



**DELAWARE STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL**



**2011 SEASON PREVIEW**





# DELAWARE STATE

## 2011 OUTLOOK

The 2011 season marks the beginning of a new era for the Delaware State University football program. Veteran Kermit Blount takes over as head coach of the Hornets, who are trying to rebound from a 3-8 overall record, including a 2-6 mark in the MEAC during the 2010 season. Blount brings 27 years of collegiate coaching experience to DSU, including 16 as head coach at Winston-Salem State University, where he posted a 91-87-3 record and led the Rams to two Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association championships.

Blount expects to welcome 46 letter winners, including 17 returning starters (including kickers), to his first summer camp with the Hornets.

The offense will return eight starters, among them the MEAC's top receiver, the team's leading rusher and an experienced quarterback.

The defense is expected to feature seven returning starters, although it must replace an All-MEAC First Team lineman who was the team's top tackler last season.

"I'm excited about the challenge of rebuilding this team," said Blount. "I believe there's a good foundation here, although we have much to do to become a championship caliber team."

Blount added, "I'm very pleased with the way the team has adjusted to the changes we have made so far. We have a solid group of first string players, however, we face the challenge of finding quality depth on both sides of the ball."

### OFFENSE

The unit is led by All-MEAC First Team wide receiver Justin Wilson (r-jr., 6-1, 180), who was the first player in league history to lead the conference in receptions (59), receiving yards (937) and touchdown catches (11) in 2010. Wilson ranked 16th among all NCAA-

FCS players in receiving yards (85.2 pg) and tied for 35th in receptions (5.4 pg). In addition, he set a Delaware State single-season record for receptions. He had 33 catches for 569 yards and seven touchdowns in the last four games of the 2010 season.

The receiving corps also features wide-out Darius Jackson (sr., 5-10, 175), who was second on the Hornets in receptions (38) and receiving yards (450) last season. Jackson enters his final season with 97 catches for 1,181 yards at Delaware State.

Receivers Donnell Dixon (r-jr., 5-10, 185), Travis Tarpley (r-jr. 5-7, 175) and Justin Brewton (r-so. 6-4, 215) also return this season. Dixon was third on the team with 26 catches (304 yards; 4 TDs), while Tarpley was tied for fourth with 24 (278 yds.; 1 TD).



### WIDE RECEIVERS

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
14	Justin Brewton	r-So.	1L	6-4	215
15	Joseph Ceravolo	r-Fr.	HS	6-1	190
13	Donnell Dixon	r-Jr.	2L	5-10	185
1	Darius Jackson	Sr.	3L	5-10	170
5	Travis Tarpley	r-Jr.	2L	5-7	175
	Milton Williams	Fr.	HS	6-3	200
7	Justin Wilson	r-Jr.	2L	6-1	175

Nick Elko (r-jr. 6-2, 205), coming off a solid spring camp, is expected to inherit the starting quarterback job after serving as the No. 2 the past two seasons. Elko completed 39-of-68 passes (57.4%) for 540 yards and seven touchdowns in 10 games last year. He ranked second in

the MEAC in passing efficiency (149.2) and was seventh in the league in passing average (54.0 ypg) in 2010. The Odenton, Md., native made his first career start before more than 100,000 fans at Michigan as a redshirt freshman in 2009. He completed 18-of-34 passes for 151 yards in that contest.

Micah Brown (sr. 6-2, 220) is expected to enter the season as the No. QB. Newcomers Marlon Kelly (fr. Miami, Fla./6-2, 200) and Anthony Smith (fr., Phila., Pa./6-2, 215) are also listed as signal-callers on the 2011 roster.



### QUARTERBACKS

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
17	Micah Brown	Sr.	2L	6-2	220
12	Nick Elko	r-Jr.	2L	6-2	210
8	Marlon Kelly	r-Fr.	HS	6-2	200
	Anthony Smith	Fr.	HS	6-2	215

The Hornets return three experienced running backs from last season. Jashaawn Jones (sr. r-sr., 6-2, 220) enters the season with 1,387 yards and 12 touchdowns in his career at DSU. Jones was tops on the team and fifth in the MEAC in rushing at 65.8 yards per game last season. He was fourth in the conference with 724 rushing yards on 161 attempts (4.5 ypc) a year ago.

Jones will be challenged for primary rushing responsibilities by James Rosseau (jr. 5-7, 205) and Nick Williams (jr., 5-9, 170). Rosseau was second on the team with 154 yards rushing and three touchdowns on 46 carries (3.3 ypc) in 2010. The versatile Williams rushed for 86 yards and a touchdown on 18 attempts (4.8 ypc) last season. He was also tops among DSU running backs with 11 receptions a year ago.

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The Hornets also added 2010 Delaware Offensive Player of the Year Quadir Bryant (fr.; 5-11, 185), who rushed for more than 2,000 yards and 33 touchdowns as a senior at Lake Forest High School. Bryant also ran for a record 245 yards in the state's high school all-star contest.

Josh Bailey (jr. 5-11; 185) will also compete for playing time in the backfield after two seasons at Lackawanna (Pa.) Junior College.



