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# TYLAN GRABLE

AGE: 24 (October 4, 1999) | HT: 6-5 | WT: 313

COLLEGE: UCF

NFL EXP: Rookie

HOMETOWN: Gordon, GA

ACQUIRED: Draft (2024, R6)

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## FIRST-AND-10

**TYLAN GRABLE** was selected by the Bills in the sixth round in 2024. Grable is the first player out of UCF selected by the Bills since Gabe Davis in 2020.

## SHOUTOUTS

- Made his NFL debut vs. Arz. (9/8/24).
- Split his college career between UCF (2022-23) and Jacksonville State (2018-21).
- Started all 13 games in 2023 en route to being named an Honorable Mention offensive lineman pick on All-Big 12 team chosen by league coaches.
- Started all 14 games at left tackle in 2022 for UCF. Third-team pick on Pro Football Focus All-AAC team.
- Started 17-of-34 games played for Jacksonville State.
- Unanimous pick on ASUN Conference all-league squad for 2021 after helping lead JSU to an ASUN-best 1,665 rushing yards. Helped JSU stage a 20-17 upset of Florida State (9/11/21).
- Started 10-of-11 games in combination fall 2020/spring 2021 season. Named second-team AFCA FCS All-American in fall 2020/spring 2021.
- Played in 12 games on offensive line and at tight end in 2019.

## PERSONAL

Name is pronounced TIE-lunn GRAY-bull. Son of Marvin and Teresa Grable. Has two brothers, Antraun and Ashton, and two sisters, Andrea and Anaya Veal. Attended Wilkinson County (GA) High School, where he also played basketball while winning three straight state championships and averaging 18 points & 12 rebounds his final year. Graduated from UCF and began pursuing a master's degree in educational leadership. Received 2022 AAC All-Academic Team honors. Hobbies include watching movies, being outdoors and spending time in local parks.

## IF YOU HAVEN'T HERD

### A SIGNAL CALLER IN THE TRENCHES

Tylan Grable played quarterback in high school. He commanded huddles and looked beyond the bars of a face mask, into eyes and scolded. When quarterbacks see too many opposing players in their faces, they scold linemen. "I did it quite a few times, thinking it was kind of easy," Grable says, with a laugh. "Now, doing the job that they were out there trying to do, I see it's not that easy." The former high school quarterback has gone to the trenches. He's made the transition from quarterback, to tight end and offensive tackle at Jacksonville State. "He's a man of many skills," JSU coach John Grass said. "He's played a little bit of everything. He was a basketball player and played on a really good basketball team. He played quarterback, and I think you still see that with him playing tackle."

JSU's coaching staff had to sell Grable on going from a guy with the ball in his hands to a guy with his hand on the ground. Then they asked him to go from run blocking as a tight end to pass blocking as a tackle. Grable didn't fight it. He just tried to do what offensive linemen can't ... wrap his arms around it. "My first reaction was, how?" he said. "I don't know how, but he kept telling me to just trust the process and listen to coach and listen to your teammates. They'll help you get through it, and then you can really be good. I said, I've got to give it a try. Whatever I can do for the team, I was ready." (The Anniston Star, Joe Medley, April 20, 2021)

## THE STAMPEDE

**Favorite TV show:** The Wayans Bros

**Favorite movie:** Next Friday

**Favorite food:** Pizza from Hunt Brothers

**First job:** Working at Lowe's

**Favorite musical artists:** Drake & Future

**Bucket list item:** To be on Inside The NBA

**First car:** A 2005 Impala nicknamed the Black Panther

**Dream vacation spot:** Egypt

**Fun fact:** Played baseball through eighth grade and was good enough to be invited to play on the Warner Robins team that made the Little League World Series