

FLORIDA STATE

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2021-22 Florida State Schedule

N10	Penn	W, 105-70
N14	at Florida	L, 55-71
N17	Tulane	W, 59-54
N21	1 vs. Loyola Marymount	5:30 p.m.
N22	1 vs. SMU / Missouri	6:00/8:30
N24	2 Boston University	7:00 p.m.
N30	3 at Purdue	7:00/7:30
D4	* Syracuse	4:00 p.m.
D12	4 vs. South Carolina	12 Noon
D15	Lipscomb	9:00 p.m.
D18	5 vs. UCF	3:30 p.m.
D21	North Florida	7:00 p.m.
D29	* at Boston College	5:00 p.m.
J1	* at NC State	4:00 p.m.
J4	* at Wake Forest	7:00 p.m.
J8	* Louisville	8:00 p.m.
J11	* Miami	8:00 p.m.
J15	* at Syracuse	4:00/4:30
J18	* Duke	9:00 p.m.
J22	* at Miami	2:00 p.m.
J26	* at Georgia Tech	9:00 p.m.
J29	* Virginia Tech	3:00 p.m.
F2	* at Clemson	7:00 p.m.
F5	* Wake Forest	12 Noon
F9	* Pittsburgh	9:00 p.m.
F12	* at North Carolina	2:00 p.m.
F15	* Clemson	7:00 p.m.
F19	* at Duke	6:00 p.m.
F26	* at Virginia	12/2/4:00
M2	* Notre Dame	7:00 p.m.
M5	* NC State	12/2:00

* Denotes ACC Game; 1 Jacksonville Classic at Jacksonville (UNF Arena); 2 Jacksonville Classic at Tallahassee (Donald L. Tucker Center); 3 ACC/Big Ten Challenge at West Lafayette, Ind. (Mackey Arena); 4 No Room for Racism Classic at Rock Hill, S.C. (Rock Hill Sports and Event Center); 5 Orange Bowl Classic at Sunrise, Fla. (FLA Live Arena).

2020-21 ACC Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Virginia	13	4	.765	18	7	.720
Florida State	11	4	.733	18	7	.720
Virginia Tech	9	4	.692	15	7	.682
Georgia Tech	11	6	.647	17	9	.654
Clemson	10	6	.625	16	8	.667
N. Carolina	10	6	.625	18	11	.644
Louisville	8	5	.615	13	7	.650
Syracuse	9	7	.563	18	10	.643
NC State	9	8	.529	14	11	.560
Duke	9	9	.500	13	11	.542
Notre Dame	7	11	.389	11	15	.423
Pittsburgh	6	10	.375	10	12	.455
Miami	4	15	.211	10	17	.370
Wake Forest	3	15	.167	6	16	.273
Boston College	2	11	.154	4	16	.200

Leonard Hamilton's Career Record

	W	L	Pct.	Years
Career	581	439	.570	1987-Pr.
at Okla. State	56	63	.471	1987-90
at Miami	144	147	.495	1991-00
at Florida State	381	229	.625	2002-Pr.

"Florida State just produces absolute DUDES."

Isaac Trotter
247Sports

NO. 19 FLORIDA STATE SEMINOLES (2-1 OVERALL, 0-0 ACC)
VS.

LOYOLA MARYMOUNT LIONS (2-1 OVERALL, 0-0 WCC)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2021; 5:30 P.M.

UNF ARENA (5,800)

JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

THE JACKSONVILLE CLASSIC BY FABLETICS

LEARFIELD IMG COLLEGE RADIO NETWORK (ERIC LUALLEN)

CBS SPORTS NETWORK (CHICK HERNANDEZ, BOB WENZEL)

"Leonard Hamilton has once again brilliantly put together a deep and talented team where several players can emerge as a go-to option each and every night. Florida State had 10 different players log double figure minutes in its opener against Penn. Keep an eye on veterans Malik Osborne and Anthony Polite along with Houston transfer Caleb Mills as Hamilton again looks to again mold a team that's in position to challenge for an ACC regular season title."

Jon Rothstein
CBS Sports

FLORIDA STATE OPENS PLAY IN JACKSONVILLE CLASSIC BY FABLETICS AGAINST LOYOLA MARYMOUNT

Florida State, which has won its first two games of the 2021-22 season by an average of 20.0 points per game, travels to play Loyola Marymount of the West Coast Conference in the first round of the Inaugural Jacksonville Classic by Fabletics on Sunday, November 21, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. The Seminoles will play their fourth of six games to open the season in the Sunshine State before they travel out of state to play at Purdue in the Big Ten / ACC Challenge on November 30. Florida State's trip down I10 East is its first game on Florida's First Coast since a 59-57 win at Jacksonville on November 15, 2008. The Seminoles' schedule sees them playing in Tallahassee (15 games at home), Jacksonville (two games in the Jacksonville Classic), Sunrise (against UCF in the Orange Bowl Classic), Coral Gables (at Miami in ACC play) and Gainesville (at Florida). Florida State's schedule has it playing 20 of its 31 regular season games within the state of Florida. Following Sunday's game against Loyola Marymount the Seminoles will face either SMU or Missouri on Monday, November 22 before returning home to play host to Boston University (also in a Jacksonville Classic game) on November 24 at 7:00 p.m.

FLORIDA STATE – LOYOLA MARYMOUNT CONNECTIONS

Florida State faces Loyola Marymount in the Jacksonville Classic on November 21, 2021 at the UNF Arena. It marks the third meeting in the sport of basketball between the two teams with Florida State holding a 2-0 lead. The two teams most recently met at the Donald L. Tucker Center on December 18, 2011 – a 77-61 Florida State win. Stan Johnson is in his second season at the Lions' head coach who has never coached nor played against Florida State. Alan Edwards, an assistant coach on Loyola Marymount's staff, is a native of Miami and is the brother of former Seminole great (and current South Carolina assistant) Douglas Edwards.

