

2020 NEW ORLEANS

# SAINTS



## NEW ORLEANS SAINTS WEEKLY MEDIA INFORMATION GUIDE

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS VS. NEW ORLEANS SAINTS  
SEPTEMBER 13, 2020 @ MERCEDES-BENZ SUPERDOME

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**TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS****VS.****NEW ORLEANS SAINTS****SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 2020 – 3:25 P.M. (CST)****MERCEDES-BENZ SUPERDOME – NEW ORLEANS, L.A.**

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**THE MATCHUP**

To kick off the 2020 season, the New Orleans Saints will host the Tampa Bay Buccaneers at home Sunday afternoon at 3:25 p.m. CT in the Mercedes-Benz Superdome. Unfortunately, the Black and Gold's fervent fan base will not be able to pack the club's stadium and attend the contest due to the COVID-19 pandemic, however this season opener promises to be amongst the most viewed contests of the National Football League's kickoff, with the game being shown to the majority of the country on the FOX Network's afternoon window. Following an unexpected offseason with no preseason games, minicamps or OTAs, week one will be a significant moment for all teams across the league.

This coming Sunday, two of the NFL's greatest quarterbacks will face off in a monumental divisional contest, with the stakes already high. Leading both franchises, **Drew Brees** and **Tom Brady**, signed by the Buccaneers in the offseason as an unrestricted free agent, are ranked first and second respectively all-time in completions, passing yardage and touchdown passes. This will be the sixth time these quarterbacks have competed against each other in their NFL careers, the seventh including a Big Ten Conference matchup in college (Brees-Purdue, Brady-

Michigan).

The Saints enter the 2020 season with high hopes, following their second consecutive record-breaking 13-3 season led by QB **Drew Brees**, and dynamic veteran Pro Bowlers; DE **Cameron Jordan**, WR **Michael Thomas**, RB **Alvin Kamara** and T **Terron Armstead**. Building on an explosive offense, the Saints have added WR **Emmanuel Sanders** as an unrestricted free agent and first round draft pick, C/G **Cesar Ruiz** to their depth chart. The 2020 Saints defense reacquired veteran S **Malcolm Jenkins** this offseason, as well as re-signing DT **David Onyemata**.

The Saints and Buccaneers have met each other 56 times, with the Saints recording 35 wins and the Buccaneers winning 21. The Saints recorded their first season sweep since 2014 in 2019.

After an offseason full of changes, the Tampa Bay offense is significantly revamped. The Buccaneers have added key players such as Brady, TE **Rob Gronkowski** and RBs **LeSean McCoy** and **Leonard Fournette**. The Buccaneers ended last season with a 7-9 record, and will have much higher expectations entering this season.

This highly anticipated Brady-Brees matchup on Sunday afternoon will showcase each team's offseason improvements and start defining the NFC South in 2020 early.

**SAINTS-BUCCANEERS CONNECTIONS**

Saints Head Coach **Sean Payton** , Tampa Bay Defensive Coordinator **Todd Bowles** and Defensive Line Coach **Kacy Rodgers** served on the same Dallas staff...Saints Special Teams Coordinator **Darren Rizzi**, Bowles and Rodgers also served on the same Miami staff. Rizzi and Tampa Bay Quarterbacks Coach **Clyde Christensen** served on the same Dolphins staff from 2016-18. Bowles tutored Saints LB **Demario Davis** when he served as head coach of the New York Jets in 2017 along with Buccaneers Inside Linebackers Coach **Mike Caldwell** and Rodgers. Bowles served as defensive coordinator & secondary coach at Grambling State from 1998-99...Tampa Bay Specialists Coach **Chris Boniol** is an Alexandria native who played at Louisiana Tech and also coached special teams at Louisiana College from 2015-16...Saints Director of Player Engagement **Fred McAfee** played for Tampa Bay in 1999...Tampa Bay Head Coach **Bruce Arians** served as Saints tight ends coach in 1996...New Orleans Offensive Assistant **D.J. Williams** prepped at Tampa Catholic High School and his father, former Buccaneers QB **Doug Williams** is in the club's Ring of Honor...Saints S **D.J. Swearinger Sr.** played for Tampa Bay in 2015 and then played under Arians with the Arizona Cardinals from 2015-16...Saints LB **Alex Anzalone**, S **C.J. Gardner-Johnson** and CB **Janoris Jenkins** played at University of Florida. Jenkins and Tampa Bay LB **Jason Pierre-Paul** were teammates with the New York Giants from 2016-17...Saints WR/RS **Deonte Harris** and Buccaneers LS **Zach Triner** were college teammates at Assumption College in Worcester, Mass...Saints DE **Trey Hendrickson** prepped at Apopka (Fla.) HS...Saints RB **Latavius Murray** played at UCF...New Orleans CB **Patrick Robinson** played at Florida State... Buccaneers LB **Jack Cichy** and Saints LB **Zack Baun** and T **Ryan Ramczyk** played together at the University of Wisconsin...Buccaneers QB **Ryan Griffin** played at Tulane for Saints Senior Offensive/Asst. **Curtis Johnson**, who served as head coach and then played for New Orleans from 2013-14 after signing as an undrafted free agent...Saints LB **Kevin Minter** played at LSU and was a teammate of Swearinger in Arizona from 2015-16...New Orleans S **Malcolm Jenkins** and Tampa Bay RB **LeSean McCoy** were teammates in Philadelphia in 2014...Tampa Bay LB **Devin White** is a Springhill native who prepped at North Webster HS and played at LSU...Buccaneers LB **Leonard Fournette** prepped at St. Augustine HS and starred at LSU...Saints C/G **Will Clapp** played with White and Fournette in Baton Rouge. Clapp's father, Tommy Clapp, went to training camp with the Buccaneers in 1987...Saints DT **Malcom Brown**, Buccaneers QB **Tom Brady** and TE **Rob Gronkowski** were teammates in New England from 2015-18...Saints TE **Jared Cook** and Tampa Bay K **Ryan Succop** were college teammates at South Carolina...DB **P.J. Williams** and QB **Jameis Winston**

won two Atlantic Coast Conference championships and one national championship at Florida State together from 2013-14. Winston was the 2013 Heisman Trophy winner and was the first overall pick in the 2015 NFL Draft by the Buccaneers in 2015, holding passing yardage and touch-down pass franchise records, completing 1,563 –of-2548 passes for 19,737 yards with 121 touchdowns in 72 games with 70 starts...Williams prepped at Vanguard (Ocala, Fla.) HS...Tampa Bay DT **Rakeem Nunez-Roches**, played at Southern Mississippi...Saints WR **Emmanuel Sanders** and Buccaneers LB **Shaquil Barrett** were teammates in Denver from 2015-18. Sanders was tutored by Arians early in his career when he served as offensive coordinator of the Pittsburgh Steelers from 2010-11 and was also a teammate of Buccaneers Offensive Coordinator **Byron Leftwich**, Offensive Assistant **Antwaan Randle El** and Outside Linebackers Coach **Larry Foote**...Buccaneer Offensive Consultant **Tom Moore** served as running backs coach of the Saints in 1997...Buccaneers TE **Cameron Brate** had a 2015 stint on the Saints practice squad, and also shares a high school alma mater of Naperville Central (Ill.) HS with Payton. Brate and Saints C/G **Nick Easton** were college teammates at Harvard.

**NEW ORLEANS – TAMPA BAY**

**STATISTICAL COMPARISON**

**2019 Final NFL Regular Season Rankings**

	<u>Saints</u>	<u>Buccaneers</u>
Record	13-3	7-9
Scoring Avg. (NFL Rank)	28.6 (3t)	28.6 (3t)
Opp. Scoring Avg. (NFL Rank)	21.3 (13)	28.1 (29)
Total Off. (NFL Rank)	373.9 (9)	397.9 (3)
Rushing Off. (NFL Rank)	108.6 (16)	95.1 (24)
Passing Off. (NFL Rank)	265.3 (7)	302.8 (1)
Total Def. (NFL Rank)	333.1 (11)	343.9 (15)
Rushing Def. (NFL Rank)	91.3 (4)	73.8 (1)
Passing Def. (NFL Rank)	241.8 (20)	270.1 (30)
Kickoff Return Avg. (NFL Rank)	24.1 (9)	19.8 (28)
Punt Return Avg. (NFL Rank)	9.2 (6)	5.2 (29)
Turnover Margin (NFL Rank)	+15 (2)	-13 (28)
Penalties	120	133
Penalty Yards	1,036	1,111
Opp. Penalties	92	111
Opp. Penalty Yards	713	971

New Orleans Saints Head Coach **Sean Payton** has posted a 139-84 overall record (.623), including an 8-7 postseason mark after the franchise had won only one playoff game prior to his arrival in 2006. Payton holds both the club's top victory total and winning percentage. Payton is ranked 30th all-time in National Football League record books in victories, fifth among active head coaches. He continues to represent the Saints as the model of stability not only within the NFC South, as he is the longest tenured head coach within the division, but also among the most accomplished within the National Football League. Only the New England Patriots' Bill Belichick (2000) has been with the his team longer than Payton's 14 seasons. Payton is also one of just eight active National Football League head coaches to lead a team to a Super Bowl victory. The others are Belichick, the Seattle Seahawks' Pete Carroll, the Oakland Raiders' Jon Gruden (Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 2002), the Baltimore Ravens' John Harbaugh, The Dallas Cowboys' Mike McCarthy (Green Bay in 2010), the Philadelphia Eagles' Doug Pederson and the Pittsburgh Steelers' Mike Tomlin. The 2019 Saints edition posted their second consecutive 13-3 regular season record, capturing their third consecutive NFC South title and playoff berth. A franchise-record six players were selected to the *Associated Press* All-Pro team and a club-best 11 were named to the Pro Bowl. New Orleans won seven games on the road for the second consecutive season. The Saints set an NFL single-season record with only eight turnovers as they ranked second in the league in turnover ratio (+13). New Orleans also ranked third in sacks (51), tied for third in scoring (28.6 ppg.) and ranked fourth in opponent rushing yards per game. Special teams captured first place in NFL writer Rick Gosselin's annual comprehensive rankings. Payton earned a bachelor's degree in communications at Eastern Illinois, where as a quarterback he had 10,665 passing yards, at the time the third-highest total in NCAA Division I-AA history. Payton was inducted into the Eastern Illinois Hall of Fame in September of 2000 and had his jersey retired in a ceremony in September of 2010. He received an honorary doctorate from his alma mater in 2013. Payton was born December 29, 1963 in San Mateo, California, and raised in Naperville, Illinois, Payton has a daughter, Meghan and a son, Connor.

Named the 12th head coach in franchise history on January 8, 2019. **Bruce Arians** is a two-time *Associated Press* National Football League Coach of the Year, earning the award in 2012 (Indianapolis Colts) and in 2014 (Arizona Cardinals). He is the only coach in NFL history to earn the award multiple times in a three-year span with different teams and is one of only 12 coaches in NFL history to win the award multiple times. He spent five seasons as the head coach of the Arizona Cardinals (2013-17) in addition to a 12-game stint as interim head coach for the Colts

(2012, while head coach Chuck Pagano was being treated for leukemia), compiling a regular season record of 61-37-1, including his first four games in charge of the Buccaneers. Spent eight seasons with the Pittsburgh Steelers (2004-2011) as an assistant, winning Super Bowls XL and XLIII. Also coached on the offensive staffs for the Cleveland Browns (2001- 03), New Orleans Saints (1996), and Kansas City Chiefs (1989-1992). Career record: 56-39-1 in the regular season and 1-2 in the postseason. (does not include wins and losses as an interim head coach).

Background: Arians was a college assistant at his alma mater, Virginia Tech (1975-77), Mississippi State (1978-1980, 1993-95), University Alabama (1981-82 with Paul "Bear" Bryant, 1997). He became one of the youngest head coaches in Division I history when Temple hired him in 1983 at the age of 30 (1983-88).

Personal: Born in Paterson, N.J, Arians grew up in York, Penn., and played quarterback at Virginia Tech. He and his wife, Christine, have two children – son, Jake, and daughter, Kristi Anne, as well as a granddaughter, Presley and a grandson, Aiden.

## **NEW ORLEANS SAINTS - TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS SERIES HISTORY**

The New Orleans Saints and Tampa Bay Buccaneers first met in 1977. New Orleans has posted a 35-21 record vs. Tampa Bay, the club's best winning percentage (.625) vs. an opponent they have played a minimum of seven games against.

### **In the 56 games of the series there has been:**

- 1,981 points scored by New Orleans, 1,071 allowed.
- A seven-game New Orleans winning streak from 2011-2014.
- A 19-11 record for the Saints in games played at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome.
- 22 games decided by double-digits.
- Seven games decided by 21 or more points.
- 33 games decided by seven points or less.
- A 41-point win by New Orleans on December 16, 2012, the club's first shutout against the Buccaneers.
- Since both clubs joined the NFC South in 2002, New Orleans has swept the series six times and Tampa Bay twice.

**SUPERLATIVES**

A look at the top individual performances for Saints players against the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in the previous 56 meetings between the two clubs.

**RUSHING YARDAGE vs. TAMPA BAY (100+yards)**

- RB Rueben Mayes – 24 carries for 172 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Oct. 19, 1986
- RB Chris Ivory – 15 carries for 158 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Oct. 17, 2010
- RB Craig Heyward – 20 carries for 155 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Nov. 11, 1990
- RB Deuce McAllister – 15 carries for 123 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Oct. 8, 2006
- RB George Rogers – 23 carries for 120 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Nov. 29, 1981
- RB Deuce McAllister – 26 carries for 110 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Nov. 2, 2003
- RB Deuce McAllister – 31 carries for 109 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Sept. 9, 2002
- RB Deuce McAllister – 21 carries for 102 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Oct. 10, 2004

**PASSING YARDAGE vs. TAMPA BAY (300+yards)**

- **QB Drew Brees – 37-of-45 for 439 yards and three TDs, @ Mercedes-Benz Superdome, Sept. 9, 2018.**
- **QB Drew Brees – 29-of-45 for 383 yards and one TDs, @ Raymond James Stadium, Oct. 16, 2011.**
- **QB Drew Brees – 24-of-31 for 381 yards and four TDs, @ Mercedes-Benz Superdome, Dec. 29, 2013**
- **QB Drew Brees – 27-of-37 for 377 yards and four TDs, @ Raymond James Stadium, Oct. 21, 2012.**
- **QB Drew Brees – 35-of-57 for 371 yards and two TDs, @ Mercedes-Benz Superdome, Oct. 5, 2014.**
- **QB Drew Brees – 23-of-32 for 343 yards and three TDs, @ Louisiana Superdome, Sept. 7, 2008.**
- QB Ken Stabler – 29-of-43 for 333 yards @ the Louisiana Superdome, Dec. 5, 1982.
- **QB Drew Brees – 26-of-46 for 322 yards and one TD, @ Raymond James Stadium, Sept. 15, 2013.**
- **QB Drew Brees – 24-of-32 for 314 yards and three TDs, @ Raymond James Stadium, Nov. 5, 2006.**
- QB Teddy Bridgewater – 26-of-34 for 314 yards

and four TDs, @ Mercedes-Benz Superdome, Oct. 6, 2019.

- **QB Drew Brees – 31-of-41 for 312 yards and two TDs, @ Raymond James Stadium, Dec. 13, 2015.**
- **QB Drew Brees – 26-of-39 for 307 yards and four TDs, @ Mercedes-Benz Superdome, Dec. 16, 2012.**

**RECEIVING YARDAGE vs. TAMPA BAY (100+ yards)**

- **WR Michael Thomas – 11 receptions for 182 yards, @ Mercedes-Benz Superdome, Oct. 6, 2019.**
- **WR Michael Thomas – 16 receptions for 180 yards, @ Mercedes-Benz Superdome, Sept. 9, 2018.**
- TE Jimmy Graham – 10 receptions for 179 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Sept. 15, 2013.
- TE Jimmy Graham – Seven receptions for 124 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Oct. 16, 2011.
- WR Marques Colston – 11 receptions for 123 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Nov. 5, 2006.
- WR Willie Snead IV – Seven receptions for 122 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Dec. 13, 2015.
- WR Lance Moore – Nine receptions for 121 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Oct. 21, 2012.
- WR Marques Colston – Seven receptions for 118 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Oct. 16, 2011.
- WR Joe Horn – Nine receptions for 118 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Dec. 7, 2003.
- **WR Michael Thomas – eight receptions for 114 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Nov. 7, 2019.**
- RB Reggie Bush – eight receptions for 112 yards, @ Louisiana Superdome, Sept. 7, 2008.
- WR Devery Henderson – Three receptions for 111 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Nov. 5, 2006.
- WR Marques Colston – Six receptions for 106 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Nov. 30, 2008.
- WR Joe Horn – Eight receptions for 108 yards, @ Raymond James Stadium, Sept. 9, 2002.
- WR Joe Horn – Five receptions for 106 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Dec. 1, 2002.
- WR Eric Martin – Two receptions for 101 yards, @ the Louisiana Superdome, Dec. 6, 1987.

**SERIES FAST FACTS**

**Saints' Largest Margin of Victory:** 31 points (tie), Saints won 38-7 most recently on 11/22/09 at Raymond James Stadium. Saints won 38-7 the first time on 10/19/86 at the Louisiana Superdome.

**Buccaneers' Largest Margin of Victory:** 27 points, Buccaneers won 48-21 on 12/23/01 at Raymond James Stadium.

**Current Series Streak:** Saints won last three games (12/9/18-present).

**Saints' Longest Win Streak:** Seven games, 11/16/11-11/28/14.

**Buccaneers' Longest Win Streak:** Two games (Seven times), most recently 12/31/17-9/9/18.

**Most Points by Saints in a Game:** 44 points, Saints won 44-34 on 12/6/87 at the Louisiana Superdome.

**Most Points by Tampa Bay in a Game:** 48 points (two times), Tampa Bay won 48-21 on 12/23/01 at Raymond James Stadium and Tampa Bay won 48-40 on 9/9/18 at Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

**Most Combined Points (Both Teams):** 88 points, Buccaneers won 48-40 on 9/9/18 at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

**Fewest Points by Saints in a Game:** Three points, Buccaneers won 10-3 on 12/4/05 at Tiger Stadium.

**Fewest Points by Buccaneers in a Game:** 0 points, Saints won 41-0 on 12/16/12 at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

**Fewest Combined Points (Both Teams):** 12 points, Saints won 9-3 on 10/25/98 at the Louisiana Superdome.

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**PLAYERS**

- T **Terron** Armstead (ter-RON)
- LB Zack **Baun** (BONN)
- WR **Marquez** Callaway (mar-QWEZ)
- LB **Demario** Davis (duh-MAR-ee-oh)
- WR/RS **Deonte** Harris (deo-on-tay)
- RB Alvin **Kamara** (kuh-Mare-Uh)
- DT David **Onyemata** (own-yay-MAH-ta)
- T/G **Andrus Peat** (ANN-druss PEET)
- T Ryan **Ramczyk** (RAM-check)
- C/G Cesar **Ruiz** (roo-EEZ)

**COACHES**

- Senior Defensive Asst. Peter **Giunta** (GEN-ta).
- Offensive Line Coach Dan **Roushar** (ROW-shar).

# TRANSACTIONS

## JULY

**27** – Signed draft picks G/C **Cesar Ruiz**, LB **Zack Baun**, QB **Tommy Stevens** and TE **Adam Trautman**.

**28** – Placed TEs **Cole Wick** and **Jason Vander Laan** on Reserve/Did Not Report/Covid Opt-Out.

## AUGUST

**2** – Waived DB **Chris Johnson**, WR **Tommy Lee Lewis**, OL **Adrian Magee**, RB **Taquan Mizzell Sr.**, WR **Maurice Harris**, DL **Gus Cumberlander**, FB **Ricky Ortiz**, WR **Krishawn Hogan** and CB **Deatrick Nichols**, waived/injured DL **Kenny Bigelow Jr.** and waived WR **Chad Hansen**.

**3** – Signed WR **Bennie Fowler III** and waived DT **Taylor Stallworth**.

**7** – Signed LB **Nigel Bradham**.

**19** – Signed TE **Ethan Wolf**.

**20** – Placed DB **Tino Ellis** on Injured Reserve.

**24** – Placed CB **Johnson Bademosi** on Injured Reserve and terminated contract of LB **Nigel Bradham**.

**25** – Signed CB **Kemon Hall**.

**26** – Reached an injury settlement with CB **Tino Ellis**.

**29** – Signed DEs **Anthony Lanier II** and DE **T.J. Carter** and LB **Wynton McManis** and waived OL **Darrin Paulo**.

**30** – Placed DL **Jalen Dalton** on Injured Reserve.

## SEPTEMBER

**5** – Terminated contracts of LB **Anthony Chickillo**, DL **Mario Edwards Jr.**, WR **Bennie Fowler III**, DL **Margues Hunt** and OL **Patrick Oameh**. Waived LB **Joe Bachie**, WRs **Emmanuel Butler** and **Austin Carr**, DE **T.J. Carter**, LB **Andrew Dowell**, TE **Garrett Griffin**, CB **Kemon Hall**, WRs **Lil'Jordan Humphrey** and **Juwan Johnson**, RB **Tony Jones Jr.**, LB **Wyton McManis**, OL **Jordan Steckler**, TE **Tommy Stevens**, OL **Calvin Throckmorton**, C/G **Cameron Tom**, DB **Keith Washington II** and TE **Ethan Wolf**. Placed LB **Kiko Alonso** on Reserve/PUP. Placed DE **Anthony Lanier II** on Injured Reserve. Placed OL **James Hurst** on Reserve/Suspended by Commissioner. Waived/Injured DB **Saquan Hampton**.

**6** – Placed DB **Saquan Hampton** on Injured Reserve. Agreed to practice squad contracts with LB **Joe Bachie**, WR **Austin Carr**, LB **Anthony Chickillo**, LB **Andrew Dowell**, WR **Bennie Fowler III**, TE **Garrett Griffin**, CB **Kemon Hall**,

WR **Lil'Jordan Humphrey**, DL **Margus Hunt**, WR **Juwan Johnson**, RB **Tony Jones Jr.**, TE **Tommy Stevens**, OL **Calvin Throckmorton**, C/G **Cameron Tom** and DB **Keith Washington II**.

# SCHEDULE/RESULTS

## REGULAR SEASON

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time/Network</u>
<b>Sept. 13</b>	<b>TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS</b>	<b>3:25/FOX</b>
Sept. 21	@Las Vegas Raiders	7:15/ESPN/ABC
<b>Sept. 27</b>	<b>GREEN BAY PACKERS</b>	<b>7:20/NBC</b>
Oct. 4	@Detroit Lions	12:00/FOX
<b>Oct. 12</b>	<b>LOS ANGELES CHARGERS</b>	<b>7:15/ESPN</b>
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<b>Oct. 25</b>	<b>CAROLINA PANTHERS</b>	<b>12:00/FOX</b>
Nov. 1	@Chicago Bears	3:25/FOX
Nov. 8	@Tampa Bay Buccaneers	7:20/NBC
<b>Nov. 15</b>	<b>SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS</b>	<b>3:25/FOX</b>
<b>Nov. 22</b>	<b>ATLANTA FALCONS</b>	<b>12:00/FOX</b>
Nov. 29	@Denver Broncos	3:05/FOX
Dec. 6	@Atlanta Falcons	12:00/FOX
Dec. 13	@Philadelphia Eagles	3:25/FOX
<b>Dec. 20</b>	<b>KANSAS CITY CHIEFS</b>	<b>3:25/CBS</b>
<b>Dec. 25</b>	<b>MINNESOTA VIKINGS</b>	<b>3:30/FOX</b>
Jan. 3	@Carolina Panthers	12:00/FOX

## TEAM NOTES

As the Saints prepare for their 54th season, they have posted an 18-35 all-time record on opening-day.

