhaps the best season of his NFL career en route to his second career Pro Bowl selection in 2021.

He was so good with Arizona last season, the team signed him to a new three-year deal in March.

In his first season with the Cardinals, Conner totaled 1,127 scrimmage yards (752 rushing, 375 receiving) and 18 TDs (15 rushing; 3 receiving).

### Conner in 2021

- 1,127 scrimmage yards was a team-high
- 752 rushing yards was a team-high
- 18 total TDs were a team & career-high
- 15 rushing TDs were a team & career-high

Conner's 18 total TDs during the regular season marked the second-highest single-season total in franchise history.

Franchise Record - Touchdowns (Season)			
Rnk	Player (Year)	TDs	Rush/Rec
1	David Johnson (2016)	20	16/4
2	<b>James Conner (2021)</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>15/3</b>
3	John David Crow (1962)	17	14/3
4t	Sonny Randle (1960)	15	0/15
4t	Mal Kutner (1948)	15	1/14

His 18 TDs also ranked third in the NFL in 2021.

### 2021 NFL Leaders - Scrimmage TDs

Rnk	Player (Team)	TDs
1t	RB Jonathan Taylor (Ind)	20
1t	RB Austin Ekeler (LAC)	20
3	<b>RB James Conner (AZ)</b>	<b>18</b>
4t	RB Joe Mixon (Cin)	16
4t	WR Cooper Kupp (LAR)	16

Conner's 15 rushing TDs in 2021 marked the second-highest single-season total in franchise history.

### Franchise Record - Rushing TDs (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	TDs
1	David Johnson (2016)	16
2	<b>James Conner (2021)</b>	<b>15</b>
3	John David Crow (1962)	14
4	Ernie Nevers (1929)	12
5t	Kyler Murray (2020)	11
5t	MacArthur Lane (1970)	11

His 15 rushing TDs also tied for second in the NFL in 2021.

### 2021 NFL Leaders - Rushing TDs

Rnk	Player (Team)	TD
1	Jonathan Taylor (Ind)	18
2t	<b>James Conner (AZ)</b>	<b>15</b>
2t	Damien Harris (NE)	15
4	Joe Mixon (Cin)	13
5	Austin Ekeler (LAC)	12

### TYING A PAIR OF CARDINALS TD RECORDS IN 2021

Conner had at least one TD (rushing or receiving) in seven consecutive games (Games 7-13) last season. His seven consecutive games with a TD is tied for the longest streak in franchise history.

### Franchise Record - Consecutive Games w/ TD

Rnk	Player (Year)	Gms
1t	<b>James Conner (2021)</b>	<b>7</b>
1t	John David Crow (1959-60)	7
3	Anquan Boldin (2008)	6
4t	16 times, most recently by K. Murray in 2020	5

Earlier in the season, Conner had a streak of five straight games with a rushing TD, tying the Cardinals franchise record.



## AZ ACQUIRED DEEP THREAT IN HOLLYWOOD

On the first day of the 2022 NFL Draft, the Cardinals sent their first-round pick (#23 overall) to the Baltimore Ravens in exchange for WR Marquise "Hollywood" Brown and the Ravens '22 third-round pick (#100 overall).

Baltimore's first round pick (25<sup>th</sup> overall) in the 2019 NFL Draft, Brown had 195 receptions for 2,361 yards and 21 TDs in 46 games (41 starts) with the Ravens. The 25-year old set career highs with 91 receptions for 1,008 yards last season while starting all 16 games in which he played.

Has also played in three postseason games and totaled 18 receptions for 322 yards.

Since he entered the league in 2019, only two players in the NFL have more TD receptions of 20+ yards (11) and 40+ yards than Brown (7).



### NFL Leaders

#### TD Catches of 20+ Yds (2019-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	TDs
1	Tyreek Hill (Mia)	15
2	Mike Evans (TB)	13
3t	<b>Marquise Brown (AZ)</b>	<b>11</b>
3t	D.K. Metcalf (Sea)	11
5t	A.J. Brown (Phi)	10
5t	Diontae Johnson (Pit)	10
5t	Darius Slayton (NYG)	10
5t	Mike Williams (LAC)	10

### NFL Leaders

#### TD Catches of 40+ Yds (2019-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	TDs
1	Tyreek Hill (Mia)	11
2	A.J. Brown (Phi)	8
3t	<b>Marquise Brown (AZ)</b>	<b>7</b>
3t	Tyler Lockett (Sea)	7
3t	Marquez V-Scantling (KC)	7
3t	Mike Williams (LAC)	7

### BROWN'S TD CONNECTIONS

• Dating back to his two seasons (2017-18) at Oklahoma, Brown has 38 TD receptions, 37 of which have come from three different Heisman Trophy winning QBs (Kyler Murray, Baker Mayfield, Lamar Jackson) and the other coming from QB Trace McSorley - his former teammate in Baltimore and current teammate with the Cardinals.

• Of his 17 TD receptions at Oklahoma, 11 came from Murray - including Brown's first TD with the Sooners (87-yarder from Kyler on 9/16/17 vs. Tulane).

• Brown's 11 TD catches from Murray at Oklahoma averaged 51.0 yards. Only one covered fewer than 20 yards and seven covered 50+ yards.

### THE RELATIONSHIP RUNS DEEP

WR Marquise Brown received his nickname "Hollywood" during his time at the University of Oklahoma. It was with the Sooners that Brown met - and became best friends with - Cardinals QB Kyler Murray.



Brown and Murray played together with the Sooners for two seasons (2017-18), including in 2018 when Brown had 75 receptions for 1,318 yards and 10 TDs. That season, Brown led the nation in receptions of 40+ yards (11), 50+ yards (7) and 60+ yards (4) and Murray won the Heisman Trophy.

They were both selected in the first round of the 2019 NFL Draft - Murray #1 overall to Arizona and Brown #25 overall to Baltimore. Even though they were not playing together, the two continued to work out together in the offseason.

"In college you go through more with your quarterback than in the NFL," Brown said of the tight bond. "Me and Kyler, we got in together, we were on the 'B' squad against the starting defense (at Oklahoma) to all the way to both of us playing."

## MOORE READY FOR BIG LEAP IN YEAR TWO

Despite playing just 14 games in a limited role as a rookie last season, WR Rondale Moore totaled 973 all-purpose yards: 435 receiving; 76 rushing; 171 punt return; 291 kickoff return. That tied for eighth among NFL rookies in 2021.

### NFL Rookie Leaders - All-Purpose Yards (2021)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Yds
1	RB Najee Harris (Pit)	1,667
2	WR Ja'Marr Chase (Cin)	1,476
3	RB Javonte Williams (Den)	1,219
4	WR Jaylen Waddle (Mia)	1,211
5	RB Khalil Herbert (Chi)	1,179
6	RB Eli Mitchell (SF)	1,100
7	TE Kyle Pitts (Atl)	1,026
8t	<b>WR Rondale Moore (AZ)</b>	<b>973</b>
8t	WR Amon-Ra St. Brown (Det)	973



Despite his success last season - including a franchise single-game rookie record 11 catches at Seattle in Week 11 and scoring the Cardinals longest TD of the year in Week 2 vs. Minnesota (77-yard TD catch) - much is being expected of the second-year pro in 2022.

"We utilized him in different ways than we will this year," head coach Kliff Kingsbury said this offseason. "But he's a dynamic route runner. I think that's what people are going to see. He's really good getting out of his cuts, good at the top of routes, so I think people are going to see a different side of him."

## CONNER FEASTS ON NFC WEST IN 2021

Conner scored an NFL-high 11 TDs (9 rushing, 2 receiving) in six games against division opponents in 2021.

Dating back to division realignment in 2002, he became just the fourth NFL player to have 11+ TDs vs. division opponents in a single season.

### Most TDs vs. Division Opponents in a Season (2002-21)

Rnk	Player (Team - Year)	TDs	Division
1	Shaun Alexander (Sea - 2005)	14	NFC West
2	LaDainian Tomlinson (SD - 2006)	13	AFC West
3t	<b>James Conner (AZ - 2021)</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>NFC West</b>
3t	Randy Moss (NE - 2007)	11	AFC East
5t	3 players tied	10	-



Conner followed up his regular season performance vs. division opponents by scoring a TD against the Rams in the Wild Card matchup, giving him 12 total TDs in seven games vs. teams from the NFC West in 2021.

## J.J. WATT - AT A GLANCE

• After spending his first 10 seasons with the Texans - who selected Watt in the first round (11<sup>th</sup> overall) in the 2011 NFL Draft - signed a two-year contract with the Cardinals on 3/2/21 as a free agent.

• A five-time 1<sup>st</sup>-team All-Pro and five-time Pro Bowl selection, was also named the 2017 Walter Payton NFL Man of the Year.

• Has been named NFL Defensive Player of the Year three times (2012, '14-15), tied with Rams DT Aaron Donald and Giants LB Lawrence Taylor for the most in NFL history.

• In 135 career games, has totaled 102.0 sacks, 26 forced fumbles, 16 fumble recoveries, 292 QB hits, 177 tackles for loss, 547 tackles (419 solo), two INTs. Also has 6.0 sacks, 10 tackles for loss, 6 passes defended and an INT in eight playoff contests.

• Has scored seven career TDs (6 regular season, 1 postseason): 3 career receiving TDs, 3 INT return TDs and a fumble return TD.

### NFL LEADER

• His 177 tackles for loss, 292 QB hits, 48 games with multiple tackles for loss and 26 games with 2.0+ sacks lead the NFL since he entered the league in 2011.

• Has 102.0 career sacks. Since entering the NFL in 2011, only Von Miller (115.5), Chandler Jones (107.5) and Cameron Jordan (107.0) have more.

• Led the NFL in sacks with 20.5 in 2012 and 17.5 in 2015 and finished second in the league with 20.5 in 2014 and 16.0 in 2018.

• Has 63 passes defended in his career. Among active NFL defensive linemen, only Kansas City's Carlos Dunlap (69) has more.

• Played 1,016 total snaps in 2020, which led all NFL defensive linemen. Has played 1,000+ snaps in a season six times.

### NFL HISTORY

• Only player in NFL history to have multiple seasons of 20.0 or more sacks (2012, '14) and joins Hall of Famer Reggie White as the only players in NFL history to post three or more seasons with at least 17.5 sacks (2012, '14-15).

• Ranks sixth in NFL history (min. 75 games played) in sacks per game (.756), trailing only brother T.J. Watt (.935), Reggie White (.853), DeMarcus Ware (.778), Chandler Jones (.773) and Aaron Donald (.772).

• Became just the fourth player in NFL history to record at least 100.0 career sacks in his first 120 games (Reggie White, Bruce Smith, DeMarcus Ware).

• In the 16 years (2006-21) Pro Football Reference has tracked QB hits, owns the NFL's four highest single-season totals: 51 in 2014, 50 in 2015, 46 in 2013 and 43 in 2012.

• His six AFC Defensive Player of the Month awards are tied for the most by any defensive player in NFL history (Bruce Smith) while his seven AFC Defensive Player of the Week awards rank second (Aaron Donald-8) for the most among any active players in the league.

### OFF THE FIELD

• Wife, Kealia, plays for the Chicago Red Stars of the NWSL and his brothers, Derek (FB) and T.J. (LB), play for the Pittsburgh Steelers.

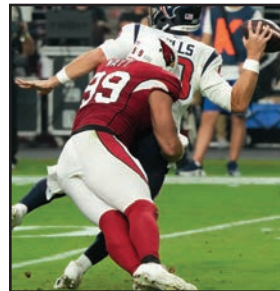
• In response to the devastation in Houston as the result of Hurricane Harvey in 2017, organized what would become the largest crowd-sourced fundraiser in history. Originally set a goal of \$200,000 but within 19 days, more than 200,000 individuals collectively donated \$37 million to the cause. Contributions continued, and the final tally reached \$41.6 million.



## A LEADERSHIP ROLE IN FIRST SEASON WITH AZ

DL J.J. Watt had a reputation as one of the NFL's best defenders - and vocal leaders - when the Cardinals acquired him in free agency prior to the 2021 season. So it was no surprise that his presence in 2021 provided a huge boost to Arizona.

He was voted a team captain before playing a snap with the Cardinals and was just hitting his stride when he suffered a devastating shoulder injury in Week 7 vs. Houston. Watt's final four games played in 2021 - three in the regular season and his return to the lineup in the Wild Card matchup vs. Los Angeles - proved why he remains one of the NFL's top defenders.



In his final four regular season games last season, Watt collected 12 tackles, a sack, seven QB hits, four tackles for loss, two passes defended and a forced fumble.

Those outings were highlighted in Week 6 at Cleveland by his first sack as a Cardinal. Watt finished the game with a season-high five tackles, a sack, a forced fumble, two QB hits and a pass defended.

Watt's first sack as a member of the Cardinals came on a crucial play late in the third quarter. With Arizona holding a 23-14 lead and Cleveland at the AZ 45-yard line, Watt sacked Browns QB Baker Mayfield and forced a fumble on the play that was recovered by LB Devon Kennard.

The sack gave Watt - who has played 135 games during his 11-year NFL career - 102.0 sacks. Only 10 players in NFL history had more in their first 135 games.

### NFL History - Sacks Thru 1st 135 Career Games

Rnk	Player	Sacks	Seasons
1	Reggie White+	134.5	1985-93
2	DeMarcus Ware	116.0	2005-13
3	Bruce Smith+	115.0	1985-94
4	Jared Allen	112.0	2004-12
5	Lawrence Taylor+	108.5	1981-90
6	Chandler Jones	106.5	2012-21
7t	Von Miller	106.0	2011-19
7t	Leslie O'Neal	106.0	1986-96
9	Richard Dent+	103.5	1983-91
10	Derrick Thomas+	102.5	1989-97
11	J.J. Watt	102.0	2011-21

## A CONSTANT SOURCE OF PRESSURE

Watt has recorded 102.0 sacks in his career. Only three active NFL defenders have more.

### Active NFL Leaders - Career Sacks

Rnk	Player (1st Year)	Sacks
1	Von Miller (2011)	115.5
2	Chandler Jones (2012)	107.5
3	Cameron Jordan (2011)	107.0
4t	J.J. Watt (2011)	102.0
4t	Justin Houston (2011)	102.0



Both by the season, and by the game, Watt's sacks have come in bunches. He is the only active player in the NFL with at least three seasons of 17.0+ sacks.

### Active NFL Leaders - Seasons w/ 17+ Sacks

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	17+	Years (Sacks)
1	J.J. Watt (AZ)	3	2012 (20.5), 2014 (20.5), 2015 (17.5)
2t	Chandler Jones (LV)	2	2017 (17.0), 2019 (19.0)
2t	Robert Quinn (Chi)	2	2013 (19.0), 2021 (18.5)
4t	T.J. Watt (Pit)	1	2021 (22.5)
4t	Shaquil Barrett (TB)	1	2019 (19.5)
4t	Aaron Donald (LAR)	1	2018 (20.5)
4t	Justin Houston (Bal)	1	2014 (22.0)
4t	Von Miller (Buf)	1	2012 (18.5)
4t	Aldon Smith (FA)	1	2012 (19.5)

Watt has 31 career multi-sack (1.5+) performances, the most among all active NFL defenders.