FLORIDA STATE RECENTLY IN THE SUNSHINE STATE

Florida State is one of the best teams in the country at protecting the name of the Seminoles not only on its home court, but its home state. The Seminoles are 79-4 (.952 winning percentage) in their last 83 games on their home court at the Donald L. Tucker Center in Tallahassee. The Seminoles are 95-9 (.913) in their last 104 games played in the state of Florida. Florida State's 79-4 record at home and 95-9 record in the state of Florida dates to a 77-56 victory over No. 23 Notre Dame on February 27, 2016 in Tallahassee.

FLORIDA STATE MAKES ITS FIRST APPEARANCE AT THE UNF ARENA

When Florida State meets Loyola Marymount in the Jacksonville Classic on Sunday, it will mark the Seminoles' first appearance in the UNF Arena on the campus of the University of North Florida. The Seminoles have a 6-0 record against UNF with all six games – and one coming up this season on December 21 against the Ospreys – having been played in Tallahassee.

FLORIDA STATE IN IN-SEASON TOURNAMENTS IN JACKSONVILLE

Florida State has played in two in-season tournaments in the city of Jacksonville – The Florida Sunshine Classic and the Gator Bowl Tournament. The Seminoles have an all-time record of 5-1 (and two tournament championships in 1968 and 1971) in three appearances in the Florida Sunshine Classic and have an all-time record of 5-7 in six appearances in the Gator Bowl Classic. Florida State most recently played in the Gator Bowl Classic during the 1971-72 season (and won the tournament championship) and last played in the Gator Bowl Tournament during the 1969-70 season.

LOOK FOR FLORIDA STATE TO...

..Defeat Loyola Marymount and gain a third consecutive win in the series over the Lions. The Seminoles defeated the Lions in Los Angeles (89-72, December 18, 2010) and in Tallahassee (77-61, December 18, 2011) and have won both games played between the two teams;

...Defeat Loyola Marymount and gain a win for the sixth time in the last seven games against a team from the state of California. The Seminoles last lost to a team from the Sunshine State on November 27, 1992 in a game played in Madison Square Garden. The Seminoles also played UCLA in the NCAA Tournament National Championship game – falling by an 81-76 score at the Los Angeles Sports Arena.

**Florida State Basketball / National Polls
ASSOCIATED PRESS POLL**

R.	Team	21-22 Rec.
1.	Gonzaga (55)	2-0
2.	UCLA (6)	2-0
3.	Kansas	2-0
4.	Michigan	2-0
5.	Villanova	1-1
6.	Purdue	2-0
7.	Duke	3-0
8.	Texas	1-1
9.	Baylor	1-0
10.	Illinois	2-0
11.	Memphis	2-0
12.	Oregon	2-0
13.	Kentucky	1-1
14.	Alabama	2-0
15.	Houston	2-0
16.	Arkansas	2-0
17.	Tennessee	2-0
18.	North Carolina	2-0
19.	Ohio State	2-0
20.	Maryland	3-0
21.	Auburn	2-0
22.	Saint Bonaventure	2-0
23.	UConn	2-0
24.	Florida	2-0
25.	USC	2-0

USA TODAY POLL

Rk.	Team (FPV)	Points
1.	Gonzaga (29)	771
2.	UCLA (2)	709
3.	Kansas	705
4.	Villanova	658
5.	Texas	634
6.	Michigan	627
7.	Purdue	578
8.	Baylor	542
9.	Duke	490
10.	Illinois	466
11.	Kentucky	438
12.	Oregon	382
13.	Alabama	360
14.	Houston	343
15.	Arkansas	340
16.	Memphis	337
T17.	Tennessee	290
T17.	Ohio State	280
19.	FLORIDA STATE	225
20.	North Carolina	224
21.	Maryland	150
22.	Auburn	87
23.	UConn	73
24.	Saint Bonaventure	71
25.	Virginia	60

ACC Basketball Tipoff

Rk.	Team (FPV)	Points
1.	Duke (42)	1,132
2.	FLORIDA STATE (14)	1,034
3.	North Carolina (5)	1,001
4.	Virginia (9)	949
5.	Virginia Tech (5)	857
6.	Louisville (1)	791
7.	Syracuse	781
8.	Notre Dame	599
9.	NC State	555
10.	Georgia Tech	524
11.	Clemson	430
12.	Miami	428
13.	Wake Forest	274
14.	Pitt	253
15.	Boston College	112

SEMINOLES PICKED TO FINISH SECOND IN ACC RACE

Florida State, which has finished in fourth place or higher in the ACC Basketball standings in the last three seasons, has been selected to finish in second place in the 2022 league standings by the attending media at the annual ACC Tip-Off. It's the highest the Seminoles have been predicted to finish a season since joining the league for the 1991-92 season. The Seminoles received the second highest point total (1,034) and the second highest total of first place votes in the voting during which 81 total votes were counted. The Seminoles were picked to finish in second place in the ACC standings for the first time in school history. The Seminoles have been picked to finish third in three different seasons (1993, 2012 and 2021) and fourth on two occasions (2009 and 2019). Most recently, the Seminoles were picked to finish in third place in 2021 — they finished in second place in the ACC standings and advanced to play in the ACC Tournament Championship game. Florida State was picked to finish in the fifth spot in 2020 and won the ACC Championship with a 16-4 record. In 2019, the Seminoles were picked to finish in seventh place; they finished fourth and advanced to the ACC Championship game.