- New Orleans has won three of their last ten openers, having broken a five-game losing streak with a 30-28 win over the Houston Texans in the 2019 season opener.
- New Orleans will open at home for the ninth time during Head Coach **Sean Payton's** tenure and for the 37th time overall. They will be seeking wins in back-to-back openers for the first time since 2009-10
- This will be the third time the Saints have faced the Buccaneers for their season opener. New Orleans had a 23-20 win at Raymond James Stadium in 2002 and a 24-20 win at the Superdome in 2008.

**MEMORABLE INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES IN OPENING GAMES:** A look at the top statistical performances for the Saints in the first game of the season over the club's previous 53 years:

**PASSING: 439 yards, QB Drew Brees.** The signal caller completed 37-of-45 passes with three touchdown passes, zero interceptions and a 129.5 passer rating on Sept. 9, 2018 in a 48-40 loss to Tampa Bay at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

**RUSHING: 206 yards, RB George Rogers.** The running back opened 1982 by setting a club record for rushing yards on 24 carries vs. the St. Louis Cardinals.

**RECEPTIONS: 16, WR Michael Thomas.** Thomas torched the Buccaneers on 16 catches for 180 yards and one touchdown, the highest single-game receptions total in franchise history.

**RECEIVING YARDAGE: 205 yards, WR Wes Chandler.** Chandler torched the Falcons in 1979 on six catches, the highest single-game yardage total in franchise history.

**INTERCEPTIONS: Three, S Sammy Knight.** The safety started 2001 with three interceptions at Buffalo and was named the NFC Defensive Player of the Week.

**SACKS: Three, DE Joe Johnson.** This 2007 inductee into the Saints Hall of Fame started 2001 with three sacks in a dominant defensive performance in the Saints' 24-6 victory at Buffalo.

### STARTING FAST

How the Saints have finished the seasons that have started with an opening-day victory:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Final Record</u>
1971	Sept. 19	L.A. Rams	W, 24-20	4-8-2
1978	Sept. 3	Vikings	W, 31-24	7-9
1983	Sept. 4	Cardinals	W, 28-17	8-8
<b>1987</b>	<b>Sept. 13</b>	<b>Browns</b>	<b>W, 28-21</b>	<b>12-3*</b>
1989	Sept. 10	Cowboys	W, 28-0	9-7
<b>1991</b>	<b>Sept. 1</b>	<b>Seahawks</b>	<b>W, 27-24</b>	<b>11-5*</b>
1993	Sept. 5	Oilers	W, 33-21	8-8
1998	Sept. 6	at Rams	W, 24-17	6-10
1999	Sept. 12	Panthers	W, 19-10	3-13
2001	Sept. 9	at Bills	W, 24-6	7-9
2002	Sept. 8	at Buccaneers	W, 26-20 ot	9-7
2005	Sept. 11	at Panthers	W, 23-20	3-13
<b>2006</b>	<b>Sept. 10</b>	<b>at Browns</b>	<b>W, 19-14</b>	<b>10-6*</b>
2008	Sept. 7	Buccaneers	W, 24-20	8-8
<b>2009</b>	<b>Sept. 9</b>	<b>Lions</b>	<b>W, 45-27</b>	<b>13-3*</b>
2010	<b>Sept. 9</b>	<b>Vikings</b>	<b>W, 14-9</b>	<b>11-5*</b>
<b>2013</b>	<b>Sept. 8</b>	<b>Falcons</b>	<b>W, 23-17</b>	<b>11-5*</b>
<b>2019</b>	<b>Sept. 9</b>	<b>Texans</b>	<b>W, 30-28</b>	<b>13-3*</b>

\*Made the Playoffs. NFC West title in 1991, NFC South title in 2006, 2011 and 2019, NFC South title and Super Bowl XLIV championship in 2009, NFC Wild Card in 2010 and 2013.



## TEAM NOTES

### FAMILY TIES

Numerous Saints players, coaches and administrators are not the only members of their families to make a name for themselves in pro football. No fewer than 20 Saints players, coaches or front office staff have relatives who have played, coached or served in the front office in the National Football League.

**Defensive Coordinator Dennis Allen** - Father, Grady, played linebacker for the Atlanta Falcons from 1968-72.

**Offensive Coordinator Pete Carmichael** - Father, Pete, served as an assistant from 1994-2003 with Jacksonville (1994-99), Cleveland (2000) and Chicago (2002-03).

**Quarterbacks Coach Joe Lombardi** - The grandson of legendary NFL head coach Vince Lombardi, who led both Green Bay and Washington. He led the Packers to three straight and five overall NFL Championships in seven years, in addition to winning the first two Super Bowls.

**Secondary Coach Aaron Glenn** - Younger brother, Jason, was a linebacker and sixth-round draft pick of the Lions in the 2001 NFL Draft, playing six seasons with the Jets, Dolphins and Vikings.

**Offensive Assistant D.J. Williams** - Father, Doug Williams, is Washington's Senior Vice President/Player Personnel, who won Super Bowl XXII as starting quarterback for the Redskins, the pinnacle of a storied 12-year pro football career, which includes him being in the Tampa Bay Buccaneers Ring of Honor, also working in the Buccaneers front office.

**Assistant General Manager/College Scouting Director Jeff Ireland** - Stepson of Kansas City Chiefs Hall of Fame linebacker/center E.J. Holub and the grandson of former Philadelphia Eagles running back and Chicago Bears personnel exec. Jim Parmer.

**National Scout Terry Wooden** - Brother, JoJo, is Director of Player Personnel for the Los Angeles Chargers.

**Linebacker Demario Davis** - Cousin Steve McNair was a former standout quarterback for the Houston Oilers/Tennessee Titans (1995-2005) and Baltimore Ravens (2006-07).

**Defensive End Cameron Jordan** - Father, Steve, had a 13-year career at tight end for the Minnesota Vikings, with six Pro Bowl selections, being inducted into their Ring of Honor this past October.

**Tackle/Guard Andrus Peat** - Father, Todd, played six Na-

tional Football League seasons with the Cardinals and the Raiders.

**Wide Receiver Michael Thomas** - Uncle, Keyshawn Johnson, is a former wide receiver who was the first overall pick in the 1996 NFL Draft by the New York Jets, spending 11 seasons in the National Football League with the Jets, Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Dallas Cowboys and Carolina Panthers, earning three Pro Bowls and the Super Bowl XXXVII title.

**Defensive Tackle Shy Tuttle** - Uncle, Perry Tuttle played wide receiver on Clemson's national championship team in 1981, who was a first round pick of the Buffalo Bills in 1982 and then played three National Football League seasons with the Bills, Atlanta Falcons and Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

**Area Scout Scott Campbell** - Late father, Marion, played for the San Francisco 49ers (1954-55) and the Philadelphia Eagles (1956-61) as one of the league's last two way players along the line as a two-time Pro Bowl selection and first-team All-Pro in 1960, was a longtime defensive assistant coach with the Boston Patriots (1962-63), Minnesota Vikings (1964-66), Los Angeles Rams (1967-68), Eagles (1977-82) and Atlanta Falcons (1969-74) and was former head coach of the Eagles (1983-85) and Falcons (1987-89).

**Area Scout Joey Vitt** - Father, Joe Vitt, is a longtime National Football League assistant coach, who served as assistant head coach/linebackers of the Saints from 2006-16, is currently assistant head coach/inside linebackers of the Jets and also had coaching stints with the Seattle Seahawks, Colts, Los Angeles/St. Louis Rams and Kansas City Chiefs.

**Combine Scout Matt Phillips** - Father, Ted is the president/CEO of the Chicago Bears.

### COACHES IN THE NFL

Six members of the 2019 New Orleans Saints coaching staff have prior playing experience in the National Football League.

Head Coach **Sean Payton** - Played for the Chicago Bears in 1987.

Assistant Head Coach/Tight Ends **Dan Campbell** - A third round draft pick of the New York Giants in 1999 out of Texas A&M, who appeared in 114 games with 75 starts for the Giants, Dallas Cowboys and Lions, where he caught 91 passes for 934 yards and 11 touchdowns during his playing career.

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Wide Receivers Coach **Ronald Curry** - A seventh round draft pick (235th overall) of the Oakland Raiders in 2002 out of the University of North Carolina and played for Oakland from 2002-08, appearing in 76 games with 32 starts, registering 193 receptions for 2,347 yards with 13 touchdowns.

Secondary Coach **Aaron Glenn** - The 12th overall pick of the New York Jets in the 1994 NFL Draft out of Texas A&M and started 176 of 205 games with New York, the Texans, Dallas Cowboys, Jaguars and Saints and was a three-time Pro Bowl selection. Glenn recorded 41 interceptions with six brought back for touchdowns, adding a kick return score.

Defensive Assistant **Michael Wilhoite** - Played six seasons (2012-17) in the National Football League, six with this the San Francisco 49ers and his final campaign with the Seattle Seahawks. Played in 79 career games with 45 starts and posted totals of 316 tackles, four interceptions, nine passes defended, two forced fumbles, one fumble recovery and 40 special teams stops.

Pass Rush Specialist **Brian Young** - Played in the National Football League from 2000-08 with the St. Louis Rams his first four seasons, who originally selected him in the fifth round of the 2000 NFL Draft (139th overall) from Texas-El Paso and final five campaigns with the Saints, playing in 124 games, recording 22.5 career sacks and eight fumble recoveries.

### 2020 PRACTICE SQUAD

The following players make up the New Orleans Saints practice squad with the National Football League expanding it up to 16 players in 2020:

Player	Pos.	School	Exp.
Joe Bachie	LB	Michigan State	R
Austin Carr	WR	Northwestern	4
Anthony Chickillo	LB	Miami (Fla.)	6
Andrew Dowell	LB	Michigan State	1
Bennie Fowler III	WR	Michigan State	6
Garrett Griffin	TE	Air Force	3
Kemon Hall	CB	North Texas	1
Lil Jordan Humphrey	WR	Texas	2
Margus Hunt	DL	Southern Methodist	8

Player	Pos.	School	Exp.
Juwan Johnson	WR	Oregon	R
Tony Jones Jr.	RB	Notre Dame	R
Tommy Stevens	TE	Mississippi State	R
Calvin Throckmorton	OL	Oregon	R
Cameron Tom	OL	Southern Mississippi	R
Keith Washington II	DB	West Virginia	R

### MY HOMETOWN

New Orleans Saints players come from 22 different states and Nigeria. Of the 53 players currently on the team's active roster, the state which claims the most members of the team is Texas with nine (Quarterback Drew Brees, defensive tackle Malcom Brown, defensive end Marcus Davenport, center Erik McCoy, running back Ty Montgomery II, punter Thomas Morstead, linebacker Craig Robertson, wide receiver Emmanuel Sanders and longsnapper Zach Wood).

### WINNING STREAKS

Under Head Coach Sean Payton, the Saints have put together five winning streaks of at least six games, including the club's most recent six-game run in 2019. New Orleans has not lost two contests in a row since the first two games of the 2017 season. Below is a list of the franchise's winning streaks of at least six games since Payton was hired as head coach of the Saints in 2006:

**Sept. 13-Dec. 13, 2009—13 games**

**Oct. 31-Dec. 12, 2010—6 games**

**Nov. 6, 2011-Jan 1, 2012—8 games**

**Sept. 24-Nov. 19, 2017—8 games**

**Sept. 16-Nov. 22, 2018—10 games**

**Sept. 22, 2019-Oct. 27, 2019—6 games**

### DOUBLE DIGIT WINS

In 2019, posting a 13-3 record, New Orleans won at least ten games for the eighth time since Sean Payton became head coach after posting double-digit win totals five times from 1967-2005. In 2020, New Orleans will be looking to record double-digit victories in four consecutive seasons for the first time in franchise history.

# TEAM NOTES

## ROSTER FACTS AND FIGURES

**Oldest Saints player:** QB Drew Brees, 41, 1/15/79

**Youngest Saint:** C/G Cesar Ruiz, 21, 6/14/99

**Most Seasons as a Saint:** QB Drew Brees - 15

**Most NFL seasons:** QB Drew Brees, 20

**Most consecutive starts:** DE Cameron Jordan, 127

**Consecutive games played:** DE Cameron Jordan, 144

**Most playoff experience:** QB Drew Brees, 16 games

**Heaviest Saint:** OL Ethan Greenidge, 335

**Tallest Saint:** T/G Andrus Peat, 6-7

**Shortest Saint:** WR/RS Deonte Harris, 5-6

**Former first round draft picks:** 11-DT Malcom Brown, DE Marcus Davenport, S Malcolm Jenkins, DE Cameron Jordan, CB Marshon Lattimore, T/G Andrus Peat, T Ryan Ramczyk, DT Sheldon Rankins, CB Patrick Robinson, C/G Cesar Ruiz, QB Jameis Winston.

**Pro Bowlers:** 15-T Terron Armstead, QB Drew Brees, TE Jared Cook, RS Deonte Harris, CB Janoris Jenkins, S Malcolm Jenkins, DE Cameron Jordan, RB Alvin Kamara, CB Marshon Lattimore, K Wil Lutz, P Thomas Morstead, G Andrus Peat, WR Emmanuel Sanders, WR Michael Thomas, QB Jameis Winston.

**Coaches who played in the NFL:** 6 - Head Coach Sean Payton, Asst. Head Coach/Tight Ends Dan Campbell, Wide Receivers Coach Ronald Curry, Secondary Coach Aaron Glenn, Defensive Assistant Michael Wilhoite, Pass Rush Specialist Brian Young

**College with the most Saints:** Florida State - 4 (OL Derrick Kelly II, Robinson, CB P.J. Williams and Winston)

## IN THE NFC SOUTH

The Saints have the best record among NFC South teams since 2006, a time where they've won six division titles including three straight from 2017-19, the most in division history. They've posted a 51-33 division mark since 2006.

### RECORDS OF NFC SOUTH TEAMS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.616</b>
Atlanta Falcons	119	105	0	.531
Carolina Panthers	114	109	1	.512
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	84	140	0	.375

## TAKING CARE OF THE BALL

Ball security was of utmost importance for New Orleans in 2019, as their eight giveaways were the fewest in National Football League history. The 2019 Saints lost only two fumbles in the regular season and tied an NFL record with the 2002 Kansas City Chiefs and 2014 Minnesota Vikings for the fewest lost fumbles.

### FEWEST TURNOVERS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE IN 2019

Team	Giveaways
<b>1. New Orleans</b>	<b>8</b>
2. Green Bay	13
3t. New England	15
3t. Baltimore	15
5t. Kansas City	15

### FEWEST TURNOVERS IN NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE HISTORY IN A SINGLE SEASON

Team	Giveaways
<b>1. New Orleans, 2019</b>	<b>8</b>
2. New England, 2010	10
3. San Francisco, 2011	11

## ROAD WARRIORS

Since 2006, the New Orleans Saints have the best road record in the NFC and the second-best road record in the National Football League at 64-48 (.571). The Saints finished the regular season 7-1 on the road in 2019, posting winning road records for two consecutive seasons for the first time since 2009-11, finishing 7-1 away from home for the fourth time, in back-to-back seasons for the first time. A 7-1 mark tied Baltimore and Seattle for the best road mark in the NFL.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	Record
1. New England	78-34
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>64-48</b>
3. Dallas	63-49
4. Pittsburgh	61-50-1
5. Philadelphia	60-52

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## CONTINUED FROM PREVIOUS PAGE-ROAD WARRIORS

Since 2009, with a 52-36 (.591) road mark, the Saints have the best record in the NFC and second-best in the NFL

### NFL REGULAR SEASON ROAD RECORDS SINCE 2009

Team	Record
1. New England	56-30
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>52-36</b>
3. Pittsburgh	48-37-1
4. Dallas	48-40

## DOMEFIELD ADVANTAGE

Since 2008, the Saints have posted a 69-27 home record, tied for fourth in the NFL, including 6-2 in 2018 and 2019. Until the Nov. 10, 2019 loss to Atlanta, 2019 was the Saints' first 4-0 home start since 2013, when they went 8-0 at home. The December 16 win vs. Indianapolis gave them three consecutive winning seasons at home for the second time in club history, joining the 2009-11 clubs.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON HOME RECORDS SINCE 2008

Team	Record
1. New England	83-13
2. Green Bay	72-22-2
3. Baltimore	72-24
<b>4t. New Orleans</b>	<b>69-27</b>
4t. Pittsburgh	69-27

## TIME OF POSSESSION LEADER

The Saints' 32:50 time of possession average was ranked third in the National Football League in 2018 and their 32:19 average in 2019 was ranked second in the NFC and third in the NFL.

### 2019 NFL TIME OF POSSESSION AVERAGE LEADERS

Team	TOP
1. Bal.	34:37
2. Phi.	32:56
<b>3. NO</b>	<b>31:19</b>
4. NE	31:42

## PAYTON'S PLACE AMONG HEAD COACHES

Sean Payton has had an impressive run as head coach of the Saints since being hired in 2006.

After the team had captured only two division titles prior to 2006, the club has six under Payton, including three straight NFC South titles from 2017-19, the first time the club won their division in consecutive seasons. The franchise has had 14 winning seasons overall in its 53-season history, eight happening under Payton's watch including the 2019 13-3 mark. Payton has the highest winning percentage (.626) and most wins (139) among the 16 Saints head coaches, also ranked 26th all-time in NFL record books, fifth among active head coaches. With two more wins, Payton will move into the top 25.

Payton's the only coach in Saints history with double-digit win totals in eight seasons, including the 2019 13-3 mark.

### PAYTON YEAR-BY-YEAR HEAD COACH BREAKDOWN

Year	Reg. Season	Postseason
2006	10-6	NFC Champ Game (1-1)
2007	7-9	-
2008	8-8	-
2009	13-3	SB XLIV Championship (3-0)
2010	11-5	Wild Card Round (0-1)
2011	13-3	Divisional Round (1-1)
2013	11-5	Divisional Round (1-1)
2014	7-9	-
2015	7-9	-
2016	7-9	-
2017	11-5	Divisional Round (1-1)
2018	13-3	NFC Champ Game (1-1)
2019	13-3	Wild Card Round (0-1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>131-77</b>	<b>8-7</b>

### WINNINGEST SAINTS COACHES (REGULAR SEASON AND POSTSEASON)

Coach	W	L	Pct.
<b>Sean Payton</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>.623</b>
Jim Mora	93	78	.544
Jim Haslett	46	52	.469

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Payton's .630 winning percentage is ranked fifth all-time in league record books among coaches with at least 200 games to their record.

## REGULAR SEASON WINNING PERCENTAGES AMONG COACHES

(Min. 200 games)

Coach	W	L	T	Pct.
Bill Belichick	273	127	0	.683
Don Shula	328	156	0	.670
Tony Dungy	139	69	0	.668
Mike Tomlin	143	74	1	.642
<b>Sean Payton</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.630</b>

Payton's 139 career wins (regular season and postseason combined) since 2006 is fourth among active head coaches, and his winning percentage since 2006 is also ranked fourth.

## WINNING PERCENTAGES AMONG ACTIVE HEAD COACHES SINCE 2006

(Min. 50 games)

Coach	W	L	T	Pct.
Bill Belichick	193	59	0	.766
Sean McVay	35	17	0	.673
Mike Tomlin	141	81	1	.635
Pete Carroll	110	66	1	.624
<b>Sean Payton</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.623</b>

## WINNINGEST ACTIVE HEAD COACHES SINCE 2006

Coach	W	L	T	Pct.
Bill Belichick	193	59	0	.766
Andy Reid	145	95	1	.604
Mike Tomlin	141	80	1	.635
<b>Sean Payton</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.623</b>
Mike McCarthy	135	85	2	.613

## NFC SOUTH COACHES RECORDS IN DIVISION PLAY

Sean Payton has the most regular season division wins and the top winning percentage by active NFC South coaches.

Coach	W	L	Pct.
<b>Sean Payton</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>.615</b>
Dan Quinn	18	12	.600
Bruce Arians	2	4	.333
Matt Rhule	0	0	--

## PAYTON'S REGULAR SEASON RECORD VS. NFC SOUTH TEAMS

Team	W	L	Pct.
Atlanta	18	8	.692
Tampa Bay	16	10	.615
Carolina	14	12	.520

## THE SAINTS WHEN

Below is the regular season record in various situations the Saints have compiled under Payton.

## SEAN PAYTON'S REGULAR SEASON RECORD WHEN

Leading After First Quarter.....	73-17
Leading at Halftime.....	106-13
Leading After Third Quarter.....	104-11
Saints Score First.....	77-23
Saints 200+ Yards Passing.....	113-67
Opponent Under 200 Yards Passing.....	51-20
Saints Have 100+ Yards Rushing.....	92-25
Forcing 3+ Turnovers.....	35-6
Defense Has 3+ Sacks.....	65-22
Indoors.....	83-48
Outdoors.....	47-30
At Home.....	70-34
On The Road.....	61-43
On Artificial Turf.....	92-51
Scoring 20 Or More Points.....	122-43
Allowing 20 Or Fewer Points.....	80-8
Committing Zero Turnovers.....	46-6

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## PRO BOWL PLAYERS COACHED BY PAYTON AS HEAD COACH, COORDINATOR AND ASSISTANT COACH

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#### THE SAINTS IN 2019 WHEN? (REGULAR SEASON)

Leading After First Quarter.....	7-1
Tied After First Quarter.....	2-1
Trailing After First Quarter.....	4-1
Leading at Halftime.....	10-0
Losing at Halftime.....	2-3
Tied at Halftime.....	1-0
Leading After Third Quarter.....	10-0
Losing After Third Quarter.....	2-3
Tied after Third Quarter.....	1-0
Saints Score First.....	9-1
Opponent Scores First.....	4-2
Saints 200+ Yards Passing.....	10-2
Saints Have 100+ Yards Rushing.....	11-1
+ 4 Turnover Margin.....	1-0
+ 3 Turnover Margin.....	2-0
+ 2 Turnover Margin.....	1-0
+1 Turnover Margin.....	2-1
Recording 1 Takeaway.....	5-3
Even Turnover Margin.....	4-2
Defense Has 3+ Sacks.....	6-2
Indoors.....	7-2
Outdoors.....	6-1
At Home.....	6-2
On The Road.....	7-1
On Artificial Turf.....	8-2
On Natural Grass.....	5-1
Scoring 20 Or More Points.....	10-1
Allowing 20 Or Fewer Points.....	7-0
Committing Zero Turnovers.....	7-1

### PRO BOWL PLAYERS COACHED BY SEAN PAYTON

Sean Payton has coached 28 players who've earned 61 Pro Bowl selections as a head coach, offensive coordinator and position coach with the New Orleans Saints, Dallas Cowboys and New York Giants, including a franchise-record eight selections in 2018 and seven were selected for the 2020 game (tackle Terron Armstead, quarterback Drew Brees, tight end Jared Cook, return specialist Deonte Harris, defensive end Cameron Jordan, running back Alvin Kamara, cornerback Marshon Lattimore, kicker Wil Lutz, guard Andrus Peat, wide receiver Michael Thomas, guard Larry Warford).