**RUNNING BACKS**

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
	Josh Bailey	Jr.	JC	5-11	185
	Quadir Bryant	Fr.	HS	5-11	185
45	Jaashawn Jones	r-Sr.	3L	6-1	220
34	James Rosseau	Jr.	2L	5-7	205
27	Nick Williams	Jr.	2L	5-9	170

Ryan Langdon (jr. 6-4, 240) and Jahmel Bashir (jr., 6-3, 250) each return at tight end. Langdon collected 11 catches for 103 yards, while Bashir hauled in six passes for 72 yards last season.



**TIGHT ENDS**

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
89	Jahmel Bashir	Jr.	2L	6-3	250
81	Ryan Langdon	Jr.	2L	6-4	240

Four players with starting experience are expected to return to the offensive line. Center Marcus Ponder (sr. 6-2, 295) and right tackle Nail Muradymov (r-jr. 6-7, 310) are potential All-MEAC performers, while tackle Keith Newell (sr. 6-6, 305) and guard Thomas Threadgill (jr. 6-5, 315) earned valuable experience as first-year starters last season. Danzel Manley (r-so., 6-5, 300) could emerge as a starter at tackle after serving as a back-up last season.



**OFFENSIVE LINE**

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
63	Brandon Cunningham	So.	1L	6-2	290
	Tyler Loomis	Fr.	HS	6-3	270
66	Danzel Manley	So.	1L	6-5	305
78	Nail Muradymov	r-Jr.	2L	6-7	310
72	Keith Newell	Jr.	1L	6-6	305
61	Marcus Ponder	r-Sr.	2L	6-2	295
70	Brandon Purnsley	Sr.	2L	6-3	295
76	Thomas Threadgill	Jr.	2L	6-5	315

## DEFENSE

New defensive coordinator Mike Ketchum is expected to make significant changes to a unit that allowed more than 196 yards rushing and 188 yards per game through the air in 2010.

One of Ketchum's major priorities is shoring up a front line that must replace tackle Andre Carroll, a 2010 All-MEAC First Team and SportsNetwork All-America Third Team selection. Carroll led the Hornets with 96 tackles and 13.5 tackles-for-loss last season.

The line will feature two returning starters, left end Olusegun Ayanbiola (jr., 6-2, 235) and tackle Darrell Brown (sr. 6-2, 280). Ayanbiola collected 37 tackles and a team-high five sacks in 2010. His season was highlighted by a career-high 3.5 sacks and eight total tackles vs.

North Carolina Central. Brown recorded 28 tackles, including three backfield stops and a sack, last season.

Aaron Richardson (jr. 6-2, 220), George Bansah (jr., 6-1, 270) and Quinton Fortes (jr., 6-3, 240) are also returning letter winners along the line. Richardson had 27 tackles, including 4.5 tackles for loss, while Bansah and Fortes recorded 16 tackles each in 2010.

Newcomers Carl Russell (so. 6-6, 300), a University of Maryland transfer, and Rodney Gunter (fr. 6-5, 300/Wash., D.C.) are also expected to challenge for playing time on the line.



**DEFENSIVE LINE**

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
91	Olusegun Ayanbiola	Jr.	2L	6-2	235
93	George Bansah	Jr.	1L	6-1	275
58	Quinton Fortes	Jr.	2L	6-3	240
65	Jadira Green	Fr.	HS	6-4	300
94	Rodney Gunter	Fr.	HS	6-5	300
50	Byron Lewis	So.	1L	6-2	250
52	Aaron Richardson	Jr.	1L	6-2	220
	Carl Russell	So.	TR	6-6	300

The linebacker corps appears solid with the return of Brandon Harvey (sr., 6-1, 220) and Quentin Ferguson (r-sr., 5-11, 205) who were among the team leaders in tackles last season.

Harvey was second on the Hornets (10<sup>th</sup> in MEAC) in tackles at 7.5 per-game (83 total tackles) in 2010. He also recorded eight tackles-for-loss, one sack, two pass deflections, three fumble recoveries and one forced fumble last season. Ferguson was fourth on the Hornets with 56 tackles, including 8.5 backfield stops, last year.



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Herman Hinton (jr., 6-2, 210), Marquis Spann (sr., 6-2, 205) Chris Johnson (sr., 6-2, 215) and Alex Perry (so., 5-11, 220) are other experienced linebackers on the team.

Calvin Miner (jr., 5-11, 195) is expected to start at the rover position this season. Miner was ninth on the Hornets with 34 tackles in 2010. He also recorded two pass break ups and two deflections last season.



MINER

#4 CALVIN MINER

### LINEBACKERS

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
31	Quentin Ferguson	r-Sr.	2L	5-11	205
55	Brandon Harvey	Sr.	1L	6-1	220
33	Herman Hinton	r-Jr.	2L	6-2	210
19	Chris Johnson	r-Sr.	1L	6-2	215
4	Calvin Miner	Jr.	2L	5-11	195
52	Aaron Richardson	So.	1L	6-1	220
25	Dominic Shepard	So.	1L	6-1	210
26	Marquis Spann	Sr.	2L	6-2	205
	Elbie Williams	Fr.	HS	6-0	210

The secondary will be led by safeties Matt Spicer (r-so., 5-11, 180) and Tavis Tabb (r-sr. 6-2, 195). Spicer was fifth on the team with 55 tackles at strong safety last season. He also recorded two interceptions, 3.5 tackles-for-loss and eight pass deflections in 2010. Tabb collected 32 tackles, three deflections and an interception last season.