CLEVELAND NAMED TO JULIUS ERVING WATCH LIST

Florida State freshman Matthew Cleveland has been named to the 20-player watch list for the 2022 Julius Erving Award by the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame. The award highlights the best small forward in college basketball. The award will be presented to the nation's top small forward on April 8, 2022 at the College Basketball Awards Show in Los Angeles. Cleveland, who averaged 22.8 points, 10.6 rebounds, 2.6 assists, and 2.0 steals as a senior at Pace High School in Atlanta, is one of seven freshmen and one of only two players from the ACC on the Julius Erving watch list. Cleveland led his team to back-to-back state championships his junior and senior seasons. He was named the 2021 Atlanta area Player of the Year and was selected as the Georgia 2A Player of the Year. Cleveland has joined a growing list of Seminoles placed on preseason award lists under head coach Leonard Hamilton. Scottie Barnes was named to the Bob Cousy Award watch list as the nation's top point guard and M.J. Walker was placed on the Jerry West Award watch list as the nation's top shooting guard for the 2021 season. In 2019, Trent Forrest was named to the Cousy Award watch list. Dwayne Bacon was named to the Jerry West watch list, and Xavier Rathan-Mayes was named to the Cousy watch list in 2016.

FLORIDA STATE SINCE THE START OF THE 2018-19 SEASON

Florida State is 75-21 (.781 winning percentage) since the start of the 2018-19 season. The Seminoles finished 29-8 in 2018-19, 26-5 in 2019-20, were 18-7 during the 2020-21 season and are 2-1 this season. Since defeating Clemson on December 8, 2019, the Seminoles have won 80 percent of their games with a record of 36-9 (.800 winning percentage).

FLORIDA STATE IN THE ACC SINCE THE START OF THE 2018-19 SEASON

Florida State is 40-13 (.769 winning percentage) in ACC regular season play since the start of the 2018-19 season. The Seminoles finished 13-5 in 2019, 16-4 in 2020 and were 11-4 during the 2020-21 season.

FLORIDA STATE IN THE LAST TWO ACC CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

Florida State has appeared in both of the last two ACC Championship games (2019 against Duke and 2021 against Georgia Tech) and won the 2020 ACC Championship.

SEMINOLES' NEARLY UNHEARD OF OVERTIME WINNING STREAK

Florida State defeated Wake Forest, 92-85, in overtime on February 13, 2021 in Tallahassee for its all-time college basketball record tying 11th consecutive overtime victory. The Seminoles have won each of their overtime decisions since a 101-90 double overtime win over Syracuse on January 13, 2018 in a game played at the Donald L. Tucker Center in Tallahassee. The Seminoles now hold the all-time national record for consecutive overtime victories of 11 along with Louisville (1968-75), UMass (1991-96) and Virginia (1991-96).

HAMILTON IS THE FIFTH WINNINGEST COACH IN ACC HISTORY

Florida State Head Coach Leonard Hamilton is the fifth winningest coach in ACC history with 381 career wins at Florida State. Hamilton became only the fifth coach in the illustrious history of the nation's best basketball conference to win 375 career games with the Seminoles' victory over Boston College on March 3, 2021.

Hamilton In ACC History

Rank	Coach, School	Career Wins
1.	Mike Krzyzewski, Duke	1,101
2.	Dean Smith, North Carolina	879
3.	Roy Williams, North Carolina	485
4.	Gary Williams, Maryland	461
5.	Leonard Hamilton, Florida State	381

#NEWBLOODS

You see it emblazoned on their facemasks. You hear it when they take to the court. You read it on their social media posts. Like any good mantra, the coaches and players live, speak and embrace it all of the time. It's everywhere. The national media has adopted the phrase. It just might end up being the Webster Dictionary's newest entry. #NewBlood. It's the term coined by Florida State Assistant Coach Charlton "CY" Young to describe the ascent by the Seminole Men's Basketball team into the hierarchy of the college basketball world. The defending ACC Champions have displayed the consistency and the staying power to have their name spoken definitively among the BlueBloods who have put their stamp on the sport since James Naismith first shot a ball through a peach basket more than 100 years ago.

- Since the start of the 2016 season, Florida State is the third winningest team in ACC play with a 115-38 record (.752 winning percentage).
- Florida State averages 24.8 wins per season in the last five seasons with a school-record 29 wins coming during the 2019 season. The Seminoles have won at least 23 games in four of the last five seasons.
- Florida State is one of three teams in the nation that has played in the Sweet 16 of each of the last three NCAA Tournaments (Florida State, Gonzaga, Michigan).
- Florida State is one of six teams in the nation that has won at least one game in each of the last four NCAA Tournaments (Florida State, Gonzaga, Kansas, Michigan, and Villanova, Florida).
- Florida State has had three players selected as the ACC Sixth Man of the Year in each of the last three seasons (Mifiondu Kabengele, 2019; Patrick Williams, 2020; Scottie Barnes, 2021). Each of those players has been a first round NBA Draft selection.

**Florida State Basketball
Upcoming Milestones**

**Leonard Hamilton
Victories as an ACC Coach**
381 (Career at Florida State)
+82 (needs)
463

To become the 4th Winningest Coach in ACC History (all victories) (surpassing Gary Williams of Maryland)

**Leonard Hamilton
ACC Victories at Florida State**
(Regular Season + ACC Tourn.)
181 (Career at Florida State)
+30 (needs)
211

To become the 4th Winningest Coach in ACC History (ACC games) – surpassing Gary Williams of Maryland

**Leonard Hamilton
Wins vs. AP No. 1 In Career**
4 (career at Florida State)
+4 (needs)
8

To move into a tie for first place in college basketball history with Roy Williams for all-time wins vs. the nation's No. 1 ranked team

**Florida State
All-Time Victories**
1265 (current)
+35 (needs)
1,300

Florida State has an all-time record of 1,264-862 for a winning percentage of .595.