### Active NFL Leaders - Games w/ Multiple Sacks (1.5+)

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	Games
1	J.J. Watt (AZ)	31
2t	Chandler Jones (LV)	26
2t	Von Miller (Buf)	26
4t	Justin Houston (Bal)	25
4t	Jason Pierre-Paul (FA)	25
4t	Cameron Jordan (NO)	25

Watt has had at least 2.0 sacks in a game 26 times in his career. That total also leads all active NFL defenders.

### Active NFL Leaders - Games w/ 2.0+ Sacks

Rnk	Player (Current Team)	Games
1	J.J. Watt (AZ)	26
2t	Chandler Jones (LV)	22
2t	Cameron Jordan (NO)	22
4	Jason Pierre-Paul (FA)	21
5t	Justin Houston (Bal)	20
5t	Von Miller (Buf)	20



## A SCORING THREAT ON DEFENSE

One of the NFL's top pass rushers, **Watt** has also proved to be a scoring threat, both on offense and defense. Including postseason, Watt has scored seven TDs in his career (6 regular season, 1 postseason).

He has three career receiving TDs, three INT return TDs and a fumble return TD.

His most recent TD came in Week 12 of 2020 when he picked off a Matthew Stafford pass and returned it 19 yards for a TD in a win vs. Detroit.



### Watt Career Touchdowns

Type	Dist. (Yds)	Opponent
INT Return	19	11/26/20 @ Detroit (QB Matthew Stafford)
Receiving	1	11/30/14 vs. Tennessee
Receiving	2	11/16/14 @ Cleveland
Fumble Return	45	10/9/14 vs. Indianapolis
INT Return	80	9/28/14 vs. Buffalo (QB E.J. Manuel)
Receiving	1	9/14/14 @ Oakland
INT Return	29	1/7/12 vs. Cincinnati (QB Andy Dalton)*

\*2011 Postseason

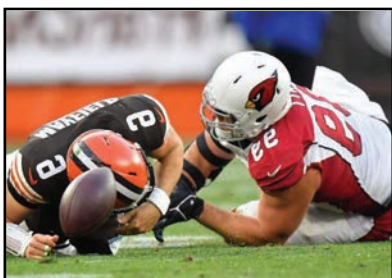
## MAKING PLAYS ON THE BALL

Throughout his career, **Watt** has shown a remarkable ability to both force and recover fumbles. Since his rookie season in 2011, he has 26 forced fumbles and 16 fumble recoveries in the regular season.

In the past 11 seasons (2011-21), Watt's 16 fumble recoveries rank second among active players while only two active defenders have more forced fumbles.

### Active NFL Leaders – Fumble Recoveries

Rnk	Player (Team)	FR
1	Lavonte David (TB)	17
2	<b>J.J. Watt (AZ)</b>	<b>16</b>
3	Justin Houston (Bal)	14
4	Fletcher Cox (Phi)	12
5	Calais Campbell (Bal)	11



### Active NFL Leaders – Forced Fumbles

Rnk	Player (Team)	FF
1	Chandler Jones (LV)	33
2	Robert Quinn (Chi)	31
3t	<b>J.J. Watt (AZ)</b>	<b>26</b>
3t	Von Miller (Buf)	26
3t	T.J. Watt (Pit)	26

### KNOCKING IT DOWN AT THE LINE

Watt also has 63 passes defended in his career. Among active NFL defensive linemen, only Kansas City's Carlos Dunlap (69) has more.

### Active NFL Leaders - Passes Defended (D-Linemen)

Rnk	Player (Team)	FF
1	Carlos Dunlap (KC)	69
2	<b>J.J. Watt (AZ)</b>	<b>63</b>
3	Cameron Jordan (NO)	56
4	Calais Campbell (Bal)	55
5	Cameron Heyward (Pit)	42

## A WATT OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In his first 11 NFL seasons, **Watt** accumulated 547 tackles, 102.0 sacks, 26 forced fumbles, 16 fumble recoveries, 292 QB hits, 177 tackles for loss, 63 passes defended and two INTs during the regular season.

His list of accomplishments is long. Those accolades include being one of just three players in league history to be named AP NFL Defensive Player of the Year at least three times.

There have been eight players in league history that have earned multiple DPOY Awards. Six are enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame. The other two are Watt and Rams DT Aaron Donald.

### Players w/ Multiple AP NFL DPOY Awards

Player	DPOY	Years
<b>J.J. Watt</b>	3	2012, 2014-15
Aaron Donald	3	2017-18, 2020
Lawrence Taylor+	3	1981-82, 1986
Reggie White+	2	1987, 1998
Ray Lewis+	2	2000, 2003
Joe Greene+	2	1972, 1974
Mike Singletary+	2	1985, 1988
Bruce Smith+	2	1990, 1996

+Hall of Fame Inductee



### WATT'S CAREER SNAPSHOT

NFL Defensive Player of the Year (3x): 2012, 2014, 2015

Walter Payton NFL Man of the Year: 2017

Pro Bowl (5x): 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018

1<sup>st</sup>-Team All-Pro (5x): 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018

NFL Sack Leader (2x): 2012 (20.5), 2015 (17.5)

AFC Defensive Player of the Month: 6 times

AFC Defensive Player of the Week: 7 times

## PRESSURE GOES FAR BEYOND SACKS

*In addition to his 102.0 career sacks, Watt also has 292 QB hits since entering the league in 2011. That is far and away the highest total in the NFL during that span according to ProFootballReference.com.*

### NFL Leaders - QB Hits (2011-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	QBH
1	<b>J.J. Watt (AZ)</b>	<b>292</b>
2	Carlos Dunlap (KC)	239
3	Von Miller (Buf)	233
4	Aaron Donald (LAR)	226
5	Cameron Jordan (NO)	206



*In the 16 years (2006-21) the site has tracked QB hits, Watt owns the NFL's four highest single-season totals.*

### NFL Single-Season Leaders - QB Hits (2006-20)

Rnk	Player	QBH	Season
1	<b>J.J. Watt</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2014</b>
2	<b>J.J. Watt</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>2015</b>
3	<b>J.J. Watt</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>2013</b>
4	<b>J.J. Watt</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>2012</b>
5t	Aaron Donald	41	2018
5t	T.J. Watt	41	2020

*Watt has 177 tackles for loss in his career, leading all active NFL defenders.*

### Active NFL Leaders - Tackles for Loss

Rnk	Player (Team)	TFL
1	<b>J.J. Watt (AZ)</b>	<b>177</b>
2	Calais Campbell (Bal)	161
3	Von Miller (Buf)	154
4	Aaron Donald (LAR)	150
5	Cameron Jordan (NO)	137

*In the last 11 seasons (2011-21), a player has recorded at least 28 tackles for loss in a season five times. Watt accounts for three of those five seasons.*

### NFL Players w/ 28+ Tackles For Loss in a Season (2011-21)

Rnk	Player (Year)	TFL
1	<b>J.J. Watt (2012)</b>	<b>39</b>
2t	<b>J.J. Watt (2014)</b>	<b>29</b>
2t	<b>J.J. Watt (2015)</b>	<b>29</b>
4t	Chandler Jones (2017)	28
4t	Von Miller (2012)	28

## INSIDE LOOK AT THE SACK TOTALS

Watt has at least a partial sack of 41 different QBs in his career. That total includes: 20 Pro Bowlers, 6 1<sup>st</sup>-Team All-Pro, 5 NFL MVPs, 6 Heisman Trophy Winners and 7 Super Bowl Winners.

### Sacks By Quarterback (41)

Sacks	Quarterback
11.0	Andrew Luck
10.5	Blake Bortles
6.5	Zach Mettenberger
5.0	Jake Locker
4.5	Alex Smith
4.0	Ryan Fitzpatrick
4.0	Eli Manning
3.5	Blaine Gabbert
3.5	Ryan Tannehill
3.0	Drew Brees
3.0	Matt Hasselbeck
3.0	Philip Rivers
3.0	Matthew Stafford
2.5	Peyton Manning
2.5	Mark Sanchez
2.0	Sam Darnold
2.0	Joe Flacco
2.0	Chad Henne
2.0	Lamar Jackson
2.0	Matt McGloin
2.0	Aaron Rodgers
2.0	Matt Ryan
1.5	Marcus Mariota
1.0	Josh Allen
1.0	Kyle Allen
1.0	Andy Dalton
1.0	Robert Griffin III
1.0	Brian Hoyer
1.0	Case Keenum
1.0	Jake Luton
1.0	Baker Mayfield
1.0	Colt McCoy
1.0	Cam Newton
1.0	Dan Orlovsky
1.0	Brock Osweiler
1.0	Carson Palmer
1.0	Christian Ponder
1.0	Dak Prescott
1.0	Ben Roethlisberger
0.5	Josh Freeman
0.5	Russell Wilson

### Sacks By Opponent

Watt has at least a partial sack against 27 different teams.

### Sacks By Opponent (27)

Sacks	Opponent
18.0	Tennessee
17.0	Jacksonville
13.0	Indianapolis
5.0	NY Jets
4.5	Kansas City
4.0	Baltimore
	NY Giants
3.5	Denver
	Miami
3.0	Detroit
	New Orleans
2.0	Atlanta
	Buffalo
	Carolina
	Cleveland
	Green Bay
	LA Chargers
	Las Vegas
	Washington
1.5	Philadelphia
1.0	Arizona
	Cincinnati
	Dallas
	Minnesota
	Pittsburgh
0.5	Seattle
	Tampa Bay

### Teams w/ no sacks against:

Chicago  
Houston  
LA Rams  
New England  
San Francisco

## THE NFL STANDARD AT SAFETY

"The guy is a human eraser. He makes a ton of tackles, he brings energy, he brings juice, he's physical. He's our leader and our heart and soul on defense." – GM Steve Keim

**S Budda Baker had another outstanding year in 2021 on his way to his fourth career Pro Bowl selection. The All-Pro totaled 98 tackles, 2.0 sacks, six tackles for loss, a career-high three INTs, three QB hits, seven passes defended and a forced fumble in the regular season.**

### SETTING THE STANDARD AT DEFENSIVE BACK

**Over the last three seasons (2019-21), Baker leads all NFL DBs in total (363) and solo (257) tackles - and leads by a wide margin.**

### NFL Leaders – Total Tackles by a DB (2019-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Tackles	Solo	GP
1	<b>S Budda Baker (AZ)</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>48</b>
2	S Logan Ryan (NYG)	322	217	47
3	S Jordan Poyer (Buf)	313	217	48
4	S Vonn Bell (Cin)	297	194	45
3	S Jessie Bates III (Cin)	295	214	47

### INTERCEPTIONS COMING AT A QUICKER PACE NOW

**Baker finished the 2021 regular season with a career-high three INTs. Prior to 2021, his career high for INTs in a season was 2 in 2020.**

**After going without an INT in his first 50 career games, Baker has five in his last 28 games played.**

**Of Baker's five career INTs, three have come against division opponents (2 vs. San Francisco and 1 vs. Seattle).**



## THOMPSON'S BIG ASCENT IN 2021

S Jalen Thompson - selected in the fifth round of the 2019 NFL Supplemental Draft out of Washington State - had a Pro Bowl caliber season in 2021. **He established career highs in tackles (120), solo tackles (78), INTs (3), passes defended (7) and tackles for loss (3).**

**He was one of just five players - and three defensive backs - in the NFL with 100+ tackles, 3+ INTs and 5+ passes defended during the regular season.**

Player (Team)	Tkl	INT	PD
LB Foyesade Oluokun (Atl)	192	3	6
LB Darius Leonard (Ind)	122	4	8
<b>S Jalen Thompson (AZ)</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>
S Xavier Woods (Min)	108	3	10
CB Kenny Moore (Ind)	102	4	13

**Thompson's 120 tackles in 2021 were a team high and also marked the second-highest total in the NFL among defensive backs.**

### 2021 NFL Leaders - Total Tackles (DBs)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Tkl
1	S Minkah Fitzpatrick (Pit)	124
2	<b>S Jalen Thompson (AZ)</b>	<b>120</b>
3	S Derwin James (LAC)	118
4	CB Logan Ryan (NYG)	117
5t	S Johnathan Abram (LV)	114
5t	S Harrison Smith (Min)	114



## ANOTHER GOLDEN SEASON

LB Markus Golden had a highly-productive season for the Cardinals in 2021. **He recorded 48 tackles, a team-high 11.0 sacks, 10 tackles for loss, 19 QB hits, four forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries and a pass defended in the regular season.**

**Golden joined T.J. Watt as the only players in the NFL last season with 10.0+ sacks, 4+ forced fumbles and 2+ fumble recoveries.**

During the 2021 regular season, Golden:

- tied for 11<sup>th</sup> in the NFL in sacks
- tied for 7<sup>th</sup> in forced fumbles
- tied for 8<sup>th</sup> in fumble recoveries

**The 2021 season was Golden's third with 10.0+ sacks and his second as a member of the Cardinals (12.5 in 2016). Dating back to 2016, only Chandler Jones (5), Aaron Donald (5), Myles Garrett (4), Joey Bosa (4), Cameron Jordan (4) and T.J. Watt (4) have more seasons with 10.0+ sacks than Golden (3).**

### MARKUS DOUBLES UP

**Golden is one of just six players in Cardinals history with multiple seasons of 10.0+ sacks. With another such season in 2022, he would become just the fourth player in team annals with three double-digit sack campaigns.**

### Franchise Record - Seasons w/ 10.0+ Sacks (Career)

Rnk	Player (Years)	10+
1	Chandler Jones (2016-21)	5
2t	Simeon Rice (1996-2000)	3
2t	Al Baker (1983-86)	3
4t	<b>Markus Golden (2015-18; 20-)</b>	<b>2</b>
4t	Freddie Joe Nunn (1985-93)	2
4t	Curtis Greer (1982-87)	2



## SIMMONS DEVELOPS INTO "STAR" BACKER

Following a standout season in 2021, third-year LB Isaiah Simmons - the Cardinals first round (8<sup>th</sup> overall) pick in the 2020 NFL Draft - is expected to make another big leap this season.

**A rare athlete for his position, Simmons is one of the fastest players on the team - having run a 4.39 40-yard dash at the 2020 NFL Combine.**

He will continue to be used all over the field in 2022, seeing action at LB, nickel and safety according to defensive coordinator Vance Joseph.

"He's a big man who can tackle, run and chase, he can blitz, he could play that edge," Joseph said at the start of training camp. "But also he's covered guys in the slot like CeeDee Lamb and those guys and he likes it. That's different from most linebackers. Right now he is our STAR: star linebacker or safety, whatever you want to call him."