Pos.	Player	Pro Bowls	Years
G	Larry Allen	1	2005
<b>T</b>	<b>Terron Armstead</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2018-19</b>
<b>QB</b>	<b>Drew Brees</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2006, 08-14, 16-19</b>
T	Jammal Brown	2	2006, 08
T	Jermon Bushrod	1	2011
<b>TE</b>	<b>Jared Cook</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>201</b>
G	Jahri Evans	5	2009-11, 13-14
C	Jonathan Goodwin	1	2009
TE	Jimmy Graham	3	2011, 13-14
G	Ben Grubbs	1	2013
S	Roman Harper	2	2009-10
<b>RS</b>	<b>Deonte Harris</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2019</b>
RB	Mark Ingram II	2	2014, 2017
<b>DE</b>	<b>Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2013, 2015, 2017-19</b>
<b>RB</b>	<b>Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2017-19</b>
<b>CB</b>	<b>Marshon Lattimore</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2017, 2019</b>
<b>K</b>	<b>Wil Lutz</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2019</b>
G	Carl Nicks	2	2010-11
<b>G</b>	<b>Andrus Peat</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2018-19</b>
S	Darren Sharper	1	2009
TE	Jeremy Shockey	1	2002
DE	Will Smith	1	2006
T	Jon Stinchcomb	1	2009
G	Ron Stone	2	2000-01
<b>WR</b>	<b>Michael Thomas</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2017-19</b>
LB	Jonathan Vilma	2	2009-10
C	Max Unger	1	2018
G	Larry Warford	3	2017-19
TE	Jason Witten	1	2005

### WINNING HEAD COACH-QB COMBINATION

The Sean Payton-Drew Brees head coach-starting quarterback combo are second-winningest all-time.

### WINNINGEST HEAD COACH-STARTING QB DUOS

COACH/QB	WINS
Belichick-Brady	220
<b>Payton-Brees</b>	<b>126</b>
Shula-Marino	116
Tomlin-Roethlisberger	114

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The Payton-Brees combination have started the second-most regular season games together as well.

### MOST STARTS BY HEAD COACH-QB DUOS

COACH/QB	STARTS
Belichick-Brady	281
<b>Payton-Brees</b>	<b>200</b>
Shula-Marino	184

## BUCKING THE ODDS

The Saints have a long tradition of finding players as free agents signed after the draft that make an impact.

### SAINTS ON 53-MAN ROSTER WHO HAVE JOINED THE TEAM AS UNDRAFTED ROOKIE FREE AGENTS

PLAYER, SCHOOL	SEASON
TE Josh Hill, Idaho State	2013
DB J.T. Gray, Mississippi State	2018
OL Ethan Greenidge, Villanova	2019
LB Chase Hansen, Utah	2019
WR/RS Deonte Harris, Assumption	2019
DT Shy Tuttle, Tennessee	2019
DE Carl Granderson, Wyoming	2019
WR Marquez Callaway, Tennessee	2020
P Blake Gillikin, Penn State	2020
DL Malcolm Roach, Texas	2020

## IN THE NFL

The Saints have the second-best regular season record in the NFC and fourth-best in the NFL since 2006.

### REGULAR SEASON RECORDS IN THE NFL SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	174	50	0	.777
Pittsburgh Steelers	141	82	1	.632
Green Bay Packers	140	82	2	.629
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.616</b>
Baltimore Ravens	136	88	0	.607

Since 2009, their 113-63 regular season record is ranked second in the NFC and fourth in the National Football League.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE REGULAR SEASON RECORDS SINCE 2009

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	135	41	0	.767
Green Bay Packers	113	61	2	.647
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.642</b>
Pittsburgh Steelers	111	64	1	.633
Baltimore Ravens	107	69	0	.608
Seattle Seahawks	105	70	1	.599

## POINTS PER GAME

Since 2006, the Saints have averaged 27.9 points per game (6,259 points) in 224 regular season games, second in the National Football League. Since 2006, they've scored 20 or more points in 177 contests (79.0%) and 30 or more in 106 (47.3%). Five of the team's top seven single-game point totals have occurred since 2006. The Saints are tied with three teams for having three consecutive 45-point plus outputs all-time.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE POINTS PER GAME LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. New England	6,531	29.2
<b>2. New Orleans</b>	<b>6,259</b>	<b>27.9</b>
3. Green Bay	5,772	25.8

The Saints finished the regular season tied for second in the NFC and third in the National Football League in points per game in 2019 with this Sunday's opponent, the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE POINTS PER GAME LEADERS IN 2019

Team	Pts.	Pts./Gm.
1. Baltimore	531	33.2
2. San Francisco	479	29.9
<b>3t. New Orleans</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>28.6</b>
3t. Tampa Bay	458	28.6
5. Kansas City	451	28.2

## TEAM NOTES

### NEARLY UNBEATABLE AT 30

Since Sean Payton arrived as head coach of the New Orleans Saints in 2006, the team has posted a 96-15 record (86.5%) in regular season and postseason games where they've scored at least 30 points, including putting up at least 30 in 11 of 16 regular season games this season, posting a 10-1 record in the contests

### 30-POINT GAME OUTPUTS BY SEASON

#### (2006-19 REG. SEASON AND POSTSEASON)

**2006:** 6-1

**2007:** 5-0

**2008:** 6-2

**2009:** 12-0 (Including 3-0 in postseason)

**2010:** 6-1 (Including 0-1 in postseason)

**2011:** 10-2 (Including 1-1 in postseason)

**2012:** 6-2

**2013:** 6-0

**2014:** 4-1

**2015:** 3-1

**2016:** 6-3

**2017:** 7-0 (Including 1-0 in postseason)

**2018:** 9-1

**2019:** 10-1

### SAINTS BY THE NUMBERS

**3** – Consecutive NFC South championships since 2017.

**6** – Club-record number of 2019 AP All-Pro selections.

**6** – Ring of Honor members.

**8** – Division championships, including the 2019 season.

**9** – Club-record tying number of sacks that the Saints posted on Thanksgiving night at Atlanta.

**11** – The club-record number of Pro Bowl selections in 2019.

**384** – Franchise wins (Regular season/postseason)

**10** – Pro Football Hall of Famers and number of postseason appearances, including 2018. 2019 will be the club's 11th time they qualify for the postseason.

**33** – Number of years the club was owned by Tom Benson, who passed away in 2018.

**46** – Entering its 46th season at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

**54** – The club is in its 54th season of play.

**84,728** – Largest home crowd (United States), a Nov. 3, 1968 contest vs. Dallas played at Tulane Stadium.

**73,373** – Largest crowd at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome, a November 24, 2014 contest vs. Baltimore.

**139** – Games won by Head Coach Sean Payton (regular season and postseason), ranked first in club history and 26th in National Football League record books.

**6,867** – NFL-record number completions by Drew Brees.

**10,161** – Number of career attempts by Brees. With nine attempts on Sunday, he will surpass Brett Favre to become the

**77,416** – NFL-record number of passing yards by Brees.

**547** – NFL-record touchdown passes by Brees.

**36** – After tossing four touchdowns on December 16, 2009 vs. Indianapolis, Brees surpassed Peyton Manning with 36 games with at least four touchdown passes for first in league record books.

**87** – Sacks by DE Cameron Jordan, ranked second in team records.

**12** – 2018 Sack total by Jordan, ranked first on the club.

**15.5** – 2019 Sack total by Jordan, ranked third in the NFL and the fifth double-digit takedown season in his career. It is tied for the fourth-highest total in franchise history

**470** – Number of receptions by Michael Thomas in his first four seasons, a National Football League record.

**56** – Number of games it took Thomas to reach 400 receptions, the fewest in NFL history.

**211** – Team-record number of receiving yards by Thomas in the Nov. 4, 2018 45-35 victory vs. the Los Angeles Rams

**149** – Receptions by Thomas in 2019, ranked first all-time in NFL record books, surpassing Marvin Harrison's 143 in 2002. He is also the only player to have 90 catches in each of his first four seasons.

**1,725** – Team-record 2019 receiving yardage by Thomas, which led the NFL and is the seventh-highest total in NFL record books.

**881** – Career tackles by LB Demario Davis in his eight-year NFL career.

**111** – Team-leading tackle total by Davis in 2019, his sixth season reaching the century mark.

**110** – Team-leading tackle total by Davis in 2018.



# TEAM NOTES

Marcus Davenport, New Orleans 2018, #14  
 Cesar Ruiz, New Orleans 2020, #24

## PRIME TIME POWER

Since 2006, the Saints have the third-best record in prime time contests.

### TOP FIVE NFL PRIME TIME RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Seattle Seahawks	32	11	1	.744
New England Patriots	43	18	0	.705
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.667</b>
Pittsburgh Steelers	43	23	0	.652
Dallas Cowboys	43	30	0	.589

New Orleans has been even more dominating at home on prime time, posting a 23-6 mark since 2006, third in the NFL over that period.

### TOP NFL HOME PRIME TIME RECORDS SINCE 2006

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Baltimore Ravens	14	3	0	.824
Seattle Seahawks	22	5	0	.815
<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.793</b>
New England Patriots	23	7	0	.767
Pittsburgh Steelers	24	8	0	.750

## FIRST ROUND FOCUS

The Saints feature 11 players on the 53-man roster who entered the NFL as first round draft choices, snine selected by New Orleans.

### SAINTS FIRST ROUND PLAYERS

PLAYER, TEAM	SEASON, SELECTION
Malcolm Jenkins, New Orleans	2009, #14
Patrick Robinson, New Orleans	2010, #32
Cameron Jordan, New Orleans	2011, #24
Jameis Winston, Tampa Bay	2015, #1
Andrus Peat, New Orleans	2015, #13
Malcom Brown, New England	2015, #32
Sheldon Rankins, New Orleans	2016, #12
Marshon Lattimore, New Orleans	2017, #11
Ryan Ramczyk, New Orleans	2017, #32

## HIGHER EDUCATION

42 different colleges and universities are represented on the Saints' current 2020 53-man roster. Of that total, 11 players are represented by multiple Saints, led by four from Florida State (offensive lineman **Derrick Kelly II**, cornerback **Patrick Robinson**, quarterback **Jameis Winston** and cornerback **P.J. Williams**).

## ROSTER ROLL CALL

Of the 53 players on the Saints' roster, 42 were on the active roster, a reserve list or the practice squad at the end of 2018. The 11 newcomers on the roster includes five unrestricted free agents (quarterback **Jameis Winston**, wide receiver **Emmanuel Sanders**, safety **Malcolm Jenkins**, full-back **Michael Burton** and running back **Ty Montgomery II**), three draft choices (center/guard **Cesar Ruiz**, linebacker **Zack Baun** and tight end **Adam Trautman**) and three rookie free agents (wide receiver **Marquez Callaway**, punter **Blake Gillikin** and defensive lineman **Malcolm Roach**). Of the 53 players, 19 have less than four years of prior NFL experience, including six players who were in their first pre-season. The following's a breakdown of New Orleans' roster by experience (year entering): 20 years-1, 12 years-3, 11 years-2, 10 years-1, 9 years-3, 8 years-4, 7 years-0, 6 years-7, 5 years-4, 4 years-9, 3 years-4, 2 years-7, rookies -6.

## TURNOVER RATIO LEADER

The Saints finished the regular season ranked first in the NFC and second in the National Football League in turnover ratio at +15 in 2019.

### 2019 NFL TURNOVER DIFFERENTIAL LEADERS

Team	Takeaways			Giveaways			Diff
	Ints	Fum	Total	Ints	Fum	Total	
1. NE	25	11	36	9	6	15	+21
<b>2. NO</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>+15</b>
3t. GB	17	8	24	4	9	13	+12
3t. Sea.	16	16	32	6	14	20	+12
5. Min.	17	14	31	8	12	20	+11
6. Bal.	13	12	25	8	7	15	+10

# OFFENSIVE NOTES

## DOMINATING OFFENSE

Since 2006, the Saints have been the National Football League's top offense, averaging 400.2 total net yards per game.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOTAL OFFENSE LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1. New Orleans	89,642	400.2
2. New England	86,104	384.4
3. Philadelphia	83,168	371.3

## YARDAGE RAMPAGE

Since 2006, the Saints have racked up the team's top six highest regular season single-game net yardage totals. Prior to that, New Orleans had only reached 500 yards in seven games. Since then, they've met the mark in 28 contests.

### TOP 5 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS TOTAL NET YARDAGE GAMES

Rk.	Opponent	Yds.	Rush	Pass	Date
1.	vs. Dallas	625	242	383	11/10/13
2.	vs. Carolina	617	208	409	1/1/12
3.	vs. NYG	608	103	505	11/1/15
4.	vs. Cin.	595	91	504	11/19/06
5.	vs. NYG	577	205	172	11/28/11

## KEEPING DRIVES GOING

The Saints have converted a NFL-best 46.3 of their third down attempts in the regular season since 2006.

### NFL THIRD DOWN CONVERSION LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Made	Att.	Pct.
1. New Orleans	1,346	2,909	46.3
2. Indianapolis	1,291	2,947	43.8
3. New England	1,292	2,976	43.4

## FIRST DOWNS

The Saints' 5,159 first downs since 2006 are second in the NFL.

### NFL FIRST DOWN LEADERS SINCE 2006

Team	Tot.	Rush	Pass	Pen
1. New England	5,159	1,631	3,066	462
2. New Orleans	5,083	1,418	3,324	341
3. Indianapolis	4,706	1,305	2,952	449

## THROUGH THE AIR

New Orleans' 290.9 net passing yards per game lead the National Football League since 2006.

### NFL NET PASSING YARDS PER GAME SINCE 2006

Rk. Team	Yds.	Yds./Gm.
1. New Orleans	65,135	290.8
2. New England	59,469	265.5
3. LA Chargers	56,864	253.9

## YARDS AFTER THE CATCH

Since 2006, the Saints rank first in the National Football League in yards after the catch (31,819) and finished second in 2019 (2,258).

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE YARDS AFTER THE CATCH SINCE 2006

Team	YAC
1. NO	32,123
2. NE	30,611
3. GB	29,929

### 2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE YARDS AFTER THE CATCH LEADERS

Team	YAC
1. LAR	2,286
2. NO	2,258
3. KC	2,250

## OFFENSIVE NOTES

### FOUR DOWN TERRITORY

Since 2006, the Saints are ranked first in the NFC and third in the National Football League in fourth down conversion rate, converting 125-of-222 attempts (56.3 Pct.).

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE FOURTH DOWN PCT. LEADERS SINCE 2006

Rk.	Team	Conv./Att.	Pct.
1.	New England Patriots	133/219	60.7
2.	Cincinnati Bengals	115/204	56.4
2.	<b>New Orleans Saints</b>	<b>125/222</b>	<b>56.3</b>

### HOLDING THE LINE

Since 2006, the Saints have allowed the fewest sacks in the NFL, surrendering only 339 quarterback takedowns in 224 regular season games, 25 in 2019 to tie for third fewest in the league

### FEWEST SACKS ALLOWED IN THE NFL FROM 2006-PRESENT

Rk.	Team	Sacks
1.	<b>New Orleans</b>	<b>339</b>
2.	Indianapolis	405
3.	New England	412

### FEWEST SACKS ALLOWED IN THE NFL IN 2019

Rk.	Team	Sacks
1.	LA Rams	22
2.	Dallas	23
3t.	<b>New Orleans</b>	<b>25</b>
3t.	Kansas City	25

Ahead is a synopsis of several returning players and newcomers through the draft, free agency and trade to the 2020 Saints offensive line:

**LT Terron Armstead** - The club's first third round draft choice in 2013 out of Arkansas-Pine Bluff, Armstead impressed scouts by running the fastest 40-yard dash time (4.71) by an offensive lineman in the history of the National Football League Scouting Combine. He has opened 71 regular season games for New Orleans and seven post-season contests and has been selected to the Pro Bowl the past two seasons, as well as being selected as the club's 2019 Man of the Year and the team nominee for the NFL's Art Rooney Sportsmanship Award..

**C/G Nick Easton** - Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by Baltimore out of Harvard, Easton developed into a starting swing guard/center by his second season and opened 17 contests for Minnesota. The North Carolina native signed with New Orleans in 2019 to provide interior depth and started the five consecutive contests at left guard in place of an injured Andrus Peat, the final four where the Saints surrendered only three takedowns.

**T/G Andrus Peat** - A first round selection (13th overall) in the 2015 NFL Draft out of Stanford, Peat was considered one of the top college offensive linemen in 2014. In his first five seasons, Peat's played in 62 games with 57 starts, opening a contest at every position except center. In 2018, he opened 12 regular season contests at left guard and one at left tackle and both postseason games at left guard as he was named to the Pro Bowl for the first time. He opened ten contests at left guard in 2019, returning to action in Week 17 after missing five contests.

**RT Ryan Ramczyk** - The Black and Gold used their second first round selection in the 2017 NFL Draft to snag Ramczyk out of Wisconsin, viewed by many as one of the best linemen in the entire draft. After opening all 16 games and both postseason contests in 2017 and being selected as a PFWA All-Rookie, he was an AP All-Pro selection at right tackle in 2018, not missing an offensive snap in both postseason contests and all 15 regular games at the right tackle position that he played in. Ramczyk opened all 16 regular season games in 2019 to serve as a dominating bookend to Armstead, earning first-team All-Pro honors.

**C/G Erik McCoy** - New Orleans traded up in the second round of the 2019 NFL Draft to select this standout from Texas A&M, who was a three-year starter, anchoring the middle of the Aggies offensive line. In 2018, he was a team captain who paved the way for the SEC's leading rusher and in 2019 was the first Saint in franchise history to start at center in Week One, as he ably replaced the retired Max Unger, opening all 16 regular season contests.

**G/C Cesar Ruiz** - The hard-working, talented and intelligent lineman is a perfect fit for New Orleans' culture with the 24th pick in the 2020 NFL Draft out of Michigan. The three-year letterman played in 36 games in his college career, starting his last 31 including the final 26 at center, earning All-Big Ten as a junior in 2019

**C/G Will Clapp** - A technically proficient player, who through the combination of size, strength and intelligence, was a three-year starter on the LSU offensive line, starting all 36 games that he appeared in (13 at center, 12 at left guard, 11 at right guard), earning first-team All-SEC honors at guard and center. The former Brother Martin standout has served as a jumbo tight end, seeing significant action as the club's sixth offensive lineman in each contest as well as at left and right guard.

## DEFENSIVE NOTES

### DEFENSIVE DRAFTS

Over the last five NFL Drafts from 2015-20, New Orleans has shown a commitment to improving the defense, spending 18-of-32 picks on that side of the ball. With nine picks in the 2015 NFL Draft, the Saints picked six defensive players, the most taken since New Orleans chose nine defensive players in a 12-round selection meeting in 1990. Below is an overview of the players selected by New Orleans from 2015-20 on the 53-man roster:

**Linebacker Alex Anzalone, Florida (D3b-17)** - Selected in the third round (76th overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft out of Florida, Anzalone posted 53 tackles as a senior through the first eight games before suffering a forearm injury. Anzalone enjoyed a breakout campaign in 2018, when he played in all 16 games and finished with 59 tackles, two sacks, an interception, two interceptions and three forced fumbles. Fully recovered from a shoulder injury that limited him to two games in 2019, Anzalone returns to the starting lineup in 2020 after a successful rehab.

**Linebacker Zack Baun, Wisconsin (D3a-20)** - Selected in the third round (74th overall) of the 2020 NFL Draft out of Wisconsin, Baun finished his college career in Madison with 154 tackles, 15 sacks, two interceptions, one returned for a touchdown, six passes defended, three forced fumbles and one fumble recovery. The Saints were attracted to his form and playmaking ability that he displayed for the Badgers in 2019, when he ranked second in the Big Ten with a 19.5 stops for loss and 12 sacks (ranked second among Power Five Five linebackers in both categories.)

**Defensive back C.J. Gardner-Johnson, Florida (D4-19)** - Possessing a combination of instincts and speed, this Florida native was a solid value in the fourth round for New Orleans after playing in all 13 games with 12 starts for the Gators in 2018, when he posted 71 tackles, three sacks and four interceptions with two brought back for touchdowns. Gardner-Johnson appeared in all 16 contests with seven starts, recording 46 tackles (35 solo), one interception, eight passes defended, one forced fumble, one fumble recovery and three special teams stops, adding three stops and one pass defense in the playoff game.

**Defensive End Trey Hendrickson, Florida Atlantic (D3c-17)** - This third round draft choice in the 2017 NFL Draft (103<sup>rd</sup> overall) out of Florida Atlantic brought his raw talent, size, strength and speed to a youthful Saints defensive line. Hendrickson was ranked third on the team with a career-high 4.5 sacks in 2019, adding one more takedown in the postseason.

**Cornerback Marshon Lattimore, Ohio State (D1a-17)** - The 11th overall selection in the 2017 NFL draft out of Ohio State and the first corner taken possesses all the

traits of a lockdown defender. With his agile, fluid style, Lattimore has the ability to shut down the best wide receivers. He played a critical role in the pass defense unit as a rookie, as he moved into the lineup immediately. For the 2017 season, he finished with 53 stops, five picks, to lead NFL rookies and the Saints, tying a team rookie record, a club-best 18 passes defended, a forced fumble and a recovery. Lattimore was the first Saints corner selected to the Pro Bowl since 1995 and was selected as AP Defensive Rookie of the Year. His five takeaways (two interceptions and three fumble recoveries) in 2018 led the team, adding two more picks in the NFC Divisional Playoff win. In the Sept. 22 win at Seattle, Lattimore led New Orleans with a career-high 12 tackles (career-high ten solo). For his efforts in 2019, Lattimore was recognized by being selected to his second Pro Bowl after posting a club-best 14 passes defended.

**Defensive Tackle David Onyemata, Manitoba (D4-16)** - Possessing a unique combination of size and speed, this Nigeria native had an impressive rookie year after becoming the first player from the University of Manitoba to be drafted into the NFL. Despite being new to football, the 2016 fourth round draft pick became a critical member on the interior of the Saints defensive front in 2017, playing in all 16 games with six starts, making 40 tackles and two sacks. Onyemata had a career-high 4.5 sacks in 2018, including a single-game career best three takedowns in at Dallas/ Onyemata provided a punch for the Saints defense, having started all 15 games that he has played in and recording 32 stops and three sacks to tie for fourth on the team, while being a key run-stopping cog to the NFL's fourth-ranked rush defense, being re-signed to a three-year contract in the offseason. .

**Safety Marcus Williams, Utah (D2-17)** - A three-year starter at the University of Utah, Williams was twice named All-Pac 12 and earned second-team All-American as a junior when he tied for second in the conference with five interceptions. The defender boasts a dangerous mix of speed, fluidity, and instinct that allows him to read offenses and make breaks on the football. His athleticism showed in his rookie season in as he made 70 tackles, four interceptions and six passes defended, adding ten more stops (seven solo) and another pick in the postseason. In 2019, he played in all 15 games with 14 starts, posting 52 tackles (35 solo), the team-high four picks, tied for eighth in the NFL, 13 passes defended, a forced fumble and two coverage stops. Following a passionate workout routine in the offseason, a ten-pound gain in a workout routine is expected to help Williams' performance in run support, without affecting his coverage abilities.

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## DEFENSIVE NOTES

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**Cornerback P.J. Williams, Florida State (D3b-15)** - Williams' career was initially limited by missing all but two games his first two seasons with a hamstring injury (2015) and a concussion (2016), but he's rebounded to miss only one game with injury since. An experienced starter from Florida State, who developed into one of the nation's top cover corners, in 2019, he made 41 stops, a sack, an interception, three passes defended and one special teams stop, serving as the team's nickel corner for the second straight season. In the Dec. 22, 2019 win at Tennessee, Williams further showed his versatility by making the switch to safety after Marcus Williams was forced to depart with a groin injury and then starting in Williams' place in the regular season finale at Carolina. Williams was re-signed in the offseason by the club, which values his versatility.