**Anthony Polite
Career 3-Point Field Goals Made**
82 (current)
+18 (needs)
100

To become the 24th player in school history with 100 or more career 3-point field goals made

**Anthony Polite
Career 3-Point Field Goal Percentage**
.353 (current)
+019 (needs)
.372

To become one of the top 15 3-point field goal shooters by percentage in school history

**Anthony Polite
Career Points**
496 (current)
+504 (needs)
1,000

To become the 50th player in school history to score 1,000 or more career points

**Malik Osborne
Career Points**
654 (current)
+346 (needs)

To reach the 1,000 career points mark (280 at Rice and 364 at Florida State)

POSSIBLE STARTING LINEUP FOR FLORIDA STATE...

F	#10	Malik Osborne (15.0 ppg, 9.7 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
G	#0	RayQuan Evans (7.3 ppg, 3.3 apg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
G	#2	Anthony Polite (8.3 ppg, 8.0 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
G	#4	Caleb Mills (9.7 ppg, 3.7 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
G	#31	Wyatt Wilkes (4.0 ppg, 1.7 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)

...AND TOP RESERVES

G	#1	Jalen Warley (2.3 ppg, 0.7 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
C	#15	Quincy Ballard (2.0 ppg, 3.0 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
G	#35	Matthew Cleveland (8.3 ppg, 6.0 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
G	#12	Justin Lindner (0.0 ppg, 0.0 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
F	#22	John Butler (6.0 ppg, 1.7 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
F	#30	Harrison Prieto (3.0 ppg, 0.0 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
G	#21	Cam'Ron Fletcher (7.3 ppg, 2.7 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)
C	#24	Naheem McLeod (2.0 ppg, 0.5 rpg; First career game against Loyola Marymount)

POSSIBLE STARTING LINEUP FOR LOYOLA MARYMOUNT

F	#34	Keli Leapepe (11.0 ppg, 4.7 rpg; First career game vs. Florida State)
F	#00	Eli Scott (13.7 ppg, 7.3 rpg; First career game vs. Florida State)
G	#2	Joe Quintana (20.0 ppg, 2.3 rpg; First career game vs. Florida State)
G	#11	Kwane Marble II (5.0 ppg, 4.7 rpg; First career game vs. Florida State)
G	#20	Cam Shelton (7.3 ppg, 3.7 apg; First career game vs. Florida State)

FLORIDA STATE VS. LOYOLA MARYMOUNT - A SERIES HISTORY

The Series:	Florida State leads the series, 2-0
First Game:	December 18 2010; Florida State 74, at Loyola Marymount 63
Last Game:	December 18, 2011; at Florida State 77, Loyola Marymount 61
Last Florida State Win:	December 18, 2011; at Florida State 77, Loyola Marymount 61
Last Loyola Marymount Win:	None
Last Florida State Win in Jacksonville:	First game in Jacksonville
Last Loyola Marymount Win in Jacksonville:	First game in Jacksonville
Current Streak:	Florida State has won 2
Current Streak in Jacksonville:	First game in Jacksonville

FLORIDA STATE VS. LOYOLA MARYMOUNT – THE LAST TWO GAMES

<u>Dec. 18, 2011</u>	<u>Dec. 18, 2012</u>
Florida State 74	at Florida State 77
at Loyola Marymount 63	Loyola Marymount 61

FLORIDA STATE VS. LOYOLA MARYMOUNT – THE LAST MEETING

The Florida State men's basketball team moved to 7-0 at home with a 77-61 victory over Loyola Marymount at the Donald L. Tucker Center on December 18, 2012. While FSU was doing its best to keep the numbers low in the turnover category, senior Bernard James was doing the opposite on offense and on the glass. For the second game in a row, James registered a double-double in points and rebounds. His team-high 17 points accompanied his game-high 12 rebounds as James earned his fifth double-double of the season. Playing against the home-state Lions, California native Michael Snaer added 12 points and Xavier Gibson had 10 points and seven rebounds. Okaro White finished the day with seven points and 11 rebounds and Jeff Peterson rounded out the scoring for FSU's starters with seven points of his own. The Seminoles shot 43 percent from the field but were just 48 percent from the free-throw line. FSU led by as many as 25 points and out-scored Loyola Marymount 38 to 12 in the paint.

TODAY'S REFEREES

Today's officials will be announced at game time.

2021-22 FLORIDA STATE ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown
0	RayQuan Evans	G	6-4	210	RSr.	Billings, Mont./North Idaho College
1	Jalen Warley	G	6-6	200	Fr.	Mt. Airy, Pa./Westtown School
2	Anthony Polite	G	6-6	215	RSr.	Lugano, Switzerland/St. Andrews Christian School (Fla.)
4	Caleb Mills	G	6-5	180	RSr.	Arden, N.C./University of Houston
5	Michael Brown	F	6-7	220	Fr.	Ft. Washington, Md./Sidwell Friends
10	Malik Osborne	F	6-9	225	RSr.	Matteson, Ill./Bosco Institute/Rice
11	Tanor Ngom	C	7-2	236	RSr.	Dakar, Senegal/Ryerson University (Canada)
12	Justin Lindner	G	6-1	180	RSr.	Memphis, Tenn./Christian Brothers
15	Quincy Ballard	C	7-0	240	So.	Syracuse, N.Y./Quality Education Academy (N.C.)
21	Cam'Ron Fletcher	G	6-7	215	So.	St. Louis, Mo./University of Kentucky
22	John Butler	F	7-0	190	Fr.	Greenville, S.C./Christ Church Episcopal
24	Naheem McLeod	C	7-4	255	So.	Philadelphia, Pa./Chipola College
25	John Horner	F	6-7	205	Fr.	Ventnor City, N.J./St. Augustine Prep
30	Harrison Prieto	F	6-8	230	RSr.	Mandeville, La./St. Paul's School
31	Wyatt Wilkes	F	6-8	220	RSr.	Orlando, Fla./Winter Park
34	Barrett Waldrop	F/C	6-7	205	Fr.	Freeport, Fla./South Walton
35	Matthew Cleveland	G	6-7	200	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga./Pace Academy
40	Isaac Spainhour	G	6-3	180	So.	King, N.C./West Stokes
42	Cleveland Yates	G	6-3	200	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn./Briarcrest Christian School
44	Max Thorpe	G	6-3	160	So.	Clearwater, Fla./Clearwater Countryside