In 2021 Simmons proved to be the versatile defensive weapon the Cardinals hoped he would be. **He finished the regular season with 103 tackles, 7 passes defended, an INT, 4 forced fumbles, 4 tackles for loss, 4 QB hits and 1.5 sacks.**

**Simmons become the first Cardinals defender since Tim McDonald in 1988 to have 100+ tackles and 4+ forced fumbles in a season.**

**He also joined Colts All-Pro LB Darius Leonard as the only players in the NFL last season with 100+ tackles, 4+ forced fumbles and 7+ passes defended.**



## ARIZONA'S OWN INTERCEPTION LEADER

Third-year CB Byron Murphy Jr. - a native of Scottsdale and a product of Saguardo High School - was one of the Cardinals top defenders in 2021.

**In 16 regular season games, he totaled 64 tackles, 4 INTs (one returned for a TD), 12 passes defended, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery.**

**Murphy's 4 INTs and 12 passes defended both set career-highs. He had one INT and 18 passes defended in his first two NFL seasons combined (31 games).**

**Murphy was one of just 11 players in the NFL with 12+ passes defended and 4+ INTs in 2021.**

### NFL Players with 4+ INTs and 12+ PD (2021)

Player (Team)	PD	INT
J.C. Jackson (NE)	23	8
Trevon Diggs (Dal)	21	11
James Bradberry (NYG)	17	4
Xavier Howard (Mia)	16	5
Jalen Ramsey (LAR)	16	4
Pat Surtain II (Den)	14	4
Kevin Byard (Ten)	13	5
Rasul Douglas (GB)	13	5
Kenny Moore (Ind)	13	4
<b>Byron Murphy Jr. (AZ)</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>
Justin Simmons (Den)	12	5



## ALLEN BECOMES A PLAYMAKER ON "D"

Like LB Isaiah Simmons - DL Zach Allen is a young defender who had a breakout season for the Cardinals in 2021. Selected in the third round (65<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2019 NFL Draft, Allen emerged as a playmaker last season.

**In 15 games (14 starts) last season, Allen established career highs in tackles (48), sacks (4.0), tackles for loss (5), QB hits (14), passes defended (4), fumble recoveries (3) and also recorded his first career INT. He scored his first career TD with a 16-yard fumble return in the regular season finale vs. the Seahawks.**

**Allen had twice as many sacks in 2021 (4.0) as he had in his first two years combined (2.0) while also more than doubling his previous career high for QB hits (from 6 in 2020 to 13 in 2021). Allen's three fumble recoveries were tied for the NFL lead among all defenders in 2021, and he was the only defensive lineman in the NFL with three fumble recoveries.**

### 2021 NFL Leaders - Defensive Fumble Recoveries

Rnk	Player (Team)	FR
1t	<b>DL Zach Allen (AZ)</b>	<b>3</b>
1t	LB Darius Leonard (Ind)	3
1t	S Tyrann Mathieu (KC)	3
1t	LB T.J. Watt (Pit)	3
1t	LB Fred Warner (SF)	3
1t	LB Frankie Luvu (Car)	3





## PRATER SCORES BIG IN DEBUT SEASON WITH CARDS

*During his first season with the Cardinals, K Matt Prater accumulated 137 points (30 FG, 47 PAT) in 2021. That tied for the second-highest single-season total in franchise history and also tied for fourth in the NFL last season.*

### Franchise Record – Points (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	Points (Type)
1	Neil Rackers (2005)	140 (40 FG, 20 PAT)
2t	<b>Matt Prater (2021)</b>	<b>137 (30 FG, 47 PAT)</b>
2t	Chandler Catanzaro (2015)	137 (28 FG, 53 PAT)
4t	Zane Gonzalez (2019)	127 (31 FG, 34 PAT)
4t	Jay Feely (2013)	127 (30 FG, 37 PAT)

### NFL Leaders – Points (2021)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Points (Type)
1t	Daniel Carlson (LV)	150 (40 FG, 30 PAT)
1t	Nick Folk (NE)	150 (36 FG, 42 PAT)
3	Matt Gay (LAR)	144 (32 FG, 48 PAT)
4t	<b>Matt Prater (AZ)</b>	<b>137 (30 FG, 47 PAT)</b>
4t	Justin Tucker (Bal)	137 (35 FG, 32 PAT)



*The 2021 season marked Prater's 11<sup>th</sup> with 100+ points in his career. It was also his seventh consecutive season (2015-21) scoring 100+ points. He joins Ravens K Justin Tucker as the only players in the NFL with 100+ points in each of the last seven seasons.*

*Prater is one of three active players with at least 11 seasons of 100+ points joining Green Bay's Mason Crosby (14) and San Francisco's Robbie Gould (11).*

## ONE OF THE BEST EVER FROM LONG DISTANCE

*Prater tied his career high and established a Cardinals single-season record with seven made FGs of 50+ yards in 2021.*

### Franchise Record – FGs of 50+ Yards (Season)

Rnk	Player (Year)	50+
1	<b>Matt Prater (2021)</b>	<b>7</b>
2	Neil Rackers (2005)	6
3	Neil Rackers (2004)	5
4t	Phil Dawson (2017)	4
4t	Greg Davis (1993)	4

*Prater enters the 2022 season with 66 career FGs of 50+ yards, the most in NFL history.*

### NFL History - Field Goals Made of 50+ Yards

Rnk	Player	Made	Att.	Pct.
1	<b>Matt Prater</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>74.2</b>
2	Sebastian Janikowski	58	105	55.2
3	Jason Hanson	52	93	55.9
4	Justin Tucker	48	66	72.7
5	Adam Vinatieri	45	72	62.5



*Prater has made 66-of-89 FG attempts from 50+ yards in his career. His 74.2% success rate is the second-best in NFL history.*

### NFL History - Field Goal Percentage From 50+ Yards

Rnk	Player	Pct.	Made	Att.
1	Stephen Gostkowski	74.4	32	43
2	<b>Matt Prater</b>	<b>74.2</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>89</b>
3	Justin Tucker	72.7	48	66
4	Jeff Wilkins	72.2	26	36
5	Harrison Butker	71.4	20	28

### PRATER (REALLY) GOOD FROM 60+

*In Week 2 vs. Minnesota last season - in just his second game with the Cardinals - Prater set a franchise record with a 62-yard FG.*

### Franchise Record – Longest Field Goal

Rnk	Player	Dist	Opponent
1	<b>Matt Prater</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>9/19/21 vs. Minnesota</b>
2	Jay Feely	61	10/14/12 vs. Buffalo
3	Chandler Catanzaro	60	9/25/16 at Buffalo
4t	Zane Gonzalez	57	9/13/20 at San Francisco
4t	Phil Dawson	57	11/26/17 vs. Jacksonville

*There have been just 13 made FGs of at least 62 yards. Prater - who owns the second-longest FG in NFL history (64 yards) - has two of those. He joins Brett Maher (3) as the only kickers in league history with multiple FGs of 62 yards or longer.*

### NFL History - Longest Made Field Goal

Rnk	Player (Team)	Dist	Opponent
1	Justin Tucker (Bal)	66	9/26/21 at Detroit
2	<b>Matt Prater (Den)</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>12/8/13 vs. Tennessee</b>
3t	Brett Maher (Dal)	63	10/20/19 vs. Philadelphia
3t	Graham Gano (Car)	63	10/7/18 vs. NY Giants
3t	David Akers (SF)	63	9/9/12 at Green Bay
3t	Sebastian Janikowski (Oak)	63	9/12/11 at Denver
3t	Jason Elam (Den)	63	10/25/98 vs. Jacksonville
3t	Tom Dempsey (NO)	63	11/8/70 vs. Detroit
9t	<b>Matt Prater (AZ)</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>9/19/21 vs. Minnesota</b>
9t	Brett Maher (Dal)	62	10/13/19 at N.Y. Jets
9t	Brett Maher (Dal)	62	12/9/18 vs. Philadelphia
9t	Stephen Gostkowski (NE)	62	11/19/17 at Oakland
9t	Matt Bryant (TB)	62	10/22/06 vs. Philadelphia

*Prater owns franchise records for the longest FG with Denver (64 yards), Arizona (62 yards) and Detroit (59 yards, twice).*

## LEE ENTERS SEASON #19

*K Andy Lee is in his sixth season with the Cardinals - and his 19<sup>th</sup> season in the NFL - in 2022. Among all active players, only Tampa Bay QB Tom Brady (23<sup>rd</sup> NFL season in 2022) has played more seasons than Lee.*

### Active Players with Most Seasons Played (2022 Included)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Seasons	1 <sup>st</sup> Year
1	QB Tom Brady (TB)	23	2000
2	<b>P Andy Lee (AZ)</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2004</b>
3t	QB Aaron Rodgers (GB)	18	2005
3t	K Robbie Gould (SF)	18	2005
5	TE Mercedes Lewis (GB)	17	2006

*Lee finished in the top-10 in punting average in 15 of his first 18 NFL seasons.*

*That includes ranking 7<sup>th</sup> (2017), 1<sup>st</sup> (2018), 2<sup>nd</sup> (2019) and 3<sup>rd</sup> (2021) during his five seasons with the Cardinals.*

*Lee's 46.6-yard career punting average is tied for eighth-best in NFL history.*

### NFL History – Career Punting Average (Career)

Rnk	Player (Seasons)	Avg.
1	Shane Lechler (2000-17)	47.6
2	Michael Dickson (2018-)*	47.4
3	Tress Way (2014-)*	47.0
4	Cameron Johnston (2018-)*	46.9
5t	Johnny Hekker (2012-)*	46.7
5t	Marquette King (2013-18)	46.7
5t	Brandon Fields (2007-15)	46.7
8t	<b>Andy Lee (2004-)*</b>	<b>46.6</b>
8t	Thomas Morstead (2009-)*	46.6
10	Logan Cooke (2018-)*	46.5

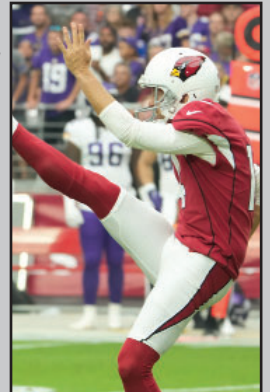
\*Active Player

*His 458 career punts inside the 20-yard line rank fourth in NFL history.*

### NFL History – Punts Inside the 20 (Career)

Rnk	Player (Seasons)	In20
1	Jeff Feagles (1988-2009)	554
2	Dustin Colquitt (2005-21)	483
3	Shane Lechler (2000-17)	469
4	<b>Andy Lee (2004-)*</b>	<b>458</b>
5	Sam Koch (2006-21)	453

\*Active Player



## LEE STILL AMONG THE NFL'S BEST

*Lee's success has not diminished with age. He has been one of the NFL's top punters since joining the Cardinals in 2017. During his first five seasons (2017-21) in Arizona, Lee's 47.6-yard punting average leads the NFL.*

### NFL Leaders – Punting Average (2017-21)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Punts	Avg.
1	<b>Andy Lee (AZ)</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>47.6</b>
2	Michael Dickson (Sea)	296	47.4
3	Tress Way (Was)	374	47.3
4	Brett Kern (Ten)	311	47.2
5	Cameron Johnston (Hou)	291	46.9

*Lee's five seasons in Arizona have resulted in the four highest single-season punting averages in franchise history. His 49.0-yard punting average in 2021 broke his own franchise record set in 2018 - when he led the NFL with a 48.6-yard average.*

### Franchise Record – Punting Average (Season)

Rnk	Player (Season)	Avg.
1	<b>Andy Lee (2021)</b>	<b>49.0</b>
2	<b>Andy Lee (2018)</b>	<b>48.6</b>
3	<b>Andy Lee (2019)</b>	<b>47.8</b>
4	<b>Andy Lee (2017)</b>	<b>47.3</b>
5	Ben Graham (2009)	47.0

*It also marked the third-best average in the NFL last season.*

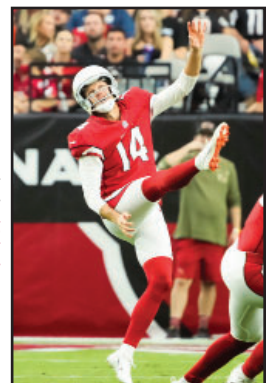
### NFL Leaders – Punting Avg. (2021)

Rnk	Player (Team)	Gross
1	A.J. Cole (LV)	50.0
2	Jack Fox (Det)	49.2
3	<b>Andy Lee (AZ)</b>	<b>49.0</b>
4t	Bryan Anger (Dal)	48.4
4t	Tress Way (Was)	48.4

A look at where Lee's punting averages have ranked in the NFL during his five seasons with Arizona:

### Lee NFL Rank for Punting Average (2017-21)

Year	Avg.	NFL Rank
2021	49.0	3 <sup>rd</sup>
2020	44.8	22 <sup>nd</sup>
2019	47.8	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2018	48.6	1 <sup>st</sup>
2017	47.3	7 <sup>th</sup>





# CARDINALS PLAYER NOTES (OFFENSE/SPECIAL TEAMS)

## QUARTERBACKS

**Jarrett Guarantano** – Undrafted free agent who spent four seasons (2017-20) at Tennessee before transferring to Washington State for the 2021 season.

**Colt McCoy** – Has thrown for 7,195 yards and 33 TDs while completing 674-of-1,088 passes (61.9%) in 52 games (33 starts) for Cleveland (2010-12), San Francisco (2013), Washington (2014-19), Giants (2020) and Arizona (2021).

**Trace McSorley** – Baltimore's 2019 sixth-round pick (197th overall) out of Penn State, has appeared in three NFL games.

**Kyler Murray** – Won the 2018 Heisman Trophy, selected ninth overall in the 2018 MLB Draft, first overall in the 2019 NFL Draft, earned 2019 AP NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year honors and selected to consecutive Pro Bowls in 2020-21.

## RUNNING BACKS

**Eno Benjamin** – Has appeared in nine games for Arizona after being selected by the Cardinals in the seventh round (222nd overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft out of Arizona State where he totaled 2,867 rushing yards and 27 TDs in 35 games (25 starts).

**James Conner** – Pro Bowler who signed with Arizona after four seasons (2017-20) with Pittsburgh where he played 50 games (33 starts). Tied for second in the NFL in rushing TDs (15) and ranked third in total TDs (18) in the 2021 season.

**Keaontay Ingram** – Cardinals sixth-round pick (201st overall) in the 2022 NFL Draft out of USC. Rushed for 2,722 yards and 16 TDs on 495 carries in 42 collegiate games at Texas and USC.

**T.J. Pledger** – Signed with the Cardinals as an undrafted free agent out of Utah. He was a college teammate of Kyler Murray and Marquise Brown while at Oklahoma in 2018, played with the Sooners from 2018-20.

**Ronnie Rivers** – Undrafted rookie from Fresno State where he holds the school's record for total TDs (52) and rushing TDs (40).