### STOPPING THE RUN

In rush defense, the Saints gave up only 80.2 net yards per game in 2018, second in the National Football League after giving up 129.4 per game in 2017. The 2019 Saints finished the regular season ranked fourth in the NFL in opponent rushing yards per game (91.3). 2018-19 marked only the second time they did so in back-to-back seasons in franchise history, joining the 1986—1987 teams

#### 2019 NFL OPPONENT RUSHING YARDS PER GAME LEADERS

Team	Opp. Rush Yards/Game
1. TB	73.8
2. NYJ	86.9
3. Phi.	90.1
<b>4. NO</b>	<b>91.3</b>
5. Bal.	93.4

The Saints produced their most impressive run-stopping effort in several seasons in 2018 and carried it over in 2019. In seven straight games in 2018, they didn't surrender 100 rushing yards to an opponent for the first time since 2007. Below are the longest streaks in team history the defense has gone without surrendering 100 yards. New Orleans hasn't allowed a 100-yard rusher in a club-record 42 straight games (regular season and postseason).

### CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT SURRENDERING 100 YARDS RUSHING

Time Period	Games
1. 10/1/89-12/10/89	11
<b>t2. 9/17/18-11/4/18</b>	<b>7</b>
t2. 9/16/07-10/28/07	7
t2. 9/1/91-10/20/91	7

### CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT ALLOWING A 100-YARD RUSHER

(REGULAR SEASON AND POSTSEASON COMBINED)

- 1. New Orleans Saints: 43**
2. New York Jets: 11

### GIVING THEM A RUN FOR IT

The Saints produced their most impressive run defense performance in an October 20, 2019 win at Chicago. The 17 rushing yards surrendered was fifth-lowest total in team history, the lowest in club record books for a road game. New Orleans followed, October 27 giving up only 40 rushing yards to Arizona.

#### FEWEST NEW ORLEANS SAINTS OPP. RUSHING YARDAGE TOTALS

Game	Yards
1. 11/30/86, vs. New England	2
2. 12/6//98, vs. Dallas	8
3. 10/15/00, vs. Carolina	10
4. 11/27/88, vs. New York Giants	14
<b>5. 10/20/19, at Chicago</b>	<b>17</b>

Chicago didn't manage a rushing first down, the fourth time in club history New Orleans didn't give up a first down rushing.

#### SAINTS CONTESTS WITH 0 RUSHING FIRST DOWNS SURRENDERED

- | Game                           |
|--------------------------------|
| 1. 11/30/86, vs. New England   |
| 2. 9/18/88, at Detroit         |
| 3. 10/15/00, vs. Carolina      |
| <b>4. 10/20/19, at Chicago</b> |

## DEFENSIVE NOTES

### TOP SIX

The Saints finished the 2019 season ranked sixth in the NFL in third down defense, their best performance since finishing fifth in 2010.

#### 2019 OPPONENT THIRD DOWN PERCENTAGE

Team	Third Down Pct.
1. NE	24.1
2t. SF	33.3
3t. Dal.	33.3
4. Phi.	34.1
5. TB	34.8
<b>6. NO</b>	<b>34.8</b>

### IN THE NFL

In the 2019 regular season, The New Orleans defense was ranked 11th in the NFL in opponent net yards per game

#### NFL OPPONENT NET YARDS PER GAME LEADERS

Team	Opp. Net Yds. Gm.
1. NE	275.9
2. SF	281.8
3. Buf.	298.3
4. Bal.	300.6
5. Pit.	304.1
6. LAC	313.1
7. NYJ	323.1
8. Chi.	324.1
9. Dal.	327.0
10. Phi.	331.7
<b>11. NO</b>	<b>333.1</b>

### FOURTH DOWN DEFENSE

In the Sept. 22 33-27 win at Seattle, the Saints allowed the Seahawks to convert on fourth down attempts only once in five tries, stopping them four times. This marked the first time the Saints stopped an opponent on fourth down four times since a 23-10 win at Jacksonville, October 2, 2011. In the Oct. 13 win at Jacksonville, a fourth quarter fourth down stop at the New Orleans 40-yard line on fourth-and-two put New Orleans in the drivers seat.

### SACK ATTACK

After tying the franchise record with nine sacks in a Thanksgiving night win at Atlanta in 2019 to clinch the NFC South, led by a career-high four takedowns from defensive end Cameron Jordan, who tied the franchise career-best, the Saints finished the regular season ranked third in the National Football League in quarterback takedowns (51). 15 different New Orleans defenders recorded at least one takedown on the season.

#### 2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SACK LEADERS

Team	Sacks
1. Pit.	54
2. Car.	53
<b>3. NO</b>	<b>51</b>
4. LAR	50
5t. SF	48
5t. Min.	48

With 51 quarterback takedowns, the Saints had 50 sacks for the ninth time in franchise history and for the first time since 2001, tied for the franchise's seventh-highest single-season total.

#### ALL-TIME SAINTS SEASON SACK TOTALS

(SINCE 1982)

Season	Sacks
1. 2000	66
2. 1997	59
3. 1992	57
4. 1983	56
5. 1984	55
6. 2001	53
7t. 2019	51
7t. 1993	51
9. 1991	50
10. 2013	49

# SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

## JUST KICKING IT

Between deep touchdown passes and athletic interceptions, players often use their hands to produce the game's flashiest plays. However, players who use their feet often make the difference between winning and losing, drilling clutch field goals or flipping the field with a well-executed punt.

K **Wil Lutz** went undrafted in 2016, joining the Baltimore Ravens for training camp. Prior to the start of the regular season, Lutz joined the Black and Gold and immediately took on placekicking and kickoff duties. Lutz has kicked in 64 games, converting 119-of-136 field goal attempts (87.5 percent) and 196-of-202 PATs. He's also recorded 245 touchbacks on 375 career kickoffs. His 87.5 percent field goal percentage is best among kickers with at least 50 made field goals in team history. Until the 2018 regular season finale, he'd kicked a field goal in a club-record 36 consecutive games, second-longest streak in National Football League history

With his first field goal on October 20 at Chicago, Lutz set the National Football League record for consecutive field goals on the road (35).

### MOST CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES WITH A FIELD GOAL ON THE ROAD IN NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE HISTORY

Rk.	Player	Years	Cons. Kicks
1.	<b>Wil Lutz</b>	<b>2017-2019</b>	<b>35</b>
2.	Rian Lindell	2006-09	34
3t.	Norm Johnson	1994-96	33
3t.	Kai Forbath	2014-17	33

In 2018, Lutz made 28-of-30 field goal attempts, including a club-record 26 straight at one point, 52-of-53 PAT attempts and recorded 64 touchbacks, adding a special teams stop. He ranked second in the NFL in scoring with 134 points, his field goal accuracy ranked third in the league and 52 PATs ranked second.

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE 2018 FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE LEADERS

Player	FG Percentage
1. Robbie Gould, SF	97.1
2. Aldrick Rosas, NY Giants	97.0
<b>3. Wil Lutz, New Orleans</b>	<b>96.4</b>

On December 23, 2018 vs. Pittsburgh, Lutz drilled his club-record 26th consecutive field goal

### MOST CONSECUTIVE FIELD GOALS MADE IN TEAM HISTORY

Rk.	Player	Date	Cons.
1.	<b>Wil Lutz</b>	<b>9/23/18-12/23/18</b>	<b>26</b>
2.	Morten Andersen	11/1/92-9/12/93	25
3.	Morten Andersen	11/24/85-10/5/86	20

The 36 consecutive games where Lutz had kicked a field goal ended with no attempts in the regular season finale as the second-longest streak in National Football League history.

### MOST CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES WITH A FIELD GOAL IN NFL HISTORY

Rk.	Player	Years	Cons. Games
1.	Matt Stover	1999-2001	38
2.	<b>Wil Lutz</b>	<b>2016-2018</b>	<b>36</b>
3.	Fred Cox	1968-70	31

Since entering the NFL in 2016, Lutz ranks second in both field goals and points scored.

### FIELD GOAL LEADERS SINCE 2016

Player	FG
1. Justin Tucker, Bal.	135
2. <b>Wil Lutz, New Orleans</b>	<b>119</b>
3. Matt Prater, Det.	115

### NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SCORING LEADERS SINCE 2016

Player	Points
1. Justin Tucker, Bal.	564
2. <b>Wil Lutz, New Orleans</b>	<b>553</b>
3. Matt Prater, Det.	481

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## SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

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In 2019, Lutz drilled 32-of-36 field goal attempts, ranked third in the league in kicks converted and ranks first in the NFC and second in the NFL in scoring with a career-high 144 points, including two game-winners as time expired. He is now the single-season record holder for field goals in Saints history and was selected to his first Pro Bowl, the first Black and Gold kicker to be selected to the league's all-star game since Morten Andersen in 1992. Lutz's 32 field goals, including 17 straight kicks are a club record.

#### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SINGLE-SEASON FIELD GOAL LEADERS

Saint, Year	FG
1. Wil Lutz, 2019	32
2t. Wil Lutz, 2017	31
2t. John Carney, 2002	31
2t. Morten Andersen, 1985	31

#### NFL FIELD GOAL LEADERS IN 2019

Player	FG
1. Harrison Butker, KC	34
2. Josh Lambo, Jax.	33
3. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	32
4. Zane Gonzalez, Arz.	31

#### 2019 NFL SCORING LEADERS

Player	Points
1. Harrison Butker, KC	147
2. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	144
3. Justin Tucker, Bal.	141

Lutz is also a weapon in the kickoff game with his 74 touchbacks ranking second in the NFL and his 245 since 2016 leading the league.

#### NFL TOUCHBACK LEADERS SINCE 2016

Player	TB
1. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	245
2. Greg Zuerlein, L.A. Rams	229
3. Bradley Pinion, Tampa Bay	224

#### 2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOUCHBACK LEADERS

Player	Points
1. Bradley Pinion, Tampa Bay	88
2. Wil Lutz, New Orleans	74
3t. Joey Slye, Car.	66
3t. Dan Bailey, Min.	66

**Thomas Morstead** was the first punter drafted by the Saints since 1984. The club's fifth round draft choice (164<sup>th</sup> overall) in 2009 from SMU, Morstead's been a weapon in the field position game with his strong leg, outstanding placement abilities and booming kickoffs. In 11 seasons, he has a gross average of 46.9 on 630 punts with a 41.6 net and 228 punts inside the 20-yard line, while also booming 259 kickoffs in the end zone for touchbacks. Morstead is ranked eighth on the club's all-time games played list with 174 regular season appearances and his consistency carried over to 2018, where he averaged a 46.4 gross punting average, a career-high and league-best 43.2 net punting average, with 15 dropped inside-the-20-yard line. In 2019, he finished the regular season fifth in the National Football League in net punting average (43.1).

#### 2018 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE NET PUNTING AVERAGE LEADERS

Rk. Player, Team	Net Avg.
1. Thomas Morstead, NO	43.2
2. Johnny Hekker, LAR	43.0
3. Rigoberto Sanchez, Ind.	42.7

#### 2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE NET PUNTING AVERAGE LEADERS

Rk. Player, Team	Net.
1. Logan, Cooke, Jax.	44.5
2. Bryan Anger, Hou.	44.5
3. Tress Way, Was.	44.1
4. Brett Kern, Ten.	43.1
5. Thomas Morstead, NO	43.1
6. Britton Colquitt, Min.	42.6

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### HIGHEST CAREER NET PUNTING AVERAGE IN NFL HISTORY

(Min. 250 punts, recorded since 1976)

Rk. Player, Team	Net Avg.
1. Johnny Hekker, LAR (2012-)	43.3
<b>2. Thomas Morstead, NO (2009-)</b>	<b>41.6</b>
3. Riley Dixon, Den.-NYG (2016-)	41.4

### SWISS ARMY KNIFE

QB **Taysom Hill**, in his fourth season with the club, has brought unheralded versatility to the Saints on offense and special teams. A participant on every special teams unit except field goal and PAT, as well as a signal-caller, runner and receiver on offense, in the 2018 regular season, Hill averaged 24.9 yards per return on 14 kickoff returns, had six coverage stops to rank second on the team, completed a ten-yard pass on a fake punt in Week Four and blocked a punt, Dec. 9 at Tampa Bay. Overall in 2018, Hill carried 37 times for 196 yards (5.3 avg.), ranked third on the team with two touchdowns and completed three of seven passes for 64 yards. The blocked punt earned him Week 14 NFC Special Teams Player of the Week honors. In the 2018 postseason, he caught a touchdown, made a special teams tackle and executed a successful fake punt.

In 2019, Hill appeared in every contest, carrying 27 times for 156 yards (5.8 avg.) with one touchdown, catching 19 passes for 234 yards with six touchdowns, deflecting a punt, returning one kickoff for 12 yards and posting two coverage stops. Hill is ranked third on the club in total touchdowns and third in receiving touchdowns. After a multi-threat performance on Thanksgiving night at Atlanta, when he deflected a punt and caught and rushed for a touchdown. Hill became the first NFL quarterback to both rush for and catch a touchdown in the same contest since Chicago's Jim McMahon in 1983. In a valiant postseason effort vs. Minnesota, Hill led the team in rushing with four carries for 50 yards, caught two passes for 25 yards with a touchdown and completed a 50-yard pass to Deonte Harris.

### COVERAGE/BLOCK UNITS

New Orleans' coverage units have been led the past three seasons by **Craig Robertson**, Hill and **Justin Hardee Sr.**

Hardee led the team with nine stops and a blocked punt recovered for a touchdown as a rookie in 2017. In 2018,

Hardee led the team with a career-high ten stops, with Hill ranked second with six. He posted five tackles in 2019.

Robertson also made a big play in the November 4, 2018 win over Los Angeles when he stopped rams holder Johnny Hecker short of the first down marker on a fake field goal attempt. He did the same December 23 vs. Pittsburgh in a crucial fourth quarter situation to snuff out a fake punt attempt. Robertson had five special teams stops in 2019.

In another addition to the club's special teams units, second-year DB **J.T. Gray** led the team with 17 stops, blocked a punt and recovered a fumble on a muffed punt as he was selected an AP second-team All-Pro.

### RETURN UNITS

WR/RS **Deonte Harris** has made an impact on New Orleans' return game. Harris was signed following the NFL Draft out of NCAA Division II Assumption, where he finished his college career as one of the most prolific returners in NCAA history. In the final game of his college career, he set the NCAA-All Division record for career combined return touchdowns (14).

In 2019, Harris has brought back 36 punts for 338 yards (9.4 avg.), ranked first in the NFC and fourth in the National Football in punt return average, ranked second among rookies, following a 53-yard runback for a touchdown in the first quarter of the Sept. 22 33-27 win at Seattle.

He also returned 24 kickoffs for 644 yards (26.8 avg.), second in the NFC and third in the NFL and has recorded one special teams stop. On offense Harris carried twice for 18 yards (9.0 avg.) and caught six passes for 24 yards.

Harris is the first player signed by New Orleans as an undrafted rookie following the draft to be selected to the Pro Bowl as a rookie.

### 2019 NFL PUNT RETURN AVERAGE LEADERS

Rk. Player, Team	Avg.
1. Diontae Johnson, Pit.	12.4
2. Braxton Berrios, NYJ	11.4
3. DeAndre Carter, Hou.	9.7
<b>4. Deonte Harris, NO</b>	<b>9.4</b>

### 2019 NFL KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE LEADERS

Rk. Player, Team	Avg.
1. Brandon Wilson, Cin.	31.3
2. Cordarrelle Patterson, Chi.	29.5
<b>3. Deonte Harris, NO</b>	<b>26.8</b>

## QUARTERBACKS

### DREW BREES

- Since first signing with New Orleans as an unrestricted free agent from the San Diego Chargers in 2006 and starting all 213 regular season games he has appeared in, a club record in both categories, Brees leads the NFL with 65,068 passing yards, 467 touchdown passes, 8,352 attempts, 5,742 completions, a 68.8% completion percentage, 113 games with at least 300 yards passing, 16 with at least 400, 500 completions of 25 yards or more and stands at third in the league with a 101.3 passer rating.

- Since signing with the Saints, Brees threw for 4,000 or more yards in his first 12 seasons with the club before sitting out the 2018 regular season finale at 3,992 and became the only National Football League signal-caller to throw for 5,000 yards five different times and ranked at or near the top in every passing category.

- In 11 regular season games sandwiched between a right thumb injury in 2019, Brees enjoyed another standout season as he completed 281-of-378 passes (74.3%) for 2,979 yards with 27 touchdowns, four interceptions and a career-high 116.3 passer rating. Brees finished ranked first in the NFL in completion percentage, second in passer rating and fourth in fourth quarter passer rating (110.2).

- Brees has been selected to play in a team-record 12 Pro Bowls as a member of the Saints, with 13 overall berths in the NFL's all-star game, three times as a starter, including his most recent selection in 2019. His seven consecutive selections (2008-14) as a Saint is tied for first in club history with Pro Football Hall of Fame T William Roaf and Brees has been a Pro Bowl selection for the last four campaigns.

- Brees has posted a 133-83 regular season mark in games he has started since signing with the Saints in 2006. In Week 15 of the 2016 season, Brees earned his 100th regular season victory in a Saints uniform. Including his eight playoff victories, his 141 total wins as a member of the Saints make him the winningest quarterback in team history and the NFL's second-winningest signal-caller since 2006.

- In his 19-year NFL playing career during which he has appeared in 275 regular season games with 274 starts, ranked fifth in league record books for signal-callers and ranked 23rd overall, Brees has completed 6,867-of-10,161 passes (67.6%) for 77,416 yards, 547 touchdown passes

and a 98.4 passer rating. He's stands as the NFL's all-time most accurate passer, became the league's recordholder in completions on Sept. 23, 2018, the passing yardage leader on Oct. 8, 2018, is ranked first in touchdown passes and third in passer rating. With nine attempts in Sunday's season opener vs. Tampa Bay, Brees will surpass Brett Favre to become the NFL's all-time recordholder.

## BREES VS. BRADY

Sunday's season opener vs. Tampa Bay will pose added significance as following the Buccaneers' offseason signing of quarterback Tom Brady, the matchup will feature the two most statistically prolific matchups in NFL record books. The first matchup in NFL history of two quarterbacks aged 40 and older in Brees (41) and Brady (43). Brees is first and Brady second all-time in completions, passing yards and touchdown passes respectively.

Brees and Brady have faced off six times against each other over the past 22 years in both college and pro, starting in the Big Ten Conference (Brees-Purdue, Brady-Michigan) in 1999. Below is a summary of their first five NFL meetings with the sixth on deck Sunday.

**Sept. 29, 2002** - Brees and the Chargers defeated the Brady-led Patriots, 21-14 at Qualcomm Stadium in his first season as a starter to help San Diego improve to 4-0. Brees completed 10-of-18 passes for 104 yards with a first quarter 52-yard touchdown to Curtis Conway.

**Oct. 2, 2005** - Brees and the Chargers defeated the Brady-led Patriots, 41-17 at Gillette Stadium in Foxboro, Mass. Brees completed 19-of-24 passes (79.2%) for 248 yards, two touchdowns, zero interceptions and a 137.5 passer rating. Brees was named AFC Offensive Player of the Week as the Chargers ended the Patriots' NFL-record 21-game home winning streak.

**Nov. 30, 2009** - In a 38-17 win over Brady and New England on Monday Night Football to improve New Orleans to 11-0, Brees was named NFC Offensive Player of the Week after posting the only perfect (158.3) passer rating of his career by completing 18-of-23 passes (78.3%) with five touchdowns.

**Oct. 13, 2013** - With the Saints leading 27-23 with 2:24 remaining at Gillette Stadium, Brady led an eight-play, 70-yard game-winning drive that ended with a 17-yard touchdown pass from five seconds left to snap New Orleans' 5-0 start.

**Sept. 17, 2017** - Brees and Brady combined for 803 yards passing, five touchdowns and zero interceptions as New England bested New Orleans in a 36-20 shootout at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome.

## BY THE NUMBERS

**4** – Brees (2011 and 2012), Dan Marino (Miami in 1984 and 1986) Peyton Manning (Denver in 2013 and Indianapolis in 2004), and Aaron Rodgers (Green Bay in 2011 and 2016) are the only four players to throw for 40 or more touchdowns twice. National Football League-record number of consecutive games that Brees threw for 350 yards in 2011. Also the number of undrafted players (wide receivers Austin Carr, Tommylee Lewis, tight end Dan Arnold and wide receiver Keith Kirkwood) that caught touchdown passes from Brees, November 22, 2018 vs. Atlanta, the first time that happened in NFL history. Career-high number of rushing touchdowns in 2018.

**5** – National Football League-record number of seasons (2008, 2011-13, 2016) that Brees has thrown for over 5,000 yards. Also the number of NFC Offensive Player of the Month awards won by Brees in his Saints career, the most monthly conference awards won by a Saints player.

**7** – The league-record number of times Brees has led the league in passing yardage. Also the career-high and National Football League-record tying number of touchdown passes he threw against the New York Giants on November 1, 2015. Also the NFL-record number of regular season contests where Brees has thrown five touchdowns and zero interceptions, after he did so on December 8 vs. San Francisco.

**8** – National Football League-record number of times Brees reached the 350-yard passing mark in 2011. He did so twice in 2019, when he tossed for 370 yards in the season-opening win vs. Houston in the Monday night season-opening win on September 9 and for 373 yards in the October 27 win over the Arizona Cardinals.

**9** – National Football League-record stretch of consecutive games with at least 300 yards passing, which he's accomplished twice. Brees' nine-game winning streak (11/24/08-9/30/13) as a starter on Monday Night Football is tied for second all-time. Also the number of attempts that Brees (10,161) needs on Sunday to surpass Brett Favre and become the NFL's all-time leader.

**10** – The National Football League-record number of seasons overall that Brees has thrown for at least 30 touchdowns.

**11** – The number of consecutive seasons Brees threw 25 touchdown passes from 2006-16, making him only the second player in history to do so, joining Manning (13, 1998-2010).

**12** – The team record number of seasons that Brees has been selected to the Pro Bowl as a Saint.

**13** – Including once with the San Diego Chargers in 2004,

the number of times Brees has been selected to the Pro Bowl. Also the number of seasons, all consecutive Brees has tossed for at least 4,000 yards. Also, with 13 300-yard games in 2011, Brees set the National Football League single-season record, surpassing the one he previously tied with 10 in 2008.

**14** – The number of seasons that Brees has thrown 25 or more touchdowns, tied for second in National Football League record books with Tom Brady (14) and behind Manning (16)

**15** – After tossing for 171 yards on a Thanksgiving night win vs. Atlanta, 2018 became Brees' 15th consecutive season with 3,000 yards passing, a feat surpassed only by Brett Favre (18).

**16** – National Football League-record number of regular season contests where Brees has thrown for at least 400 yards. In 2018, Brees became the fourth player in National Football League records to have 16 3,000-yard passing seasons, joining Favre (18) and Brady (17) and tied with Manning.

**17** – Number of wins by Brees as a starter against Sunday's opponent, Tampa Bay. With a win on Sunday, Brees' total wins as a starter against the Buccaneers would tie the total of 18 vs. Atlanta.