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE: RayQuan Evans (RAY-Qwan); Jalen Warley (Jay-Lynn War-Li); Tanor Ngom (Tuh-NOR en-GOM); Caleb Mills (Kay-Lib Mills); Cam'Ron Fletcher (Cam-ren Fletcher)

**Florida State Basketball
By The Numbers**

.789 Redshirt senior Malik Osborne is shooting .789 from the free throw line (45 of 57) in the last two seasons.

1 Florida State is the only school with three NBA Draft Lottery picks in the 2020 and 2021 NBA Drafts -- Patrick Williams, No. 4 overall by Chicago and Devin Vassell, No. 11 overall by San Antonio in 2020 while Scottie Barnes was taken with the No. 4 overall pick in the 2021 NBA Draft by Toronto.

2 Florida State is undefeated, 2-0, when it outscores its opponent.

3 Florida State, with three selections to the All-ACC First, Second and Third teams, was the only team with three selections to the 2021 All-ACC teams. The Seminoles' three selections (M.J. Walker, RaiQuan Gray and Scottie Barnes) were the most by any one school and made Florida State one of just three teams (Florida State, 3; Georgia Tech, 2; Virginia, 2) with multiple selections listed among the top 16 players in the nation's best conference.

4 Florida State's Patrick Williams (Chicago Bulls, 2020) and Scottie Barnes (Toronto Raptors, 2021) were selected with the No. 4 overall pick in the last two NBA Drafts. Their selections at No. 4 tied for the highest draft pick in school history (Dave Cowens, 1970).

5 Florida State has been ranked in the final national poll in each of the last five seasons (2021, No. 10; 2020, No. 4; 2019, No. 12; 2018, No. 18; 2017, No. 16) and are one of only two teams in the ACC to be ranked in the final poll in each of the last five seasons.

8 Florida State has won eight games in the last four NCAA Tournaments. The Seminoles are 8-4 with at least one win in each of the last four NCAA Tournaments.

12 Florida State has finished 12th or higher in the national polls in each of the last three seasons (2021, No. 10; 2020, No. 4; 2019, No. 12).

25 Florida State has won 25 consecutive ACC home games – the second longest streak in ACC history. The Seminoles are just one ACC win from tying the all-time ACC record for consecutive ACC wins at home (26 by Duke 1997-2000). Florida State opens its ACC Schedule against Syracuse on Dec. 4.

63 Florida State's Leonard Hamilton has totaled 63 NBA Draft picks (or players who have played in the NBA) during his coaching career.

95 In 19 years at Florida State, Head Coach Leonard Hamilton has seen to it that more than 95 percent of his seniors have graduated. Only two players in 19 years who have stayed in the program and finished their 4-year careers under Hamilton have not graduated.

OSBORNE IS A CONSISTENT OUTSIDE THREAT

Redshirt senior Malik Osborne, who has made at least one 3-point shot in each of the first three games of the 2021-22 season, has certainly developed into one of the Seminoles' top outside shooting threats. After shooting a career-high .365 from the 3-point line during the 2020-21 season, Osborne enters Sunday's game against Loyola Marymount shooting a team-leading .625 from beyond the arc. Osborne is shooting .400 from the 3-point line in the last two seasons (24 of 60) and .328 from the bonusphere (66 of 201) for his career.

Osborne In The Last Two Seasons From Deep

Season	3FGM	3FGA	Pct.	Notes
2020-21	19	52	.365	Career-high 4 3FGM against Michigan in NCAA Tournament
2021-22	5	8	.625	Season-high 3 3FGM at Florida (November 14, 2021)
Totals	24	60	.400	Multiple 3FGM in 6 different games / At least 3 3FGM in 4 games

OSBORNE ENTERS SUNDAY'S GAME AVERAGING A NEAR DOUBLE DOUBLE

With double figure scoring and double figure rebounding in two of Florida State's first three games of the season, redshirt senior Malik Osborne enters Sunday's game against Loyola Marymount averaging a near double double of 15.0 ppg and 9.7 rebounds per game. He opened the season with a double double of 18 points and a career-high tying 13 rebounds in the Seminoles' season-opening win over Penn. In three games, Osborne is one point (he totaled nine points in Florida State's victory over Tulane) and four rebounds (he totaled 18 points and six rebounds against Florida) away from earning three consecutive double doubles to begin the season. Mathematically, he has scored 45 points (15.0 ppg) and pulled down 29 rebounds (9.7 rpg) and is just one rebound from averaging a double double in his first three games of the season.