Matt Scott (sr., 5-10, 175) will also vie for playing time at the safety position. The secondary also welcomes the addition of Connecticut transfer Josh Alexander (r-fr; 6-3, 200), a solid athlete who can play at safety or cornerback.

The Hornets must find replacements at starting cornerback this season. Anthony Frye (jr., 5-10, 175), Rueben Hale (jr., 5-8, 165), Jermond Colston (so., 5-11, 180) and Joe Boyd (fr., 6-0, 180), in addition to several promising newcomers, are among the contenders.



SPICER

#9 MATT SPICER

### SECONDARY

No.	Name	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
	Josh Alexander	r-Fr.	TR	6-3	200
21	Joe Boyd	So.	1L	6-0	180
23	Jermond Colston	So.	1L	5-11	180
43	Anthony Frye	Jr.	2L	5-10	175
	Antonio Hale	Fr.	HS	5-10	170
30	Ruben Hale	Jr.	2L	5-8	165
16	Matt Scott	Sr.	2L	5-10	175
9	Matt Spicer	r-So.	1L	5-11	180
41	Tavis Tabb	r-Sr.	2L	6-2	195

### SPECIAL TEAMS

The Hornets return starting placekicker Mario Diaz-Aviles (so., 5-11, 220) and punter Marco Kano (so. 6-6, 225).

Travis Tarpley (r-jr. 5-7, 175) is one of the MEAC's top kick returners. He returned 21 kickoffs for 475 yards (22.6 ypr), with a long of 78, last season. He's also expected to share punt return duties with Darius Jackson (sr., 5-10, 170).



KANO

#83 MARCO KANO

### SPECIAL TEAMS

No.	Name	Pos.	CL	Exp.	Ht.	Wt.
12	Nick Elko	P/HLD	r-Jr.	2L	6-2	205
58	Quinton Fortes	LS	Jr.	2L	6-3	235
1	Darius Jackson	KOR/HLD	r-Sr.	3L	5-10	170
83	Martin Kano	P	So.	1L	6-6	225
5	Travis Tarpley	KR/PR	r-Jr.	2L	5-7	175

### SCHEDULE

Delaware State opens the 2011 season against first-time opponent VMI on Sep. 3. After the home opener against Shaw on Sep. 10, the Hornets will take on 2010 national runner-up Delaware on the road in just the third meeting between the state's two Division I teams.

The MEAC schedule will feature home games against Norfolk State (Oct. 8), Morgan State (Oct. 29), North Carolina Central (Nov. 5) and Howard (Nov. 19), and road contests at South Carolina State (Sep. 24), Florida A&M (Oct. 1), North Carolina A&T (Oct. 15) and Hampton (Nov. 12).



## DEPTH CHART

### OFFENSE

- X** 7 – Justin Wilson (r-Jr., 6-1/180/Windsor, Conn.)  
14 – Justin Brewton (Jr., 6-4/215/Fairless Hills, Pa.)
- LT** 78 – Nail Muradymov (r-Jr., 6-7/300/Burtonsville, Md.)  
62 – Tywan Lee (Sr., 6-3/315/Miami, Fla.)
- LG** 76 – Thomas Threadgill (Jr., 6-5/315/Frederick, Md.)
- C** 61 – Marcus Ponder (r-Sr., 6-2/295/Hamilton, N.J.)  
63 – Brandon Cunningham (Jr., 6-2/270/Lumberton, N.J.)
- RG** 66 – Danzel Manley (So., 6-5/305/Greenbelt, Md.)  
65 – Jadira Green (Jr., 6-4/300/Washington, D.C.)
- RT** 72 – Keith Newell (So., 6-6/305/Trenton, N.J.)  
57 – Jonathan Mills (So., 6-3/290/Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.)
- TE** 81 – Ryan Langdon (Jr., 6-4/235/Phila., Pa.)  
89 – Jahmel Bashir (Jr., 6-3, 250/Phila., Pa.)
- H** 1 – Darius Jackson (r-Sr., 5-10/170/Quincy, Fla.)  
5 – Travis Tarpley (r-Jr., 5-7/175/Danville, Fla.)
- Z** 13 – Donnell Dixon (r-Jr. 5-10/185/Hampton, Va.)  
15 – Bo Ceravolo (r-Fr., 6-1/175/Venice, Fla.)
- RB** 34 – James Rosseau (Jr., 5-7/205/Phila., Pa.)  
27 – Nick Williams (Jr., 5-9/170/San Diego, Cal.)
- QB** 12 – Nick Elko (r-Jr. 6-2/200/Odenton, Md.)  
17 – Micah Brown (Sr., 6-2/215/Quincy, Fla.)