**Jonathan Ward** – Has played 27 games for the Cardinals during his first two seasons after joining Arizona as an undrafted free agent out of Central Michigan.

**Darrel Williams** – Played in 51 games with Kansas City as an undrafted free agent out of LSU, rushing for 912 yards and 10 TDs on 237 carries and 2019 Super Bowl champion. Signed with Arizona in the offseason.

## TIGHT ENDS

**Stephen Anderson** – Entered the NFL as an undrafted free agent with the Texans and was signed by Arizona this summer after spending the last three seasons with the Chargers.

**Zach Ertz** – Ten-year NFL veteran, three-time Pro Bowler (2017-19) and first-team All-Pro (2018). His 635 career receptions rank ninth in NFL history among TEs. Was acquired by the Cardinals in a Week 6 trade last season.

**Trey McBride** – Cardinals 2nd round pick (55th overall) in the 2022 NFL draft out of Colorado State. Winner of the 2021 John Mackey Award as nation's top tight end and named the Mountain West 2021-22 Male Athlete of the Year.

**Chris Pierce Jr.** – Undrafted rookie out of Vanderbilt where he finished with 109 receptions for 1,398 yards and nine TDs.

**Bernhard Seikoviits** – Vienna native and captain of the Austria's men's national football team, allocated to the Cardinals through the NFL's International Player Pathway Program.

**Maxx Williams** – Former 2nd round pick by the Ravens in the 2015 NFL Draft, has played in 30 games (23 starts) in three seasons (2019-21) with Arizona.

**Deon Yelder** – Signed with Arizona in January after playing the last four seasons with the Chiefs (2018-20) and Buccaneers (2021).

## WIDE RECEIVERS

**Marcell Ateman** – Played in 19 career games (six starts) over three seasons with the Raiders, totaling 20 receptions for 270 yards and one TD.

**Andre Baccellia** – Spent last season on the Cardinals practice squad, originally signed with Kansas City as an undrafted rookie.

**Victor Bolden Jr.** – Led USFL with 1,209 all-purpose yard and named MVP of the 2022 USFL Championship game. Has played NFL games with the 49ers (13) and Bills (2).

**Marquise Brown** – Reunites with college teammate Kyler Murray. In their lone season together at Oklahoma, Brown hauled in 75 receptions for 1,318 yards and 10 TDs, leading the nation in 40+ (11), 50+ (7) and 60+ (4) plays. Was acquired by the Cardinals in an offseason trade from Baltimore.

**Greg Dortch** – Originally signed with the Jets as an undrafted rookie free agent in 2019 and has appeared in seven games (two starts) for the Panthers (2019) and Cardinals (2021).

**A.J. Green** – Seven-time Pro Bowl selection (2011-17) and two-time second-team All-Pro honoree (2012-13). First receiver in NFL history to be named to the Pro Bowl in each of his first seven seasons.

**DeAndre Hopkins** – Five-time Pro Bowler (2015; 2017-20) and four-time All-Pro

(2017-20) tied for second in the NFL in receptions (115) and 100-yard games (seven) while ranking third in receiving yards (1,407) in 2020.

**Andy Isabella** – Arizona's 2019 second-round pick (62nd overall) out of UMass, was a consensus first-team All-American as a senior.

**Jontre Kirklin** – Undrafted free agent out of LSU, played wide receiver, quarterback and defensive back while in school.

**Rondale Moore** – Selected by the Cardinals in the second-round (49th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft out of Purdue. Last season finished sixth among NFL rookies with 973 all-purpose yards.

**JaVonta Payton** – Played college at Mississippi State and Tennessee after spending two seasons at Northwest (MS) Community College. Undrafted free agent.

**Antoine Wesley** – Spent his first two NFL seasons on the Ravens practice squad (2019) and injured reserve (2020). Scored his first three career NFL TDs over the final three games of the 2021 season.

## OFFENSIVE LINE

**Kelvin Beachum** – Selected by Pittsburgh in the seventh round (248th overall) of the 2012 NFL Draft and has started 130 of 135 games played with the Steelers (2012-15), Jaguars (2016), Jets (2017-19) and Cardinals (2020-21).

**Rashaad Coward** – Began career as defensive lineman and transitioned to offensive line during the 2018 offseason. Has played in 35 career games with the Bears (2017, 2019-20) and Steelers (2021).

**Sean Harlow** – Atlanta's fourth round (136th overall) selection of the 2017 NFL Draft and has appeared in 16 games (five starts) for the Falcons (2019) and Cardinals (2021).

**Marquis Hayes** – Selected by Arizona in the seventh-round (257th overall) of the 2022 NFL Draft out of Oklahoma and was Kyler Murray's and Marquise Brown's teammate from 2017-18.

**Will Hernandez** – New York Giants 2018 second round (34th overall) draft choice has started in 56 of the 62 games played before joining the Cardinals as a free agent in March 2022.

**Rodney Hudson** – A 12-year NFL veteran, three-time Pro Bowler (2016-17, '19) and 2019 second-team All-Pro selection was acquired by the Cardinals in a trade with the Las Vegas Raiders in March.

**D.J. Humphries** – Cardinals first-round pick (24th overall) in the 2015 NFL Draft out of Florida, has started all 75 NFL games played, including all 65 at LT since 2019.

**Danny Isidora** – Played five games with Arizona in 2021. Previously played with the Vikings (21 games), Dolphins (three games), and one game with the Chiefs and Steelers.

**Josh Jones** – Arizona's 2020 third-round pick (72nd overall) out of Houston where he started all 45 games he played at LT in four seasons (2016-19) for the Cougars. Has played 30 games (12 starts) for the Cardinals during his first two NFL seasons.

**Greg Long** – Signed with the Cardinals as an undrafted free agent out of Purdue. Also play collegiately at UTEP.

**Koda Martin** – Originally with the Chargers practice squad as an undrafted free agent, signed with the Cardinals in August of 2020 and has played in two career games with the team.

**Josh Miles** – Selected by Arizona with its first pick in the seventh-round (248th overall) of the 2019 NFL Draft out of Morgan State. Has appeared in 17 games for the Cardinals during his first two NFL seasons.

**Justin Murray** – Entered the NFL as an undrafted rookie with the Broncos out of Cincinnati and played in 32 games (20 starts) with the Raiders and Cardinals.

**Haggai Ndubuisi** – One of 13 players selected for the NFL's International Player Pathway Program in 2022, signed to roster and not through an exemption afforded to players in the program.

**Justin Pugh** – Has started 114 of 115 games played with the Giants (2013-17) and Cardinals (2018-21) since entering the league as a first-round pick (19th overall) in the 2013 NFL Draft.

**Lecitus Smith** – Arizona's second pick in the sixth-round (215th overall) of the 2022 NFL Draft out of Virginia Tech, where he appeared in 45 games at guard and left tackle. Was originally recruited to play tight end.

## SPECIALISTS

**Aaron Brewer** – Entered the league with the Broncos as a rookie free agent and has played 147 regular season and eight playoff games with Denver (2012-15) and Arizona (2016-21).

**Nolan Cooney** – Originally entered the NFL as a rookie free agent with the Saints in 2021 out of Syracuse.

**Andy Lee** – The four-time All-Pro joined Arizona after playing for the 49ers (2004-14), Browns (2015) and Panthers (2016). Ranks third in NFL history in career punting yards (65,248).

**Matt Prater** – Two-time Pro Bowler (2013, '16) and NFL record-holder for FGs of 50+ yards (66). Joined Arizona in 2021 after 14 seasons with the Lions, Broncos and Falcons.





## DEFENSIVE LINE

**Zach Allen** – Cardinals third-round pick (65th overall) 2019 NFL Draft out of Boston College. Posted a career-year in 2021 with 48 tackles, four sacks, 14 QB hits and three fumble recoveries which were tied for the NFL lead.

**Michael Dogbe** – Selected by Arizona with its second pick in the seventh round (249th overall) of the 2019 NFL Draft out of Temple. Has appeared in 27 games (one start) for the Cardinals through his first three seasons.

**Leki Fotu** – Cardinals first pick in the fourth round (114th overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft. Has appeared in 28 games (three starts) for the Cardinals during his first two NFL seasons. Family hails from the island of Tonga.

**Manny Jones** – Signed with Arizona as an undrafted free agent out of Colorado State. Teammates with Trey McBride.

**Kingsley Keke** – Three-year NFL veteran has played in 41 games with Green Bay, who drafted him in the fifth round (150th overall) of the 2019 NFL Draft out of Texas A&M.

**Rashard Lawrence** – Arizona's second pick in the fourth-round (131st overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft out of LSU, where he was a three-time team captain including for LSU's 2019 National Championship team.

**Jonathan Ledbetter** – Originally signed with Miami as an undrafted free agent in 2019, has played in two NFL games with the Dolphins and Cardinals.

**Christian Ringo** – The 30-year old has played in 34 games with the Saints (2021), Bengals (2018), Cowboys (2018), Lions (2017) and Packers (2016). Drafted by Green Bay in the sixth-round (210th overall) of the 2015 NFL Draft.

**J.J. Watt** – Five-time first-team All-Pro, five-time Pro Bowl selection, three-time NFL Defensive Player of the Year and 2017 Walter Payton NFL Man of the Year. Signed a two-year contract with Arizona after 10 years in Houston.

**Antwaun Woods** – Entered the NFL as an undrafted free agent with the Titans in 2016 and has played in 47 career games with the Colts (2021), Cowboys (2018-20), Titans (2016-17).

## LINEBACKERS

**Zaven Collins** – Selected by the Cardinals in the first round (16th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft out of Tulsa where he received the Bronko Nagurski Trophy, the Chuck Bednarik Award and the Lombardi Award.

**Victor Dimukeje** – Selected by Arizona with their first pick of the sixth round (210th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft out of Duke. Earned All-ACC honors as a junior and senior and named a semifinalist for the 2020 Lott IMPACT Trophy.

**Dennis Gardeck** – Named a Pro Bowl alternate on special teams in 2019 and selected as a team captain in 2020. Signed by Arizona as a rookie free agent out of Sioux Falls in 2018 and has played 58 games in his first four seasons.

**Markus Golden** – Arizona's 2015 second-round pick (58th overall) out of Missouri has appeared in 94 games for the Cardinals (2015-18; 2020-21) and Giants (2019-20). Led the Arizona defense with 11.0 total sacks during the 2021 season.

**Devon Kennard** – Eight-year NFL veteran and Phoenix native has played 111 games (72 starts) with the Giants (2014-17), Lions (2018-19) and Cardinals after being selected by New York in the fifth-round (174th overall) of the 2014 NFL Draft.

**Jessie Lemonier** – Has played in 13 games for the Lions (2021) and Chargers (2020) since being an undrafted free agent out of Liberty in 2020.

**Jesse Luketa** – Cardinals seventh-round pick (256th overall) in the 2022 NFL Draft out of Penn State. Grew up in Ottawa, Ontario, the capital city of Canada.

**Ben Niemann** – Undrafted free agent out of Iowa, signed with Kansas City in 2018 and appeared in 62 games through first four seasons and was a member of the Super Bowl LIV championship team.

**Myjai Sanders** – Selected by Arizona with its second pick in the third round (100th overall) of the 2022 NFL Draft out of Cincinnati. Finished 2021 leading the AAC with 62 total QB pressures and was a two-time first-team AAC selection (2020-21).

**Isaiah Simmons** – Named to the 2020 PFWA All-Rookie team after being selected eighth by the Cardinals out of Clemson. One of two NFL players with 100+ tackles, 4+ forced fumbles and 7+ passes defended last season.

**Cam Thomas** – Arizona's first pick in the third-round (87th overall) of the 2022 NFL Draft out of San Diego State. Last season he led the conference with 11.5 sacks, 21 QB hurries and tied the conference record with 20.5 tackles for loss.

**Ezekiel Turner** – Signed with Arizona as an undrafted rookie free agent out of Washington in 2018. Has blocked two punts and has 43 special teams tackles in 49 career games.

**Tanner Vallejo** – Buffalo's 2017 sixth-round (195th overall) pick out of Boise State has played 65 games with Buffalo (2017), Cleveland (2018), Washington (2019) and Arizona (2019-21).

**Nick Vigil** – Signed a one-year contract with Arizona in the offseason. Spent first six seasons with the Vikings (2021), Chargers (2020) and Bengals (2016-19).

**Joe Walker** – Eagles seventh-round pick (251st overall) in the 2016 NFL Draft has played in 66 games for the Eagles (2017), Cardinals (2018-19, 2021) and 49ers (2020).

**Chandler Wooten** – Undrafted rookie free agent out of Auburn, played in 43 career games and recorded 140 tackles, 9.5 tackles for loss and two interceptions.

## DEFENSIVE BACKS

**Budda Baker** – Arizona's 2017 second-round pick (36th overall) out of Washington is a four-time Pro Bowler (2017, '19-21), two-time team captain (2020-21) and a 2020 first-team All-Pro honors.

**Darrell Baker Jr.** – Signed with Arizona as an undrafted free agent out of Georgia Southern, was born in Panama City.

**Breon Borders** – Four-year NFL veteran has appeared in 30 career games (six starts) with Jacksonville (2018-19), Washington (2019), Tennessee (2020) and Arizona (2021).

**Nate Brooks** – Originally signed with the Cardinals as an undrafted free agent out of North Texas in 2019, has seen action in four NFL games with the Dolphins (2019) and Ravens (2020).

**Tae Daley** – Accumulated 181 total tackles, 9.5 tackles for loss, four interceptions and forced two fumbles in his collegiate career with Vanderbilt and Virginia Tech. Signed with Arizona as an undrafted free agent this offseason.

**Antonio Hamilton** – Six-year NFL veteran has appeared in 74 career games (four starts) with the Raiders (2016-17), Giants (2018-19), Chiefs (2020) and Cardinals (2021).

**Josh Jackson** – Selected by Green Bay in the second round (45th overall) of the 2018 NFL Draft out of Iowa has appeared in 44 games with the Packers (2018-20) and Chiefs (2021).

**Christian Matthew** – Arizona's first pick in the seventh-round (244th overall) of the 2022 NFL Draft out of Valdosta State becoming the sixth player to be drafted in school history.

**Byron Murphy Jr.** – Scottsdale native and Arizona's 2019 second-round pick (33rd overall) out of Washington. Has recorded 193 tackles, five INTs and 30 passes defended in 47 games (39 starts) during his first three NFL seasons.

**Deionte Thompson** – Arizona's 2019 fifth-round pick (139th overall) out of Alabama where he was a consensus first-team All-American. Has 49 tackles (34 solo) and three passes defended in 41 games (six starts) during his first three seasons.

**Jalen Thompson** – Selected by Arizona in the fifth-round of the 2019 NFL Supplemental Draft out of Washington State. Has 202 tackles, four INTs, a fumble recovery and 11 passes defended through 37 games (25 starts) in three seasons.

