



22 DARRELL BAKER JR.

CB | 6'1" | 197 | GEORGIA SOUTHERN '22

NFL EXP. 4 | DOLPHINS EXP. 1 | BORN 03/27/98 | ACQUIRED FA, '26
HOMETOWN HEPHZIBAH, GA.

NFL CAREER

TRANSACTIONS:

- Signed by Miami on March 12, 2026.
- Awarded off waivers to Tennessee on Aug. 29, 2024.
- Waived by Indianapolis on Aug. 28, 2024.
- Signed to Indianapolis' active roster on Dec. 28, 2022.
- Signed to Indianapolis' practice squad on Sept. 13, 2022.
- Waived by Arizona on Aug. 23, 2022.
- Signed by Arizona as an undrafted college free agent on May 13, 2022.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS:

- Played in 51 career games with 25 starts.
- 123 tackles (92 solo) and 19 passes defended.
- 7 solo special teams tackles.
- 1 special teams fumble recovery.

2025 (TENNESSEE):

- Played in all 17 games with 10 starts.
- 53 tackles (37 solo) and 7 passes defended.
- 2 solo special teams tackles.

VS. L.A. CHARGERS (11/2): 2 solo tackles and 1 pass defended.

VS. HOUSTON (11/16): 11 tackles (8 solo) and 1 pass defended; 1 solo special teams tackle.

AT CLEVELAND (12/7): 2 solo tackles and 2 passes defended.

2024 (TENNESSEE):

- Played in all 17 games with 9 starts.
- 36 tackles (28 solo) and 5 passes defended.
- 4 solo special teams tackles.

AT BUFFALO (10/20): 5 solo tackles and 1 pass defended.

VS. NEW ENGLAND (11/3): 4 solo tackles.

AT HOUSTON (11/24): 3 solo tackles.

2023 (INDIANAPOLIS):

- Played in 14 games with 6 starts.
- Inactive for 3 games.
- 34 tackles (27 solo) and 7 passes defended.
- 1 solo special teams tackle.

VS. JACKSONVILLE (9/10): 4 tackles (3 solo).

- Made his 1st NFL start.

AT CAROLINA (11/5): 6 tackles (4 solo) and 1 pass defended.

AT TENNESSEE (12/3): 4 tackles (3 solo) and 2 passes defended; 1 solo special teams tackle.

2022 (INDIANAPOLIS):

- Played in 3 games.
- Spent 13 games on the practice squad.
- 1 special teams fumble recovery.

AT MINNESOTA (12/17): Played but did not record any stats.

- Made his NFL debut.

VS. HOUSTON (1/8): 1 special teams fumble recovery.

- Recovered a muffed punt and returned 7 yards in the 4th quarter.

BEFORE THE NFL

COLLEGE (GEORGIA SOUTHERN):

- 5-year letterman (2017-21) and 2-year starter.

CAREER: Played in 56 games with 26 starts; 121 tackles (80 solo), 3 interceptions, 17 passes defended and 2 forced fumbles.

SENIOR (2021): Played in 10 games with 8 starts; 32 tackles (27 solo), 8 passes defended and 1 forced fumble.

SENIOR (2020): Started 12 games; 31 tackles (24 solo), 1 interception and 7 passes defended.

- 3rd-team All-Sun Belt.
- Retained an extra year of eligibility due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

JUNIOR (2019): Played in all 13 games with 3 starts; 33 tackles (10 solo) and 2 passes defended.

SOPHOMORE (2018): Played in 9 games; 6 tackles (5 solo) and 1 interception.

REDSHIRT FRESHMAN (2017): Played in all 12 games with 3 starts at nickel; 19 tackles (14 solo), 1 interception and 1 forced fumble.

- Redshirted in 2016.

HIGH SCHOOL (HEPHZIBAH HS – HEPHZIBAH, GA.):

- 4-year letterman
- Also ran track & field.
- Won the 2016 state championship in the long jump.

OFF THE FIELD

PERSONAL:

- **MAJOR:** Interdisciplinary studies.
- His parents, Darrell Baker Sr. and Johnetta Dixon, are retired Army veterans.



DARRELL BAKER JR.'S NFL REGULAR SEASON DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

DATE	TEAM	GP	GS	TK	S	TACKLES					INTERCEPTIONS					O. FUMB			ST			MISC				
						A	TFL	YDS	SK	YDS	QBH	NO	YDS	LG	TD	PD	FF	FR	TD	YDS	TK	S	A	FF	FR	S
2022	Indianapolis	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
2023	Indianapolis	14	6	34	27	7	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	
2024	Indianapolis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2024	Tennessee	4	3	36	28	8	1	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	
2024	TOTAL	5	3	36	28	8	1	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	
2025	Tennessee	17	10	53	37	16	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	
NFL TOTALS		39	19	123	92	31	1	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	1	0	0

SINGLE-GAME HIGHS: DEFENSIVE

Total Tackles	7 at Cincinnati, Dec 10, 2023	Passes Defensed	2 at Tennessee, Dec 03, 2023
Solo Tackles	6 at Cincinnati, Dec 10, 2023		