**19** – Rushing touchdowns as a Saint, having surpassed Archie Manning for first place among Saints quarterbacks following his one-yard quarterback sneak on December 8, 2019 vs. San Francisco.

**23** – Club-record NFC Player of the Week awards won by Brees as a member of the Saints and the most conference Player of the Week honors since 2006, including Week 15 honors. Including his five-year tenure with the San Diego Chargers, his 25 conference Player of the Week awards rank third all-time in National Football League record books behind Brady (28) and Manning (27).

**23** – Dec. 8 vs. San Francisco, Brees jumped over the pile for a one-yard touchdown in the second quarter to give him 23 career rushing touchdowns. Brees is ranked 23rd in National Football League record books with 275 regular season appearances. With three more appearances, he will move into a tie for 22nd.

**24** – The National Football League-record number of games with four touchdown passes and zero interceptions after his four touchdown, zero pick performance on December 16, 2019 vs. Indianapolis.

**36** – Regular season contests by Brees with at least four touchdown passes, surpassing Peyton Manning for first place in club record books on December 16, 2019 vs. Indianapolis.

## BY THE NUMBERS

**41** – Number of successful drives in the fourth quarter or overtime engineered by Brees for a touchdown or field goal in the regular season to lead the Saints to victory since joining the club in 2006, including two times in 2019.

**45** – Consecutive regular season contests between 2012-15 with at least one touchdown pass, fifth-best in league history. The streak ended Nov. 29, 2015 at Houston.

**54** – Consecutive regular season contests between 2009-12 with at least one touchdown pass, the longest streak in National Football League history, surpassing the record previously held by Johnny Unitas (47). It was set October 7, 2012 vs. San Diego. It ended November 29, 2012 at Atlanta.

**55** – Number of touchdown passes by Brees against Sunday's season-opening opponent, Tampa Bay, the most by the signal-caller against an opponent.

**61** – National Football League-record number of games with at least 30 completions. Also, the NFL-record number of consecutive regular season contests where Brees threw at least 20 completions until October 13, 2013 at New England.

**67.6** – Career completion percentage, ranked first in National Football League record books.

**68.8** – Team-record completion percentage as a Saint, ranked first in the National Football League during this 15-season period.

**69** – Players that Brees' 544 career touchdown passes have gone to. October 27, 2019 vs. Arizona, running back Latavius Murray, signed by New Orleans in 2019 as an unrestricted free agent in the offseason from the Minnesota Vikings became the 69th player and 53rd Saint to catch a touchdown from Brees. With five new skill players on the 2020 opening day roster, Brees will have the opportunity to increase this number.

**74.3** – National Football League-best completion percentage by Brees in 2019

**74.4** – National Football League-record completion percentage in 2018 by Brees that surpassed his record total of 72.0% in 2017..

**86** – Players who have caught a pass from Brees in the regular season, including himself off of deflections. tight end Jared Cook and Murray, both 2019 unrestricted free agent acquisitions, undrafted rookie wide receiver/return specialist Deonte Harris, wide receiver Krishawn Hogan and fullback Ricky Ortiz, are the latest Saints to catch passes from Brees in 2019. With five new skill players on the 2020 opening day roster, Brees will have the opportunity to increase this number.

**96.7** – NFL-record completion percentage by Brees in the December 16 win over Indianapolis, when he fired on 29 of 30 throws.

**103.5** – Career passer rating indoors during the regular season, ranked fourth in the National Football League all-time.

**113** – Club-record regular season contests by Brees with 300 yards or more passing as a Saint, the highest total since 2006. Brees has reached the 300-yard mark 120 times, ahead of Peyton Manning (93) for the most all-time. Brees tossed for 300 yards five times in 2019, including for 307 yards on December 16, 2019 vs. Indianapolis.

**117** – Regular season games by Brees as a Saint where he's posted a passer rating of 100 or more (min. 10 attempts), owning a 93-24 record in these contests. Overall, in his 20-year career, he has reached the milestone 132 times, eight times in 11 appearances in 2019.

**133** – Club-record regular season wins as a starter since signing with the club in 2006 as unrestricted free agent, making him the second-winningest signal-caller in the National Football League and most in the NFC over that period. Including the playoffs, Brees has compiled a 141-88 record as the Saints' starter.

**163** – Regular season wins by Brees in his 20-year player career with both New Orleans and the San Diego Chargers.

**165** – Regular season games Brees has with two or more touchdown passes in his 19-year career, the second-most by an active player behind Tampa Bay Buccaneers signal-caller Tom Brady (169) and ranked third overall. Since signing with the Saints in 2006, Brees has 140 contests with multiple touchdown passes, first in the National Football League.

**205** – October 4, 2015 vs. Dallas, with an 80-yard touchdown pass to running back C.J. Spiller, Brees reached 400 touchdowns in his 205th career regular season game, the quickest in National Football League history a player's reached 400 touchdowns, eclipsing the record previously held by Peyton Manning (209).

**216** – November 18, 2018 vs. Philadelphia, Brees became the first player in franchise history to appear in 200 games for the club, having now appeared in 216, playing in 11 contests in 2019.

**240** – Regular season games it took Brees to reach 6,000 career completions, which occurred, October 29, 2017 vs. the Chicago Bears, doing so 19 games sooner than Peyton Manning.

## BY THE NUMBERS

**269** – Regular season touchdown passes at the Mercedes-Benz Superdome by Brees, since he signed with the New Orleans Saints in 2006, the most by a player at a specific stadium.

**467** – Touchdown passes as a Saint, ranked first in club records and in the National Football League during this period. With 547 career touchdown passes, he's ranked first all-time, becoming the National Football League's passing touchdown leader on December 16, 2019 vs. Indianapolis.

**5,742** – Completions since signing with the Saints in 2006, the NFL's highest total over this 14-season period.

**6,867** – Career completions total, ranked first in the National Football League. Brees set the record on September 23, 2018 at Atlanta with a 17-yard completion to wide receiver Michael Thomas.

**7,866** – Career passing yardage total in 28 games against Sunday's opponent Tampa Bay, the second-highest total by Brees against an opponent.

**65,068** – In the Nov. 18, 2018 win vs. Philadelphia, Brees eclipsed 61,000 passing yards in his Saints career and now has 64,815. With 253 yards in Sunday's regular season finale at Carolina, he reached 65,000 and has 65,068

**77,416** – Brees has an NFL-best 77,416 career passing yards, first all-time.

## WINNING QUARTERBACK

Drew Brees has posted a 133-83 regular season record since 2006, ranked second among National Football League signal-callers and first in the conference. In his 19-year career, he has 163 total victories as a starter. With the Oct. 21, 2018 win at Baltimore, Brees joined Brett Favre and Peyton Manning as only the third quarterback to defeat all 32 clubs.

### WINS BY STARTING QUARTERBACKS SINCE 2006

#### (REGULAR SEASON)

1. Tom Brady	159
<b>2. Drew Brees</b>	<b>132</b>
3. Ben Roethlisberger	122
4. Philip Rivers	122
5. Aaron Rodgers	112

Since 2006, Brees has engineered an NFL-best 41 regular season fourth quarter/overtime drives for a touchdown or field goal to lead the Saints to a win from deficit or tie.

### MOST REGULAR SEASON FOURTH QUARTER/OT GAME-WINNING DRIVES IN THE NFL SINCE 2006

Rk. Quarterback	No.
<b>1. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>41</b>
2. Matt Ryan, Atl.	39
3t. Eli Manning, NYG	34
3t. Ben Roethlisberger, Pit.	34
3t. Matthew Stafford, Det.	34

## RATING SUCCESS

With 117 regular season contests (min. 10 attempts) with a rating of at least 100 since 2006, Brees is first in the NFL over this period. The Saints have a 93-24 (.795) mark.

### REGULAR SEASON GAMES WITH A 100+ PASSER RATING SINCE 2006 (min. 10 att.)

Rk. Quarterback	No.
<b>1. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>117</b>
2. Tom Brady, NE	102
3. Aaron Rodgers, GB	92

Brees' eight games with at least a 150.0 passer rating is now tied for first all-time in NFL record books.

### REGULAR SEASON GAMES WITH A 150+ PASSER RATING (min. 15 att.)

Rk. Quarterback	No.
<b>1t. Drew Brees</b>	<b>8</b>
1t. Ben Roethlisberger	8
3t. Peyton Manning	7
3t. Kurt Warner	7

With a 98.4 career passer rating, Drew Brees has the third-best rating of all-time in NFL records.

### TOP FIVE CAREER PASSER RATINGS (Min. 1500 Att.)

Rating	Quarterback
102.4	Aaron Rodgers
101.2	Russell Wilson
<b>98.4</b>	<b>Drew Brees</b>

## RATING SUCCESS

Reaching the century mark ten times in 2018, Brees finished first in the NFL with a 115.7 passer rating and was ranked second in 2019 with a career-high 116.3

### TOP THREE NFL PASSER RATINGS IN 2019

Rating Quarterback

117.5 Ryan Tannehill

**116.3 Drew Brees**

113.3 Lamar Jackson

## PINPOINT PASSER

Brees' 67.6 percent career completion percentage is first in NFL records. He's completed a club record 68.8 percent of his passes since coming to the Saints in 2006.

### ALL-TIME COMPLETION PERCENTAGE LEADERS

(min. 1,500 atts.)

Quarterback	Years	Comp. %
<b>1. Drew Brees</b>	<b>2001-</b>	<b>67.6 (6,867-10,161)</b>
2. Kirk Cousins	2012-	66.9 (2,104-3,146)
3. Chad Pennington	2000-10	66.0 (1,632-2,471)

Brees posted an NFL-record 74.4% completion percentage in 2018. It was the ninth time he finished at least 68 percent, with 2018 the sixth consecutive. Brees has four of the top five single-season completion percentages.

### SINGLE-SEASON COMPLETION PCT. LEADERS

Quarterback	Team	Comp. %
<b>1. Drew Brees (2018)</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>74.4 (364-489)</b>
<b>2. Drew Brees (2019)</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>74.3 (281-378)</b>
<b>3. Drew Brees (2017)</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>72.0 (386-536)</b>
4. Sam Bradford (2016)	Min.	71.6 (395-552)
<b>5. Drew Brees (2011)</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>71.2 (468-657)</b>

### 2018 NFL COMPLETION PERCENTAGE LEADERS

Quarterback	Team	Comp. %
<b>1. Drew Brees</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>74.4 (364-489)</b>
2. Kirk Cousins	Min.	70.1 (425-606)
3. Carson Wentz	Phi.	69.6 (279-401)

## 2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE COMPLETION PERCENTAGE LEADERS

Quarterback	Team	Comp. %
<b>1. Drew Brees</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>74.3 (281-378)</b>
2. Derek Carr	Oak.	70.4 (361-513)
3. Ryan Tannehill	Ten.	70.3 (201-286)

## COMPLETIONS LEADER

With 6,867 career regular season completions, Brees is now ranked first all-time in National Football League record books .

### NFL CAREER COMPLETIONS LEADERS

Completions	Quarterback
<b>6,867</b>	<b>Drew Brees</b>
6,377	Tom Brady
6,300	Brett Favre

Brees has the top three marks for completions in a single season.

### MOST SINGLE-SEASON COMPLETIONS

Quarterback	Year	Comp.
<b>1. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>471</b>
<b>2. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>468</b>
<b>3. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>456</b>

## YARDAGE LEADER

Drew Brees is now ranked first in the National Football League career passing yards.

### ALL-TIME NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PASSING YARDAGE TOTALS

Yards	QB	Teams
<b>77,416</b>	<b>Drew Brees</b>	<b>SD/NO</b>
74,571	Tom Brady	New England
71,940	Peyton Manning	Ind./Den.
71,838	Brett Favre	Atl./GB/NYJ/Min.
61,361	Dan Marino	Miami
59,271	Philip Rivers	LAC
57,023	Eli Manning	NYG

## YARDAGE LEADER

Brees is the first player to throw for 5,000 yards five times. He has five of the top nine passing yardage figures to his name. Below are all of the 5,000 yard passing seasons in National Football League record books.

### PASSING YARDS IN A NFL SEASON

Rk. Quarterback	Year	Yards
1. Peyton Manning, Den.	2013	5,477
<b>2. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>5,476</b>
3. Tom Brady, NE	2011	5,235
<b>4. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>5,208</b>
<b>5. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>5,177</b>
<b>6. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>5,162</b>
7. Jameis Winston, TB	2019	5,109
8. Patrick Mahomes, KC	2018	5,097
9. Dan Marino, Mia.	1984	5,084
<b>10. Drew Brees, NO</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>5,069</b>
11. Matthew Stafford, Det.	2011	5,038

Brees has led or tied for the league lead in passing yardage for an NFL-record seven times.

### ALL-TIME NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE PASSING YARDAGE TITLE LEADERS

Seasons	Quarterback
<b>7</b>	<b>Drew Brees</b>
5	Sonny Jurgensen
5	Dan Marino

## 77,416 BY THE NUMBERS

**1** – The first completion of Brees’ 18-year career, for a seven-yard gain to running back Terrell Fletcher, as a member of the San Diego Chargers in his National Football League debut on November 4, 2001 vs. Kansas City.

**30,000** – Reached 30,000 yards passing on a 12-yard completion to wide receiver Devery Henderson at Atlanta, Dec. 13, 2009.

**40,000** – Reached 40,000 yards passing on a 16-yard throw to wide receiver Marques Colston at Minnesota, Dec. 18, 2011.

**50,000** – Reached 50,000 career passing yards on a 22-

yard completion to tight end Jimmy Graham vs. Carolina, Dec. 8, 2013.

**52,349** – With an eight-yard completion to RB Travaris Cadet in his 132nd game as a Saint, vs. Tampa Bay, Oct. 5, 2014, Brees reached 40,000 passing yards with a single team in the fewest contests in NFL history.

**60,000** – On his 27-yard touchdown throw to WR Brandin Cooks, Dec. 21, 2015 vs. Detroit, Brees eclipsed 60,000 passing yards .

**70,000** – On a first quarter 12-yard completion thrown to running back Mark Ingram II vs. Atlanta, December 24, 2017, Brees eclipsed 70,000 career passing yards.

**72,103** – Vs. Washington, October 8, 2018, Brees became the NFL’s all-time passing yardage leader ending the night at 72,103, surpassing Peyton Manning (71,940) on a second quarter 62-yard touchdown to wide receiver Tre’Quan Smith.

**77,416** – On a second quarter 19-yard completion to tight end Dan Arnold, Brees reached the 75,000 career passing-yardage mark vs. Arizona on October 27.

## 16 OF 400

Brees has thrown for 400 yards in an National Football League-best 16 regular season games, all taking place as a member of the Saints.

### CAREER REGULAR SEASON GAMES WITH 400-PLUS YARDS PASSING

Rk. Quarterback	No.
<b>1. Drew Brees</b>	<b>16</b>
2. Peyton Manning	14
3. Dan Marino	13

## 35 TDS IN THREE STRAIGHT

Brees is only the third player in National Football League history to pass for 35 or more touchdowns in three consecutive seasons:

### QBS WITH 3 OR MORE STRAIGHT 35 TOUCHDOWN PASS SEASONS

Rk. Quarterback	No.	Yrs.
<b>1t. Drew Brees</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2011-13</b>
1t. Brett Favre	3	1995-97
1t. Peyton Manning	3	2012-14

## 12 STRAIGHT OF 4,000

Brees is the only signal-caller in National Football League records to throw for 4,000 yards in 12 straight seasons from 2016-17.

### FIVE OR MORE CONSECUTIVE 4,000-YARD PASSING SEASONS

Rk. QB	No.	Years
1. Drew Brees	12	2006-17
2. Peyton Manning	6	1999-2004
3t. Peyton Manning	5	2006-10
3t. Tom Brady	5	2011-15

## 15 3,000 YARD SEASONS

Brees is one of just four players with 15 3,000 yard passing seasons, fourth in National Football League record books.

### MOST 3,000 YARD PASSING SEASONS

Rk. QB	No.
1. Brett Favre	18
2. Tom Brady	17
3. Peyton Manning	16
4. Drew Brees	15

## PRO BOWL LEADER

With 12 Pro Bowl appearances since 2006, no Saint's been selected more than Brees in team records. No player's been selected more often during this 14-season period.

### SAINTS ALL-TIME PRO BOWL SELECTIONS

Rk. Saint	Pro Bowl Selections
1. Drew Brees	12
2. William Roaf	7
3t. Morten Andersen	6
3t. Jahri Evans	6
3t. Rickey Jackson	6

### NFL PRO BOWL SELECTIONS SINCE 2006

Rk. Saint	Pro Bowl Selections
1. Drew Brees	12
2. Tom Brady	11

## MULTIPLE TD GAMES

Brees' 165 career games with at least two touchdown passes is ranked second in National Football League record books all-time.

### MOST GAMES WITH MULTIPLE TOUCHDOWN PASSES ALL-TIME

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Tom Brady	173
2. Drew Brees	165
3. Peyton Manning	164
4. Brett Favre	159

Brees' 140 regular season contests with more than one touchdown since 2006 leads the National Football League during that period.

### GAMES WITH MULTIPLE TOUCHDOWN PASSES SINCE 2006

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Drew Brees	140
2. Philip Rivers	135
3. Tom Brady	131

## TOP OF THE CHARTS

Brees has posted the nine of the team's top ten yardage totals (regular season and postseason combined).

### TOP TEN SAINTS PASSING YARDAGE DAYS

Yds.	Quarterback	Att.	Cmp.	Opp.	Date
510	Drew Brees	52	30	vs. Cin.	11/19/06
505	Drew Brees	50	39	vs. NYG	11/1/15
466	Drew Brees	43	33	vs. Det.*	1/7/12
465	Drew Brees	49	34	vs. Car	10/16/16
462	Drew Brees	63	40	@ SF&	1/14/12
446	Drew Brees	53	37	@ Dal.	12/23/12
446	Drew Brees	54	35	@ GB	9/30/12
445	Drew Brees	49	35	vs. Jax.	11/4/07
441	Aaron Brooks	48	30	vs. Den.	12/3/00
439	Drew Brees	45	37	vs. TB	9/9/18

\* NFC Wild Card Playoff  
& NFC Divisional Playoff



## 54 STRAIGHT WITH A TD

Brees owns the National Football League's longest streak of consecutive games with a touchdown pass in a streak that ran from 2009-12. He also owns the fifth-longest streak in league history.

### MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A TOUCHDOWN PASS

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Drew Brees (2009-12)	54
2. Tom Brady	52
3. Peyton Manning	51
4. Johnny Unitas	47
5. Drew Brees (2012-15)	45

## FIVE TD GAMES

Brees' 11 five-touchdown pass games is first in the National Football League.

### REGULAR SEASON GAMES IN NFL HISTORY WITH FIVE-PLUS TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Drew Brees	11
2. Peyton Manning	9
3. Dan Marino	6

## FOUR-PLUS TD GAMES

Brees' 36 games with at least four TDs is first all-time.

### GAMES WITH FOUR-PLUS TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Drew Brees	36
1. Peyton Manning	35
3. Tom Brady	29

## 11 STRAIGHT OF 25

Brees is only the second NFL quarterback to have thrown for at least 25 touchdown passes in 11 straight seasons.

### TEN OR MORE STRAIGHT 25 TOUCHDOWN PASS SEASONS

Rk. Quarterback	No.	Yrs.
1. Peyton Manning	13	1998-2010
2. Drew Brees	11	2006-2016

## 13 OF 25 OR MORE

Brees is tied for second in National Football League record books for the most seasons of 25 or more touchdown passes (13) after throwing for 27 in 2019, tossing three scoring throws in the regular season finale at Carolina.

### MOST SEASONS WITH 25 OR MORE TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Peyton Manning	16
2t. Drew Brees	14
2t. Tom Brady	14

## NINE STRAIGHT OF 30

Brees is the first quarterback in NFL record books to throw for 30 touchdowns in nine straight seasons.

### FIVE OR MORE STRAIGHT 30 TD PASS SEASONS

Rk. Quarterback	No.	Yrs.
1. Drew Brees	9	2008-16
2. Brett Favre	5	1994-98

## 30 TD SEASONS

Brees has more 30 TD seasons than any other quarterback in NFL history with ten total.

### MOST SEASONS WITH 30 OR MORE TD PASSES

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Drew Brees	10
2t. Brett Favre	9
2t. Peyton Manning	9

## 120 OF 300

Brees' 120 300-yard passing games in the regular season ranks first all-time in National Football League record books.

### 300-YARD PASSING GAMES ALL-TIME

#### (REGULAR SEASON)

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Drew Brees	120
2. Peyton Manning	93
3. Tom Brady	91

## 63 OF 350

Brees' 63 games of 350-yards or more passing ranks first in the National Football League all-time.

### 350 YARD PASSING GAMES ALL-TIME

Rk. Quarterback	No.
1. Drew Brees	63
2. Tom Brady	43
3. Peyton Manning	35

## TOUCHDOWN LEADER

With 547 career touchdowns, Brees is ranked first all-time.

### ALL-TIME NFL PASSING TD TOTALS

Touchdowns	Quarterback
547	Drew Brees
541	Tom Brady
539	Peyton Manning

## TOUCHDOWN TARGETS

Brees' 547 touchdowns have gone to 69 different players, 53 Saints teammates, eight currently on the 53-man roster.

### BREES' TOP 15 ALL-TIME TD TARGETS

Rk. Player	No.
1. Marques Colston (2006-15)	72
2. Jimmy Graham (2010-14)	51
3. Lance Moore (2006-13)	38
4. Michael Thomas (2016-)	29
5. Robert Meachem (2007-11, 13-14)	25
6. Antonio Gates (2003-05)	23
7. Brandin Cooks (2014-2016)	20
8. Devery Henderson (2006-12)	17
9. Darren Sproles (2011-13)	16
10. Josh Hill (2013-)	13
11t. Reggie Bush (2006-10)	12
11t. Pierre Thomas (2007-14)	12
11t. Benjamin Watson (2013-15, 18)	12
14t. Eric Parker (2003-05)	10
14t. Alvin Kamara (2017-)	9
14t. Tre'Quan Smith (2018-)	9
15t. Keenan McCardell (2004-05)	9

## RUNNING BACKS

### ALVIN KAMARA

• A talented runner and receiver with a 5-10, 215-pound frame who was selected by the Saints in the third round of the 2017 NFL Draft out of Tennessee, Kamara enjoyed an outstanding rookie campaign. He ranked first on the club and sixth in the NFL in total yards from scrimmage (1,554), second on the team in rushing and receiving, carrying 120 times for 728 yards (6.1 avg.) with eight TDs and a two-point conversion, catching 81 passes for 826 yards (10.2 avg.) with five TDs and a kickoff return for a TD for a club rookie record 14 total scores, tied for second in the NFL. Kamara finished first in the NFL in yards per carry.

• Kamara was the first Saints offensive rookie selected to the Pro Bowl since Rueben Mayes (1986), as an *Associated Press* second team All-Pro (flex), the clubs' first rookie All-Pro since 1993. He was named *The Sporting News* NFL Rookie of the Year and *AP* NFL Offensive Rookie of the Year.

## ALVIN TIME

As a rookie in 2017 Kamara totaled 81 receptions, second-highest among running backs and the highest rookie reception total. His 826 receiving yards set a club record for running backs as well.

### MOST RECEPTIONS BY NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RUNNING BACKS IN 2017

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Le'Veon Bell, Pit.	85	655	7.7	2
2. Alvin Kamara, NO	81	826	10.2	5
3. Christian McCaffrey, Car.	80	651	8.1	5

In 2018, Kamara's 81 receptions in 15 games played in after sitting out the regular season finale were ranked fourth in the NFL among runners.