### DEFENSE

- RE** 52 – Aaron Richardson (Jr., 6-1/230/Wash., D.C.)  
58 – Quinton Fortes (Jr., 6-3/250/Reston, Va.)
- NT** 97 – Darrell Brown (Sr., 6-2/280/Darby, Pa.)  
93 – George Bansah (So., 6-1/280/Woodbridge, Va.)
- LT** 99 – Olusegon Ayanbiola (Jr., 6-2/245/Greenbelt, Md.)  
93 – George Bansah (So., 6-1/275/Woodbridge, Va.)
- SAM** 19 – Chris Johnson (Sr., 6-2/215/Paterson, N.J.)  
33 – Herman Hinton (r-Jr., 6-2/210/Phila., Pa.)
- MIKE** 55 – Brandon Harvey (Sr., 6-1/225/Laurel, Md.)  
27 – Alex Perry (So., 5-11/220/Jacksonville, Fla.)
- WILL** 31 – Quentin Ferguson (r-Sr., 5-11/210/Frederick, Md.)  
26 – Marquis Spann (Sr., 6-2/210/Paterson, N.J.)
- ROV** 4 – Calvin Miner (r-Jr., 5-11/205/Sanford, Fla.)
- LCB** 24 – Jermond Colston (So., 5-11/180/Norfolk, Va.)  
30 – Rueben Hale (Jr., 5-8/170/Norfolk, Va.)
- SS** 9 – Matt Spicer (Jr., 5-11/190/Lanham, Md.)  
21 – Joe Boyd (So., 6-0/180/Ft. Washington, Md.)
- FS** 41 – Tavis Tabb (r-Sr. 6-2/205/Hampton, Va.)  
16 – Matt Scott (Sr., 5-10/180/Harrington, Del.)
- RCB** 43 – Anthony Frye (Jr., 5-10/175/Landover, Md.)  
30 – Rueben Hale (Jr., 5-8/170/Norfolk, Va.)

### SPECIALISTS

- PK** 42 – Mario Diaz-Aviles (So., 5-11/200/Washington, D.C.)
- P** 83 – Martin Kano (So., 6-6/225/Cottbus, Germany)  
12 – Nick Elko (r-Jr.; 6-2/20/Odenton, Md.)
- HLD** 1 – Darius Jackson (Sr. , 5-10/170/Quincy, Fla.)
- LS** 58 – Quintin Fortes (Jr., 6-3/235/Reston, Va.)  
51 – Greg Cannon (So., 5-11/180/Toms River, N.J.)
- KR** 15 – Travis Tarpley (r-Jr., 5-7/170/Danville, Va.)  
1 – Darius Jackson (Sr., 5-10/ 185/Quincy, Fla.)  
7 – Justin Wilson (r-Jr.; 6-1/180/Windsor, Conn.)
- PR** 15 – Travis Tarpley (r-Jr./5-7/175/Danville, Va.)  
7 – Justin Wilson (r-Jr., 6-1/180/Windsor, Conn.)