**Charles Washington** – Signed with Detroit as an undrafted rookie free agent out of Fresno State in 2016 and has played 63 games with the Lions (2016-18) and Cardinals (2019-21).

**Jace Whittaker** – Has played in six games over the past two seasons since making the team as an undrafted free agent out of Arizona.

**James Wiggins** – Arizona's seventh round pick (243rd overall) in the 2021 NFL Draft out of Cincinnati where he was teammates with Myjai Sanders.

**Marco Wilson** – Selected by Arizona in the fourth-round (136th overall) of the 2021 NFL Draft out of Florida. Started 13 of 14 games as a rookie in 2021.



# ROSTER/TRANSACTIONS

DATE	POS.	NAME	TRANSACTION
1/16	CB	Breon Borders	Released
1/17	DL	Zach Kerr	Elevated to the active roster from the practice squad as a standard elevation
1/17	CB	Kevin Peterson	Elevated to the active roster from the practice squad as a standard elevation
1/17	LB	Ezekiel Turner	Activated from the injured reserve/designated for return list
1/17	DL	J.J. Watt	Activated from the injured reserve/designated for return list
1/19	G	Eric Smith	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	S	Javon Hagan	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	TE	Bernhard Seikovits	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	ILB	Joe Walker	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	WR	Andre Baccellia	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	CB	Breon Borders	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	CB	Nate Brooks	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	DE	Matt Dickerson	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	G	Danny Isidora	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	G	Koda Martin	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	RB	Jaylen Samuels	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	TE	David Wells	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	CB	Jace Whittaker	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/19	TE	Deon Yelder	Signed a reserve/future contract
1/25	P	Nolan Cooney	Signed a reserve/future contract
2/9	DE	Jonathan Ledbetter	Signed a reserve/future contract
3/9	RB	Jonathan Ward	Signed to a one-year contract
3/9	ILB	Jordan Hicks	Released
3/10	WR	Antoine Wesley	Signed to a one-year contract
3/13	TE	Zach Ertz	Signed to a three-year contract
3/14	QB	Colt McCoy	Signed to a two-year contract
3/14	RB	James Conner	Signed to a three-year contract
3/14	OLB	Dennis Gardeck	Signed to a three-year contract
3/14	DE	Michael Dogbe	Signed to a one-year contract
3/16	CB	Jeff Gladney	Signed to a two-year contract
3/16	TE	Maxx Williams	Signed to a one-year contract
3/17	LS	Aaron Brewer	Signed to a one-year contract
3/17	P	Andy Lee	Signed to a one-year contract
3/18	ILB	Ezekiel Turner	Signed to a one-year contract
3/22	OLB	Nick Vigil	Signed to a one-year contract

3/28	G	Will Hernandez	Signed to a one-year contract
4/4	TE	Stephen Anderson	Signed to a one-year contract
4/14	WR	A.J. Green	Signed to a one-year contract
4/19	OL	Haggai Ndubuisi	Signed to a three-year contract
4/26	OLB	Ron'Dell Carter	Awarded waiver claim (Houston)
4/26	CB	Antonio Hamilton	Re-signed to a one-year contract
4/28	WR	Marquise Brown	Acquired from the Ravens along with a third-round selection in the 2022 NFL Draft for a first-round selection in the 2022 NFL Draft
5/2	S	Charles Washington	Re-signed to a one-year contract
5/12	RB	Keaontay Ingram	Signed to a four-year contract
5/12	LB	Jesse Luketa	Signed to a four-year contract
5/12	OL	Lecitus Smith	Signed to a four-year contract
5/13	DL	Kingsley Keke	Signed to a one-year contract
5/17	LB	Jessie Lemonier	Awarded waiver claim (Detroit)
5/17	OL	Marquis Hayes	Signed to a four-year contract
5/17	CB	Christian Matthew	Signed to a four-year contract
5/17	TE	Trey McBride	Signed to a four-year contract
5/18	DE	Myjai Sanders	Signed to a four-year contract
5/31	RB	Jaylen Samuels	Released
5/31	RB	Darrel Williams	Signed to a one-year contract
6/16	CB	Josh Jackson	Signed to a one-year contract
6/16	LB	Ben Niemann	Signed to a one-year contract
7/21	QB	Kyler Murray	Signed to a five-year contract extension
7/22	TE	Maxx Williams	Placed on PUP
7/22	WR	Victor Bolden Jr.	Signed a one-year contract
7/26	WR	Marquise Brown	Placed on NFI
7/29	DL	Matt Dickerson	Released
7/29	TE	David Wells	Released
7/29	DL	Antwaun Woods	Signed to a one-year contract
7/29	DL	Christian Ringo	Signed to a one-year contract
8/2	WR	Christian Blake	Released
8/2	OL	Rashaad Coward	Signed to a one-year contract
8/2	WR	Marquise Brown	Activated from NFI
8/4	TE	Maxx Williams	Activated from PUP
8/4	OL	Eric Smith	Released
8/4	WR	Marcell Ateman	Signed to a one-year contract





(As of August 8, 2022)

BASED ON EXPECTED PARTICIPATION IN PRESEASON GAME #1 AT CINCINNATI

## OFFENSE

<b>WR</b>	17 Andy Isabella	38 Victor Bolden Jr.	2 Marquise Brown	18 A.J. Green
<b>LT</b>	66 Josh Miles	<u>69 Haggai Ndubuisi</u>	74 D.J. Humphries	
<b>LG</b>	63 Danny Isidora	<u>78 Marquis Hayes</u>	67 Justin Pugh	
<b>C</b>	64 Sean Harlow	<u>54 Lecitus Smith</u>	<u>65 Greg Long</u>	61 Rodney Hudson
<b>RG</b>	76 Will Hernandez	60 Koda Martin	71 Justin Murray	
<b>RT</b>	79 Josh Jones	73 Rashaad Coward	68 Kelvin Beachum	
<b>TE</b>	89 Stephen Anderson	80 Bernhard Seikovits	81 Deon Yelder	<u>85 Trey McBride</u> <u>49 Chris Pierce Jr.</u>
				87 Maxx Williams 86 Zach Ertz
<b>WR</b>	83 Greg Dortch	<u>31 Jontre Kirklin</u>	<u>32 JaVonta Payton</u>	4 Rondale Moore
<b>WR</b>	82 Andre Baccellia	84 Marcell Ateman	13 Antoine Wesley	10 DeAndre Hopkins
<b>QB</b>	12 Colt McCoy	19 Trace McSorley	<u>16 Jarrett Guarantano</u>	1 Kyler Murray
<b>RB</b>	26 Eno Benjamin	24 Darrel Williams	29 Jonathan Ward	<u>30 Keaontay Ingram</u> <u>21 T.J. Pledger</u>
				<u>37 Ronnie Rivers</u> 6 James Conner

## DEFENSE

<b>DE</b>	91 Michael Dogbe	93 Jonathan Ledbetter	<u>75 Manny Jones</u>	99 J.J. Watt
<b>NT</b>	90 Rashard Lawrence	92 Antwaun Woods	70 Christian Ringo	
<b>DT</b>	95 Leki Fotu	96 Kingsley Keke	94 Zach Allen	
<b>OLB</b>	45 Dennis Gardeck	52 Victor Dimukeje	<u>97 Cameron Thomas</u>	53 Jessie Lemonier
<b>ILB</b>	47 Ezekiel Turner	56 Ben Niemann	9 Isaiah Simmons	51 Tanner Vallejo
<b>ILB</b>	25 Zaven Collins	59 Joe Walker	<u>50 Chandler Wooten</u>	57 Nick Vigil
<b>OLB</b>	42 Devon Kennard	<u>41 Myjai Sanders</u>	<u>43 Jesse Luketa</u>	44 Markus Golden
<b>CB</b>	33 Antonio Hamilton	36 Josh Jackson	37 Nate Brooks	7 Byron Murphy Jr.
<b>CB</b>	20 Marco Wilson	39 Jace Whittaker	21 Breon Borders	<u>31 Darrell Baker Jr.</u> <u>35 Christian Matthew</u>
<b>S</b>	22 Deionte Thompson	<u>48 Tae Daley</u>	34 Jalen Thompson	
<b>S</b>	28 Charles Washington	38 James Wiggins	3 Budda Baker	

## SPECIALISTS

<b>K</b>	5 Matt Prater	
<b>P</b>	14 Andy Lee	15 Nolan Cooney
<b>LS</b>	46 Aaron Brewer	
<b>H</b>	14 Andy Lee	15 Nolan Cooney
<b>KR</b>	83 Greg Dortch	38 Victor Bolden Jr.
<b>PR</b>	83 Greg Dortch	38 Victor Bolden Jr.

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Andre Baccellia .....	buh-CHELL-ee	Jessie Lemonier .....	lemon-YAY
Victor Dimukeje .....	dee-moo-KAY-gee	Jesse Luketa .....	loo-KETT-uh
Michael Dogbe .....	DOG-bee	Haggai Ndubuisi .....	HEY-guy / CHE-some / oon-doo-BEE-see
Leki Fotu .....	LECK-ee / FOH-too	Myjai Sanders .....	MY-jay
Jarrett Guarantano .....	gare-in-TAN-no	Bernhard Seikovits .....	BURN-hard / SIKE-oh-vitts
Danny Isidora .....	izz-uh-DORA	Lecitus Smith .....	luh-SEET-us
Kingsley Keke .....	kee-kee	Tanner Vallejo .....	vuh-LAY-ho
Devon Kennard .....	duh-VONN / ken-ARD		

NOTE: Rookies are underlined



# CARDINALS ROSTER BY POSITION

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	EXP.	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN	HOW ACQ.
QUARTERBACKS (4)									
1	Murray, Kyler	QB	5-10	207	25	4	Oklahoma	Allen, TX	D1-19
12	McCoy, Colt	QB	6-1	212	35	13	Texas	Hobbs, NM	UFA-21 (NYG)
16	Guarantano, Jarrett	QB	6-3	219	24	R	Washington State	Lodi, NJ	FA-22
19	McSorley, Trace	QB	6-0	202	26	2	Penn State	Ashburn, VA	FA-21
RUNNING BACKS (7)									
6	Conner, James	RB	6-1	233	27	6	Pittsburgh	Erie, PA	UFA-21 (Pit)
21	Pledger, T.J.	RB	5-9	196	22	R	Utah	Pacoima, CA	FA-22
24	Williams, Darrel	RB	5-11	219	27	5	LSU	Marrero, La.	FA-22
26	Benjamin, Eno	RB	5-9	207	23	2	Arizona State	Wylie, TX	D7-20
29	Ward, Jonathan	RB	6-0	202	24	3	Central Michigan	Kankakee, IL	FA-20
30	Ingram, Keaontay	RB	6-0	221	22	R	USC	Carthage, TX	D6-22
37	Rivers, Ronnie	RB	5-8	195	23	R	Fresno State	Brentwood, CA	UDFA-22
WIDE RECEIVERS (12)									
2	Brown, Marquise	WR	5-9	180	25	4	Oklahoma	Hollywood, FL	TR-22 (Bal)
4	Moore, Rondale	WR	5-7	181	22	2	Purdue	New Albany, IN	D2-21
10	Hopkins, DeAndre	WR	6-1	212	30	10	Clemson	Central, SC	TR-20 (Hou)
13	Wesley, Antoine	WR	6-4	206	24	2	Texas Tech	Cibola, TX	FA-21
17	Isabella, Andy	WR	5-9	188	25	4	Massachusetts	Mayfield, OH	D2b-19
18	Green, A.J.	WR	6-4	210	34	12	Georgia	Summerville, SC	UFA-21 (Cin)
31	Kirklín, Jontre	WR	6-0	184	23	R	LSU	Lutcher, LA	UDFA-22
32	Payton, JaVonta	WR	6-0	175	23	R	Tennessee	Nashville, TN	UDFA-22
38	Bolden Jr., Victor	WR	5-8	178	27	3	Oregon State	Rancho Cucamonga, CA	FA-22
82	Baccellia, Andre	WR	5-10	175	25	1	Washington	Thousand Oaks, CA	FA-21
83	Dortch, Greg	WR	5-7	175	24	3	Wake Forest	Richmond, VA	FA-21
84	Ateman, Marcell	WR	6-4	215	27	3	Oklahoma State	Dallas, Texas	D7-18
TIGHT ENDS (7)									
49	Pierce Jr., Chris	TE	6-3	230	23	R	Vanderbilt	Smithfield, VA	UDFA-22
80	Seikovits, Bernhard	TE	6-5	262	25	1	No College	Vienna, Austria	FA-21
81	Yelder, Deon	TE	6-4	255	27	5	Western Kentucky	Louisville, KY	FA-22
85	McBride, Trey	TE	6-4	246	22	R	Colorado State	Fort Morgan, CO	D2-22
86	Ertz, Zach	TE	6-5	250	31	10	Stanford	Danville, CA	TR-21 (Phi)
87	Williams, Maxx	TE	6-4	252	28	8	Minnesota	Waconia, MN	UFA-19 (Bal)
89	Anderson, Stephen	TE	6-3	230	29	5	California	San Jose, CA	FA-22
OFFENSIVE LINE (16)									
54	Smith, Lecitus	OL	6-3	314	24	R	Virginia Tech	Fitzgerald, GA	D6-22
60	Martin, Koda	OL	6-6	304	26	1	Syracuse	Manvel, TX	FA-20
61	Hudson, Rodney	OL	6-2	315	33	12	Florida State	Mobile, AL	TR-21 (LV)
63	Isidora, Danny	OL	6-3	306	28	6	Miami	Miami, FL	FA-21
64	Harlow, Sean	OL	6-4	303	27	2	Oregon State	San Clemente, CA	FA-21
65	Long, Greg	OL	6-3	304	25	R	Purdue	El Paso, TX	FA-22
66	Miles, Josh	OL	6-5	325	26	3	Morgan State	Baltimore, MD	D7a-19
67	Pugh, Justin	OL	6-5	311	31	10	Syracuse	Holland, PA	UFA-18 (NYG)
68	Beachum, Kelvin	OL	6-3	308	33	11	SMU	Mexia, TX	FA-20
69	Ndubuisi, Haggai	OL	6-6	298	21	R	No College	Lagos, Nigeria	FA-22
71	Murray, Justin	OL	6-5	315	29	4	Cincinnati	Cincinnati, OH	WV-19 (Oak)
73	Coward, Rashaad	OL	6-5	319	27	5	Old Dominion	Brooklyn, N.Y.	FA-22
74	Humphries, D.J.	OL	6-5	307	28	7	Florida	Charlotte, NC	D1-15
76	Hernandez, Will	G	6-3	332	26	5	UTEP	Las Vegas, NV	FA-22
78	Hayes, Marquis	OL	6-5	318	23	R	Oklahoma	St. Louis, MO	D7-22
79	Jones, Josh	OL	6-7	310	25	3	Houston	Richmond, TX	D3-20
LINEBACKERS (16)									
9	Simmons, Isaiah	LB	6-4	238	24	3	Clemson	Olathe, KS	D1-20
25	Collins, Zaven	LB	6-4	260	23	2	Tulsa	Hominy, OK	D1-21
41	Sanders, Myjai	LB	6-5	248	24	R	Cincinnati	Jacksonville, FL	D3-22
42	Kennard, Devon	LB	6-3	256	31	9	USC	Phoenix, AZ	FA-20
43	Luketa, Jesse	LB	6-3	253	23	R	Penn State	Ottawa, Ontario	D7-22
44	Golden, Markus	LB	6-3	260	31	8	Missouri	St. Louis, MO	TR-20 (NYG)
45	Gardeck, Dennis	LB	6-0	232	27	5	Sioux Falls	Lake in the Hills, IL	FA-18
47	Turner, Ezekiel	LB	6-2	214	26	5	Washington	Pasadena, MD	FA-18
50	Wooten, Chandler	LB	6-3	232	23	R	Auburn	Acworth, GA	UDFA-22
51	Vallejo, Tanner	LB	6-1	230	27	6	Boise State	Penn Valley, CA	FA-19
52	Dimukeje, Victor	LB	6-2	262	22	2	Duke	Baltimore, MD	D6a-21
53	Lemonier, Jessie	LB	6-2	240	25	3	Liberty	Miami, FL	WV-22 (Det)
56	Niemann, Ben	LB	6-2	235	27	5	Iowa		FA-22
57	Vigil, Nick	LB	6-2	235	28	7	Utah State	Plain City, UT	FA-22
59	Walker, Joe	LB	6-2	236	29	6	Oregon	Palos Verdes, CA	FA-21
97	Thomas, Cameron	LB	6-4	267	22	R	San Diego State	Carlsbad, CA	D3-22
DEFENSIVE BACKS (15)									
3	Baker, Budda	S	5-10	195	26	6	Washington	Bellevue, WA	D2-17
7	Murphy Jr., Byron	CB	5-11	190	24	4	Washington	Scottsdale, AZ	D2a-19
20	Wilson, Marco	CB	6-0	191	23	2	Florida	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D4-21
21	Borders, Breon	CB	6-0	189	27	4	Duke	Statesville, NC	FA-21
22	Thompson, Deionte	S	6-1	195	25	4	Alabama	Orange, TX	D5-19
28	Washington, Charles	S	5-10	192	29	6	Fresno State	Inglewood, CA	WV-19 (Det)
31	Baker Jr., Darrell	CB	6-1	190	24	R	Georgia Southern	Hephziba, GA	UDFA-22
33	Hamilton, Antonio	CB	6-0	195	29	7	South Carolina State	Johnston, SC	FA-21
34	Thompson, Jalen	S	5-11	190	24	4	Washington State	Downey, CA	SD5-19
35	Matthew, Christian	CB	6-2	195	25	R	Valdosta State	Columbus, GA	D7-22
36	Jackson, Josh	CB	6-0	196	26	5	Iowa	Houston, TX	FA-22
37	Brooks, Nate	CB	6-0	192	25	2	North Texas	Whitehouse, TX	FA-21
38	Wiggins, James	S	5-11	209	25	2	Cincinnati	Miami, FL	D7a-21
39	Whittaker, Jace	CB	5-11	185	27	2	Arizona	Oceanside, CA	FA-20
48	Daley, Tae	S	6-1	201	23	R	Virginia Tech	Warner Robins, GA	FA-22
DEFENSIVE LINE (10)									
70	Ringo, Christian	DT	6-1	300	30	5	Louisiana	Jackson, Miss.	FA-22
75	Jones, Manny	DL	6-4	290	23	R	Colorado State	Cartersville, GA	UDFA-22
90	Lawrence, Rashard	DL	6-2	308	23	3	LSU	Monroe, LA	D4b-20
91	Dogbe, Michael	DL	6-3	280	26	4	Temple	Morris Plains, NJ	D7b-19
92	Woods, Antwaun	DT	6-1	307	29	7	USC	Los Angeles, CA	FA-22
93	Ledbetter, Jonathan	DL	6-4	282	24	1	Georgia	Tucker, GA	FA-21
94	Allen, Zach	DL	6-5	285	24	4	Boston College	New Canaan, CT	D3-19
95	Fotu, Leki	DL	6-5	335	23	3	Utah	West Valley City, UT	D4a-20
96	Keke, Kingsley	DL	6-3	288	25	4	Texas A&M	Richmond, Texas	FA-22
99	Watt, J.J.	DL	6-5	288	33	12	Wisconsin	Pewaukee, WI	FA-21
SPECIALISTS (4)									
5	Prater, Matt	K	5-10	201	37	16	Central Florida	Estero, FL	UFA-21 (Det)
14	Lee, Andy	P	6-1	185	39	19	Pittsburgh	Westminster, SC	FA-17
15	Cooney, Nolan	P	6-3	202	25	1	Syracuse	Summit, NJ	FA-22
46	Brewer, Aaron	LS	6-5	232	32	11	San Diego State	Fullerton, CA	FA-16