### MOST RECEPTIONS BY RB-NFL (2018)

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Christian McCaffrey, Car.	107	867	8.1	6
2. Saquon Barkley, NYG	91	721	7.9	4
3. James White, NE	87	751	8.6	7
4. Alvin Kamara, NO	81	709	8.8	4
5. Ezekiel Elliott, Dal.	77	567	7.4	3

**ALVIN TIME**

Despite missing two games (knee/ankle) in 2019, Kamara finished ranked third in the National Football League in receptions by running backs with 81, tying his career-high. Kamara also led New Orleans in rushing, carrying 171 times for 797 yards (4.7) and five touchdowns. With 1,330 total yards from scrimmage, Kamara joins Deuce McAllister (2002-04) as only the second Saint to have 1,300 total yards from scrimmage in three consecutive seasons. Kamara accomplished the feat in his first three seasons, while McAllister did so in seasons two-four. He also became the only Saints running back to be selected to three consecutive Pro Bowls as well as three Pro Bowls overall.

**MOST RECEPTIONS BY RB-NFL (2019)**

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. Christian McCaffrey, Car.	116	1,005	8.7	4
2. Austin Ekeler, LAC	92	993	10.8	8
<b>3. Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>1</b>

Kamara's 1,554 total yards from scrimmage as a rookie in 2017 ranked sixth in the National Football League, second among rookies and was the second-highest all-time total by a Saints rookie.

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS ROOKIE YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE TOTALS**

Saint	Year	Total Yds.	Rush	Receive
1. George Rogers, 1981	1,800	1,674	126	
<b>2. Alvin Kamara, 2017</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>826</b>	
3. Rueben Mayes, 1986	1,449	1,353	96	

Kamara averaged a league-best 6.1 yards per carry in 2017, the second-highest season average in club history, the first time a Saint led the NFL since 1984. His 4.96 yards per carry since coming into the NFL in 2017, ranks ninth over that period.

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS YPC LEADERS (MIN 75 ATT.)**

Saint,	Year	Att.	Yards	YPC.
1. Darren Sproles, 2017	87	603	6.9	
<b>2. Alvin Kamara, 2017</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>6.1</b>	
3. Hokie Gajan, 1984	102	615	6.0	

Kamara finished 2017 second in the National Football League in touchdowns. His 18 touchdowns in 2018, are tied for the highest total in club record books and was ranked second in the NFL.

**2017 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOUCHDOWN LEADERS**

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Todd Gurley, LA Rams	19
<b>2.</b>	<b>Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>14</b>
3.	DeAndre Hopkins, Hou.	13

**2018 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOUCHDOWN LEADERS**

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Todd Gurley, LAR	21
<b>2.</b>	<b>Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>18</b>
3t.	Antonio Brown, Pit.	15
3t.	Saquon Barkley, NYG	15

**SAINTS SINGLE SEASON TOUCHDOWN LEADERS**

Rk.	Saint	No.
<b>1t.</b>	<b>Alvin Kamara, 2018</b>	<b>18</b>
1t.	Dalton Hilliard, 1989	18
3t.	Deuce McAllister, 2002	16
3t.	Jimmy Graham, 2013	16

Kamara finished 2018 ranked second in the NFL with a club-record 14 rushing touchdowns.

**2018 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS**

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Todd Gurley, LAR	17
<b>2.</b>	<b>Alvin Kamara, NO</b>	<b>14</b>
3t.	James Conner, Pit.	12
3t.	Derrick Henry, Ten.	12

## ALVIN TIME

### SAINTS SINGLE SEASON RUSHING TOUCHDOWN LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Alvin Kamara, 2018	14
2t. Dalton Hilliard, 1989	13
2t. Deuce McAllister, 2002	13
2t. George Rogers, 1981	13

In 2018, he carried 194 times for a club-best 883 yards (4.6 avg.) with a franchise-record 14 TDs and caught 81 passes for 709 yards and four TDs to tie for the club record with 18 scores, Kamara finished ranked seventh in the NFL in total yards from scrimmage (1,592).

### 2018 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOTAL YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE LEADERS

Player	Team	Total Yds.	Rush	Receive
1. Saquon Barkely	NYG	2,028	1,307	721
2. Ezekiel Elliott	Dal.	2,001	1,434	567
3 Christian McCaffrey	Car.	1,965	1,098	867
4. Todd Gurley	LAR	1,831	1,251	580
5. Julio Jones	Atl.	1,689	12	1,677
6. Tyreek Hill	KC	1,630	151	1,479
7. Alvin Kamara	NO	1,592	883	709

## TAMPA TIME

Alvin Kamara has enjoyed some of the most productive performances of his NFL career against Sunday's opponent, the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, as he holds more rushing yards (329), receptions (42) receiving yards (405), total yards from scrimmage (734), all-purpose yards (997) and total touchdowns (7) against Tampa than any other club. In six appearances against Tampa Bay, Kamara has carried 68 times for 329 yards (4.8 avg.) with four touchdowns, caught 42 passes for 405 yards (9.6 avg.) with two scoring grabs and returned a kickoff a franchise-long 106 yards for a touchdown.

### LATAVIUS MURRAY

- Originally a sixth round pick of the Raiders in the 2013 NFL Draft out of the University of Central Florida, the versatile back brings a bruising style to the Black and Gold to complement Kamara. Signed as an unrestricted free agent

from the Minnesota Vikings in 2019, Murray has appeared in 93 career games with 56 starts for the Raiders, Vikings and Saints, carrying 1,045 times for 4,335 yards (4.1 avg.) with 39 touchdowns and catching 162 passes for 1,118 yards, including his first career receiving touchdown scored vs. Arizona on October 27.

- In his first season in New Orleans, Murray played in all 16 games for the third consecutive season with seven starts, carrying 146 times for 637 yards (4.4 avg.) with five touchdowns to tie for the team lead and also caught 34 passes for 235 yards with his first career receiving touchdown, to rank third on the club in overall scores. In Weeks Seven-Eight, Murray was the first Saint to have back-to-back games of 150 total yards from scrimmage since RB Deuce McAllister from November 23-30, 2003.

## TOUCHDOWN LEADER

Murray's 31 rushing touchdowns since the 2016 season are ranked sixth in the NFL.

### RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2016

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Todd Gurley	48
2.	Ezekiel Elliott	40
3.	Derrick Henry	38
4.	Melvin Gordon	36
5.	Mark Ingram	34
6.	Latavius Murray	31

## MURRAY'S BIG DAYS

Latavius Murray has reached 100 rushing yards ten times over his career, including in two performances in 2019, back to back in his first season in New Orleans. His teams have posted a 9-1 record in those games.

- November 20, 2014 at Kansas City** - Carried four times for 112 yards (28.0 avg.) with one 90-yard touchdown, becoming the first player in NFL history to gain at least 110 rushing yards on five or fewer carries in the first 100-yard performance of his career.

## MURRAY'S BIG DAYS

- **September 27, 2015 at Cleveland** - Rushed for 139 yards on 26 carries (5.3 avg.) with one touchdown.
- **November 1, 2015 vs. N.Y. Jets** - Rushed 20 times for 113 yards for his second 100-yard performance of the season.
- **November 6, 2016 vs. Denver** - Turned in one of his best performances as a professional with 20 carries for 114 yards and three goal-line touchdowns in a rivalry game win.
- **December 8, 2016 at Kansas City** - Carried 22 times for 103 yards with one touchdown.
- **October 22, 2017 vs. Baltimore** - Carried 18 times for 113 yards and one touchdown.
- **December 31, 2017 vs. Chicago** - Rushed 20 times for 111 yards with two touchdowns.
- **October 14, 2018 vs. Arizona** - Carried 24 times for a career-high 155 yards (6.5 avg.) with one touchdown.
- **October 20, 2019 at Chicago** - Murray received the start in place of an injured Kamara, opening his 50th career regular season contest and led the team in rushing on a career-high 27 carries for 119 yards (4.4 avg.) with two TDs, adding five receptions for 31 yards, total 150 total yards from scrimmage in his most productive contest as a Saint.
- **Oct. 27, 2019 vs. Arizona** - Started in place of an injured Kamara and carried the ball 21 times for 102 yards and one touchdown and rushed for over 100 yards in back-to-back games for the first time in his career. Murray also added nine receptions for a career-high 55 receiving yards and his first career touchdown reception. The matchup vs. Arizona marked Murray's eighth career multi-touchdown performance and the first time in his career that he had multiple touchdowns in back-to-back games.

## WIDE RECEIVERS

### MICHAEL THOMAS

- A talented wideout with a 6-3, 212-pound frame who was selected by the Saints in the second round of the 2016 NFL Draft out of Ohio State, Thomas had an outstanding rookie campaign, leading the team with 92 receptions for 1,137 yards and a nine TDs. He became the first Saints rookie to break 1,000 yards since Marques Colston (1,038-2006). In 2017, Thomas was New Orleans' receiving leader, making a club-record 104 receptions for 1,245 yards with five TDs to rank third in the league and making him only the second player in NFL record books, joining Odell Beckham Jr. to have 90 catches in each of his first two seasons, his 196 grabs being the most by a player in in his first two seasons.

### 2017 NFL RECEIVING LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Jarvis Landry	112	987	8.8	9
2. Larry Fitzgerald	109	1,156	10.6	6
3. <b>Michael Thomas</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>1,245</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>5</b>

## RECORD-BREAKING 2018

Thomas picked up where he left off from his standout 2017 campaign in the 2018 season opener vs. Tampa Bay. He set a club single-game record with 16 receptions for 180 yards and a touchdown. The 16 grabs set a club record that stood for 40 years and are the most by a player on kickoff weekend.

### SAINTS SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. <b>Michael Thomas, 9/8/18</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>1</b>
2. Tony Galbreath, 9/10/78	14	122	8.7	0
3t. Joe Horn, 12/2/01	13	150	11.5	1
3t. Darren Sproles, 9/16/12	13	128	9.8	0

Nov. 4. 2018 vs. The LA Rams, Thomas had a franchise-record 211 yards receiving.

### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING YARDAGE TOTALS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs
1. <b>Michael Thomas, 11/4/18</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>1</b>
2. Wes Chandler, 9/2/79	6	205	34.2	1
3. Torrance Small, 12/24/94	6	200	33.3	2

Thomas finished the 2018 season with a league-high 125 receptions for 1,405 yards and nine touchdowns, leading the Black and Gold in all three major receiving categories, breaking his own club record at the time for receptions and setting what was the team record for receiving yards. The receptions total was fifth-biggest in National Football L history at the time before his 2019 record-setting number

### 2018 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RECEIVING LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. <b>Michael Thomas</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>1,405</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>9</b>
2. Zach Ertz	116	1,163	10.0	8
3. DeAndre Hopkins	115	1,572	13.7	11

## RECORD-BREAKING 2019

With 149 receptions for 1,725 yards and nine touchdowns in 2019, Thomas became the NFL's single-season receptions leader, repeated as the NFL's receptions leader and added his first receiving yardage crown.

### 2019 NFL RECEIVING LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Michael Thomas	149	1,725	11.6	9
2. Christian McCaffrey	116	1,005	8.7	4
3t. Deandre Hopkins	104	1,165	11.2	7
3t. Keenan Allen	104	1,199	11.5	7

### 2019 NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE RECEIVING YARDAGE LEADERS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Michael Thomas	149	1,725	11.6	9
2. Julio Jones	99	1,394	14.1	6
3. Chris Godwin	86	1,333	15.5	9

### TOP SIX NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SINGLE-SEASON RECEIVING TOTALS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Michael Thomas, 2019	149	1,725	11.6	9
2. Marvin Harrison, 2002	143	1,722	12.0	11
3t. Antonio Brown, 2015	136	1,834	13.5	10
3t. Julio Jones, 2015	136	1,871	13.8	8
5. Antonio Brown, 2014	129	1,698	13.2	13
6. Michael Thomas, 2018	125	1,405	11.2	9

## RECEIVING LEADER

With 470 receptions from 2016-19, Thomas is the NFL player with the most receptions through a player's first four seasons. He's the only player through his first four campaigns to have over 400 receptions and 5,000 receiving yards.

### RECEPTIONS THROUGH FIRST FOUR NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SEASONS

Player	Years	Rec.	Yds.	TDs
Michael Thomas	2016-19	470	5,512	32
Jarvis Landry	2014-17	400	4,038	22

## BY THE NUMBERS

**470** - Career grabs, the fourth-highest total in club history, the most by a player through his first four seasons and the most in the National Football League since 2016 when he was drafted.

**5,512** - Career receiving yardage, second-highest in the National Football League since 2016 and fourth-highest in club history.

**32** - Career receiving touchdowns, the seventh-most in franchise history and the sixth-most in the National Football League since 2016.

**19** - 100-yard receiving games, tied for third in team history—including a club-record three games with 180 yards, all during the last two seasons, tied with Dallas' Amari Cooper for the most over that time. Thomas' reached the century mark a club-record ten times in 2019, including a five game run.

**28** - The number of contests over the last four seasons when Thomas has recorded eight or more receptions.

**298** - Career receptions that have moved the chains for a first down - 63.4 percent of his catches.

**34** - Catches of 25 yards or more.

**5** - Career multiple-touchdown games. Also with the November 24 101-yards receiving performance vs. Carolina, Thomas surpassed TE Jimmy Graham (four-2011 and 201313) to become the first player in franchise history with five consecutive games of 100-yards receiving.

**4** - Thomas became the first player in NFL history to have 90 receptions in each of his first four NFL seasons.

**56** - On November 10 vs. Atlanta, in his 56th game, Thomas surpassed Odell Beckham Jr. (61) to become the player to reach 400 catches in the fewest games.

**9** - With eight games of at least ten grabs this season, Thomas set the NFL single-season record.

**149** - National Football League-record number of receptions Thomas posted in the regular season in 2019, surpassing Marvin Harrison's (143-2002).

**1,725** - National Football-leading and career-high receiving yardage total in 2019, the seventh-highest single-season total in NFL history.

**3** - The number of quarterbacks Thomas caught passes from in his NFL record-setting 149 grabs in 2019, including Drew Brees, Teddy Bridgewater and Taysom Hill.

## BY THE NUMBERS

**38** - The number of receptions that Thomas has posted in five postseason games, ranked second in club playoff record books

**493** - The number of receiving yards that Thomas has in five postseason appearances, ranked second in club playoff record books.

**3** - The number of postseason scoring grabs by Thomas, tied for fourth in club record books with Jimmy Graham.

## TAMPA TIME

Thomas has enjoyed some of the most dominant performances of his career against Sunday's opponent Tampa Bay. In seven contests against the Buccaneers, he has posted 66 receptions for 831 yards and four touchdowns, posting more grabs and yardage than against any other opponent. The 182 receiving yards on 11 grabs he posted vs. the Buccaneers on October 6, 2019 is the most catches by a Saint against Tampa Bay, while the career-high 16 grabs for 180 yards against the Bucs in the 2018 season opener is the most by a Saint against Sunday's opponent and the single-game NFL record for grabs in Week One.

### EMMANUEL SANDERS

- Sanders joined the Saints in the 2020 offseason as an unrestricted free agent and is in his 11th NFL season. He has been a member of four teams since being selected in the third round (82nd overall) of the 2010 NFL Draft by the Pittsburgh Steelers, and has appeared in 144 games with 104 starts over that period. In his long career marked by big play ability, he has accumulated 7,893 receiving yards off 601 catches (13.1 avg.), recording 42 touchdowns.

- After spending the final four games of the 2018 campaign with the Denver Broncos on Injured Reserve with a ruptured Achilles tendon, Sanders went through an aggressive rehab and in a season split between the Broncos and San Francisco 49ers, appeared in 17 games with 16 starts and posted 66 receptions for 869 yards with five touchdowns, also tossing a 35-yard touchdown in San Francisco's matchup with New Orleans as his early season acquisition played an important role in the 49ers run to the Super Bowl.

### TRE'QUAN SMITH

- A talented second-year wideout, who was selected by New Orleans in the third round of the 2018 draft out of Cen-

tral Florida, the 6-1, 210-pounder emerged as one of the Knights' top weapons from 2015-17 and was a key figure in the emergence of their program. During that period, he caught 168 passes for 2,748 yards (16.4 avg.) with 22 touchdowns. In his final campaign for the 13-0 Knights in 2017, Smith appeared in and started all 13 games and hauled in 54 receptions for 1,082 yards (19.9 avg.) and 13 touchdowns, his first 1,000-yard receiving season. Working his way into the club's wideout rotation, Smith posted 28 receptions for 427 yards and five touchdowns as a rookie.

- Smith battled injuries that forced him to miss five games and parts of two others, but gotten healthy for the stretch run, posting nine grabs for 119 yards and three touchdowns in the month of December, finishing with 18 catches for 234 yards and five touchdowns overall.

## TIGHT ENDS

### JARED COOK

- This veteran tight end has enjoyed his most explosive season as a professional in his 11th overall and first with the Black and Gold after signing as an unrestricted free agent from the Oakland Raiders. The former University of South Carolina standout who originally entered the league as a third round draft pick of the Titans in 2009 has career totals of 48 receptions for 6,169 yards (13.2 avg.) with 34 touchdowns in 163 games with 84 starts. Through 14 regular season contests with seven starts in 2019, Cook posted 43 receptions for 705 yards (16.4 avg.) and a career-high eight touchdowns.

## TIGHT END LEADER

Among National Football League tight ends in 2019, Cook finished the regular season ranked first in yards per catch and second in touchdown grabs.

### YARDS PER CATCH BY NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TIGHT ENDS IN 2019

Tight End, Team	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Jared Cook, NO	43	705	16.4	9
2. Noah Fant, Den.	40	562	14.1	3
3. O.J. Howard, TB	34	459	13.5	1
4. Mark Andrews, Bal.	64	852	13.3	10
5. Darren Waller, Oak.	90	1,145	12.7	3

## TIGHT END LEADER

### TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS BY NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE TIGHT ENDS IN 2019

Tight End, Team	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1. Mark Andrews, Bal.	64	852	13.3	10
2. Jared Cook, NO	43	705	16.4	9
3. Darren Fells, Hou.	34	341	10.0	7

### JOSH HILL

• This Idaho State product made the club as an undrafted free agent in 2013 and his consistency has been an asset to the position group for who he's played in 103 career games with 54 starts, making 108 receptions for 1,025 yards and 14 touchdowns, also chipping in 27 special teams tackles. In 2019, Hill played in all 16 games for the third consecutive season with 11 starts and posted a career-high 25 receptions for a career-best 226 yards with three touchdowns, including grabbing QB Drew Brees' NFL-record 540th touchdown on December 16 vs. Indianapolis.

## DEFENSIVE ENDS

### CAMERON JORDAN

• New Orleans' first choice in the 2011 NFL Draft (24th overall) out of California, Jordan enjoyed another standout season in 2019, posting 53 tackles (37 solo) with a career-high 15.5 sacks for a 99-yard loss, to be ranked third in the NFL in takedowns, three passes defensed and one fumble recovery as he was selected to his fifth Pro Bowl and a second-team AP All-Pro selection. With 87 sacks in nine seasons, Jordan's ranked second on the Saints career sack list. Jordan's also proven to be one of the NFL's best run defenders, as well as being known for generating pressure on quarterbacks that doesn't always show up on the stat sheet, with him playing a lead role in a run defense ranked second in the NFL in opponent rushing yards per game and in opponent yards per rush in 2018 and being ranked fourth against the run in 2019

Jordan is ranked second on the club's all-time sack list in the regular season and first in postseason.

### SAINTS ALL-TIME SACK LEADERS (Since 1982)

Rk. Player, Years	No.
1. Rickey Jackson, 1982-93	115.0
2. Cameron Jordan, 2011-	87.0
3. Wayne Martin, 1989-99	82.5

### SAINTS ALL-TIME POSTSEASON SACK LEADERS

Rk. Player,	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	5.5
2t. Rickey Jackson	3
2t. Frank Warren	3

## JORDAN SACK NOTES

### JORDAN'S CAREER SACKS

(Most vs. a Single Team)

Rk. Team	No.
1. Atlanta Falcons	18
2. Tampa Bay Bucs	14
3. Carolina Panthers	8
4. Arizona Cardinals	4
5. Los Angeles Rams	4

Since Week Eight of 2014, Jordan's played among the National Football League's elite defensive ends. He's ranked third in the NFL since October. 26, 2014 with 64.5 quarterback takedowns.

### MOST SACKS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SINCE OCTOBER 26, 2014

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. Chandler Jones, NE-Ari.	74
2. Aaron Donald, LAR	70
3. Cameron Jordan, NO	64.5
4. Von Miller, Den.	62
5. Khalil Mack, Oak.-Chi.	61.5

Jordan's 40.5 quarterback takedowns since 2017 is ranked third in the National Football League.

### MOST SACKS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE SINCE 2017

Rk. Player, Team	No.
1. Chandler Jones, Ari.	49
2. Aaron Donald, LAR	44
3. Cameron Jordan, NO	40.5



## JORDAN SACK NOTES

Cameron Jordan's career-high 15.5 quarterback takedowns in 2019 were ranked third in the National Football League and were the third-highest single-season total in Saints history and the highest total by a Black and Gold defender since 2001.

### MOST SACKS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE IN 2019

Rk.	Player, Team	No.
1.	Shaquil Barrett, TB	19.5
2.	Chandler Jones, Ari.	19
<b>3.</b>	<b>Cameron Jordan, NO</b>	<b>15.5</b>
4t.	Danielle Hunter, Min.	14.5
4t.	T.J. Watt, Pit.	14.5

### ALL-TIME SINGLE SEASON NEW ORLEANS SAINTS SACK LEADERS

Rk.	Saint, Year	No.
1t.	La'Roi Glover, 2000	17
1t.	Pat Swilling, 1991	17
3.	Pat Swilling, 1989	16.5
<b>4t.</b>	<b>Cameron Jordan, 2019</b>	<b>15.5</b>
4t.	Wayne Martin, 1992	15.5

Jordan has posted 87 career sacks and over the past nine seasons is only the second player, joining Houston's J.J. Watt to have 85 takedowns and 45 passes defended. During this time, the Saints own a 43-16 regular season record when he corrals a signal-caller, and they boast a 19-2 mark in a multi-sack performance in the regular season. All four of Jordan's multi-sack performances in 2019 took place on the road.