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## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
53	Ernest Adjei	LB	6-0	220	JR	Woodbridge, Va./Gar-Field HS
	Josh Alexander	FS	6-3	200	SO	Waldorf, Md./Connecticut/Westlake HS
91	Olusegun Ayanbiola	DE	6-2	230	JR	Greenbelt, Md./Eleanor Roosevelt HS
	Josh Bailey	RB	5-11	185	JR	Richmond, Va./Lackawanna JC
93	George Bansah	DL	6-1	275	JR	Woodbridge, Va. / Potomac HS
89	Jahmel Bashir	TE	6-3	250	JR	Philadelphia, Pa./South Philadelphia HS
39	Shawn Billups	DB	5-9	150	SO	Brooklyn, N.Y./Boys & Girls HS
74	Aaron Boyd	OT	6-5	325	SO	Alexandria, Va./Fork Union Military Academy
21	Joe Boyd	DB	6-0	180	FR	Ft. Washington, Md./ Friendly HS
85	Nick Brackett	TE	6-4	225	r-FR	Lawrenceville, N.J./Lawrence HS
14	Justin Brewton	TE	6-4	215	r-SO	Fairless Hills, Pa./ Pennsbury HS
97	Darrell Brown	DL	6-2	280	SR	Darby, Pa./Hudson Valley CC/William Penn HS
17	Micah Brown	QB	6-2	220	SR	Quincy, Fla. / East Gadsden HS
	Quadir Bryant	RB	5-11	185	FR	Felton, Del./Lake Forrest HS
51	Greg Cannon	LS	5-11	180	r-FR	Toms River, N.J./Toms River East
15	Joseph "Bo" Ceravolo	WR	6-1	190	r-FR	Venice, Fla./ Venice HS
88	Akeem Cobb	WR	5-10	175	r-FR	Newark, N.J./Central HS
24	Jermond Colston	DB	5-11	180	SO	Norfolk, Va./ Booker T. Washington HS
47	Troye Cornwall	DB	6-0	195	FR	Mt. Vernon, N.Y./Mt. Vernon HS
63	Brandon Cunningham	OL	6-2	290	SO	Lumberton, N.J./Rancocas Valley HS
42	Mario Diaz-Aviles	PK	5-11	200	SO	Washington, D.C./Wilson HS
13	Donnell Dixon	WR	5-10	185	r-JR	Hampton, Va. / Phoebus HS
12	Nick Elko	QB	6-2	205	r-JR	Odenton, Md. / Arundel HS
31	Quentin Ferguson	DB	5-11	205	r-SR	Frederick, Md. / Frederick HS
43	Anthony Frye	DB	5-10	175	JR	Landover, Md./Thomas Stone HS
58	Quintin Fortes	DE	6-3	235	JR	Reston, Va./South Lakes HS
65	Jadira Green	DT	6-4	300	SO	Washington, D.C./Oxon Hill HS
	Rodney Gunter	DL	6-5	300	FR	Haines, Fla./Haines City HS
	Antonio Hale	DB	5-10	170	FR	Waldorf, Md./ Westlake HS
30	Rueben Hale	DB	5-8	165	JR	Norfolk, Va. / Maury HS
55	Brandon Harvey	LB	6-1	220	SR	Laurel, Md./Hudson Valley CC/Laurel HS
33	Herman Hinton	LB	6-2	210	r-JR	Philadelphia, Pa. / West Catholic HS
1	Darius Jackson	WR	5-10	170	SR	Quincy, Fla. / East Gadsden HS
80	Sam Jenifer	WR	6-1	175	SO	Clayton, Del./Polytech HS
19	Chris Johnson	DB	6-2	215	r-SR	Paterson, N.J. / Boston College
45	Jaashawn Jones	RB	6-1	220	r-SR	Asbury Park, N.J. / Asbury Park HS
83	Marco Kano	P	6-6	225	SO	Cottbus, Germany
8	Marlon Kelly	QB	6-2	200	FR	Miami, Fla./Dr. Krop HS
81	Ryan Langdon	TE	6-4	240	JR	Philadelphia, Pa./ Father Judge HS
62	Tywan Lee	OL	6-3	315	SR	Miami, Fla./Deane JC/Northwestern HS
50	Byron Lewis	DL	6-2	250	SO	Virginia Beach, Va./Tallwood HS
	Tyler Loomis	OL	6-3	265	FR	Felton, Del./Lake Forrest HS
66	Danzel Manley	OL	6-5	305	SO	Greenbelt, Md./Eleanor Roosevelt HS
57	Jonathan Mills	OL	6-3	290	SO	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla./St. Thomas Aquinas
4	Calvin Miner	DB	5-11	195	r-JR	Sanford, Fla. / Lake Mary HS
44	Davon Moore	DB	5-11	185	SO	Mt. Vernon, N.Y./Mt. Vernon HS
78	Nail Muradymov	OL	6-7	310	r-JR	Burtonsville, Md. / Paint Branch HS
72	Keith Newell	OL	6-6	305	JR	Trenton, N.J./Rutgers
25	Alex Perry	DB	5-11	220	SO	Jacksonville, Fla./First Coast HS
61	Marcus Ponder	OL	6-2	295	r-SR	Hamilton, N.J. / Hamilton West HS
86	Mike Rendle	WR	6-1	190	r-FR	Wilmington, Del./St. Elizabeth HS
52	Aaron Richardson	LB	6-1	220	JR	Washington D.C. / St. John's HS
34	James Rosseau	RB	5-7	205	JR	Philadelphia, Pa./Northeast HS
99	Carl Russell	DL	6-6	300	SO	Washington, D.C./Maryland/Woodson HS
59	Marquese Sanders	LB	6-1	215	JR	Philadelphia, Pa./West Catholic HS
16	Matt Scott	DB	5-10	175	SR	Harrington, Del. / Lake Forest HS
32	Dominic Shepard	LB	6-1	210	SO	Hyattsville, Md./ Eleanor Roosevelt HS
	Anthony Smith	QB	6-3	215	FR	Philadelphia, Pa./George Washington H.S.
26	Marquis Spann	LB	6-2	205	SR	Paterson, N.J. / John F. Kennedy HS
9	Matt Spicer	DB	5-11	180	r-SO	Lanham, Md./ Eleanor Roosevelt HS
41	Tavis Tabb	DB	6-2	195	r-SR	Hampton, Va. / Norcum HS
5	Travis Tarpley	WR	5-7	175	r-JR	Danville, Va. / George Washington HS
76	Thomas Threadgill	DL	6-5	315	SR	Frederick, Md. / Frederick HS
	Elbie Williams	LB	6-0	210	FR	Bowie, Md./DeMatha HS
	Milton Williams	WR	6-3	200	FR	Upper Marlboro, Md./Frederick Douglas HS
27	Nick Williams	RB	5-9	165	JR	San Diego, Calif./Monte Vista HS
87	Andre Wilson	WR	6-1	170	SO	Hartford, Conn./Weaver HS
7	Justin Wilson	WR	6-1	175	r-JR	Windsor, Conn. / Windsor HS