Osborne's Double Doubles

Date	Opponent	Points	Rebounds
February 15, 2018	at Marshall	22	13
March 1, 2018	Texas El-Paso	10	10
January 27, 2021	at Miami	11	10
November 10, 2021	Penn	18	13

FLETCHER IN HIS FIRST THREE GAMES AS A SEMINOLE

Sophomore Cam'Ron Fletcher is off to a fine start in his first season as a Seminole as she scored his career-high of 11 points in Florida State's win over Tulane on Wednesday in Tallahassee. He has already made more field goals (9-7), attempted more field goals (16-13), made more 3-point shots (2-1), attempted more 3-point shots (6-4), made more free throws (2-0), attempted more free throws (3-2) and scored more points (22-15) while earning as many steals (5-5) and assists (3-3) in three games as a Seminole this season as he did in nine games at Kentucky last season.

Fletcher From The Field

Season	FGM	FGA	Pct.	Notes
2020-21	7	13	.538	4 FGM for nine points in Kentucky win over Morehead State
2021-22	9	16	.563	4 FGM in Florida State wins over Penn and Tulane
Totals	16	29	.552	Averages 3.1 ppg in 12 career games

EVANS ON THE DEFENSIVE

Redshirt senior RayQuan Evans has earned seen steals and four blocked shots in the first three games of the 2021-22 season. He has earned multiple steals in each of the Seminoles first three games of the season (3 against Penn and 2 each against Florida and Tulane) and blocked his career-high of four shots in the Seminoles' win over Tulane. Through the first three games of the 2021-22 season, Evans has nearly achieved his single-season career-high statistics for steals and blocked shots. He has seven steals this season – his career-high is 11 during 2020-21 season. He has four blocked shots this season – his career-high is six during the 2020-21 season.

Evans Defensively

Season	Steals	Blocks	Notes
2019-20	8	3	Played in 29 games with zero starts
2020-21	11	6	Played in 24 games with 18 starts
2021-22	7	4	Played in 3 games with 3 starts
Totals	26	13	Has played in 56 games and is in his third season at Florida State

POLITE EARNS A CAREER-HIGH FOR REBOUNDS AGAINST TULANE

Redshirt senior Anthony Polite pulled down a career-high 10 rebounds and enters Sunday's game against Loyola Marymount averaging a career-high 8.0 rebounds in the Seminoles first three games of the 2021-22 season. He has pulled down at least six rebounds in each of the first three games of the year – six against Penn, eight at Florida and 10 against Tulane. Polite's previous career-high for rebounds prior to his first career double figure rebounding performance was nine in Florida State's victory over Gardner-Webb on December 21, 2020.

Polite Rebounding

Season	Games	Rebs	RPG	Notes
2017-18	1	1	1.0	1 rebound in 1 game vs. George Washington
2018-19	30	48	1.6	Season-high 5 rebounds in win over Winthrop
2019-20	31	91	2.9	Season-high 8 rebounds in win over Miami
2020-21	21	94	4.5	Season-high 9 rebounds in win over Gardner-Webb
2021-22	3	24	8.0	Career-high 10 rebounds in win over Tulane
Totals	84	258	3.1	7 or more rebounds in 6 career games

CALEB MILLS IS A NATURAL SCORER

Redshirt sophomore Caleb Mills enters Sunday's game against Loyola Marymount having scored 477 points in 38 career games – an average of 12.6 points per game for his career. He has scored in double figures in two of three games in his first year as a Seminole and in 26 of 38 career games (.684 percent of his career games played total).



**2021-22 Florida St. Men's Basketball
Combined Team Statistics
All games**

Game Records

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	2-1	2-0	0-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-1	2-0	0-1	0-0

Score by Periods

Team	1st	2nd	OT	TOT
Florida St.	118	101	0	219
Opponents	99	96	0	195

Team Box Score

No.	Player	Total			3-Point			F-Throw		Rebounds				Other Stats								
		GP-GS	MIN	AVG	FG-FGA	FG%	3FG-3FGA	3FG%	FT-FTA	FT%	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	DQ	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
10	OSBORNE, Malik	3-3	88:11	29.4	13-21	.619	5-8	.625	14-20	.700	13	16	29	9.7	3	0	2	4	2	4	45	15.0
4	MILLS, Caleb	3-3	71:07	23.7	12-35	.343	3-11	.273	2-3	.667	3	8	11	3.7	6	0	6	4	2	5	29	9.7
35	CLEVELAND, Matthew	3-0	70:19	23.4	11-25	.440	1-4	.250	2-6	.333	5	13	18	6.0	6	0	5	2	1	1	25	8.3
2	POLITE, Anthony	3-3	81:07	27.0	8-23	.348	3-12	.250	6-9	.667	9	15	24	8.0	4	0	5	6	2	4	25	8.3
0	EVANS, RayQuan	3-3	68:52	23.0	7-20	.350	1-4	.250	7-11	.636	1	5	6	2.0	5	0	10	9	4	7	22	7.3
21	FLETCHER, Cam'Ron	3-0	48:42	16.2	9-16	.563	2-6	.333	2-3	.667	6	2	8	2.7	8	0	3	4	0	5	22	7.3
22	BUTLER, John	3-0	39:09	13.0	8-10	.800	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	2	3	5	1.7	4	0	1	2	3	1	18	6.0
31	WILKES, Wyatt	3-3	42:15	14.1	5-14	.357	2-8	.250	0-0	.000	1	4	5	1.7	4	0	2	2	2	2	12	4.0
11	NGOM, Tanor	1-0	07:27	7.5	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	3.0
30	PRIETO, Harrison	1-0	02:05	2.1	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3.0
1	WARLEY, Jalen	3-0	41:59	14.0	1-8	.125	0-0	.000	5-6	.833	0	2	2	0.7	6	0	4	3	0	1	7	2.3
15	BALLARD, Quincy	1-0	07:06	7.1	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	3.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2.0
40	SPAINHOUR, Isaac	1-0	03:18	3.3	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
24	MCLEOD, Naheem	2-0	17:16	8.6	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	2-5	.400	1	0	1	0.5	3	0	0	2	1	0	4	2.0
12	LINDNER, Justin	1-0	04:31	4.5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	3	3	0	0	0	0.0
44	THORPE, Max	1-0	03:18	3.3	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0.0
42	YATES, Cleveland	1-0	03:18	3.3	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0.0
Team											6	3	9				1					
Total		3	600		79-182	.434	20-59	.339	41-65	.631	48	76	124	41.3	53	0	41	43	19	31	219	73.0
Opponents		3	600		63-175	.360	26-81	.321	43-59	.729	43	68	111	37.0	49	0	28	54	16	21	195	65.0