### CAMERON JORDAN'S MULTIPLE SACK GAMES

Date	Opp.	Tackles	Solo	Asst.	Sacks	Yards
11/5/12	vs. Phi.	3	3	3	3	21
9/22/13	vs. Arz.	7	3	4	2	14
11/21/13	@ Atl.	7	3	4	2.5	10.5
12/8/13	vs. Car.	5	3	2	2	19
10/26/14	vs. GB	4	3	1	2	15
12/28/14	@ TB	6	4	2	1.5	9
10/15/15	vs. Atl.	7	6	1	3	12

Date	Opp.	Tackles	Solo	Asst.	Sacks	Yards
10/25/15	@ Ind.	3	2	1	2	12
10/15/17	vs. Det.	5	4	1	2	12
11/5/17	vs. TB	7	5	2	1.5	9
11/26/17	@ LAR	4	4	0	2	20
12/24/17	vs. Atl.	3	3	0	2	10
9/16/18	vs. Cle.	2	2	0	2	11
9/23/18	at Atl.	5	4	1	2	8
11/22/18	vs. Atl.	4	4	0	2	9
11/29/18	@ Dal.	7	3	4	2	10
12/9/18	@ TB.	4	4	0	2	21
10/13/19	@Jax.	4	3	1	2	12
10/20/19	@Chi.	2	2	0	2	16
11/17/19	@TB	3	1	2	1.5	12
11/28/19	@Atl.	5	1	6	4	19

## TAMPA TAKEDOWNS

New Orleans Saints defensive end Cameron Jordan has produced 14 sacks against Sunday's opponent, the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 18 matchups, including four multi-takedown performances, all resulting in Saints wins. Jordan has sacked Tampa Bay quarterback Tom Brady once as a member of the New England Patriots, one of 33 signal-callers that he has dropped. With one sack of Brady on Sunday, he would be the 19th quarterback for Jordan to have multiple takedowns of. The 14 takedowns of Tampa Bay quarterbacks are second to the 18 Jordan has of the Atlanta Falcons, all of their QB Matt Ryan, the most by a player against an opposing quarterback in National Football League history.

**DURABLE DEFENDER**

During his nine-year National Football League career, Jordan's been one of the league's most durable defensive ends and all-time Saints players having played in 144 consecutive regular season games and having opened 129 straight contests. Jordan has played in all nine postseason contests, starting the last eight.

**CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED AMONG ACTIVE NFL DEFENSIVE LINEMEN**

Rk. DL	Team	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	NO	144
2. Jerry Hughes	Buf.	131
3. Geno Atkins	Cin.	96

**CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED AMONG ACTIVE NFL DEFENSIVE PLAYERS**

Rk. Defensive Player	Team	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	NO	144
2. Jerry Hughes	Buf.	131
3. Demario Davis	NYJ-NO	128

**CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES STARTED AMONG ACTIVE NFL DEFENSIVE ENDS**

Rk. Defensive End	Team	No.
1. Cameron Jordan	NO	129
2. Jerry Hughes	Buf.	51
3. Danielle Hunter	Min.	48

**MOST CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES STARTED BY NEW ORLEANS SAINTS PLAYERS**

Rk. Saint	Dates	No.
1. Wayne Martin	(9/19/91-1/2/99)	144
2. Cameron Jordan	(1/2/12-)	129
3. Jahri Evans	(9/10/06-9/15/13)	114

**MARCUS DAVENPORT**

• Trading up to the 14<sup>th</sup> spot in the 2018 NFL Draft, the Saints addressed the line and the pass rush with this gifted pass rusher, only the second draft choice ever from Texas-San Antonio. During four college seasons, Davenport notched totals of 186 tackles (97 solo), 22 sacks, 38 tack-

les for loss, six forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries, one returned for a touchdown and eight passes defended, finishing his career as the school's all-time leader for stops for loss, takedowns and quarterback hurries (21). In 13 games as a rookie, Davenport posted 22 tackles (12 solo), four sacks, two passes defended and one forced fumble. He served as a solid bookend opposite Jordan in 2019, starting all 12 games before being placed on Injured Reserve and posting 29 stops, six sacks and four forced fumbles. Davenport enjoyed a breakout performance on Thanksgiving night at Atlanta where he recorded two sacks to tie a career-high and added three forced fumbles.

**TREY HENDRICKSON**

• Slected by the Saints in the third round of the 2017 NFL Draft, Hendrickson came to the Saints from Florida Atlantic, where he departed the school with a team-record 29.5 career sacks. Hendrickson has appeared in 28 career games in three seasons, recording 35 tackles (22 solo), six takedowns, two passes defended and two forced fumbles. Following an offseason, where he made significant strides in the weight room and with his technique, Hendrickson's hard work paid off with two sacks in the Sept. 9, 2019 season-opening win over Houston followed up by a takedown/forced fumble in Week Two at the Los Angeles Rams and one on Thanksgiving night at Atlanta. In his breakthrough campaign, he had 19 tackles, 4.5 sacks to rank fourth on the club and added one more takedown in a postseason contest.

**CARL GRANDERSON**

•Signed by New Orleans as an undrafted free agent out of Wyoming, Granderson posted 17.5 career sacks in college and possesses the perfect body type for a pass rusher. As a rookie, Granderson appeared in eight regular season contests, posting ten tackles and one sack as he moved into the defensive line rotation in December and is expected to see more action in 2020.

## DEFENSIVE TACKLES

### MALCOM BROWN

- This former first round draft pick out of the University of Texas was a vital part of a Patriots defensive line that helped pick up two Super Bowl championships in the last three seasons. The University of Texas product has been a run-stopping force in the New England defensive line for the past four seasons and now with New Orleans after signing as an unrestricted free agent in the offseason, playing in 76 career games with 67 starts and recording career totals of 220 tackles (121 solo), ten sacks, one forced fumble and four fumble recoveries. Brown supplemented the middle a Saints defense that finished the 2019 regular season fourth in opponent rushing yards per game, posting 1.5 sacks and one fumble recovery in all 16 contests as well as 34 stops, adding one more split sack in the NFC Wild Card Playoff loss.

### DAVID ONYEMATA

- A fourth round selection out of Manitoba in 2016, Onyemata teams with Brown to form a solid duo in the interior of the Saints defensive line. In 63 games with 25 starts in four seasons, he has posted 140 career tackles, 9.5 sacks, two passes defensed and one forced fumble. In 16 games with four starts in 2018, Onyemata posted 36 tackles, in helping with a run defense ranked second in the National Football League. On Nov. 29, 2018 vs. Dallas, he enjoyed a breakout performance with career-highs in tackles (seven), Quarterback takedowns (three) and forced fumbles (one). In 2019, he opened all 15 regular season games he played in, posting 32 stops, one pass defensed and three sacks for the NFL's fourth-ranked run defense. Onyemata was resigned to a three-year contract by the Saints in the offseason.

### SHELDON RANKINS

- The third defensive lineman selected in the 2016 NFL Draft out of Louisville, Sheldon Rankins started all 16 games in 2017 posting 26 tackles (16 solo), two sacks for loss of 13 yards, one interception, one pass defensed and one forced fumble. He helped a defensive unit that went from 31<sup>st</sup> in the NFL, allowing 28.4 points per game in 2016 to allowing 20.4 points per game in 2017, good for tenth in the league. In 2018, Rankins had a career-high 40 tackles (26 solo), a forced fumble and a career-best eight sacks to rank second on the club and fifth in the National Football League among defensive tackles.

- In 2019, after ardent rehabilitation from a ruptured Achil-

les tendon, Rankins returned to the lineup in Week Four and contributed two sacks to the defensive line rotation, being voted by his teammates as the team's Ed Block Courage Award winner. The outlook is optimistic for Rankins in 2020 with his injuries further behind him.

## LINEBACKERS

### DEMARIO DAVIS

- This dependable and sure-tackling defender joined the Saints after a breakout 2017, where he started 16 games for the New York Jets. Davis posted a team-high and career-high 165 tackles (112 solo) and a career-best five sacks. For his career, the Brandon, Miss. native has appeared in 128 games with 114 starts for the Jets (2012-15, 2017), Cleveland (2016) and Saints, recording 881 tackles (588 solo), 22.5 sacks, two interceptions, 32 passes defensed, three forced fumbles, five fumble recoveries and 24 special team stops.

- In 2018, Davis opened all 16 contests and led the team with 110 stops (74 solo), five sacks to lead the linebackers, four passes defensed, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery. Davis' abilities to diagnose and tackle played a key role in New Orleans ranking second in the National Football League in opponent rushing yards per game and opponent rushing yards per play. Participating in the post-season for the first time, Davis led the defense with 22 stops (15 solo), an interception in the NFC Championship and a pass defense. In 2019, he has posted 111 stops, ranked first on the club, four sacks, one interception and 11 passes defensed.

### 2019 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS TACKLE LEADERS

Rk. Saint	No.
1. Demario Davis	111
2. Vonn Bell	87
3. A.J. Klein	67
4. Eli Apple	58

**CRAIG ROBERTSON**

• In just his first year with the Saints in 2016, Robertson quickly became one of the defense’s most important members. Robertson joined the Saints looking to contribute on defense and special teams, yet his production outpaced even the highest expectations, posting 201 tackles, three interceptions and three fumble recoveries in his first two seasons. In 2018 and 2019, while he continued to contribute on defense he has served the as captain of the club’s coverage units on special teams. Robertson, who has 554 career defensive stops and 46 special teams tackles, provides depth at all three linebacker positions and outstanding leadership to the defense and special teams units.

In a 33-27 win at Seattle, Dec. 22, Lattimore posted a career-high 12 tackles (career-high ten solo) and one pass defended.

In the Sept. 29 win vs. Dallas, Lattimore was assigned to standout wideout Amari Cooper and held him to five catches for 48 yards, while he also drew two offensive pass interference penalties.

In the Oct. 6 win vs. Tampa Bay, Lattimore was assigned to wideout Mike Evans, who did not record one reception, while Lattimore posted two passes defended.

In the Oct. 13 win at Jacksonville, Lattimore recorded his first pick of the season and three passes defended as Jaguars wide receiver D.J. Chark was held to three receptions for 43 yards.

**SECONDARY**

**MARSHON LATTIMORE**

• Selected by the Saints in the first round (11<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2017 NFL Draft, Lattimore started all 13 games he appeared in. He totaled 53 tackles (44 solo), a forced fumble, one fumble recovery, five interceptions for 85 yards and 18 passes defended, as he became the youngest Saint (21 years old) ever selected to the Pro Bowl and was selected as the AP NFL Defensive Rookie of the Year.

• In 2018, Lattimore opened all 16 contests and posted a career-high 59 tackles (49 solo), two interceptions, 12 passes defended, a club-best four forced fumbles, tied for fourth in the NFL and three fumble recoveries, returned for 91 yards, leading the team in takeaways and tied for the NFL lead in defensive fumble recoveries, the highest total among defensive backs. Lattimore also added two picks in the NFC Divisional Playoff win over Philadelphia.

**JANORIS JENKINS**

• A nine-year NFL veteran who was originally a second round draft pick of the St. Louis Rams in 2012, Jenkins has shown a nose for the ball during his stints with the Rams (2012-15), New York Giants (2016-19) and since joining the Saints prior to Week 16. He has played in 115 games with 112 starts, posting 466 tackles two sacks, 23 interceptions, 106 passes defended, six forced fumbles, two fumble recoveries, one blocked field goal and one return of a blocked field goal for a touchdown. Jenkins made his first start as a Saint in the 2019 regular season finale at Carolina and made his first pick as a Saint and fifth of the season overall, as he was tied for fourth in the NFL in the category. In the NFC Wild Card Playoff loss he added one split sack and one forced fumble.

**OUT OF THE MARSH**

**MOST DEFENSIVE FUMBLE RECOVERIES IN THE NFL IN 2018**

Rk.	Player, Team	No.
1t.	Marshon Lattimore, NO	3
1t.	Allen Bailey, KC	3
1t.	Matt Milano, Buf.	3
1t.	Jadaveon Clowney, Hou.	3

**MARCUS WILLIAMS**

• After being selected in the second round of the 2017 NFL Draft (42<sup>nd</sup> overall) out of the University of Utah, this ball-hawking safety had an excellent rookie campaign starting all 15 games he appeared in posting 70 tackles (56 solo), four interceptions and six passes defended. Williams led rookie safeties in interceptions and was second in tackles and passes defended, including two picks in the regular season finale. He also posted his first career postseason interception, which was the only pick made by a rookie in the playoffs. In 2018, Williams posted 55 stops, one sack, two picks, three passes defended, one forced fumble and one fumble recovery in starting all 16 contests at free safety.

Below are several of Marshon Lattimore’s 2019 defensive highlights which resulted in him being voted to the Pro Bowl. Lattimore started all 14 games he played in and posted 57 stops, one interception and ranked first on the team with 14 passes defended, .

- Williams opened 2019 in impressive fashion, recording a key third quarter pick in the Monday night win over Houston and posting a pick at the end of the Sept. 29 win vs. Dallas. He finished with 53 tackles (38 solo), the four interceptions to tie his career-high, with one returned for a touchdown, tied for third in the NFL, a career-best 13 passes defended, a forced fumble and two coverage stops.

**MALCOLM JENKINS**

- Returning to New Orleans this offseason after six seasons in Philadelphia, Malcolm Jenkins is one of the NFL's most intelligent and instinctive defensive backs. One of only two safeties in Saints history to be selected as an *Associated Press* All-Pro, Jenkins has played in 167 career games with 159 starts and has career totals of 1,114 tackles (789 solo), 10 sacks, 17 interceptions, with six returned for touchdowns, 115 passes defended, 15 forced fumbles, nine fumble recoveries, one special teams fumble recovery, one blocked field goal and 44 special teams stops. He has also played in 12 postseason contests with 10 starts and has recorded 73 tackles (52) solo, two sacks and five passes defended.

- The three-time Pro Bowler started all 16 regular season games at safety for the sixth straight campaign in 2019 and finished with a team-high 118 tackles (82 solo), a career-high four forced fumbles, a career-high tying 2.5 tackles, 12 passes defended and one fumble recovery. He added ten stops and a sack in Philadelphia's playoff game for the NFC East champions.

**JENKINS=TDs**

Both entering their first seasons as a tandem together in the Saints, CB Janoris Jenkins and S Malcolm Jenkins have both shown a nose for the end zone after interceptions throughout their careers.

**MOST INTERCEPTION RETURNS FOR TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2009**

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Aquib Talib	10
2.	Janoris Jenkins	7
3t.	Malcolm Jenkins	6
3t.	Jonathan Joseph	6
3t.	Charles Tillman	6

**MOST INTERCEPTION RETURNS FOR TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2014**

Rk.	Player	No.
1.	Aquib Talib	6
2t.	Janoris Jenkins	4
2t.	Malcolm Jenkins	4
2t.	William Gay	4
2t.	Trumaine Johnson	4

**DURABLE DEFENDER**

During his NFL career, S Malcolm Jenkins has established himself as one of the most durable players in the National Football League

**CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES PLAYED AMONG ACTIVE NFL DEFENSIVE BACKS**

Rk.	DB	Team	No.
1.	Malcolm Jenkins	NO, Phi.	103
2t.	Clayton Fejeldem	Cin.	64
2t.	Eric Weddle	SD, Bal., LAR	64

**CONSECUTIVE REGULAR SEASON GAMES STARTED AMONG ACTIVE NFL DEFENSIVE BACKS**

Rk.	Defensive Back	Team	No.
1.	Malcolm Jenkins	NO, Phi.	103
2.	Devin McCourty	NE	65
3.	Eric Weddle	SD, Bal., LAR	64

## HOW THE SAINTS WERE BUILT

### 2006 (1)

#### FREE AGENTS

QB **Drew Brees** (UFA-SD)

### 2009 (1)

#### DRAFT

P **Thomas Morstead** (5)

### 2011 (1)

#### DRAFT

DE **Cameron Jordan** (1a)

### 2013 (2)

#### DRAFT:

T **Terron Armstead** (3a)

#### FREE AGENTS:

TE **Josh Hill** (Rookie FA)

### 2015 (2)

#### DRAFT:

T **Andrus Peat** (1a)

CB **P.J. Williams** (3b)

### 2016 (5)

#### DRAFT:

DT **Sheldon Rankins** (1)

WR **Michael Thomas** (2a)

DT **David Onyemata** (4)

#### FREE AGENTS:

K **Wil Lutz** (FA)

LB **Craig Robertson** (UFA-Cle.)

### 2017 (9)

#### DRAFT:

CB **Marshon Lattimore** (1a)

T **Ryan Ramczyk** (1b)

S **Marcus Williams** (2)

RB **Alvin Kamara** (3a)

LB **Alex Anzalone** (3b)

DE **Trey Hendrickson** (3c)

#### FREE AGENTS:

DB **Justin Hardee** (FA)

LS **Zach Wood** (FA)

#### WAIVERS:

QB **Taysom Hill** (GB)

### 2018 (6)

#### DRAFT:

DE **Marcus Davenport** (1)

WR **Tre'Quan Smith** (3)

C/G **Will Clapp** (7)

#### FREE AGENTS:

LB **Demario Davis** (UFA-NYJ)

DB **J.T. Gray** (Rookie FA)

CB **Patrick Robinson** (UFA-Phi.)

### 2019 (15)

#### DRAFT:

C/G **Erik McCoy** (2)

S **C.J. Gardner-Johnson** (4)

LB **Kaden Elliss** (7)

#### FREE AGENTS:

DT **Malcom Brown** (UFA-NE)

TE **Jared Cook** (UFA-Oak.)

## ***HOW THE SAINTS WERE BUILT (CONT.)***

C/G **Nick Easton** (UFA-Min.)

DE **Carl Granderson** (Rookie FA)

OL **Ethan Greenidge** (Rookie FA)

LB **Chase Hansen** (Rookie FA)

WR/RS **Deonte Harris** (Rookie FA)

OL **Derrick Kelly II** (Rookie FA)

RB **Latavius Murray** (UFA-Min.)

S **D.J. Swearinger** (FA)

DL **Shy Tuttle** (Rookie FA)

### **WAIVERS:**

CB **Janoris Jenkins** (NYG)

### **2020** (9)

### **DRAFT:**

C/G **Cesar Ruiz** (1)

LB **Zack Baun** (3a)

TE **Adam Trautman** (3b)

### **FREE AGENTS:**

FB **Michael Burton** (UFA-Was.)

WR **Marquez Callaway** (Rookie FA)

P **Blake Gillikin** (Rookie FA)

RB **Ty Montgomery II** (UFA-NYJ)

DL **Malcolm Roach** (Rookie FA)

QB **Jameis Winston** (UFA-TB)

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS ALPHABETICAL ROSTER (as of 9/7/20)**

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Born	Exp.	College	H.S. Hometown
47	Anzalone, Alex	LB	6-3	241	9/22/94	4	Florida	Wyomissing, Pa.
72	Armstead, Terron	T	6-5	304	7/23/91	8	Arkansas-Pine Bluff	Cahokia, Ill.
53	Baun, Zack	LB	6-3	225	12/30/96	R	Wisconsin	Brown Deer, Wis.
9	Brees, Drew	QB	6-0	209	1/15/79	20	Purdue	Austin, Texas
90	Brown, Malcom	DT	6-2	320	2/2/94	6	Texas	Brenham, Texas
32	Burton, Michael	FB	6-0	240	2/1/92	6	Rutgers	Washington Township, N.J.
12	Callaway, Marquez	WR	6-2	204	3/27/98	R	Tennessee	Warner Robins, Ga.
64	Clapp, Will	C	6-5	311	12/10/95	3	Louisiana State	New Orleans, La.
87	Cook, Jared	TE	6-5	254	4/7/87	12	South Carolina	Suwanee, Ga.
92	Davenport, Marcus	DE	6-6	265	9/4/96	3	Texas-San-Antonio	San Antonio, Texas
56	Davis, Demario	LB	6-2	248	1/11/89	9	Arkansas State	Brandon, Miss.
62	Easton, Nick	C/G	6-3	303	6/16/92	6	Harvard	Lenoir, N.C.
55	Elliss, Kaden	LB	6-2	238	6/10/95	2	Idaho	Salt Lake City, Utah
22	Gardner-Johnson, C.J.	DB	5-11	210	12/20/97	2	Florida	Cocoa, Fla.
4	Gillikin, Blake	P	6-2	196	1/21/98	R	Penn State	Atlanta, Ga.
96	Granderson, Carl	DE	6-5	261	12/18/96	2	Wyoming	Sacramento, Calif.
48	Gray, J.T.	DB	6-0	202	1/18/96	3	Mississippi State	Clarksdale, Miss.
73	Greenidge, Ethan	OL	6-4	335	9/10/97	2	Villanova	Flanders, N.Y.
42	Hansen, Chase	LB	6-3	222	5/20/93	1	Utah	Highland, Utah
34	Hardee Sr., Justin	DB	6-1	200	2/7/94	4	Illinois	Cleveland, Ohio
11	Harris, Deonte	WR/RS	5-6	170	12/4/97	2	Assumption	Baltimore, Md.
91	Hendrickson, Trey	DE	6-4	270	12/5/94	4	Florida Atlantic	Apopka, Fla.
89	Hill, Josh	TE	6-5	250	5/21/90	8	Idaho State	Blackfoot, Idaho
7	Hill, Taysom	QB	6-2	221	8/23/90	4	Brigham Young	Pocatello, Idaho
20	Jenkins, Janoris	CB	5-10	190	10/29/88	9	North Alabama	Pahokee, Fla.
27	Jenkins, Malcolm	S	6-0	204	12/20/87	12	Ohio State	Piscataway, N.J.
94	Jordan, Cameron	DE	6-4	287	7/10/89	10	California	Chandler, Ariz.
41	Kamara, Alvin	RB	5-10	215	7/25/95	4	Tennessee	Atlanta, Ga.
68	Kelly II, Derrick	OL	6-5	320	8/23/95	1	Florida State	Havana, Fla.
23	Lattimore, Marshon	CB	6-0	192	5/20/96	4	Ohio State	Cleveland, Ohio
3	Lutz, Wil	K	5-11	184	7/7/94	5	Georgia State	Newnan, Ga.
78	McCoy, Erik	C/G	6-4	303	8/27/97	2	Texas A&M	Lufkin, Texas
88	Montgomery II, Ty	RB	6-0	216	1/22/93	6	Stanford	Dallas, Texas
6	Morstead, Thomas	P	6-4	235	3/8/86	12	Southern Methodist	Pearland, Texas
28	Murray, Latavius	RB	6-3	230	1/18/90	8	Central Florida	Nedrow, N.Y.
93	Onyemata, David	DT	6-4	300	11/13/92	5	Manitoba (Canada)	Lagos, Nigeria
75	Peat, Andrus	G/T	6-7	316	11/4/93	6	Stanford	Tempe, Ariz.
71	Ramczyk, Ryan	T	6-6	314	4/22/94	4	Wisconsin	Stevens Point, Wis.
98	Rankins, Sheldon	DT	6-2	305	4/2/94	5	Louisville	Covington, Ga.
97	Roach, Malcolm	DL	6-3	290	6/9/98	R	Texas	Baton Rouge, La.
52	Robertson, Craig	LB	6-1	234	2/11/88	8	North Texas	Stafford, Texas
21	Robinson, Patrick	CB	5-11	191	9/7/87	11	Florida State	Miami, Fla.
51	Ruiz, Cesar	C/G	6-4	316	6/14/99	R	Michigan	Camden, N.J.
17	Sanders, Emmanuel	WR	5-11	180	3/17/85	11	Southern Methodist	Bellville, Texas
10	Smith, Tre'Quan	WR	6-2	210	1/7/96	3	Central Florida	Delray Beach, Fla.
16	Swearinger Sr., D.J.	DB	5-10	205	9/1/91	8	South Carolina	Greenwood, S.C.
13	Thomas, Michael	WR	6-3	212	3/3/93	5	Ohio State	Woodland Hills, Calif.
82	Trautman, Adam	TE	6-5	253	2/5/97	R	Dayton	Williamsburg, Mich.
99	Tuttle, Shy	DT	6-3	300	10/20/95	2	Tennessee	Welcome, N.C.
43	Williams, Marcus	S	6-1	195	9/8/96	4	Utah	Eastvale, Calif.
26	Williams, P.J.	CB	6-0	196	6/1/93	6	Florida State	Ocala, Fla.
2	Winston, Jameis	QB	6-4	231	1/6/94	6	Florida State	Hueytown, Ala.
49	Wood, Zach	LS	6-3	255	1/10/93	4	Southern Methodist	Rowlett, Texas

**Players on Active Roster: (53)**

**Practice Squad: (15)**

46	Bachie, Joe	LB	6-2	231	2/26/98	R	Michigan State	Berea, Ohio
80	Carr, Austin	WR	6-1	195	12/25/93	4	Northwestern	Benicia, Calif.
58	Chickillo, Anthony	LB	6-3	255	12/10/92	6	Miami (Fla.)	Tampa, Fla.
50	Dowell, Andrew	LB	6-1	225	11/16/96	1	Michigan State	Lakewood, Ohio
16	Fowler III, Bennie	WR	6-1	218	6/10/91	6	Michigan State	Beverly Hills, Mich.
45	Griffin, Garrett	TE	6-4	240	3/4/94	3	Air Force	Louisburg, Kan.
25	Hall, Kemon	CB	5-11	190	6/2/97	1	North Texas	Calhoun City, Miss.
84	Humphrey, Lil'Jordan	WR	6-4	225	4/19/98	2	Texas	Southlake, Texas
95	Hunt, Margus	DE	6-8	295	7/14/87	8	Southern Methodist	Karksi-Nuia, Estonia
83	Johnson, Juwan	WR	6-4	231	9/13/96	R	Oregon	Glassboro, N.J.
37	Jones Jr., Tony	RB	5-11	224	11/24/97	R	Notre Dame	Bradenton, Fla.
85	Stevens, Tommy	TE	6-5	235	12/15/96	R	Mississippi State	Indianapolis, Ind.
66	Throckmorton, Calvin	OL	6-5	309	8/16/96	R	Oregon	Bellevue, Wash.
63	Tom, Cameron	C	6-4	300	6/21/95	4	Southern Mississippi	Baton Rouge, La.
38	Washington II, Keith	DB	6-1	180	12/20/96	R	West Virginia	Prattville, Ala.