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NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	CL	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
1	Darius Jackson	WR	5-10	170	SR	Quincy, Fla. / East Gadsden HS
4	Calvin Miner	DB	5-11	195	r-JR	Sanford, Fla. / Lake Mary HS
5	Travis Tarpley	WR	5-7	175	r-JR	Danville, Va. / George Washington HS
7	Justin Wilson	WR	6-1	175	r-JR	Windsor, Conn. / Windsor HS
9	Matt Spicer	DB	5-11	180	r-SO	Lanham, Md. / Eleanor Roosevelt HS
12	Nick Elko	QB	6-2	205	r-JR	Odenton, Md. / Arundel HS
13	Donnell Dixon	WR	5-10	185	r-JR	Hampton, Va. / Phoebus HS
14	Justin Brewton	TE	6-4	215	r-SO	Fairless Hills, Pa. / Pennsbury HS
15	Joseph "Bo" Ceravolo	WR	6-1	190	r-FR	Venice, Fla. / Venice HS
16	Matt Scott	DB	5-10	175	SR	Harrington, Del. / Lake Forest HS
17	Micah Brown	QB	6-2	220	SR	Quincy, Fla. / East Gadsden HS
19	Chris Johnson	DB	6-2	215	r-SR	Paterson, N.J. / Boston College
21	Joe Boyd	DB	6-0	180	FR	Ft. Washington, Md. / Friendly HS
24	Jermond Colston	DB	5-11	180	SO	Norfolk, Va. / Booker T. Washington HS
25	Alex Perry	DB	5-11	220	SO	Jacksonville, Fla. / First Coast HS
26	Marquis Spann	LB	6-2	205	SR	Paterson, N.J. / John F. Kennedy HS
27	Nick Williams	RB	5-9	165	JR	San Diego, Calif. / Monte Vista HS
30	Rueben Hale	DB	5-8	165	JR	Norfolk, Va. / Maury HS
31	Quentin Ferguson	DB	5-11	205	r-SR	Frederick, Md. / Frederick HS
32	Dominic Shepard	LB	6-1	210	SO	Hyattsville, Md. / Eleanor Roosevelt HS
33	Herman Hinton	LB	6-2	210	r-JR	Philadelphia, Pa. / West Catholic HS
34	James Rosseau	RB	5-7	205	JR	Philadelphia, Pa. / Northeast HS
39	Shawn Billups	DB	5-9	150	SO	Brooklyn, N.Y. / Boys & Girls HS
41	Tavis Tabb	DB	6-2	195	r-SR	Hampton, Va. / Norcum HS
42	Mario Diaz-Aviles	PK	5-11	200	SO	Washington, D.C. / Wilson HS
43	Anthony Frye	DB	5-10	175	JR	Landover, Md. / Thomas Stone HS
44	Davon Moore	DB	5-11	185	SO	Mt. Vernon, N.Y. / Mt. Vernon HS
45	Jaashawn Jones	RB	6-1	220	r-SR	Asbury Park, N.J. / Asbury Park HS
47	Troye Cornwall	DB	6-0	195	FR	Mt. Vernon, N.Y. / Mt. Vernon HS
50	Byron Lewis	DL	6-2	250	SO	Virginia Beach, Va. / Tallwood HS
51	Greg Cannon	LS	5-11	180	r-FR	Toms River, N.J. / Toms River East
52	Aaron Richardson	LB	6-1	220	JR	Washington D.C. / St. John's HS
53	Ernest Adjei	LB	6-0	220	JR	Woodbridge, Va. / Gar-Field HS
54	Thomas Best	LB	5-11	190	SO	Washington, D.C. / Seneca Valley HS
55	Brandon Harvey	LB	6-1	220	SR	Laurel, Md. / Hudson Valley CC / Laurel HS
57	Jonathan Mills	OL	6-3	290	SO	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. / St. Thomas Aquinas
58	Quintin Fortes	DE	6-3	235	JR	Reston, Va. / South Lakes HS
59	Marquese Sanders	LB	6-1	215	JR	Philadelphia, Pa. / West Catholic HS
61	Marcus Ponder	OL	6-2	295	r-SR	Hamilton, N.J. / Hamilton West HS
62	Tywan Lee	OL	6-3	315	SR	Miami, Fla. / Deane JC / Northwestern HS
63	Brandon Cunningham	OL	6-2	290	SO	Lumberton, N.J. / Rancocas Valley HS
65	Jadira Green	DT	6-4	300	SO	Washington, D.C. / Oxon Hill HS
66	Danzel Manley	OL	6-5	305	SO	Greenbelt, Md. / Eleanor Roosevelt HS
70	Brandon Purnsley	OL	6-3	295	SR	Wilmington, Del. / Howard HS
72	Keith Newell	OL	6-6	305	JR	Trenton, N.J. / Rutgers
74	Aaron Boyd	OT	6-5	325	SO	Alexandria, Va. / Fork Union Military Acad.
76	Thomas Threadgill	DL	6-5	315	SR	Frederick, Md. / Frederick HS
78	Nail Muradymov	OL	6-7	310	r-JR	Burtonsville, Md. / Paint Branch HS
81	Ryan Langdon	TE	6-4	240	JR	Philadelphia, Pa. / Father Judge HS
83	Marco Kano	P	6-6	225	SO	Cottbus, Germany
85	Nick Brackett	TE	6-4	225	r-FR	Lawrenceville, N.J. / Lawrence HS
86	Mike Rendle	WR	6-1	190	r-FR	Wilmington, Del. / St. Elizabeth HS
89	Jahmel Bashir	TE	6-3	250	JR	Philadelphia, Pa. / South Philadelphia HS
91	Olusegun Ayanbiola	DE	6-2	230	JR	Greenbelt, Md. / Eleanor Roosevelt HS
92	Kahlil Battle	DL	6-2	210	SO	Maplewood, Minn. / Johnson Sr. HS
93	George Bansah	DL	6-1	275	JR	Woodbridge, Va. / Potomac HS
97	Darrell Brown	DL	6-2	280	SR	Darby, Pa. / Hudson Valley CC / Wm. Penn HS
	Josh Alexander	FS	6-3	200	SO	Waldorf, Md. / Connecticut / Westlake HS
	Josh Bailey	RB	5-11	185	JR	Richmond, Va. / Lackawanna JC
	Quadir Bryant	RB	5-11	185	FR	Felton, Del. / Lake Forrest HS
	Rodney Gunter	DL	6-5	300	FR	Haines, Fla. / Haines City HS
	Antonio Hale	DB/WR	5-10	170	FR	Waldorf, Md. / Westlake HS
	Tyler Loomis	OL	6-3	265	FR	Felton, Del. / Lake Forrest HS
	Marlon Kelly	QB	6-2	200	FR	Miami, Fla. / Dr. Krop HS
	Carl Russell	DL	6-6	300	FR	Washington, D.C. / Maryland / Woodson HS
	Anthony Smith	QB	6-3	215	FR	Philadelphia, Pa. / George Washington H.S.
	Elbie Williams	LB	6-0	210	FR	Bowie, Md. / Dematha HS
	Milton Williams	WR	6-3	200	FR	Upper Marlboro, Md. / Frederick Douglas HS