Team Statistics

	FSU	OPP
Scoring	219	195
Points per game	73.0	65.0
Scoring margin	+8.0	-
Field goals-att	79-182	63-175
Field goal pct	.434	.360
3 point fg-att	20-59	26-81
3-point FG pct	.339	.321
3-pt FG made per game	6.7	8.7
Free throws-att	41-65	43-59
Free throw pct	.631	.729
F-Throws made per game	13.7	14.3
Rebounds	124	111
Rebounds per game	41.3	37.0
Rebounding margin	+4.3	-
Assists	41	28
Assists per game	13.7	9.3
Turnovers	43	54
Turnovers per game	14.3	18.0
Turnover margin	+3.7	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	0.5
Steals	31	21
Steals per game	10.3	7.0
Blocks	19	16
Blocks per game	6.3	5.3
Winning streak	1	-
Home win streak	2	-
Attendance	18776	10011
Home games-Avg/Game	2-9388	1-10011
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
11/10/2021	Penn	W	105-70	9746
11/14/2021	at Florida	L	55-71	10011
11/17/2021	Tulane	W	59-54	9030

Caleb Mills: One-Time Kickball Star Now Excelling On The Basketball Court

By Chuck Walsh

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TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (seminoles.com) – Caleb Mills was a light-hitting outfielder with a great glove as a Little League baseball player. He was a fast and nimble wide receiver when he played Pee Wee football. He developed into a skillful scoring guard with great dribbling skills when he began playing basketball at age nine.

So, who would have guessed that he wanted to be a professional kickball player while growing up in the mountains of North Carolina?

“Playing kickball was something I really enjoyed when I was in middle school,” Mills said. “I loved being outside and competing against the other kids. Kickball was a sport I felt I was really good at – better than all of the kids in my class. While the other kids wanted to be firemen and police officers, I wanted to play kickball my whole life. It was fun and I enjoyed how fast-paced it was.”

Fresh from their victory over Tulane on Wednesday in Tallahassee, Mills leads the Seminoles against Loyola Marymount in the Inaugural Jacksonville Classic on Sunday at 5:30 p.m. at the UNF Arena. Florida State hopes to make its first trip to Jacksonville since the 2008-09 season a successful one as they compete against LMU, Missouri and Southern Methodist for a tournament championship. It has been since 1971, when the Seminoles defeated Stetson and Jacksonville to win the championship of the Florida Sunshine Classic, that they have played for a tournament championship on Florida’s acclaimed First Coast.

For Mills, playing for the Seminoles in the Jacksonville Classic is exactly where he wants to be. He’s in his first season at Florida State, he’s worked himself into the Seminoles’ starting lineup, and he is thriving as one of the top players on one of the top teams in the nation. Mills scored 14 points in his Florida State debut against Penn and was a standout in the Seminoles’ victory over the Green Wave.

“Florida State was the right decision to make,” said Mills of his decision to transfer from the University Houston to Florida State in January of 2021. “The coaches do a great job (here at Florida State). I grow every day as a player and a man. That’s all you can hope for.”

The college basketball world began to take notice of Mills as a high school star. He was ranked as the No. 6 overall player and the No. 17 combo guard in the state of North Carolina as a senior. He was named to the NCSAA Large-School Division All-State First-Team as a sophomore in 2017 and to the Southeast Super-Region Team as a junior in 2018.

As a highly recruited prep star, Mills chose to attend Houston out of high school. He was the Cougars’ leading scorer as a redshirt freshman in 2020, was named the American Athletic Conference Player of the Week twice during his freshman season and was named as the 2021 preseason AAC Player of the Year. In two seasons and 35 games at Houston, he averaged 12.8 points, 2.9 rebounds and shot better than 36 percent from the 3-point line.

His transition from Houston to Florida State has been easy according to Mills.

“It wasn't too hard for me, having been in college already, being able to pick up on stuff fast,” Mills said. “I feel like I've grown as much as I ever have in the short time I've already been here as far as being a complete player, making plays for other people, and for myself, just being more efficient.”

Mills noted that he was recruited by Seminole Head Coach Leonard Hamilton and his staff before choosing Houston coming out of high school. He was working on setting up his official visit to Florida State when he decided to commit to Houston.

"I wanted to play for Coach Ham, knowing he is a great coach ... glad I'm here now."

The transition to becoming one with his new teammates has also been seamless.

"They embraced me coming in," said Mills. "It's a brotherhood here (at Florida State) -- something different and special."

As Mills continues to develop and display his basketball repertoire to his Seminole teammates and the college basketball world, he thinks back to some of the things that made him a successful kickball player on the playgrounds of North Carolina. He's looking for that same edge for Florida State on the basketball court.

"One of the things I did when I was playing kickball was I wore my Timberland boots whenever I knew we were going to have recess," said Mills. "My boots were my secret weapon – I kicked a home run just about every time we played."