# CARDINALS HOW THEY WERE BUILT



YEAR	DRAFTEES (27)	FREE AGENTS (43)	TRADES (5)	WAIVERS (3)	SUP. DRAFT (1)
2015	OL D.J. Humphries (1)				
2016		LS Aaron Brewer (FA-16)			
2017	S Budda Baker (2)	P Andy Lee (FA-17)			
2018		LB Dennis Gardeck (FA-18) OL Justin Pugh (UFA-18 NYG) LB Ezekiel Turner (FA-18)			
2019	QB Kyler Murray (1) WR Andy Isabella (2) CB Byron Murphy Jr. (2) DL Zach Allen (3) S Deionte Thompson (5) DL Michael Dogbe (7) OL Josh Miles (7)	LB Tanner Vallejo (FA-19) TE Maxx Williams (UFA-19 Bal)		OL Justin Murray (WV-19 Oak) S Charles Washington (WV-19 Det)	S Jalen Thompson (SD5-19)
2020	LB Isaiah Simmons (1) OL Josh Jones (3) DL Leki Fotu (4) DL Rashard Lawrence (4) RB Eno Benjamin (7)	OL Kelvin Beachum (FA-20) LB Devon Kennard (FA-20) OL Koda Martin (FA-20) RB Jonathan Ward (FA-20) CB Jace Whittaker (FA-20)	LB Markus Golden (TR-20 NYG) WR DeAndre Hopkins (TR-20 Hou)		
2021	LB Zaven Collins (1) WR Rondale Moore (2) CB Marco Wilson (4) LB Victor Dimukeje (6a) S James Wiggins (7a)	WR Andre Baccellia (FA-21) CB Breon Borders (FA-21) CB Nate Brooks (FA-21) RB James Conner (UFA-21 Pit) WR Greg Dortch (FA-21) WR A.J. Green (UFA-21 Cin) CB Antonio Hamilton (FA-21) OL Sean Harlow (FA-21) OL Danny Isidora (FA-21) DL Jonathan Ledbetter (FA-21) QB Colt McCoy (UFA-21 NYG) QB Trace McSorley (FA-21) K Matt Prater (UFA-21 Det) TE Bernhard Seikovits (FA-21) LB Joe Walker (FA-21) DL J.J. Watt (FA-21) WR Antoine Wesley (FA-21)	TE Zach Ertz (TR-21 Phi) OL Rodney Hudson (TR-21 LV)		
2022	TE Trey McBride (2) LB Myjai Sanders (3) LB Cameron Thomas (3) RB Keaontay Ingram (6) OL Lecitus Smith (6) CB Christian Matthew (7a) LB Jesse Luketa (7b) OL Marquis Hayes (7c)	TE Stephen Anderson (FA-22) WR Marcell Ateman (D7-'18) WR Victor Bolden Jr. (FA-22) P Nolan Cooney (FA-22) OL Rashaad Coward (FA-22) G Will Hernandez (FA-22) CB Josh Jackson (FA-22) DL Kingsley Keke (FA-22) OL Haggai Ndubuisi (FA-22) DT Christian Ringo (FA-22) LB Nick Vigil (FA-22) RB Darrel Williams (FA-22) DT Antwaun Woods (FA-22) TE Deon Yelder (FA-22)	WR Marquise Brown (TR-22 Bal)	LB Jessie Lemonier (WV-22 Det)	

WON 11, LOST 6				
09/12	W	38-13	at Tennessee	67,216
09/19	W	34-33	Minnesota	61,264
09/26	W	31-19	at Jacksonville	58,012
10/03	W	37-20	at L.A. Rams	70,003
10/10	W	17-10	San Francisco	62,716
10/17	W	37-14	at Cleveland	67,431
10/24	W	31-5	Houston	60,297
10/28	L	21-24	Green Bay	63,696
11/07	W	31-17	at San Francisco	59,012
11/14	L	10-34	Carolina	62,400
11/21	W	23-13	at Seattle	68,833
12/05	W	33-22	at Chicago	60,803
12/13	L	23-30	L.A. Rams	63,999
12/19	L	12-30	at Detroit	45,211
12/25	L	16-22	Indianapolis	63,900
01/02	W	25-22	at Dallas	93,459
01/09	L	30-38	Seattle	63,858

2021 TEAM STATISTICS				
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FIRST DOWNS				
Rushing		367	336	
Passing		127	109	
Penalty		214	192	
Third Down-Made/Att		26	35	
Third Down Efficiency	100/221	79/207		
Fourth Down-Made/Att	45.2%	38.2%		
Fourth Down Efficiency	17/29	14/30		
TOTAL NET YARDS	58.6%	46.7%		
Avg. Per Game	6,352	5,597		
Total Plays	373.6	329.2		
Avg. Per Play	1,126	1,028		
NET YARDS RUSHING	5.6	5.4		
Avg. Per Game	2,076	1,952		
Total Rushes	122.1	114.8		
Avg. Per Rush	496	426		
NET YARDS PASSING	4.2	4.6		
Avg. Per Game	4,276	3,645		
Sacked/Yards Lost	251.5	214.4		
Gross Yards	39/343	41/227		
Attempts/Completions	4,619	3,872		
Pct. of Completion	591/415	561/367		
Had Intercepted	70.2%	65.4%		
PUNTS/AVERAGE	11	13		
Net Punting Average	52/48.8	58/46.8		
PUNT RETURN/AVG.	41.8	42.0		
KICKOFF RETURN/AVG.	26/9.2	30/8.8		
INTERCEPTION RETURN/AVG.	29/21.1	20/21.1		
PENALTIES/YARDS	13/19.0	11/20.7		
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	114/990	100/896		
TOUCHDOWNS	30/4	28/14		
Rushing	52	42		
Passing	23	10		
Returns	27	30		
EXTRA POINTS/ATTEMPTS	2	2		
TWO POINT CONVERSION/ATT.	47/49	35/39		
FIELD GOALS/ATTEMPTS	0/3	3/3		
AVG. TIME OF POSSESSION	30/37	23/28		
	31:16	28:44		

SCORE BY PERIODS				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
TEAM	106	123	128	92
OPPONENTS	60	133	87	86
SCORING				
	TD	RU	PA	RT
M. Prater	0	0	0	0
J. Conner	18	15	3	0
D. Hopkins	8	0	8	0
C. Kirk	5	0	5	0
K. Murray	5	5	0	0
Z. Ertz	3	0	3	0
A. Green	3	0	3	0
A. Wesley	3	0	3	0
C. Edmonds	2	2	0	0
Z. Allen	1	0	0	1
E. Benjamin	1	1	0	0
R. Moore	1	0	1	0
B. Murphy Jr.	1	0	0	1
M. Williams	1	0	1	0
TEAM	52	23	27	2
OPPONENTS	42	10	30	2

	K-PAT	FG	2PT	S	PTS
M. Prater	47/49	30/37	0	0	137
J. Conner	0/0	0/0	0	0	108
D. Hopkins	0/0	0/0	0	0	48
C. Kirk	0/0	0/0	0	0	30
K. Murray	0/0	0/0	0	0	30
Z. Ertz	0/0	0/0	0	0	18
A. Green	0/0	0/0	0	0	18
A. Wesley	0/0	0/0	0	0	18
C. Edmonds	0/0	0/0	0	0	12
Z. Allen	0/0	0/0	0	0	6
E. Benjamin	0/0	0/0	0	0	6
R. Moore	0/0	0/0	0	0	6
B. Murphy Jr.	0/0	0/0	0	0	6
M. Williams	0/0	0/0	0	0	6
TEAM	47/49	30/37	0	0	449
OPPONENTS	35/39	23/28	3	1	366

SACKS: M. Golden 11.0, C. Jones 10.5, Z. Allen 4.0, J. Hicks 4.0, J. Phillips 3.0, B. Baker 2.0, I. Simmons 1.5, J. Mauro 1.0, J. Watt 1.0, M. Dogbe 1.0, B. Murphy Jr. 0.5, T. Vallejo 0.5, TM 40.0, OPP 39.0 FUM/LOST: K. Murray 13/0, C. McCoy 4/1, R. Moore 3/1, A. Lee 3/1, R. Hudson 2/0, J. Conner 2/0, C. Edmonds 1/1, C. Streveler 1/0, M. Garcia 1/0, TM 30/4, OPP 28/14

PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	CMP%	YDS/ATT	TD	TD%	INT	INT%	LONG	SACK	LOST	RATING
K. Murray	481	333	3,787	69.2	7.9	24	5.0	10	2.1	77t	31	286	100.6
C. McCoy	99	74	740	74.7	7.5	3	3.0	1	1.0	50	6	40	101.4
C. Streveler	9	6	36	66.7	4.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	17	2	17	74.3
C. Kirk	1	1	33	100.0	33.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	33	0	0	118.8
C. Banjo	1	1	23	100.0	23.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	23	0	0	118.8
A. Lee	1	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	00	0	0	39.6
TEAM	592	415	4,619	70.1	7.8	27	4.6	11	1.9	77t	39.0	343	100.5
OPPONENTS	561	367	3,872	65.4	6.9	20	5.3	13	2.3	64t	41.0	227	93.5

RUSHING	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	TD
J. Conner	202	752	3.7	35	15
C. Edmonds	116	592	5.1	54	2
K. Murray	88	423	4.8	57	5
E. Benjamin	34	118	3.5	21t	1
R. Moore	18	76	4.2	26	0
C. McCoy	22	37	1.7	11	0
J. Ward	9	33	3.7	7	0
G. Dortch	1	24	24.0	24	0
C. Kirk	1	11	11.0	11	0
C. Streveler	3	6	2.0	4	0
Z. Ertz	1	4	4.0	4	0
A. Lee	1	0	0.0	0	0
TEAM	496	2,076	4.2	57	23
OPPONENTS	426	1,952	4.6	62t	10