**Injured Reserve: (4)**

29	Bademosi, Johnson	CB	6-0	219	7/23/90	9	Stanford	Washington, D.C.
77	Dalton, Jalen	DT	6-6	300	8/4/97	1	North Carolina	Clemmon, N.C.
33	Hampton, Saquan	DB	6-1	206	12/12/95	2	Rutgers	Hamilton, N.J.
57	Lanier II, Anthony	DE	6-6	285	5/8/93	3	Alabama A&M	Savannah, Ga.

**Reserve/Suspended: (1)**

74	Hurst, James	OL	6-5	310	12/17/1991	7	North Carolina	Planfield, Ind.
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**Reserve/Covid 19: (1)**

24	Washington, Dwayne	RB	6-1	223	4/24/94	5	Washington	Cerritos, Calif.
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**Physically Unable to Perform: (1)**

54	Alonso, Kiko	LB	6-3	239	8/14/1990	8	Oregon	Los Gatos, Calif.
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**Reserve/Non-Football Injury: (1)**

57	Spence, Noah	DE	6-2	251	1/8/94	5	Eastern Kentucky	Harrisburg, Pa.
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**Reserve/Opt Out: (2)**

86	Vander Laan, Jason	TE	6-3	245	9/22/92	3	Ferris State	Palos Heights, Ill.
85	Wick, Cole	TE	6-6	257	11/30/93	4	Incarnate Word	Hallettsville, Texas

**HEAD COACH: SEAN PAYTON. Assistants: Dennis Allen** (Defensive Coordinator), **Charles Byrd** (Assistant Strength and Conditioning), **Dan Campbell** (Assistant Head Coach/Tight Ends), **Pete Carmichael** (Offensive Coordinator), **Ronald Curry** (Wide Receivers), **Dan Dalrymple** (Head Strength and Conditioning), **Declan Doyle** (Offensive Assistant), **Phil Galiano** (Assistant Special Teams), **Peter Giunta** (Senior Defensive Assistant), **Aaron Glenn** (Secondary), **Michael Hodges** (Linebackers), **Curtis Johnson** (Senior Offensive Assistant), **Joe Lombardi** (Quarterbacks), **Ryan Nielsen** (Defensive Line), **Brendan Nugent** (Assistant Offensive Line/Run Game), **Kevin Petry** (Assistant to the Head Coach/Offensive Assistant), **Darren Rizzi** (Special Teams Coordinator), **Cory Robinson** (Defensive Assistant), **Dan Roushar** (Offensive Line), **Joel Thomas** (Running Backs), **Rob Wenning** (Assistant Strength and Conditioning), **Michael Wilhoite** (Defensive Assistant), **D.J. Williams** (Offensive Assistant), **Brian Young** (Pass Rush Specialist).





**New Orleans Saints Unofficial Depth Chart (as of 9/7/20)**

**OFFENSE**

<b>WR</b>	<b>13 Michael Thomas</b>	<b>12 <u>Marquez Callaway</u></b>		
<b>LT</b>	<b>72 Terron Armstead</b>	<b>73 Ethan Greenidge</b>		
<b>LG</b>	<b>75 Andrus Peat</b>	<b>68 Derrick Kelly II</b>		
<b>C</b>	<b>78 Erik McCoy</b>	<b>64 Will Clapp</b>		
<b>RG</b>	<b>51 <u>Cesar Ruiz</u></b>	<b>62 Nick Easton</b>		
<b>RT</b>	<b>71 Ryan Ramczyk</b>	<b>73 Ethan Greenidge</b>		
<b>TE</b>	<b>87 Jared Cook</b>	<b>89 Josh Hill</b>	<b>82 <u>Adam Trautman</u></b>	
<b>WR</b>	<b>17 Emmanuel Sanders</b>	<b>10 Tre'Quan Smith</b>	<b>11 Deonte Harris</b>	
<b>QB</b>	<b>9 Drew Brees</b>	<b>7 Taysom Hill</b>	<b>2 Jameis Winston</b>	
<b>RB</b>	<b>41 Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>28 Latavius Murray</b>	<b>88 Ty Montgomery II</b>	<b>24 Dwayne Washington</b>
<b>FB</b>	<b>32 Michael Burton</b>			

**DEFENSE**

<b>RDE</b>	<b>92 Marcus Davenport</b>	<b>91 Trey Hendrickson</b>		
<b>NT</b>	<b>90 Malcom Brown</b>	<b>99 Shy Tuttle</b>		
<b>DT</b>	<b>93 David Onyemata/ 98 Sheldon Rankins</b>	<b>97 <u>Malcolm Roach</u></b>		
<b>LDE</b>	<b>94 Cameron Jordan</b>	<b>96 Carl Granderson</b>		
<b>WILL</b>	<b>56 Demario Davis</b>	<b>42 Chase Hansen</b>		
<b>MLB</b>	<b>47 Alex Anzalone</b>	<b>52 Craig Robertson</b>		
<b>SAM</b>	<b>55 Kaden Ellis</b>	<b>53 <u>Zack Baun</u></b>		
<b>LCB</b>	<b>20 Janoris Jenkins</b>	<b>26 P.J. Williams</b>	<b>34 Justin Hardee Sr.</b>	
<b>SS</b>	<b>27 Malcolm Jenkins</b>	<b>22 C.J. Gardner-Johnson</b>	<b>48 J.T. Gray</b>	
<b>FS</b>	<b>43 Marcus Williams</b>	<b>36 D.J. Swearinger Sr.</b>		
<b>RCB</b>	<b>23 Marshon Lattimore</b>	<b>21 Patrick Robinson</b>	<b>34 Justin Hardee Sr.</b>	

**SPECIAL TEAMS**

<b>P</b>	<b>6 Thomas Morstead</b>	<b>4 <u>Blake Gillikin</u></b>		
<b>K</b>	<b>3 Wil Lutz</b>			
<b>KO</b>	<b>3 Wil Lutz</b>			
<b>LS</b>	<b>49 Zach Wood</b>			
<b>H</b>	<b>6 Thomas Morstead</b>	<b>7 Taysom Hill</b>		
<b>PR</b>	<b>11 Deonte Harris</b>	<b>41 Alvin Kamara</b>	<b>12 <u>Marquez Callaway</u></b>	
<b>KR</b>	<b>11 Deonte Harris</b>	<b>7 Taysom Hill</b>	<b>12 <u>Marquez Callaway</u></b>	

**Pronunciation Guide:**

LB Alex Anzalone (anne-zuh-LOAN-ee)  
 T Terron Armstead (ter-RON)  
 LB Demario Davis (duh-MAR-ee-oh )  
 WR/RS Deonte Harris (dee-ON-tay)  
 RB Alvin Kamara (Kuh-MARE-Uh)  
 DT David Onyemata (un-ye-mah-tah)  
 G/T Andrus Peat (an-druss pete)  
 T Ryan Ramczyk (Ram-check)  
 C/G Cesar Ruiz (Caesar Roo-ez)

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS / WEEK 17 / THROUGH SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2019**

WON 13, LOST 3				* RUSHING		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD					
09/09	W 30-28	Houston	73,039	Kamara	171	797	4.7	40t	5						
09/15	L 9-27	at L.A. Rams	71,460	Murray	146	637	4.4	30t	5						
09/22	W 33-27	at Seattle	69,005	T. Hill	27	156	5.8	30t	1						
09/29	W 12-10	Dallas	73,086	Washington	8	60	7.5	31	0						
10/06	W 31-24	Tampa Bay	73,029	Bridgewater	28	31	1.1	11	0						
10/13	W 13-6	at Jacksonville	64,341	Harris	4	31	7.8	10	0						
10/20	W 36-25	at Chicago	62,306	Line	7	20	2.9	5	0						
10/27	W 31-9	Arizona	73,064	Ginn	3	18	6.0	12	0						
11/10	L 9-26	Atlanta	73,283	Zenner TM	1	1	1.0	1	0						
11/17	W 34-17	at Tampa Bay	54,333	Brees	9	-4	-4	2	1						
11/24	W 34-31	Carolina	73,068	Thomas	1	-9	-9.0	-9	0						
11/28	W 26-18	at Atlanta	71,993	TEAM	405	1738	4.3	40t	12						
12/08	L 46-48	San Francisco	73,038	OPPONENTS	345	1461	4.2	49t	12						
12/16	W 34-7	Indianapolis	73,053	* RECEIVING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD						
12/22	W 38-28	at Tennessee	66,756	Thomas	149	1725	11.6	49	9						
12/29	W 42-10	at Carolina	72,203	Kamara	81	533	6.6	41	1						
		N.O.	Opp.	Cook	43	705	16.4	61t	9						
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	347	311	Murray	34	235	6.9	30	1							
Rushing	97	71	Ginn	30	421	14.0	45	2							
Passing	230	197	J. Hill	25	226	9.0	29	3							
Penalty	20	43	T. Hill	19	234	12.3	45t	6							
3rd Down: Made/Att	81/192	73/210	T. Smith	18	234	13.0	32	5							
3rd Down Pct.	42.2	34.8	Line	6	36	6.0	12	0							
4th Down: Made/Att	5/13	11/25	Harris	6	24	4.0	13	0							
4th Down Pct.	38.5	44.0	Arnold TM	2	25	12.5	19	0							
POSSESSION AVG.	32:19	27:41	Carr	1	9	9.0	9	0							
TOTAL NET YARDS	5982	5329	Ortiz	1	8	8.0	8	0							
Avg. Per Game	373.9	333.1	Washington	1	6	6.0	6	0							
Total Plays	1011	999	Zenner TM	1	6	6.0	6	0							
Avg. Per Play	5.9	5.3	Hogan	1	4	4.0	4	0							
NET YARDS RUSHING	1738	1461	TEAM	418	4431	10.6	61t	36							
Avg. Per Game	108.6	91.3	OPPONENTS	371	4201	11.3	75t	27							
Total Rushes	405	345	* INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD							
NET YARDS PASSING	4244	3868	Jenkins LG	5	84	16.8	62	0							
Avg. Per Game	265.3	241.8	Jenkins TM	1	0	0.0	0	0							
Sacked/Yards Lost	25/187	51/333	M. Williams	4	56	14.0	55t	1							
Gross Yards	4431	4201	Gardner-Johnson	1	28	28.0	28	0							
Att./Completions	581/418	603/371	Bell	1	19	19.0	19	0							
Completion Pct.	71.9	61.5	Tuttle	1	19	19.0	19	0							
Had Intercepted	6	13	Klein	1	14	14.0	14t	1							
PUNTS/AVERAGE	60/46.2	73/43.1	Robertson	1	3	3.0	3	0							
NET PUNTING AVG.	60/43.1	73/37.5	Davis	1	1	1.0	1	0							
PENALTIES/YARDS	120/1036	92/713	Lattimore	1	0	0.0	0	0							
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	9/2	15/10	P. Williams	1	0	0.0	0	0							
TOUCHDOWNS	52	40	TEAM	13	140	10.8	55t	2							
Rushing	12	12	OPPONENTS	6	16	2.7	14	0							
Passing	36	27	* PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B				
Returns	4	1	Morstead	60	2770	46.2	43.1	1	29	64	0				
* SCORE BY PERIODS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS	TEAM	60	2770	46.2	43.1	1	29	64	0
TEAM	89	140	130	99	0	458	OPPONENTS	73	3146	43.1	37.5	2	18	66	1
OPPONENTS	60	88	81	112	0	341	* PUNT RETURNS	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
* SCORING	TD-Ru-Pa-Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS	Harris	36	11	338	9.4	53t	1			
Lutz	0	0	0	0	48/49	32/36	0	144	Kamara	4	1	30	7.5	27	0
Cook	9	0	9	0	0	0	54	TEAM	40	12	368	9.2	53t	1	
Thomas	9	0	9	0	0	0	54	OPPONENTS	24	21	166	6.9	32	0	
T. Hill	7	1	6	0	0	0	42	* KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
Kamara	6	5	1	0	0	0	36	Harris	24	644	26.8	51	0		
Murray	6	5	1	0	0	0	36	Ginn	1	0	0.0	0	0		
T. Smith	5	0	5	0	0	0	30	T. Hill	1	12	12.0	12	0		
J. Hill	3	0	3	0	0	0	18	Vander Laan LG	1	8	8.0	8	0		
Ginn	2	0	2	0	0	0	12	Vander Laan TM	1	8	8.0	8	0		
Bell	1	0	0	1	0	0	6	Washington	1	12	12.0	12	0		
Brees	1	1	0	0	0	0	6	TEAM	28	676	24.1	51	0		
Harris	1	0	0	1	0	0	6	OPPONENTS	21	566	27.0	102t	1		
Klein	1	0	0	1	0	0	6	* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+		
M. Williams	1	0	0	1	0	0	6	Lutz	1/ 1	9/ 9	6/ 6	13/15	3/ 5		
TEAM	52	12	36	4	48/49	32/36	1	458	TEAM	1/ 1	9/ 9	6/ 6	13/15	3/ 5	
OPPONENTS	40	12	27	1	33/36	22/24	0	341	OPPONENTS	0/ 0	5/ 6	7/ 7	7/ 8	3/ 3	
2-Pt Conv: TM 0-3, OPP 1-3									Lutz: (32G,56N,47G,58G)(34G,52G,42G)( )(40G,42G,						
SACKS: Jordan 15.5, Davenport 6,									19G,26G)(29G)(47G,21G)(39G,42N,52N,30G)(47N,26G)						
Hendrickson 4.5, Davis 4, Edwards 3,									(29G,47G,28G)(44G,26G)(41G,33G)(22G,47G,42G,45G)						
Onyemata 3, Klein 2.5, Brown 2, Rankins 2,									(55G,48G)(33G,26G)(47G)( )						
Tuttle 2, Bell 1.5, Anzalone 1, Granderson 1,									OPP: ( )(24G,22G)( )(28G)(42G)(22G,32G)(46G)(31G,						
Robertson 1, Spence LG 1, P. Williams 1,									31G,50G)(37G,36G,48G,30G)(55G)(41G,52G,28N)(42N,						
(group) 1, TM 51, OPP 25									45G,43G)(41G,30G)( )( )(23G)						
FUM/LOST: Kamara 4/1, Harris 3/1, Bridgewater									1/0, Thomas 1/0						
* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating			
Brees	378	281	2979	74.3	7.88	27	7.1	4	1.1	61t	12/ 89	116.3			
Bridgewater	196	133	1384	67.9	7.06	9	4.6	2	1.0	45	12/ 89	99.1			
T. Hill	6	3	55	50.0	9.17	0	0.0	0	0.0	20	1/ 9	81.9			
Kamara	1	1	13	100.0	13.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	0/ 0	118.8			
TEAM	581	418	4431	71.9	7.63	36	6.2	6	1.0	61t	25/ 187	110.2			
OPPONENTS	603	371	4201	61.5	6.97	27	4.5	13	2.2	75t	51/ 333	88.3			

## New Orleans Saints 2019 Regular Season Defensive Stats

Name	Regular Defensive Plays											Special Teams					Miscellaneous			
	TKL	AST	TOT	SACK	YDS	TFL	QH	IN	PD	FF	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
D. Davis	86	25	111	4	37	10	9	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
V. Bell	63	23	86	1.5	14	4	4	1	5	2	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Klein	45	22	67	2.5	12	5	5	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E. Apple	54	5	59	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Lattimore	46	11	57	0	0	1	0	1	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Williams	38	15	53	0	0	0	0	4	13	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Jordan	37	16	53	15.5	99	16	24	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gardner-Johnson	35	11	46	0	0	5	4	1	8	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P. Williams	34	8	42	1	1	3	1	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Brown	18	15	33	2	10	6	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Onyemata	22	10	32	3	15	3	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K. Alonso	25	6	31	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Davenport	15	16	31	6	45	5	16	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Robertson	15	7	22	1	9	2	1	1	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Hendrickson	11	8	19	4.5	24	4	9	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Tuttle	8	10	18	2	6	3	4	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P. Robinson	13	2	15	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Granderson	7	3	10	1	9	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Rankins	7	3	10	2	14	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Edwards	6	2	8	3	22	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Stallworth	5	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Anzalone	7	0	7	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Jenkins	5	2	7	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Hardee	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Te'o	3	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.J. Green	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Loewen	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.J. Swearinger	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Anthony	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Gray	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
S. Hampton	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Armstead	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
J. Bademosi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Cook	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
K. Ellis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Harris	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Hill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
T. Hill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E. McCoy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
T. Smith	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
D. Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
L. Warford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TEAM	0	0	0	1	10	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>845</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>

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**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS / WEEK 18 / THROUGH SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2020 / POSTSEASON**

WON 0, LOST 1							* RUSHING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
01/05 L 20-26 OT Minnesota		73,038		T. Hill				4	50	12.5	28	0		
	N.O.		Opp.	Kamara				7	21	3.0	5	1		
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	19	22		Murray				5	21	4.2	8	0		
Rushing	6	9		Brees				1	5	5.0	5	0		
Passing	12	11		TEAM				17	97	5.7	28	1		
Penalty	1	2		OPPONENTS				40	136	3.4	22	2		
3rd Down: Made/Att	4/11	10/18		* RECEIVING				No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
3rd Down Pct.	36.4	55.6		Kamara				8	34	4.3	9	0		
4th Down: Made/Att	0/0	0/0		Thomas				7	70	10.0	20	0		
4th Down Pct.	0.0	0.0		Cook				5	54	10.8	14	0		
POSSESSION AVG.	25:33	34:27		T. Hill				2	25	12.5	20t	1		
TOTAL NET YARDS	324	362		J. Hill				2	3	1.5	2	0		
Avg. Per Game	324.0	362.0		Harris				1	50	50.0	50	0		
Total Plays	54	74		Ginn				1	18	18.0	18	0		
Avg. Per Play	6.0	4.9		Murray				1	4	4.0	4	0		
NET YARDS RUSHING	97	136		TEAM				27	258	9.6	50	1		
Avg. Per Game	97.0	136.0		OPPONENTS				19	242	12.7	43	1		
Total Rushes	17	40		* INTERCEPTIONS				No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
NET YARDS PASSING	227	226		TEAM				0	0	---	---	0		
Avg. Per Game	227.0	226.0		OPPONENTS				1	30	30.0	30	0		
Sacked/Yards Lost	3/31	3/16		* PUNTING			No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B
Gross Yards	258	242		Morstead			5	229	45.8	42.4	0	1	50	0
Att./Completions	34/27	31/19		TEAM			5	229	45.8	42.4	0	1	50	0
Completion Pct.	79.4	61.3		OPPONENTS			6	298	49.7	39.0	1	1	57	0
Had Intercepted	1	0		* PUNT RETURNS			Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD		
PUNTS/AVERAGE	5/45.8	6/49.7		Harris			4	0	44	11.0	17	0		
NET PUNTING AVG.	5/42.4	6/39.0		TEAM			4	0	44	11.0	17	0		
PENALTIES/YARDS	6/52	4/26		OPPONENTS			2	3	17	8.5	10	0		
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	1/1	1/1		* KICKOFF RETURNS			No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
TOUCHDOWNS	2	3		Harris			4	133	33.3	54	0			
Rushing	1	2		Ortiz			1	15	15.0	15	0			
Passing	1	1		TEAM			5	148	29.6	54	0			
Returns	0	0		OPPONENTS			1	3	3.0	3	0			
* SCORE BY PERIODS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS	* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+		
TEAM	3	7	0	10	0	20	Lutz	0/ 0	1/ 1	0/ 0	1/ 2	0/ 0		
OPPONENTS	3	10	7	0	6	26	TEAM	0/ 0	1/ 1	0/ 0	1/ 2	0/ 0		
* SCORING	TD-Ru-Pa-Rt	K-PAT		FG	S	PTS	OPPONENTS	0/ 0	1/ 1	0/ 0	1/ 1	0/ 0		
Lutz	0 0 0 0	2/ 2		2/ 3	0	8	Lutz: (29G,43N,49G)							
T. Hill	1 0 1 0			0	6	6	TM: (29G,43N,49G)							
Kamara	1 1 0 0			0	6	6	OPP: (43G,21G)							
TEAM	2 1 1 0	2/ 2		2/ 3	0	20								
OPPONENTS	3 2 1 0	2/ 2		2/ 2	0	26								
2-Pt Conv: TM 0-0, OPP 0-0														
SACKS: Hendrickson 1, Jordan 1, Brown 0.5,														
Jenkins LG 0.5, Jenkins TM 0.5, TM 3, OPP 3														
FUM/LOST: Brees 1/1														

* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
Brees	33	26	208	78.8	6.30	1	3.0	1	3.0	20t	3/ 31	90.4
T. Hill	1	1	50	100.0	50.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	50	0/ 0	118.8
TEAM	34	27	258	79.4	7.59	1	2.9	1	2.9	50	3/ 31	95.8
OPPONENTS	31	19	242	61.3	7.81	1	3.2	0	0.0	43	3/ 16	96.4

## New Orleans Saints 2019 Postseason Defensive And Special Teams Stats

Name	Regular Defensive Plays											Special Teams					Miscellaneous			
	TKL	AST	TOT	SACK	YDS	TFL	QH	IN	PD	FF	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
M. Williams	5	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Klein	4	4	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Jenkins	3	5	8	0.5	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Davis	4	3	7	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
V. Bell	4	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Hendrickson	5	0	5	1	6	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Lattimore	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Robertson	2	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Jordan	3	0	3	1	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Tuttle	2	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gardner-Johnson	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Onyemata	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K. Alonso	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Edwards	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Brown	0	2	2	0.5	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Stallworth	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P. Robinson	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P. Williams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Ortiz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Hill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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