# ROSTER BREAKDOWN

## BY CLASS

**SENIORS (13)**

97	Darrell Brown	DL
17	Micah Brown	QB
31	Quentin Ferguson	DB
55	Brandon Harvey	LB
1	Darius Jackson	WR
19	Chris Johnson	DB
45	Jaashawn Jones	RB
62	Tywan Lee	OL
61	Marcus Ponder	OL
16	Matt Scott	DB
26	Marquis Spann	LB
41	Tavis Tabb	DB
76	Thomas Threadgill	DL

**JUNIORS (20)**

53	Ernest Adjei	LB
91	Olusegun Ayanbiola	DE
	Josh Bailey	RB
93	George Bansah	DL
89	Jahmel Bashir	TE
13	Donnell Dixon	WR
12	Nick Elko	QB
43	Anthony Frye	DB
58	Quintin Fortes	DE
30	Rueben Hale	DB
33	Herman Hinton	LB
81	Ryan Langdon	TE
4	Calvin Miner	DB
78	Nail Muradymov	OL
72	Keith Newell	OL
52	Aaron Richardson	LB
34	James Rosseau	RB
59	Marquese Sanders	LB
5	Travis Tarpley	WR
27	Nick Williams	RB
7	Justin Wilson	WR

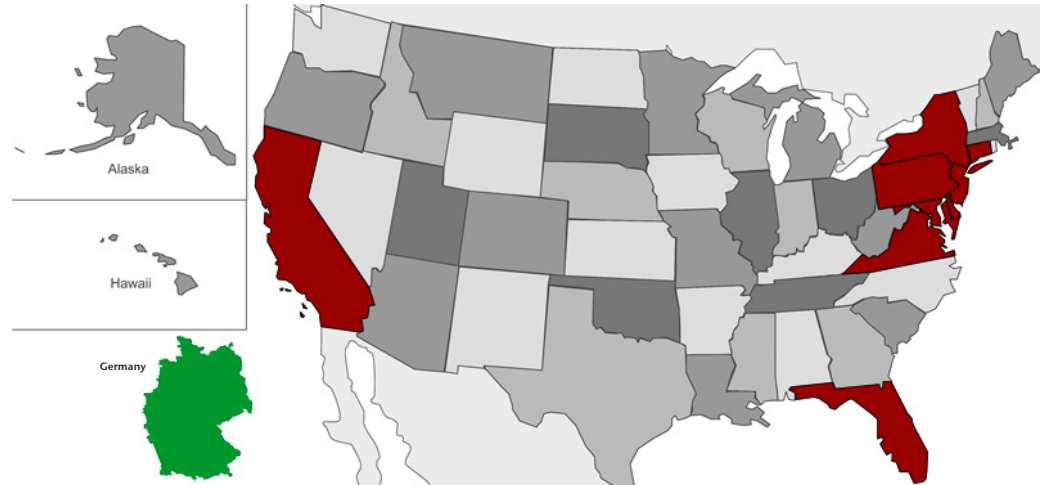
**SOPHOMORES (19)**

	Josh Alexander	FS
39	Shawn Billups	DB
74	Aaron Boyd	OT
14	Justin Brewton	TE
24	Jermond Colston	DB
63	Brandon Cunningham	OL
42	Mario Diaz-Aviles	PK
65	Jadira Green	DT
80	Sam Jenifer	WR
83	Marco Kano	P
50	Byron Lewis	DL
66	Danzel Manley	OL
57	Jonathan Mills	OL
44	Davon Moore	DB
25	Alex Perry	DB
99	Carl Russell	DL
32	Dominic Shepard	LB
9	Matt Spicer	DB
87	Andre Wilson	WR