RECEIVING	TAR	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	TD
C. Kirk	103	77	982	12.8	50	5
A. Green	92	54	848	15.7	42	3
Z. Ertz	81	56	574	10.3	47t	3
D. Hopkins	64	42	572	13.6	55	8
R. Moore	64	54	435	8.1	77t	1
C. Edmonds	53	43	311	7.2	36	0
J. Conner	39	37	375	10.1	45t	3
A. Wesley	32	19	208	10.9	33	3
M. Williams	17	16	193	12.1	34	1
E. Benjamin	7	6	42	7.0	12	0
D. Harris	6	3	10	3.3	7	0
J. Ward	4	3	34	11.3	23	0
D. Daniels	4	1	0	0.0	0	0
G. Dortch	3	3	15	5.0	10	0
A. Isabella	1	1	13	13.0	13	0
TEAM	570	415	4,612	11.1	77t	27
OPPONENTS	550	367	3,872	10.6	64t	30

INTERCEPTIONS	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	TD
B. Murphy Jr.	4	49	12.3	29t	1
B. Baker	3	101	33.7	77	0
J. Thompson	3	49	16.3	33	0
Z. Allen	1	25	25.0	25	0
R. Alford	1	23	23.0	23	0
I. Simmons	1	0	0.0	0	0
TEAM	13	247	19.0	77	1
OPPONENTS	12	260	21.7	50	1
FUMBLES	FUM	LST	FF	REC	TD
A. Lee	3	1	0	2	0
R. Moore	3	1	0	0	0
C. McCoy	4	1	0	3	0
C. Edmonds	1	1	0	1	0
C. Streveler	1	0	0	0	0
A. Hamilton	0	0	0	1	0
R. Hudson	2	0	0	0	0
C. Kirk	0	0	0	1	0
E. Benjamin	0	0	0	1	0
M. Garcia	1	0	0	0	0
J. Conner	2	0	0	1	0
K. Murray	13	0	0	13	0
TEAM	30	4	0	23	0
OPPONENTS	28	14	0	7	0

PUNTING	NO.	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN	LG	B
A. Lee	51	2,501	49.0	41.9	5	12	62	0
R. Winslow	1	39	39.0	39.0	0	0	39	0
TEAM	52	2,540	48.8	41.8	5	12	62	0
OPPONENTS	58	2,714	46.8	42.0	2	25	69	0

PUNT RETURNS	RET	FC	YDS	AVG	LONG	TD
R. Moore	21	10	171	8.1	27	0
B. Murphy Jr.	1	0	48	48.0	48	0
G. Dortch	3	0	24	8.0	17	0
C. Kirk	1	6	-5	-5.0	0	0
TEAM	26	16	238	9.2	48	0
OPPONENTS	30	8	265	8.8	27	0
KICKOFF RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	TD	
R. Moore	13	291	22.4	32	0	
E. Benjamin	7	162	23.1	29	0	
G. Dortch	4	79	19.8	31	0	
A. Isabella	1	31	31.0	31	0	
D. Harris	2	26	13.0	14	0	
J. Ward	1	16	16.0	16	0	
D. Daniels	1	6	6.0	6	0	
TEAM	29	611	21.1	32	0	
OPPONENTS	20	421	21.1	35	0	

FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+
M. Prater	0/0	11/11	9/11	3/5	7/10
TEAM	0/0	11/11	9/11	3/5	7/10
OPPONENTS	0/0	6/6	5/6	8/11	4/5

2-Pt Conv: TM 0-3, OPP 3-3



# CARDINALS 2021 DEFENSIVE STATS



POS.	PLAYER	TKL.	AST.	COMB	TFL	SACKS/SK. YDS.	QH	FR	FF	INT./YDS.	PD
S	Thompson, Jalen	78	42	120	3	0.0/0.0	2	0	0	3/49	7
LB	Hicks, Jordan	75	41	116	7	4.0/38.0	5	2	1	0/0	5
LB	Simmons, Isaiah	68	34	102	4	1.5/6.0	4	0	4	1/0	7
S	Baker, Budda	63	35	98	6	2.0/5.0	3	1	0	3/101	7
CB	Murphy Jr., Byron	49	15	64	0	0.5/0.5	1	1	1	4/49	12
CB	Wilson, Marco	40	8	48	1	0.0/0.0	0	0	2	0/0	4
LB	Golden, Markus	33	15	48	10	11.0/50.0	19	2	4	0/0	1
DL	Allen, Zach	30	18	48	5	4.0/16.0	14	3	0	1/25	4
LB	Jones, Chandler	31	10	41	12	10.5/79.5	26	1	6	0/0	4
CB	Alford, Robert	30	7	37	1	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	1/23	4
CB	Hamilton, Antonio	25	4	29	1	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	4
DL	Dogbe, Michael	14	13	27	1	1.0/10.0	2	1	0	0/0	0
LB	Collins, Zaven	13	12	25	1	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	3
LB	Kennard, Devon	15	9	24	7	0.0/0.0	2	1	0	0/0	2
DL	Peters, Corey	10	14	24	3	0.0/0.0	0	1	0	0/0	1
DL	Phillips, Jordan	14	8	22	3	3.0/20.0	4	0	0	0/0	2
DL	Fotu, Leki	8	11	19	2	0.0/0.0	0	0	1	0/0	3
DL	Watt, J.J.	10	6	16	5	1.0/1.0	10	0	1	0/0	2
LB	Gardeck, Dennis	11	3	14	1	0.0/0.0	4	1	0	0/0	0
LB	Vallejo, Tanner	7	4	11	1	0.5/0.0	1	0	0	0/0	1
DL	Lawrence, Rashard	6	5	11	0	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
CB	Peterson, Kevin	6	2	8	0	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
LB	Walker, Joe	3	4	7	1	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
S	Thompson, Deionte	3	2	5	0	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
CB	Borders, Breon	3	0	3	0	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
CB	Whittaker, Jace	2	1	3	0	0.0/0.0	1	0	0	0/0	0
DL	Kerr, Zach	1	2	3	0	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
DL	Mauro, Josh	1	2	3	1	1.0/1.0	1	0	0	0/0	0
LB	Turner, Ezekiel	2	0	2	0	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
LB	Fitts, Kylie	1	0	1	0	0.0/0.0	1	0	0	0/0	0
S	Banjo, Chris	0	1	1	0	0.0/0.0	0	0	0	0/0	0
LB	Dimukeje, Victor	0	1	1	0	0.0/0.0	1	0	0	0/0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>652</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>981</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>40.0/227.0</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>13/247</b>	<b>73</b>

POS.	PLAYER	TKL.	AST.	COMB.
LB	Gardeck, Dennis	7	6	13
CB	Hamilton, Antonio	6	3	9
TE	Harris, Demetrius	5	4	9
S	Banjo, Chris	5	1	6
RB	Ward, Jonathan	4	2	6
TE	Daniels, Darrell	3	3	6
LB	Walker, Joe	5	0	5
LB	Simmons, Isaiah	3	1	4
S	Washington, Charles	3	1	4
LB	Dimukeje, Victor	3	0	3
S	Thompson, Deionte	2	1	3
LS	Brewer, Aaron	2	0	2
WR	Isabella, Andy	1	1	2
S	Thompson, Jalen	1	1	2
LB	Turner, Ezekiel	1	1	2
LB	Whitehead, Tahir	0	2	2
LB	Collins, Zaven	1	0	1
WR	Dortch, Greg	1	0	1
RB	Benjamin, Eno	0	1	1
LB	Fitts, Kylie	0	1	1
LB	Vallejo, Tanner	0	1	1
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>53</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>83</b>

## DEFENSIVE SCORES

- INT (1)** (:35) T.Lawrence pass short right intended for J.Hollister INTERCEPTED by B.Murphy at JAX 29. B.Murphy for 29 yards. Play was a handoff to JAX 24-C.Hyde who then tossed back to JAX 16-T.Lawrence for the pass which was intercepted. @ JAX (09/26/21)
- FR (1)** (14:55) (Shotgun) R.Wilson sacked at SEA 16 for -9 yards (C.Jones). FUMBLES (C.Jones) [C.Jones], RECOVERED by ARZ-Z.Allen at SEA 16. Z.Allen for 16 yards. vs. SEA (01/09/22)

**Safety (0)**

## SPECIAL TEAMS BIG PLAYS

**FR (0)**



# CARDINALS NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	DOB	EXP	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ
1	Kyler Murray	QB	5-10	207	8/7/1997	4	Oklahoma	D1-19
2	Marquise Brown	WR	5-9	180	6/4/1997	4	Oklahoma	TR-22 (Bal)
3	Budda Baker	S	5-10	195	1/10/1996	6	Washington	D2-17
4	Rondale Moore	WR	5-7	181	6/9/2000	2	Purdue	D2-21
5	Matt Prater	K	5-10	201	8/10/1984	16	Central Florida	UFA-21 (Det)
6	James Conner	RB	6-1	233	5/5/1995	6	Pittsburgh	UFA-21 (Pit)
7	Byron Murphy Jr.	CB	5-11	190	1/18/1998	4	Washington	D2a-19
9	Isaiah Simmons	LB	6-4	238	7/26/1998	3	Clemson	D1-20
10	DeAndre Hopkins	WR	6-1	212	6/6/1992	10	Clemson	TR-20 (Hou)
12	Colt McCoy	QB	6-1	212	9/5/1986	13	Texas	UFA-21 (NYG)
13	Antoine Wesley	WR	6-4	206	10/22/1997	2	Texas Tech	FA-21
14	Andy Lee	P	6-1	185	8/11/1982	19	Pittsburgh	FA-17
15	Nolan Cooney	P	6-3	202	9/18/1996	1	Syracuse	FA-22
16	Jarrett Guarantano	QB	6-3	219	11/14/1997	R	Washington State	FA-22
17	Andy Isabella	WR	5-9	188	11/18/1996	4	Massachusetts	D2b-19
18	A.J. Green	WR	6-4	210	7/31/1988	12	Georgia	UFA-21 (Cin)
19	Trace McSorley	QB	6-0	202	8/23/1995	2	Penn State	FA-21
20	Marco Wilson	CB	6-0	191	3/3/1999	2	Florida	D4-21
21	Breon Borders	CB	6-0	189	7/22/1995	4	Duke	FA-21
21	T.J. Pledger	RB	5-9	196	2/24/2000	R	Utah	FA-22
22	Deionte Thompson	S	6-1	195	2/11/1997	4	Alabama	D5-19
24	Darrel Williams	RB	5-11	219	4/15/1995	5	LSU	FA-22
25	Zaven Collins	LB	6-4	260	5/19/1999	2	Tulsa	D1-21
26	Eno Benjamin	RB	5-9	207	4/13/1999	2	Arizona State	D7-20
28	Charles Washington	S	5-10	192	3/10/1993	6	Fresno State	WV-19 (Det)
29	Jonathan Ward	RB	6-0	202	9/30/1997	3	Central Michigan	FA-20
30	Keaontay Ingram	RB	6-0	221	10/26/1999	R	USC	D6-22
31	Darrell Baker Jr.	CB	6-1	190	3/27/1998	R	Georgia Southern	UDFA-22
31	Jontre Kirklín	WR	6-0	184	10/9/1998	R	LSU	UDFA-22
32	JaVonta Payton	WR	6-0	175	10/7/1998	R	Tennessee	UDFA-22
33	Antonio Hamilton	CB	6-0	195	1/24/1993	7	South Carolina State	FA-21
34	Jalen Thompson	S	5-11	190	7/18/1998	4	Washington State	SD5-19
35	Christian Matthew	CB	6-2	195	10/26/1996	R	Valdosta State	D7-22
36	Josh Jackson	CB	6-0	196	4/3/1996	5	Iowa	FA-22
37	Nate Brooks	CB	6-0	192	9/5/1996	2	North Texas	FA-21
37	Ronnie Rivers	RB	5-8	195	1/31/1999	R	Fresno State	UDFA-22
38	James Wiggins	S	5-11	209	4/26/1997	2	Cincinnati	D7a-21
38	Victor Bolden Jr.	WR	5-8	178	4/4/1995	3	Oregon State	FA-22
39	Jace Whittaker	CB	5-11	185	7/16/1995	2	Arizona	FA-20
41	Myjai Sanders	LB	6-5	248	7/12/1998	R	Cincinnati	D3-22
42	Devon Kennard	LB	6-3	256	6/24/1991	9	USC	FA-20
43	Jesse Luketa	LB	6-3	253	1/15/1999	R	Penn State	D7-22
44	Markus Golden	LB	6-3	260	3/13/1991	8	Missouri	TR-20 (NYG)
45	Dennis Gardeck	LB	6-0	232	8/9/1994	5	Sioux Falls	FA-18
46	Aaron Brewer	LS	6-5	232	7/5/1990	11	San Diego State	FA-16
47	Ezekiel Turner	LB	6-2	214	6/9/1996	5	Washington	FA-18
48	Tae Daley	S	6-1	201	10/8/1998	R	Virginia Tech	FA-22
49	Chris Pierce Jr.	TE	6-3	230	11/2/1998	R	Vanderbilt	UDFA-22
50	Chandler Wooten	LB	6-3	232	4/25/1999	R	Auburn	UDFA-22
51	Tanner Vallejo	LB	6-1	230	12/16/1994	6	Boise State	FA-19
52	Victor Dimukeje	LB	6-2	262	11/18/1999	2	Duke	D6a-21
53	Jessie Lemonier	LB	6-2	240	1/31/1997	3	Liberty	WV-22 (Det)
54	Lecitus Smith	OL	6-3	314	7/13/1998	R	Virginia Tech	D6-22
56	Ben Niemann	LB	6-2	235	7/27/1995	5	Iowa	FA-22
57	Nick Vigil	LB	6-2	235	8/20/1993	7	Utah State	FA-22
59	Joe Walker	LB	6-2	236	12/11/1992	6	Oregon	FA-21
60	Koda Martin	OL	6-6	304	8/21/1995	1	Syracuse	FA-20
61	Rodney Hudson	OL	6-2	315	7/12/1989	12	Florida State	TR-21 (LV)
63	Danny Isidora	OL	6-3	306	6/5/1994	6	Miami	FA-21
64	Sean Harlow	OL	6-4	303	3/28/1995	2	Oregon State	FA-21
65	Greg Long	OL	6-3	304	6/21/1997	R	Purdue	FA-22
66	Josh Miles	OL	6-5	325	1/4/1996	3	Morgan State	D7a-19
67	Justin Pugh	OL	6-5	311	8/15/1990	10	Syracuse	UFA-18 (NYG)
68	Kelvin Beachum	OL	6-3	308	6/8/1989	11	SMU	FA-20
69	Haggai Ndubuisi	OL	6-6	298	10/15/2000	R	No College	FA-22
70	Christian Ringo	DT	6-1	300	3/10/1992	5	Louisiana	FA-22
71	Justin Murray	OL	6-5	315	4/19/1993	4	Cincinnati	WV-19 (Oak)
73	Rashaad Coward	OL	6-5	319	11/6/1994	5	Old Dominion	FA-22
74	D.J. Humphries	OL	6-5	307	12/28/1993	7	Florida	D1-15
75	Manny Jones	DL	6-4	290	6/6/1999	R	Colorado State	UDFA-22
76	Will Hernandez	G	6-3	332	9/2/1995	5	UTEP	FA-22
78	Marquis Hayes	OL	6-5	318	2/14/1999	R	Oklahoma	D7-22
79	Josh Jones	OL	6-7	310	6/21/1997	3	Houston	D3-20
80	Bernhard Seikovits	TE	6-5	262	7/24/1997	1	No College	FA-21
81	Deon Yelder	TE	6-4	255	3/6/1995	5	Western Kentucky	FA-22
82	Andre Baccellia	WR	5-10	175	1/7/1997	1	Washington	FA-21
83	Greg Dortch	WR	5-7	175	5/29/1998	3	Wake Forest	FA-21
84	Marcell Ateman	WR	6-4	215	9/16/1994	3	Oklahoma State	D7-'18
85	Trey McBride	TE	6-4	246	11/22/1999	R	Colorado State	D2-22
86	Zach Ertz	TE	6-5	250	11/10/1990	10	Stanford	TR-21 (Phi)
87	Maxx Williams	TE	6-4	252	4/12/1994	8	Minnesota	UFA-19 (Bal)
89	Stephen Anderson	TE	6-3	230	1/30/1993	5	California	FA-22
90	Rashard Lawrence	DL	6-2	308	8/27/1998	3	LSU	D4b-20
91	Michael Dogbe	DL	6-3	280	5/5/1996	4	Temple	D7b-19
92	Antwaun Woods	DT	6-1	307	1/3/1993	7	USC	FA-22
93	Jonathan Ledbetter	DL	6-4	282	9/12/1997	1	Georgia	FA-21
94	Zach Allen	DL	6-5	285	8/20/1997	4	Boston College	D3-19
95	Leki Fotu	DL	6-5	335	8/23/1998	3	Utah	D4a-20
96	Kingsley Keke	DL	6-3	288	9/26/1996	4	Texas A&M	FA-22
97	Cameron Thomas	LB	6-4	267	7/1/2000	R	San Diego State	D3-22
99	J.J. Watt	DL	6-5	288	3/22/1989	12	Wisconsin	FA-21