Mills' teammates will be on the lookout for his secret weapons on the basketball court during his career as a Seminole.

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6-9, 225, Redshirt-Senior, Matteson, Ill. (Third Year at Florida State, Fifth Collegiate Season)

2021-22 Season

- * Fourth career double double of 18 points and 13 rebounds in Florida State's win over Penn in Tallahassee
- * Scored a team-high 18 points with 6 rebounds and 3 steals in Florida State's game at Florida in Gainesville
- * A near double double with 9 points and 10 rebounds in Florida State's 59-54 win over Tulane in Tallahassee

2020-21 Season

- * 11 points off the bench with 5 rebounds and 1 steal in Florida State's NCAA Tournament win over Colorado
- * A starter with 12 points and 8 rebounds in Florida State's 92-85 overtime win over Wake Forest in Tallahassee
- * Totaled 9 points in 3 made 3-point field goals in Florida State's win over North Carolina in the ACC Tournament
- * Scored 12 points and pulled down 3 rebounds in Florida State's victory over Louisville at the KFC Yum! Center

2019-20 Season

- * Averaged 6.0 points (tied for fifth on the team), 4.9 rebounds (second) and 0.7 blocked shots (third) in helping lead Florida State to the 2020 ACC Championship.
- * Played in all 31 games and started 28 games (including 18 of the final 19 games of the season) in 2020.
- * Totaled 10 points, 4 rebounds and 1 steal in Florida State's victory at No. 6 Florida in Gainesville
- * Totaled 10 points and 3 rebounds as a starter in Florida State's victory over Chattanooga in Tallahassee
- * Florida State career-high of 14 points with 4 rebounds in Florida State's victory over North Alabama
- * Totaled 14 points, 5 rebounds and 2 blocked shots in Florida State's game at Duke in Durham
- * Scored 11 points to go along with 8 rebounds in Florida State's game at Clemson

2018-19 Season

- * Sat out the 2018-19 season after transferring from Rice where he played as a freshman during the 2017-18 season
- * Traveled with the Seminoles to Hartford, Conn., for the first two rounds of the 2019 NCAA Tournament

2017-18 Season

- * Averaged 9.0 points (fourth on the team), 6.5 rebounds (second), 0.8 blocked shots (first) and 0.6 steals (third), while shooting .414 from the field
- * Ranked third amongst his Owl teammates with 280 points
- * Ranked fifth on the team with 22 3-point shots made
- * Started 27 of the Owls' 31 games

On Osborne

- * Graduated from Rich South High School in Illinois in 2016
- * Averaged 10.8 points, 7.1 rebounds and 1.6 blocked shots as a member of the varsity team as a senior
- * Led the Stars to an 18-8 record
- * Earned All-Conference First Team and All-Area Honorable Mention honors in 2017
- * A team leader as Rich South advanced to the second round of the state high school championship tournament
- * Played in 25 of the Rich South's 26 games

2021-22 Game-By-Game Statistics -- Malik Osborne

Date	Opponent	G-GS	Min	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	O-D	Rebs	PF	A	TO	B	S	Pts
N10	Penn	1-1	23	4-6	.667	1-3	.333	9-12	.750	7-6	13	1	0	0	0	1	18
N14	Florida	2-2	33	6-10	.600	3-4	.750	3-5	.600	2-4	6	1	2	3	0	3	18
N17	Tulane	3-3	33	2-5	.600	1-1	1.000	1-3	.667	4-6	10	1	0	1	2	0	9
N21	Loyola Marymount																
N22	SMU/Missouri																
N24	Boston University																
N30	Purdue																
D4	Syracuse																
D12	South Carolina																
D15	Lipscomb																
D18	UCF																
D21	North Florida																
D29	Boston College																
J1	NC State																
J4	Wake Forrest																
J8	Louisville																
J11	Miami																
J15	Syracuse																
J18	Duke																
J22	Miami																
J26	Georgia Tech																
J29	Virginia Tech																
F2	Clemson																
F5	Wake Forrest																
F9	Pittsburgh																
F12	North Carolina																
F15	Clemson																
F19	Duke																
F26	Virginia																
M2	Notre Dame																
M5	NC State																

Malik Osborne's Career Highs

PTS 22 vs. Marshall (2-15-18)
 FGM 7 at FIU (2-14-18)
 7 vs. Marshall (2-15-18)
 FGA 17 vs. Marshall (2-15-18)
 FG% 1.000 vs. Chicago State (11-25-19)
 1.000 vs. Western Carolina (11-15-19)
 3FGM 4 vs. Michigan (3-28-21)
 3FGA 9 vs. Marshall (2-15-18)
 3FG% 1.000 vs. Indiana (12-9-20)
 1.000 at Clemson (2-29-20)
 1.000 vs. Miami (2-8-20)
 FTM 9 vs. Penn (11-10-21)
 9 vs. Charlotte (1-6-18)
 FTA 12 vs. Penn (11-10-21)
 FT% 1.000 vs. 18 Teams
 Last vs. UNC Greensboro (3-20-21)
 OR 7 vs. Penn (11-10-21)
 DR 10 vs. Marshall (2-15-18)
 REBS 13 vs. Penn (11-10-21)
 13 vs. Texas San Antonio (12-28-17)
 13 vs. Marshall (2-15-18)
 AST 4 vs. Gardner-Webb (12-21-20)
 BLK 4 at Pitt (11-6-19)
 STL 4 at Stephen F. Austin (12-9-17)
 MIN 36 at Stephen F. Austin (12-9-17)
 underlined denotes career high established or tied during 2021-22 season

291
 Malik Osborne leads all returning Seminoles with 291 total rebounds during the last two plus seasons at Florida State