**FRESHMEN (15)**

21	Joe Boyd	DB
85	Nick Brackett	TE
	Quadir Bryant	RB
51	Greg Cannon	LS
15	Joseph "Bo" Ceravolo	WR
88	Akeem Cobb	WR
47	Troye Cornwall	DB
	Rodney Gunter	DL
	Antonio Hale	DB
8	Marlon Kelly	QB
	Tyler Loomis	OL
86	Mike Rendle	WR
	Anthony Smith	QB
	Elbie Williams	LB
	Milton Williams	WR

## BY STATE/COUNTRY



**CALIFORNIA (1)**

27	Nick Williams	San Diego
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**CONNECTICUT (2)**

87	Andre Wilson	Hartford
7	Justin Wilson	Windsor

**DELAWARE (5)**

	Quadir Bryant	Felton
80	Sam Jenifer	Clayton
	Tyler Loomis	Felton
86	Mike Rendle	Wilmington
16	Matt Scott	Harrington

**WASHINGTON, D.C. (4)**

42	Mario Diaz-Aviles	
65	Jadira Green	
52	Aaron Richardson	
99	Carl Russell	

**FLORIDA (9)**

17	Micah Brown	Quincy
15	Joseph "Bo" Ceravolo	Venice
	Rodney Gunter	Haines
1	Darius Jackson	Quincy
8	Marlon Kelly	Miami
62	Tywan Lee	Miami
57	Jonathan Mills	Ft. Lauderdale
4	Calvin Miner	Sanford
25	Alex Perry	Jacksonville

**GERMANY (1)**

83	Marco Kano	Cottbus
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**MARYLAND (15)**

	Josh Alexander	Waldorf
91	Olusegun Ayanbiola	Greenbelt
21	Joe Boyd	Ft. Washington
12	Nick Elko	Odenton
31	Quentin Ferguson	Frederick
43	Anthony Frye	Landover
	Antonio Hale	Waldorf
55	Brandon Harvey	Laurel
66	Danzel Manley	Greenbelt
78	Nail Muradymov	Burtonsville
32	Dominic Shepard	Hyattsville
9	Matt Spicer	Lanham
76	Thomas Threadgill	Frederick
	Elbie Williams	Bowie
	Milton Williams	Upper Marlboro

**NEW JERSEY (9)**

85	Nick Brackett	Lawrenceville
51	Greg Cannon	Toms River
88	Akeem Cobb	Newark
63	Brandon Cunningham	Lumberton
19	Chris Johnson	Paterson
45	Jaashawn Jones	Asbury Park
72	Keith Newell	Trenton
61	Marcus Ponder	Hamilton
26	Marquis Spann	Paterson

**NEW YORK (3)**

39	Shawn Billups	Brooklyn
47	Troye Cornwall	Mt. Vernon
44	Davon Moore	Mt. Vernon

**PENNSYLVANIA (8)**

89	Jahmel Bashir	Philadelphia
14	Justin Brewton	Fairless Hills
97	Darrell Brown	Darby
33	Herman Hinton	Philadelphia
81	Ryan Langdon	Philadelphia
34	James Rosseau	Philadelphia
59	Marquese Sanders	Philadelphia
	Anthony Smith	Philadelphia

**VIRGINIA (11)**

53	Ernest Adjei	Woodbridge
	Josh Bailey	Richmond
93	George Bansah	Woodbridge
74	Aaron Boyd	Alexandria
24	Jermond Colston	Norfolk
13	Donnell Dixon	Hampton
58	Quintin Fortes	Reston, Va.
30	Rueben Hale	Norfolk
50	Byron Lewis	Virginia Beach
41	Tavis Tabb	Hampton
5	Travis Tarpley	Danville

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Ernest Adjei	Ah-jay	Quintin Fortes	Forts
Olusegun Ayanbiola	Oo-loo-she-gun I-yan-bee-oo-lah	Jadira Green	Juh-dye-ruh
George Bansah	Ban-suh	Jaashawn Jones	JUH-shawn
Jahmel Bashir	Juh-mel Buh-sheer	Tywan Lee	TY-wahn
Quadir Bryant	KUH-deer	Nail Muradymov	MUH-rah-dih-mahv
Joseph "Bo" Ceravolo	Sare-ah-vo-lo	James Rosseau	ROO-sow
Troye Cornwall	Troy	Marquese Sanders	Mar-keese
Mario Diaz-Aviles	Dee-az Ah-vee-les	Marquis Spann	Mar-kiss
		Tavis Tabb	Tab