## COACHING STAFF

**HEAD COACH:** Kliff Kingsbury

### ASSISTANTS:

Assistants: Jeff Rodgers (Asst. Head Coach/Special Teams Coordinator), Shawn Jefferson (Associate Head Coach/Wide Receivers), Vance Joseph (Defensive Coordinator), Sean Kugler (Run Game Coordinator/Offensive Line), Cam Turner (Co-Pass Game Coordinator/Quarterbacks), Spencer Whipple (Co-Pass Game Coordinator), Kenny Bell (Chief of Staff/Offensive Asst.), Mike Bercovici (Offensive Asst.), Ronald Booker (Defensive Asst.), Charlie Bullen (Outside Linebackers), Matt Burke (Defensive Line), Bill Davis (Linebackers), Devin Fitzsimmons (Asst. Special Teams), Rob Grosso (Defensive Quality Control), Steve Heiden (Tight Ends), Rusty McKinney (Defensive Asst.), Buddy Morris (Strength & Conditioning), Brian Natkin (Asst. Offensive Line), Mark Naylor (Asst. Strength and Conditioning), Marcus Robertson (Defensive Backs), James Saxon (Running Backs), Connor Senger (Bill Bidwill Fellowship/QBs), Don Shumpert (Offensive Asst.), Greg Williams (Cornerbacks)



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NO.	NAME	POS	HT	WT	DOB	EXP	COLLEGE	HOMETOWN	HOW ACQ
94	Allen, Zach	DL	6-5	285	8/20/1997	4	Boston College	New Canaan, CT	D3-19
89	Anderson, Stephen	TE	6-3	230	1/30/1993	5	California	San Jose, CA	FA-22
84	Ateman, Marcell	WR	6-4	215	9/16/1994	3	Oklahoma State	Dallas, Texas	D7-'18
82	Baccellia, Andre	WR	5-10	175	1/7/1997	1	Washington	Thousand Oaks, CA	FA-21
3	Baker, Budda	S	5-10	195	1/10/1996	6	Washington	Bellevue, WA	D2-17
31	Baker Jr., Darrell	CB	6-1	190	3/27/1998	R	Georgia Southern	Hephziba, GA	UDFA-22
68	Beachum, Kelvin	OL	6-3	308	6/8/1989	11	SMU	Mexia, TX	FA-20
26	Benjamin, Eno	RB	5-9	207	4/13/1999	2	Arizona State	Wylie, TX	D7-20
38	Bolden Jr., Victor	WR	5-8	178	4/4/1995	3	Oregon State	Rancho Cucamonga, CA	FA-22
21	Borders, Breon	CB	6-0	189	7/22/1995	4	Duke	Statesville, NC	FA-21
46	Brewer, Aaron	LS	6-5	232	7/5/1990	11	San Diego State	Fullerton, CA	FA-16
37	Brooks, Nate	CB	6-0	192	9/5/1996	2	North Texas	Whitehouse, TX	FA-21
2	Brown, Marquise	WR	5-9	180	6/4/1997	4	Oklahoma	Hollywood, FL	TR-22 (Bal)
25	Collins, Zaven	LB	6-4	260	5/19/1999	2	Tulsa	Hominy, OK	D1-21
6	Conner, James	RB	6-1	233	5/5/1995	6	Pittsburgh	Erie, PA	UFA-21 (Pit)
15	Cooney, Nolan	P	6-3	202	9/18/1996	1	Syracuse	Summit, NJ	FA-22
73	Coward, Rashaad	OL	6-5	319	11/6/1994	5	Old Dominion	Brooklyn, N.Y.	FA-22
48	Daley, Tae	S	6-1	201	10/8/1998	R	Virginia Tech	Warner Robins, GA	FA-22
52	Dimukeje, Victor	LB	6-2	262	11/18/1999	2	Duke	Baltimore, MD	D6a-21
91	Dogbe, Michael	DL	6-3	280	5/5/1996	4	Temple	Morris Plains, NJ	D7b-19
83	Dortch, Greg	WR	5-7	175	5/29/1998	3	Wake Forest	Richmond, VA	FA-21
86	Ertz, Zach	TE	6-5	250	11/10/1990	10	Stanford	Danville, CA	TR-21 (Phi)
95	Fotu, Leki	DL	6-5	335	8/23/1998	3	Utah	West Valley City, UT	D4a-20
45	Gardeck, Dennis	LB	6-0	232	8/9/1994	5	Sioux Falls	Lake in the Hills, IL	FA-18
44	Golden, Markus	LB	6-3	260	3/13/1991	8	Missouri	St. Louis, MO	TR-20 (NYG)
18	Green, A.J.	WR	6-4	210	7/31/1988	12	Georgia	Summerville, SC	UFA-21 (Cin)
16	Guarantano, Jarrett	QB	6-3	219	11/14/1997	R	Washington State	Lodi, NJ	FA-22
33	Hamilton, Antonio	CB	6-0	195	1/24/1993	7	South Carolina State	Johnston, SC	FA-21
64	Harlow, Sean	OL	6-4	303	3/28/1995	2	Oregon State	San Clemente, CA	FA-21
78	Hayes, Marquis	OL	6-5	318	2/14/1999	R	Oklahoma	St. Louis, MO	D7-22
76	Hernandez, Will	G	6-3	332	9/2/1995	5	UTEP	Las Vegas, NV	FA-22
10	Hopkins, DeAndre	WR	6-1	212	6/6/1992	10	Clemson	Central, SC	TR-20 (Hou)
61	Hudson, Rodney	OL	6-2	315	7/12/1998	12	Florida State	Mobile, AL	TR-21 (LV)
74	Humphries, D.J.	OL	6-5	307	12/28/1993	7	Florida	Charlotte, NC	D1-15
30	Ingram, Keaontay	RB	6-0	221	10/26/1999	R	USC	Carthage, TX	D6-22
17	Isabella, Andy	WR	5-9	188	11/18/1996	4	Massachusetts	Mayfield, OH	D2b-19
63	Isidora, Danny	OL	6-3	306	6/5/1994	6	Miami	Miami, FL	FA-21
36	Jackson, Josh	CB	6-0	196	4/3/1996	5	Iowa	Houston, TX	FA-22
79	Jones, Josh	OL	6-7	310	6/21/1997	3	Houston	Richmond, TX	D3-20
75	Jones, Manny	DL	6-4	290	6/6/1999	R	Colorado State	Cartersville, GA	UDFA-22
96	Keke, Kingsley	DL	6-3	288	9/26/1996	4	Texas A&M	Richmond, Texas	FA-22
42	Kennard, Devon	LB	6-3	256	6/24/1991	9	USC	Phoenix, AZ	FA-20
31	Kirklin, Jontre	WR	6-0	184	10/9/1998	R	LSU	Lutcher, LA	UDFA-22
90	Lawrence, Rashard	DL	6-2	308	8/27/1998	3	LSU	Monroe, LA	D4b-20
93	Ledbetter, Jonathan	DL	6-4	282	9/12/1997	1	Georgia	Tucker, GA	FA-21
14	Lee, Andy	P	6-1	185	8/11/1982	19	Pittsburgh	Westminster, SC	FA-17
53	Lemonier, Jessie	LB	6-2	240	1/31/1997	3	Liberty	Miami, FL	WV-22 (Det)
65	Long, Greg	OL	6-3	304	6/21/1997	R	Purdue	El Paso, TX	FA-22
43	Luketa, Jesse	LB	6-3	253	1/15/1999	R	Penn State	Ottawa, Ontario	D7-22
60	Martin, Koda	OL	6-6	304	8/21/1995	1	Syracuse	Manvel, TX	FA-20
35	Matthew, Christian	CB	6-2	195	10/26/1996	R	Valdosta State	Columbus, GA	D7-22
85	McBride, Trey	TE	6-4	246	11/22/1999	R	Colorado State	Fort Morgan, CO	D2-22
12	McCoy, Colt	QB	6-1	212	9/5/1986	13	Texas	Hobbs, NM	UFA-21 (NYG)
19	McSorley, Trace	QB	6-0	202	8/23/1995	2	Penn State	Ashburn, VA	FA-21
66	Miles, Josh	OL	6-5	325	1/4/1996	3	Morgan State	Baltimore, MD	D7a-19
4	Moore, Rondale	WR	5-7	181	6/9/2000	2	Purdue	New Albany, IN	D2-21
7	Murphy Jr., Byron	CB	5-11	190	1/18/1998	4	Washington	Scottsdale, AZ	D2a-19
71	Murray, Justin	OL	6-5	315	4/19/1993	4	Cincinnati	Cincinnati, OH	WV-19 (Oak)
1	Murray, Kyler	QB	5-10	207	8/7/1997	4	Oklahoma	Allen, TX	D1-19
69	Ndubuisi, Haggai	OL	6-6	298	10/15/2000	R	No College	Lagos, Nigeria	FA-22
56	Niemann, Ben	LB	6-2	235	7/27/1995	5	Iowa		FA-22
32	Payton, JaVonta	WR	6-0	175	10/7/1998	R	Tennessee	Nashville, TN	UDFA-22
49	Pierce Jr., Chris	TE	6-3	230	11/2/1998	R	Vanderbilt	Smithfield, VA	UDFA-22
21	Pledger, T.J.	RB	5-9	196	2/24/2000	R	Utah	Pacoima, CA	FA-22
5	Prater, Matt	K	5-10	201	8/10/1984	16	Central Florida	Estero, FL	UFA-21 (Det)
67	Pugh, Justin	OL	6-5	311	8/15/1990	10	Syracuse	Holland, PA	UFA-18 (NYG)
70	Ringo, Christian	DT	6-1	300	3/10/1992	5	Louisiana	Jackson, Miss.	FA-22
37	Rivers, Ronnie	RB	5-8	195	1/31/1999	R	Fresno State	Brentwood, CA	UDFA-22
41	Sanders, Myjai	LB	6-5	248	7/12/1998	R	Cincinnati	Jacksonville, FL	D3-22
80	Seikovits, Bernhard	TE	6-5	262	7/24/1997	1	No College	Vienna, Austria	FA-21
9	Simmons, Isaiah	LB	6-4	238	7/26/1998	3	Clemson	Olathe, KS	D1-20
54	Smith, Lecitus	OL	6-3	314	7/13/1998	R	Virginia Tech	Fitzgerald, GA	D6-22
97	Thomas, Cameron	LB	6-4	267	7/1/2000	R	San Diego State	Carlsbad, CA	D3-22
22	Thompson, Deionte	S	6-1	195	2/11/1997	4	Alabama	Orange, TX	D5-19
34	Thompson, Jalen	S	5-11	190	7/18/1998	4	Washington State	Downey, CA	SD5-19
47	Turner, Ezekiel	LB	6-2	214	6/9/1996	5	Washington	Pasadena, MD	FA-18
51	Vallejo, Tanner	LB	6-1	230	12/16/1994	6	Boise State	Penn Valley, CA	FA-19
57	Vigil, Nick	LB	6-2	235	8/20/1993	7	Utah State	Plain City, UT	FA-22
59	Walker, Joe	LB	6-2	236	12/11/1992	6	Oregon	Palos Verdes, CA	FA-21
29	Ward, Jonathan	RB	6-0	202	9/30/1997	3	Central Michigan	Kankakee, IL	FA-20
28	Washington, Charles	S	5-10	192	3/10/1993	6	Fresno State	Inglewood, CA	WV-19 (Det)
99	Watt, J.J.	DL	6-5	288	3/22/1989	12	Wisconsin	Pewaukee, WI	FA-21
13	Wesley, Antoine	WR	6-4	206	10/22/1997	2	Texas Tech	Cibola, TX	FA-21
39	Whittaker, Jace	CB	5-11	185	7/16/1995	2	Arizona	Oceanside, CA	FA-20
38	Wiggins, James	S	5-11	209	4/26/1997	2	Cincinnati	Miami, FL	D7a-21
24	Williams, Darrel	RB	5-11	219	4/15/1995	5	LSU	Marrero, La.	FA-22
87	Williams, Maxx	TE	6-4	252	4/12/1994	8	Minnesota	Waconia, MN	UFA-19 (Bal)
20	Wilson, Marco	CB	6-0	191	3/3/1999	2	Florida	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D4-21
92	Woods, Antwaun	DT	6-1	307	1/3/1993	7	USC	Los Angeles, CA	FA-22
50	Wooten, Chandler	LB	6-3	232	4/25/1999	R	Auburn	Acworth, GA	UDFA-22
81	Yelder, Deon	TE	6-4	255	3/6/1995	5	Western Kentucky	Louisville, KY	FA-22